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The London Hockey Club's Record for 1895.

A Local Boxing Match Tonight—Kentucky's Great Race Meet.

THE WHEEL.

BAD WHEELING.
When the block pavement was put down between the rails of the electric car track, it was expected to find a perfect wheeling paradise. But, whether from hurried work or lack of inspection on the part of the city engineer, the pavement has sunk an inch or so between each tie, and the effect of a bicycle ride over that portion of the road is a cross between riding a dromedary and a triphammer. It also has an after-effect similar to an ocean voyage, and puts a rider in mind of the block pavements on Richmond and Dundas streets before the asphalt was laid. The city engineer ought to ride the bicycle. The works wheel over the portion referred to.

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Honorary President—A. Talbot.
Honorary Vice-President—R. W. Evans.
President—T. A. Jones.
Vice-President—F. W. Dunsford (acclamation).
Secretary—Ed. T. Ramsey (acclamation).
Treasurer—George Wyatt, jun.
Captain—R. McAuliffe.
First Lieutenant—F. W. Barnes.
Second Lieutenant—J. Dolley.
Bugler—A. Riddle (acclamation).
Reporter—J. Pendergast (acclamation).

Mr. Frank Smith was elected chairman of the racing board, and will no doubt make things interesting, as he is already making arrangements for holding weekly evening meets.

The auditors' report was submitted, showing the club to be in excellent shape financially and otherwise, the balance to the credit of the club being \$203.49.

The Meteorists are looked upon as one of the most enterprising clubs in the Province, and they will use their best endeavors to secure the C. W. A. meet for London in 1897.

The already commodious and well-furnished club house is to be remodelled and improved for the better accommodation of members and visitors.

A large number of applications for membership have been received, and a greatly increased membership roll is expected during the coming season.

A NEW RECORD.
Coronado, Cal., April 14.—Several bicycle records were established yesterday. W. J. Evans lowered the amateur flying unspaced half-mile record by Clark, of Denver, to 57. W. J. Edwards rode a half-mile flying start unspaced in 55.3-8, establishing a new professional record.

WELLS DEFEATS ZEIGLER.
San Francisco, April 14.—The 100-mile relay road race from San Francisco to Alameda and San Jose, the blue ribbon bicycle event of the year on the Pacific coast, was contested yesterday by ten of the crack clubs, and resulted in a victory for the Bay City Wheelmen, whose favorite, Chas. Wells, crossed the line two feet in advance of the Gardiner City Club flyer, Otto Zeigler, in 4:56:12 3-5.

SPOKES.
The arrival of John S. Johnson, the American professional, has resulted in steps being taken to have him meet some of the noted foreign riders.

Pither, the smart Australian, who defeated Zimmerman's very outspoken on the subject of alcohol and tobacco, each of which he holds to be an abomination.

The initial run of the season of the London Bicycle Club will be held on Friday night, commencing from the club headquarters at 7:15 o'clock. Only the main streets and avenues of the city will be traversed. On returning to the club house the wheelmen will have a concert. The ladies are invited to attend.

John Lawson, the "terrible Swede," a well-known Chicago rider, has determined to try for 7:15 o'clock. New York record as soon as the weather permits. Lawson has some original ideas about racing, and he will utilize on his attempt. The Swede is confident of placing the record between the two cities at five days. The present fastest time is 5 days, 2 hours and 15 minutes, to the credit of Bob Seale.

J. K. McCulloch, the Winnipeg crack, will ride in the professional ranks this year on the Dayton team, which will include also Sam Gibbons.

A Frenchman has equipped his wheel for hill-climbing purposes with a pair of direct-acting cranks on the front wheel and a second saddle nearer the handle-bars.

McLeod and McIntosh are training at Brantford, under the care of Jas. Quirk. They will both ride for cash, as also will Davidson and another member of the team.

BASEBALL.

HARRY WRIGHT'S DAY.
New York, April 14.—Yesterday was Harry Wright's day. The flag was at half-mast on the Polo grounds in commemoration of the father of professional baseball. At 3 o'clock the

Giants played the Metropolitans, and the proceeds of the game go towards erecting a befitting monument to the late chief of umpires.

Games of baseball in honor of the memory of Harry Wright, "the father of baseball," were played in Philadelphia and Washington.

PECULIAR PLAY.
A peculiar play was made in the fourth inning of a game this season at Cincinnati. Miller was on third base and Smith on first. Miller started to walk toward the home plate while the pitcher held the ball. Of course the ball was thrown to third, and the Mobile team started in to run Miller down. On the play Smith started to make the circuit, and while some seven or eight members of the Mobile team were engaged in trying to put out Miller Smith passed third and scored. Eventually Miller succeeded in getting back to third. Umpire Sheridan decided that Smith was out, as he had run out of line in passing Miller. In case Miller had been put out Smith's run would have counted.

EASY FOR TORONTO.
Pittsburg, Pa., April 14.—The Toronto Club had a trouble with the Western University of Pennsylvania boys in yesterday's game. In the three innings that Staley pitched but one hit was made off his delivery, and he struck three out. The Toronto are now in pretty good condition, and will give a good account of themselves this season. The W. U. team is a good one, but the boys have not had enough practice to make much of a showing.

THE SCORE:
R. H. E.
Toronto 24 15 2
W. U. P. 2 7 13
Batteries—Staley, Barrett, Dunn, Casey and Downie; Kirkpatrick, Anderson and Kitter.

FLYS.
The managers of the Canadian League this season will be: Wm. Stroud, Hamilton; Geo. Chamberlain, Maple Leaf; "Chub" Collins, Galt; Arthur Sippl, Alerts.

Joe Knight is left St. Thomas for Providence, R. I., where he will play left field for that club. The Eastern League season opens May 1.

President Young has decided that Pitcher Dean belongs to Toronto.

Buffalo's players reported yesterday, and began practice on the home grounds.

GOLF.
Mr. Balfour recently inveigled his uncle Salisbury into his first and only indulgence in golf. The Prime Minister was on a visit to his distinguished nephew at Whittingham, when he consented to handle the golfing iron. He rather characteristically aimed a terrific blow at the ball, struck too low, and, looking around for the result, he asked the caddy:

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A DASTARD'S DEED.

New York, April 14.—A dastardly attempt against the life of Theodore Roosevelt, president of the New York police board, was made yesterday, by mailing to him an infernal machine. It was held at the postoffice because the package had a fuse, but no stamps, and was turned over to the police department. Capt. O'Brien opened it. There was a long flash fuse, which would have been set off by a vigorous tearing apart of the brown wrapping paper. The matches would have been rubbed and ignited, the sulphur would have burned and set off the fuse, which entered a large cracker. The cracker was cut in two, exposing fine powder, which flashed up at the touch of a match. Capt. O'Brien was surprised to find, contrary to his and the chief's expectation, that the bomb was genuine, though not so dangerous as it had proved to be. It might have injured anyone who had opened it carelessly.

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ALONG THE LINES.

Railway Items from Various Quarters—A Robber-Proof Car.

George J. Gould has been re-elected president of the Texas and Pacific. Joseph Pullen, formerly private secretary to Traffic Manager Reevs of the Grand Trunk, has been appointed division freight agent of that company at Stratford, Ont.

Vice-President Harahan, of the Illinois Central, has issued a circular to employees of the road requesting them to be civil to the public, and to furnish news to the press.

Chairman Caldwell, of the Western Passenger Association, has warned all passenger agents of the lines in that organization not to issue free transportation to any of the officers of the National Educational Society for its coming meeting in Buffalo.

A robber-proof car is on exhibition at St. Joseph, Mo., and has made a favorable impression on railroad men. The object of the invention is to produce a defensive mechanism for express cars and engine cabs. Guns are arranged to be thrown in and out of position in the form of a battery against robbers, to be discharged by unseen operators inside the cars or engine cabs. Provision is also made for safety appliances for the guns when out of use, for an automatic covering and uncovering of the portholes, proper reflection of the light, and suitable night openings. It is said the invention will be adopted by the Burlington route.

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Western Ontario.

Latest Happenings in This Section of the Province.

A Counterfeiter Sentenced—Died from Blood-Poisoning—Robbery at Thamesville.

Mrs. Harriet Sprague, wife of Isaac Sprague, 101, Yarmouth, near Dexter, was called away very suddenly Monday.

The doctors investigating the Windsor typhoid epidemic are unanimous in saying that the outbreak occurred immediately after the bursting of the Walkerville manure pipe.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in Aylmer Saturday. Ida Maud Brown was united in marriage to Mr. H. P. D. Evans, accountant Molsons Bank, Owen Sound.

Mills' barber shop at Thamesville was burglarized at an early hour Saturday. An entrance was effected by picking the lock at the front door. All the razors in the shop, some eighteen, were taken.

John A. Fletcher, a well-known resident of Woodstock, died at Galt Tuesday night of the deceased, who was born at Banff, Banffshire, Scotland, in 1833, came to Canada when a young man.

John Knight, a highly respected resident of Ingersoll, died suddenly on Thursday night of hemorrhage of the lungs. He was in the oil and wood business. One daughter and his widow survive.

Nellie Dillon, a Stratford girl, two and a half years old, fell from the balcony of the City Hotel there, on Saturday night. No bones were broken, but internal injuries are feared.

The daughter of David Hyslop, of South Easthope, who was reported lost, has been found near Inneskip. She was seen to pass through Tavistock toward dusk on the evening of the day she left home.

Marquis Yamagata, field marshal of the Japanese army, en route to Russia, to attend the czar's coronation, passed through St. Thomas Sunday in his private Wagner car, over the M. C. R., accompanied by his staff, en route for the Falls.

The summer residence at Port Stanley belonging to the late Norman Macdonald, and several building lots, were offered for sale on Saturday by Auctioneer Nunn. A bid of \$2,500 was made, but as it did not reach the reserve bid the property was withdrawn.

Chas. D. Fuller (colored) was before the police magistrate at St. Thomas Saturday, charged with carnally knowing Elizabeth Smith, an imbecile. Only two witnesses were called, who testified as to the offense and the mental condition of the girl, and Fuller was committed for trial.

Mrs. James McConnell, of Burford, stopped on an errand at the other day and died Saturday morning of blood poisoning. The deceased was well-known in Burford and East Oxford. She was 41 years of age, and leaves a family of ten children, the youngest of which is 2 years and the eldest 21.

A year and a half ago Thomas Donnelly, proprietor of the Grand Central Hotel, St. Thomas, lost his English setter dog "Doc." It was a valuable animal, and Mr. Donnelly could find no trace of it for some time. A few weeks ago, however, he heard that the canine was at a hotel in London, and he set about to recover it, with the result that "Doc" was returned to the hotel last Friday night.

James Burdell was convicted in Detroit Friday, of bringing counterfeit treasury notes into the United States from Canada in the year 1888, when he was known as Charles Harwood. The bogus money was made and tested in Sombra village, and it was through the capture of a box containing \$25,000 of the stuff taken to Marine City, that the counterfeiters' arrest was finally secured.

David Graham and Mary Ray were charged at Guelph on Saturday with abducting a little child named Burns from the Humane Society's Shelter. They were remanded for one week to give the officers an opportunity to locate the child.

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New Light on Tupper's Sneer at Roman Catholics.

The Blame Wrongly Laid on Sir John Macdonald—Proof that Sir Charles Did Coin the Offensive Phrase.

Toronto Star.

In the debate on Saturday night at Ottawa on the Remedial Bill, the Opposition pointed out Sir Charles Tupper's duplicity and his real attitude to Roman Catholics, by quoting a letter which he once wrote to Mr. J. A. Macdonnell, stating that he "had little confidence in the breed of Catholics, as Sir John says but little confidence is to be placed in the breed. We shall hold its final settlement in abeyance until after the elections, when it can be done at once."

Those who made the quotation made one little mistake of misquoting a comma, which changes the attitude of the whole production, and permitted Hon. Mr. Dickey to explain that Sir Charles Tupper had merely quoted the opinion of Sir John A. Macdonald.

I looked up the files of the Globe today, and found in the issue of April 5, 1888, the letter referred to.

The quotation in question reads this way: "The case will go to the council forthwith, as Sir John says, but little confidence is to be placed in the breed."

Sir Charles Tupper's apologists also say that the present letter would not write such a communication to Mr. J. A. Macdonnell, himself a Roman Catholic.

As evidence that Mr. Macdonnell's attitude towards the church was not so sacred that such a statement might not be ventured to him, it is only necessary to see Mr. Macdonnell's own letter, which precedes that of Sir Charles Tupper's. In that he speaks most disrespectfully of the Roman Catholic Archbishop Lynch, whom he mentions as "the old gent," and talks of the archbishop's "little peculiarities" in such a way as to invite such comment.

This letter is dated May 20, 1879. Two days, after that which the letter proposed was performed on Sir Charles Tupper's suggestion. From that time until Saturday it was never attacked or explained or denied by any person.

FRIGHTENED TO DEATH.

Sad Fate of an Indiana Woman—An Ungrounded Scare.

Crawfordsville, Ind., April 14.—Mrs. Lofan, of Crawfordsville, was frightened to death last evening. She heard a noise in the street, and reached the door just in time to see a runaway team pass by. The driver's coat had fallen and wound about the hub till it resembled a human form, and the supposition is that Mrs. Lofan thought it was the body of her little grandson, who had been playing in the road a moment before. With a cry of distress she dropped to the floor and never regained consciousness.

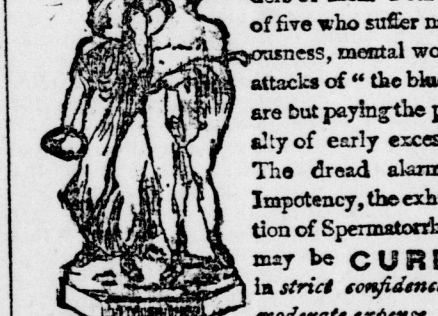
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London, Tuesday, April 14.

The Death of Sir John Schultz.

By the death of Sir John Schultz, the Conservative party loses its mainstay in the Northwest. Sir John was always an ardent partisan, and at various times, by his cleverness, he got his party friends out of tough tangles. It was openly stated recently that he had gone to Mexico to spend the winter, in order that he might re-establish his health, and return to take hold of the campaign as Conservative leader in the Northwest Territories. His death removes a noted figure in Canadian public life, and at the same time emphasizes the ill-health which seems to have followed the men in power for some time.

One is not disposed to blame a contemporary for endeavoring to make the interesting sketch of the tobacco manufacture in this city, which appeared in yesterday's "Advertiser," an argument in favor of the present fiscal policy. Our contemporary, however, expresses its surprise that so many manufacturers support Mr. Laurier. Today a majority of the manufacturers of Canada, seeing the necessity for an era of good government, are prepared to uphold Mr. Laurier. It is not likely that this would be the case were there any belief that Mr. Laurier had any hostility whatever towards the manufacturing elements of the Dominion. On the contrary, Mr. Laurier has expressed his strong desire to aid them in every legitimate way. Then we think our contemporary does less than justice to the personal element of the energy and business ability of the London manufacturers alluded to in the sketch in yesterday's "Advertiser." Halifax, Kingston, Ottawa, Hamilton, Toronto—all had as much opportunity under the tariff as London; yet London headed off every city in the Dominion except Montreal.

How the Canadian Militia Is Exploited for Party Purposes—Lord Wolseley's Experiences.

The hesitancy of the Government at Ottawa to appoint an adjutant-general of the militia in succession to Col. Powell, and the deliberate attempt to secure the office for a member of the party instead of the officer recommended by Gen. Gascoigne, ought not to surprise anyone who knows the record of the Government in matters of this sort. With the leading spirits in that Government the ruling motive has always been, not what course can best promote the interests of the militia service, but what line of conduct can best serve the high tax party. Col. Aymer is entitled to the vacant office, not only by rank and position, but also by superior fitness, and on account of these considerations Gen. Gascoigne has reported to the Minister of Militia that he ought to be advanced to it. We have not a word to say against Col. Smith, but we must protest against a policy which aims at degrading the militia of the country by making party merchandise out of its best officers. The volunteers do not belong to one party. It is safe to say that there are as many Liberals as Conservatives among them, and it is an outrage that advancement should be denied to officers or privates for the simple reason that they are Liberals.

Not only in times of peace, but in times of trouble and war, the men in power at Ottawa have demonstrated that their first aim and object have been to help their party friends. The expedition of 1885, to put down the second Riel rebellion in the Northwest, affords many instances of this, which are fresh in the public memory, and the same record was made in 1870 on the occasion of Riel's first rebellion. A very competent and careful critic has written the history of that expedition, in which he has told very plainly how Ministers at Ottawa abused their opportunities. He had himself before that time seen service in Burma, and the Crimea, and in India during the mutiny—and he had fought in the war with China; he was in command in the Ashanti war of 1873-74, in 1882 he won the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, and was made a British peer, and two years after he led the expedition into the Sudan for the relief of Gordon. In 1890 he was made commander-in-chief of the forces in Ireland, and he is now the officer of highest rank in the Imperial army. His name is Wolseley, and he led the force to Red River in 1870. No better

authority can be quoted for or against the Canadian Government of that time, and what does he say?

It was the first military expedition ever undertaken by our Government, and excuses might easily be made for the ignorance displayed by Ministers upon points connected with army matters, or the requirements of troops in the field. Gen. Lindsay, an able soldier, had been sent out from England to assist in the emergency. "That officer," Wolseley says in his narrative, "was anxious to relieve them of all responsibility regarding the organization, equipment and dispatch of the expeditionary forces, but such an arrangement did not suit their political ends. A large outlay of money was to be made, and they wished to spend it as much as possible among their political supporters." The general went to Collingwood and made all necessary arrangements for the dispatch of the troops by the steamer from thence and telegraphed for permission to close the bargain. "He was told by the Ottawa Government to do nothing in the matter, as all such arrangements would be made by their own agents." The result was a delay of two weeks. In leaving Collingwood, and all because Gen. Lindsay's arrangement did not suit the political ends of the Government.

We pass over the blundering incompetency to construct a road from Lake Superior to the water stretches, which the Government promised to have ready in advance of the arrival of the force at Prince Arthur's Landing, and which caused another long delay. Wolseley appears to have regarded it as worse than incompetency as a species of treachery and disloyalty on the part of the Minister having the work in charge.

When the transport horses came to be used the miserable harness which the Government had supplied made them unfit for the draught—a consequence of bad collars and careless drivers. "The harness had been provided by the Canadian Government, and, like all the military stores supplied by it for this expedition, was of an inferior description obtained by contract." The military force of Canada was to be reduced in the summer of 1870, and orders had been received by the general commanding to dispose of all stores on the spot or send them back to England, giving the Dominion Government the option of buying at a valuation all or any portion of them. "We had in store plenty of harness of every description of article required for the equipment of the force, the regulation prices of which were considerably below what similar but vastly inferior articles could be obtained for in the open market. It did not, however, suit the Ottawa Ministers, whose province it was to obtain the required stores, to get them from our magazines; they preferred purchasing the inferior and dearer articles through their own agents from their own political friends and supporters."

And as illustrative of how Ministers with such instincts make the reputation of a country, we have the statement by Wolseley that "when money is to be spent in Canada the opportunity is seldom lost for furthering party objects." Proof of this is furnished in the fact that the boots supplied to the militia regiments were so utterly worthless after a few weeks' wear that it was found necessary to send back from Thunder Bay for new ones from the British stores, "so that the country had to pay for two pairs per man instead of one."

Then, as regards the men who had been especially engaged by the Militia Department for the land transport service, Wolseley asserts that, with some exceptions, "a more worthless set as drivers and horse-keepers it is scarcely possible to imagine. Men of all sorts of callings, except those accustomed to the care of horses, were enlisted, so that some of them did not even know how to put a set of harness together. As soon as these men got clear of a station on the road, and out of view of the transport officers, they played all sorts of pranks, and instead of going at a steady walk, chose their own pace, sometimes amusing themselves by racing. It was found necessary to make some examples amongst the worst behaved before anything like discipline could be maintained amongst them."

It would be easy to furnish from Wolseley's narrative many proofs of the Ottawa Government's method of "how not to do it," but one other must suffice, and it fits the situation in all departments of the public service at the present day. Of the officer who represented the public works department, Wolseley says he was a most hard-working man, who never spared himself in any way. But "those under him, with one or two exceptions, were the most helpless, useless men that it is possible to imagine. Instead of being permitted to choose his own assistants, he had all sorts of hangers-on whom the Ministers forced upon him. Some were broken down drunkards who, it was thought by their friends, might be reclaimed, if they could only be sent on an errand into a country where no whisky was to be had. All more or less belonged to the class known in America as 'loafers'—men who lived, no one knew how, spending nearly all their time in bars 'liquoring up' and smoking. We were much amused one day upon entering into conversation with a young gentleman who called himself the 'bookkeeper' at one of the roadside stations. Upon being asked the employment he had been hired for, he replied most naively that having a brother in Manitoba whom he desired to see, his uncle, the Minister of Public Works, had placed him upon the staff of that department, so that he might be taken there in one of our boats without expense to himself. When appointments are to be given away"—(Mark this as the deliberate opinion entertained of

the men who then and now rule at Ottawa by the distinguished soldier who is commander-in-chief of the British army)—"It is not a question of obtaining good men, but of how party purposes may be secured by a judicious allotment of them amongst political supporters and their relations." No kinder or more flattering words have ever been spoken by an officer of the soldiers under his command than Wolseley has recorded of the Canadian militia whom he led in that expedition; but of the Government and of the men whom they selected he has hardly one word that is not a censure. And that being the opinion of the great soldier, Lord Wolseley, whose fame is worldwide, who can justify the Government which persistently adheres to the policy of helping its party friends in the administration of a service in which every citizen is so interested as that of the volunteers? For this policy alone the Government deserves to forfeit the confidence of the country.

Thirty-one years ago tonight President Lincoln was assassinated. How time does fly!

EXODUS OF ITALIANS.

Flocking Into the United States by Thousands—Emigration Authorities Staggered.

New York, April 14.—The steamer Bolivia, of the Anchor Line, arrived from Genoa, Naples, and Sunday. She brought 1,376 Italian emigrants. Six hundred of them were detained at Ellis Island on the ground that they were likely to become public charges. Of this number none had more than a dollar or so, while many of them were practically penniless. Dr. Sumner said that only 10 per cent of those detained would be allowed to land.

The steamer Alesia, of the Fabre Line, also from Naples, reached the bar at 10 o'clock Sunday night, with 1,064 more on board.

The emigration authorities are appalled at the great influx of Italian paupers. More than 15,000 have already arrived, and Dr. Sumner has received advices that 10,000 more are about to sail from Naples.

Another Anchor Line steamship, the Belgravia, is now on her way to this port, from Naples, and will arrive in about three weeks with 1,400 more Italians.

SWIFT DEATH!

1,000 Pounds of Nitro-Glycerine Explodes—A Man and His Team Blown to Atoms.

Victoria, B. C., April 14.—Intense excitement was caused throughout Nanaimo district by a terrific explosion, plainly heard and felt for a distance of 30 miles.

The explosion took place near the works of the Hamilton Powder Company, 1,000 pounds of nitro-glycerine exploding while being conveyed from the warehouse to the mill.

Austin Stevenson, the teamster, and his wagon and team were blown to atoms, while trees were uprooted everywhere around. Windows were shattered and buildings demolished as far as Nanaimo, a distance of 15 miles. As far as at present known, only Stevenson's life was lost.

Bostonians swallow 1,200,000 quarts of beans daily.

POOR PATRIOTISM.

People Who Preach What They Do Not Practice.

Canada for the Canadians, But Canadian Money for American Patent Medicine Manufacturers.

Many Canadians preach about the patriotism they fancy they possess. They are the most loyal subjects in the British Empire in their own estimation. Yet when some of them have a dollar to spend they pass by articles of superior Canadian manufacture for inferior foreign goods.

Imported products are inferior to Canadian by at least the cost of the freight and duty. Take patent medicines. The duty alone exceeds 60 per cent on the retail selling price. That is one reason why Scott's Sarsaparilla, which is purely Canadian, is so superior to all others. There is no duty to pay on it.

For blood troubles. For stomach troubles. For syphilitic troubles. For liver troubles. For kidney troubles. For digestive troubles. For nervous troubles.

It has no rival. Why, therefore, do many pretendedly patriotic Canadians spend their money on imported sarsaparillas? Is it because they are of American make? Money talks louder than words! Canadian money should be spent by Canadians on Canadian goods.

READ THIS LETTER.
Here is a sample testimonial of hundreds received this spring. Note that the full name and address accompany it:

"596 York street,
London, Ont., April 3 '96.

"Messrs. Edmonson & Bates
Manufacturers Scott's Sarsaparilla.

"43-45 Lombard street, Toronto.
"Dear Sirs,—I had been troubled greatly with bilious complaint accompanied by violent pains in the head and around the kidneys. Life really seemed a misery. Sleep or rest were almost impossible. Different doctors I tried only gave me partial relief.

A friend advised me to try Scott's Sarsaparilla. I did so and took two bottles. It did all I claimed for it. I can now both eat and rest with comfort. The relief has been very great. I think it fair to say you did it, and you may use it in any way it may benefit other sufferers.

"Yours truly,
"T. McKim."

See this paper tomorrow for further particulars about

Scott's Sarsaparilla.

Use Scott's Skin Soap. No wet

RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

No matter how violent or excruciating the pain the Rheumatic, Red-ridden, Infirm, Crippled, Nervous, Neuragic or prostrated with diseases may suffer.

RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

Will afford instant ease.

For headache (whether sick or nervous toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago pain and weakness in the back, spine or kidney, pains around the liver, pleurisy, swelling of the joints and pains of all kinds, the application of Radway's Ready Relief will afford immediate ease, and its continued use for a few days effect a permanent cure.

Instantly stops the most excruciating pains, always inflammation and cures congestions, whether of the Lungs, Stomach, Bowels or other glands or mucous membranes.

RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

CURES AND PREVENTS

Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Influenza, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache,

Toothache, Asthma, Difficult Breathing.

CURES THE WORST PAINS in from one to twenty minutes. Not one hour after reading this advertisement used anyone SUFFERED WITH PAIN.

Internally—A half to a teaspoonful in half a tumbler of water will in a few minutes cure Cramps, Spasms, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Vomiting, Heartburn, Sick Headache, Diarrhoea, Colic, Flatulency and all internal pains.

Malaria in its various forms cured and prevented.

There is not a remedial agent in the world that will cure fever and ague and all other fevers so quickly as RADWAY'S READY RELIEF, so quickly as RADWAY'S READY RELIEF.

Travelers should always carry a bottle of Radway's Ready Relief with them. A few drops in water will prevent sickness or pains from change of water. It is better than French brandy or liquors as a stimulant.

Miners and lumbermen should always be provided with it.

Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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New Spring Dress Goods

LATEST ARRIVALS.

BEAUTY UNSURPASSED.

DAINTY GERMAN STUFFS.

FOUR NEW LINES

In the two-toned Mohair materials, in small
Natte and Diagonal Weaves.

CREPON ILLUMINI, in five colorings.

ELVIRA, in six colorings.

PALERMO, in seven colorings.

BEIGE RAIZE, in seven colorings.

These goods have just been placed in stock and are indeed beautiful goods. The very latest effects in Poplin and Lustre weaves.

In Black Goods

Our assortment was never better; every weave and crinkle to be found here and in great variety—Mohair, Crepons, Lustres, Brilliantines, Sicilians, as well as all the staple makes, and at prices that are a great inducement to purchase.

Our Black Mohair Crepon

A lovely material for a light summer dress—it has been much admired. We have secured a large quantity at a very special price, 65c per yard, 50 inches wide.

Challie and Silk Checks

For Blouses and Waists. A large assortment just received, only 50c per yard.

WE have a first-class dressmaker in connection with the department. We guarantee good work, perfect fit and moderate charges.

Pay a visit to the progressive Drygoods Establishment of

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO.

126 and 128 Dundas Street, London.

Radway's Pills

MILD, BUT EFFECTIVE.

Purely vegetable, act without pain, elegantly coated, tasteless, small and easy to take. Radway's Pills assist nature, stimulating to healthy organs, leaving the bowels in a natural condition without any bad after effects.

Cure

Sick Headache,
Female Complaints,
Biliousness,
Constipation
Piles
AND
All Liver Disorders.

RADWAY'S PILLS cause perfect digestion, complete absorption and healthful regularity of the bowels, and are sold by all druggists, or by mail, "Book of Advice" free by mail.

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Blind

Sometimes persons become blind from impure blood, which develops scrofulous ulcers on the eyeballs, iritis, granulated eyelids, etc. In such cases Hood's Sarsaparilla has been marvelously successful in restoring sight. It shows its powers as a blood purifier and radical cure for scrofula, by removing the cause, thus curing the

Sore

eyes and restoring all the affected parts to healthy condition. Read this: "As an act of justice and for the benefit of other mothers who may have afflicted children, I write this. About the first of February, 1892, my daughter Zola, then three years old, contracted sore eyes of the worst form and in a few weeks was entirely blind, being unable to tolerate light of any kind. She suffered and cried until I was almost heartbroken. The best eye specialist in the county treated her for months, but she

Eyes

became worse. Then I took her to a specialist in Indianapolis, who said he could do nothing. I came away with a heavy heart. I met my father's physician, Dr. Berryman, who examined Zola's eyes, and told me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began to give it as directed and wash her eyes with warm water. Soon I began to notice improvement, and now, having given the child over a half dozen bottles, her eyes are greatly improved and she can see as well as any one. She is five years of age, and goes to school. When she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, she had to eat her meals in a darkened room, but now

Cured

she is able to sit at the table with the rest of the family." Mrs. OLLIE BURNER, Colfax, Indiana.

Leading Citizens

Of Colfax, including John D. Blacker, "ownership Trustee," W. H. Coon, Druggist, and Dr. J. A. Berryman, cordially endorse this statement. This and many other similar cures prove that

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. As druggists \$1. Prepared only at Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

LANDSLIDE IN QUEBEC.

More Than 500 Acres of Farm Property Moved, Demolishing Buildings.

Tadoussac, Que., April 14.—A landslide occurred on Saturday last at Bon Dites Bergeronnes, Saguenay, 14 miles below this place. More than 500 acres of farm property moved, demolishing several houses and outbuildings. Fortunately there was no loss of life. Among the property destroyed was Mr. Augustin Bonchard's house and stable, which were completely buried, and the school house, which was also demolished. Several buildings were carried many acres and more or less damaged. The occupants of these houses, with their furniture and cattle, have removed to other parts, fearing a repetition of the slide. Two schoolboys which have been anchored at Bergeronnes are in danger of being destroyed.

SLEEPLESSNESS is due to nervous excitement. The delicately constituted, the financier, the business man, and those whose occupation necessitates great mental strain or worry, all suffer less or more from it. Sleep is the great restorer of a worried brain, and to get sleep cleanse the stomach from all impurities with a few doses of Parmentier's Vegetable Pills, gelatine coated, containing no mercury, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction or the money will be refunded.

The British Medical Register for 1896 contains the unprecedented number of 23,691 medical men—or one doctor for every 1,164 persons.

The great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.

The Queen's favorite flower is the violet, and in the spring her private apartments are always gay with the wild primrose and the violet.

Henry Ward Beecher once informed a man who came to him complaining of gloomy and despondent feelings, that what he most needed was a good cathartic, meaning of course, such a medicine as Ayer's Cathartic Pills, every dose being effective.

This year is the 50th anniversary of the completion by the Westminster Assembly of the Confession of Faith.

HEALTHFUL, COMFORTING.

"The only safe luxury for canaries."

BIRD SEED

Most effective as a song restorer and general tonic. A large block in every packet of Cottam's Bird Seed; 10c per lb. All grocers.

See that the words "Bird Seed" and "Cottam" are on every packet.

New Goods

SPRING SUITINGS.

Large Variety of Fine Tweeds,

The Very Latest.

A. SLATER, Merchant

Tailor,

427 Richmond St., corner Carling.

The Missing Sprinklers.

The Mystery of Their Disappearance Effectually Cleared Up.

They Were Incorporated Piecemeal Into the Present Carts, by Order of the City Engineer and the Chairman of No. 3.

The mystery of the missing watering carts has been solved, and the solution effectually clears up the suspicion that some evil-designed person was carrying them around in his pocket as a charm against rheumatism. They disappeared under the full knowledge and direction of the then City Engineer Tracy and the then chairman of the fire, light and water committee (No. 3), ex-Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald. They began to disappear in 1891 by the piecemeal process. At that time the change was made from the old style to the new style sprinklers, and the two carts in question were laid up in a very rotten condition.

"I could almost push my finger through the tanks," said Mr. Joshua Hartley, of East London, this morning, "they became so rotten."

Mr. Hartley was a street watering contractor at the time mentioned. "When a spring would give out on any of the carts it would be taken to Mr. Heaman, who was doing the painting, and replaced with a portion of the gearing of the old carts, and so save expense. The same would be done when a wheel gave out, and in that way the carts were used up," Mr. Hartley explained.

Ex-Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald was seen today. He remembers the circumstances plainly, although they occurred five years ago. "The carts were played out," said Mr. Fitzgerald, "and only fit to be used for repairs. The council at that time made a mistake in taking 400-gallon tanks off the running gear of old wagons and replacing them with 700-gallon tanks. This naturally wore out the running gear very quickly, and the council has been called on ever since to pay for repairs that would not have been necessary if the carts had been new throughout. If I were a member of the council I would suggest that that be done yet."

"Any portions of the two demolished carts that were incorporated into the present carts were ordered by either yourself or the engineer?" was asked. "Yes, certainly," replied Mr. Fitzgerald.

"And there was nothing 'crooked' about the work, as has been hinted at?"

"Nothing at all. How can there be? The work was ordered properly. I remember a couple of years ago Mr. Heaman showed me some portions of the old carts in his yard, and asked what he would do with them. I told him he had better buy them, but he said the stuff was not worth anything to him. That is the last recollection I have of the matter."

By the way, portions of the old carts still lie in Mr. Heaman's yard.

"I am perfectly willing to tell all I know about the carts," said Mr. Fitzgerald. "Everything was done fairly and above board."

FREIGHT RATES LOWER.

Chicago, Ill., April 14.—The rates decided upon by the new Transcontinental Freight Association are a good deal of a surprise to those who have been led to believe for several weeks they would show a general advance. The first copy of the rates agreed upon by the association reached this city today, and shows a considerable advance in rates west bound, but a slight reduction in the tariff supplying east bound. The class rates agreed upon will go into effect May 1. The rates show in almost every case a reduction from 10 to 20 cents per 100 pounds.

THE GLANDERS SCARE.

Toronto, April 14.—Breeder and exporters of cattle and horses in Ontario have formed an association to protect their interests in this trade, especially the exporting section of it. At the last meeting of the Dominion Live Stock Association it was decided to encourage the shipping of American animals via Montreal, and in the same ships as Canadian live stock. Recently several cases of what is alleged to have been glanders were discovered in cargoes of horses shipped to the old country and Canada to Canada. When the shippers here, after investigation, found the disease existed in the American animals. To prohibit the shipment of American live stock from Canadian ports will be the object of the new association, known as the Canadian Cattle Feeders and Horse Export Association. A meeting will be held in this city during the week, when steps will be taken to wards accomplishing the objects of the association. A deputation will be appointed to interview the authorities at Ottawa on the subject.

ANOTHER METHODIST MINISTER CALLED AWAY.

Toronto, April 14.—Rev. Jas. Graham, one of the best-known ministers in the Methodist Church, died at his residence, Toronto, yesterday, after an illness of about three weeks, of paralysis. He was in the active ministry of the Methodist Church for about 25 years, being superannuated about two years ago. His last change was to Stratford, and he has been stationed in both Quebec and Ontario; at London, Bowmanville, Newcastle, Dundas, Exeter, Windsor, Ridgeway, and other places. He was for some time the assistant editor of the Christian Guardian. Mr. Graham's wife—a daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Jeffers, of Belleville—survives him, and he leaves a family of two sons and three daughters. One of the sons, Rev. John Graham, is also in the Methodist ministry. The deceased was 70 years of age and very highly respected by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Windsor Salt, Purest and Best.

Two things are awful to me—the starchy firmament and the sense of responsibility in man.—Emmanuel Kent. During the last quarter of a century a great part, perhaps the greatest part, of the inventive faculties of mankind has been given to the arts of destruction.—Sir Henry Maine.

THERE IS NOT a more dangerous disease than that which affects the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—a pulmonary of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swollen neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claims to public confidence.

Try Trafford's for baby carriages,—nothing better in London since its introduction in general variety. See our what table Grand Rapid design for \$2 50, 35 and 37 King.

It Was a Disgrace.

House on Colborne Street Occupied by a Disorderly Crowd.

They Are Given Another Chance to Get Out of Town—Obstructing the Sidewalk—Drunks.

Police Magistrate Parke had over a dozen cases on his court blotter this morning, and he disposed of them all in 45 minutes.

The first was that of Mrs. Elizabeth Shea, Mrs. Ellen Carey (Mrs. Shea's mother), and Mrs. Catharine Hastings, who were charged with keeping a disorderly house at 191 Colborne street. The three women have been close acquaintances of the police for some years, but numerous arrests and even terms behind the bars do not seem to have caused them to mend their ways. Mrs. Shea has been locked up repeatedly during the last two years for keeping a disorderly house, and was released from the Mercer two months ago after putting in six months. Her conduct was such that the Children's Aid Society took her two little children from her and placed them in better hands. Mrs. Carey has been more leniently dealt with on account of her advanced years. Mrs. Hastings' record is very lengthy, and extends over a large number of years.

Since she was released from the Mercer, Mrs. Shea has been holding forth at 191 Colborne street. The house is owned by Mr. John McLeod, and was rented to another woman, on the pretense that it was to be occupied by her mother and two sisters. The Shea gang came instead, and ever since day and night have annoyed the neighborhood by their drunken brawls and improper conduct. The nuisance became unbearable, and Mr. McLeod decided to put a stop to it by having the whole crowd arrested. The raid was made late last night by Sergeant Maguire and a couple of constables, who found in the house a young man named Patrick Hart.

The evidence in the case was conclusive.

Mr. McLeod said the place was frequented by men and women of questionable character, and had become a disgrace to the neighborhood. When the women got on a spree they let their tongues go like the clatter of a mill, making it impossible for people living near by to sleep.

Sergeant Maguire gave evidence as to the number of times the three women had been arrested, and that they were called to corroborate Mr. McLeod.

Mrs. Shea conducted the defense, and worked in a pretty good way, but as evidence of her regret at again being arrested. She asked to be given another chance, and promised anything for her liberty.

The magistrate preferred to have the city relieved of them, and he discharged them, on condition that they would skip the boundary. Frank Neilson, David Rutherford and Frank Maull, 15-year-old boys living on Emery, Wellington and Hill streets, respectively, were up on a charge of standing at the entrance to Hall on a Sunday night and obstructing the walk. The corner has given policemen considerable trouble in the past, and a number of youths made the practice of lounging around the front of the stores until a policeman comes in sight. Then they walk up the street a short distance, but do not return to old place again. This is what P. C. Egerton said Neilson, Rutherford and Maull had done, and he discharged them, but gave them the option to go to the police station to understand that the policeman had perfectly right in having them summoned.

John Sutton was charged with breaking the bylaws by selling a load of wood without first having it measured by the city weigh clerk. Mr. Sutton stated, however, that he had stood on the wood market for four hours, but no clerk came to measure the load. He got tired of that and sold the load to an old customer. The case was dismissed.

"You can hardly expect the wood market clerk to stay around all day when his remuneration is very trifling," said the magistrate.

Hugh Cameron will be seen on board a Glad brogue, and he had \$8 cents well-to-do farmer's head, but he was ruined by drink.

George Johnston, a hostler, was also discharged.

Husband vs. Wife.

Leonard F. Nixon Has His Wife Up for Alleged Theft—Married Four Years, But Separated.

Leonard F. Nixon, a teamster, who lives at No. 1111 street, London West, had his wife, Edna, charged before Squire Lacey yesterday afternoon on a charge of theft.

The case was a rather unusual one. Mr. and Mrs. Nixon are both about 25 years of age, and yesterday was the fourth anniversary of their marriage. Their wedded life has not been very pleasant, and on account of disagreements, they have separated twice. Since the last separation Mrs. Nixon has lived with her parents at the corner of Queen's street and English streets, while Nixon continued to reside at the same place as before.

The other day a drayman called at a Nixon house, while Mr. Nixon was away, and carted off an organ, a clock, three pieces of rag carpet, some lamps and other goods. Mr. Nixon suspected his wife, and charged her before the magistrate on the charge of theft. The case was dismissed. A search of the house of Mrs. Nixon's parents for the missing goods was also issued, but not executed.

Mrs. Nixon claims part ownership of some of the household goods, and she is in possession of others, which she says were her wedding gifts.

How to Cure Skin Diseases.

Simple and Sure—Swayne's Ointment. No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are testified by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for "Swayne's Ointment." Lyman, Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

E. & J.

THE WEATHER TODAY: Mostly fair and warm.

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A Welcome to All.

RAIN OR SHINE.

Prepare for wet or bright weather by securing one of our Heptonette Cloaks, which have a stylish spring cape attached. Heptonette is the article that some have tried to imitate, but can't. Heptonette is the article that other dealers would like to have the power to sell, but can't, because we have the sole right for London. If it wasn't the best waterproofing made today we wouldn't be advising our customers to buy it. We'd wait till we could offer the best. Here's a statement—We have handled Heptonette for eight years, and without hesitation we pronounce it the most satisfactory of all the waterproofings we have ever seen. We guarantee every cloak to be as represented—Rain repellent, perfectly porous, no rubber smell.

"IRENE"—Nice Name, Nice Cloak.

This style comes in black and blue only; has all-wool, full circular cape, full gored skirt. These features make "Irene" a combined waterproof and spring cape. Price for outfit, \$5. You know what you would pay for a stylish Spring Cape.

"LASSIE"—A Little Nicer Than "Irene."

Comes in black, blue and other colors; has a double cape and a storm collar; the cape and skirt very full. Price \$6 50. Combined Waterproof and Spring Cape.

"EMPIRE"—Better Than Either.

Comes in black and blue only, a very fine quality of Heptonette Cloth; has single circular cape, very full; velvet inlaid collar; two strap bands down front and around cape; very full circular cut skirt. Price \$8 50. Combined Waterproof and Spring Cape.

Should any dealer endeavor to sell you some other "ette," when you want a Heptonette, he is trying to deceive you. To prevent being imposed on, see that the cloak you buy has sewn inside the waist "HEPTONETTE," in white letters on a red ground. There are lots of other "ettes," but only one Heptonette. Beware of the other kinds.

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London Gun Club.

Election of Officers—A Pleasant Season Looked Forward To—The Fishing Resort.

The annual meeting of the London Gun Club was held at the Tecumseh House the other evening, the members present being Messrs. D. B. Dewar, president, in the chair; Fred T. Trebilcock, secretary; Col. F. B. Leys, J. P. Evans, Sam Munro, Charles W. Leonard, Charles Bowman, W. T. Strong, Ed. Beltz, John Bowman, Geo. Macbeth, A. B. Patterson, A. E. Pavey, George C. Gibbons, Q. C., Thomas Gillean, T. G. Davey, and Frank Greig.

The financial and other statements for the past year were presented by the secretary, Mr. Trebilcock, showing the season of 1895 to have been most successful, and the club to be in a healthy condition financially. A call on the stockholders will be made on May 1 to cover the expenses of the coming season.

The resort at Dorchester has now become such a favorite with the members that numerous applications have been received for admission to the club. The membership up to the present has been limited to 12. Owing to many urgent requests, it will be increased to 30. The pond has been stocked with 31,700 speckled beauties, many of them over ten inches long when deposited. A nursery has also been added to the resort for the bringing up of fry, costing (with the large shipment of trout) over \$1,700.

The fishing privileges were, at the suggestion of Mr. Leys, fixed at 100 fish for the season for members holding one or two shares, and 150 fish for members holding three or more shares. No member will be allowed to catch over fifteen fish in one day.

Mr. Thomas T. Knott was received as one of the new members. The selection of the remaining seven was left with the directors.

The officers for the year are: President—D. B. Dewar. First Vice-President—Col. Leys. Second Vice-President—A. E. Pavey. Secretary—T. G. Davey. Treasurer—T. G. Davey.

Directors—Sam Munro, John P. Evans, Dr. Woodruff, R. C. Macfie, C. W. Davis, Ed. Beltz, and Charles Bowman. The house and grounds of the club in London West have undergone numerous alterations and are now in condition for a most successful season's shooting at the traps. The club has decided to hold a shoot every Friday.

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Principal Grant's View.

He Indorses the Position Taken by Mr. Laurier and Sir Oliver Mowat.

How the Manitoba School Question Can be Settled to the Satisfaction of All Reasonable Canadians.

In the current issue of Queen's College Quarterly, Principal Grant comes out strongly in favor of the course advocated by Mr. Laurier, Sir Oliver Mowat, and all the leading Liberals in the Dominion, as the proper one to be followed in dealing with the Manitoba question. He says:

"Canada has apparently been doing nothing, politically, for more than a year save wrestling with the problem of how to reconcile the two decisions of the Privy Council on the Manitoba school question. The court decided the law of 1890 to be not only constitutional, but even well suited to the Province. We are told that the same court next decided that the law was worthless, and that the previous, admittedly bad school system must be re-established. Clearly, that cannot be the meaning of the second judgment, and as there is no doubt regarding the interpretation of the first, it ought not to be beyond the wit of man to ascertain the true meaning of the second. What has led to the long conflict of opinion on a matter apparently simple, and along what lines may a solution of the real problem at issue be found? The difficulty could not arise either in Britain or the States. The first is governed by a Parliament, and there being no written constitution, Parliament decides each case on its merits, and may by a vote disestablish a church or abolish the crown. The second is a Federation, according to a compact the terms of which the Supreme Court interprets, and when it gives a decision, the question at issue is ended. In neither country is jurisdiction on the same subject given to two legislative bodies. The constitution of Canada is more complex. It combines the characteristics of both countries, for it is a Federation, and yet is governed by a Parliament. Hence, when the Privy Council says that, according to a clause in the written constitution—a provincial minority having had a privilege taken away which it once enjoyed, Parliament has jurisdiction to intervene and remedy the grievance, little wonder that eminent constitutional lawyers honestly differ as to what the attitude of Parliament should be. Dr. Weldon says that in every case it is discretionary for Parliament to intervene. Mr. Mills says that if the Provincial Legislature refuses to act, though courteously advised, then, in the last resort, Parliament must intervene. These high constitutional authorities, however, agree that the present Parliament has not the moral right to intervene in the Manitoba case. That ought to be

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sufficient, for both are experts, they are on opposite sides politically, and there is no authority of equal weight in Parliament, except D'Alton McCarthy, and he is at one with them where they agree. Outside of Parliament, Sir Oliver Mowat is our greatest constitutional lawyer, and he has spoken strongly on the same side. How can the average member believe that it is his duty to pass irrevocable legislation, in the teeth of such authorities, on a subject on which his constituents have given him no instructions, and to do so by means of all-night sittings of a Parliament freshly gasping out the sixth session of its existence? Why this unseemly haste? Are the people to be trusted neither on what is an important question, according to Sir Charles Tupper, nor on what is comparatively unimportant, according to Mr. Foster? Parliament does not lose one jot of its jurisdiction by resolving to investigate before acting. And if ever there was a question which demands more than a snap-judgment, it is one which is so difficult that it has already broken all party lines, disrupted the Cabinet again and again, cleft the Conservative party in the country from top to bottom, and which may divide the Liberals, also, before it is settled. For finally settled it cannot be, with right respect to the two decisions of the Privy Council, until impartial investigation has been made, to learn whether a real and distinguished from a technical grievance was inflicted on the minority; and if it was, then to determine the nature of the grievance and to suggest the remedy which would best meet the case. To try to force a settlement now is tyranny which should be resisted by all free and honest men, and if that fails, investigation by royal commission and a settlement on its report; that is the line for statesmanship to take."

A DURHAM DISASTER

In a Colliery—Eight Killed and Ten

London, April 14.—An explosion has taken place in a colliery at Willington, near Durham. Eight miners are known to have been killed, and it is believed that eighteen persons in all will lose their lives through the disaster.

THAT IMPALING CASE.

Mr. H. E. Hudson, Colborne, Severely Injured—Frothing Knot Entered the Body—Cured by One Box of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Colborne, April 13.—Mr. H. E. Hudson, trapper, hunter and lumberman, was injured by falling on a knot which entered his body from beneath and injured the bladder and kidneys. He says: "I was confined to my bed for six weeks and was rarely able to work, feeling too weak since the injury over eight years ago. I have taken one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and am perfectly cured and as able-bodied as ever before in my life. One box was worth one hundred dollars to me, if it is possible to estimate such a benefit in dollars."

SIR JOHN SCHULTZ DEAD.

Winnipeg, Man., April 14.—A telegram from Monterey, Mex., announces the death there of Sir John Schultz, ex-Governor of Manitoba. Sir John Schultz—Evans was T. Trebilcock.

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LOVE AND LURE

Edna leaned forward and looked at it. When she saw the superscription, she was astounded and stepped back.

"What do you mean?" she exclaimed, and was about to angrily assert that she was not Madame Ramirez, when the banker interrupted her. The sight of her pocketbook within two feet of his hands threw him into a state of avowed excitement.

"I want you to give me that money and take your letter!" he said savagely. "I can't stand here fooling."

Edna firmly gripped her pocketbook, and was about to scream, but there was no occasion for it. It had been simply impossible for Cheditafa to remain on the carriage and let her go into the garden alone, and he had followed her, and behind some bushes he had witnessed the interview between her and Banker. He saw that the man was speaking roughly to her and threatening her. Instantly he rushed toward the two, and at the very top of his voice he yelled:

"Rackbird! Rackbird! Police!"

Started out of her senses, Edna stepped back, while Banker turned in fury toward the negro and clapped his hand to his hip pocket. But Cheditafa's cries had been heard, and down the broad avenue Banker saw two gentlemen running toward him. It would not do to wait here and meet them.

"You devil!" he cried, turning to Cheditafa, "I'll have your blood before you know it. As for you, madame, you have broken your word. I'll be even with you!" and with this he dashed away.

When the gentlemen reached the spot they waited to ask no questions, but immediately pursued the flying Banker. Cheditafa was about to join in the chase, but Edna stopped him.

"Come to the carriage, quick!" she said. "I do not wish to stay here and talk to those policemen," and, hurrying out of the garden, she drove away.

The ex-Rackbird was a very hard man to catch. He had had so much experience in avoiding arrest that his skill in that direction was generally more than equal to the skill of the crookedest detective, of the ordinary detective. A good many people and two other gentlemen joined in the chase after the man in the slouch hat, who had disappeared like a mouse or a hare around some scrubby.

It was not long before the pursuers were joined by a man who can be called a detective. Cheditafa was about to ask several questions as to what they were running after, but he did not seem to take a sustained interest in the matter, and soon dropped out and went about his business. He did not take his slouch hat out of his pocket, for he thought it might be better to continue to wear his white cap for a time.

When the police were obliged to give up the pursuit, they went back to the garden to talk to the lady and her servant, who, in such strange words, had called to them, but they were not there.

CHAPTER XLV.

Edna went home faint, trembling, and her head in a whirl. When she had heard Cheditafa shout "Rackbird," she thought Banker had her mind that the captain had been captured in the caves by some of these brigands who had not been destroyed, that this was the cause of his silence, and that he had written to her for help. But she considered that the letter could not be read for her, for under no circumstances would he have written to her as Madame Ramirez—a name of which she had never heard. This thought gave her a little comfort, but not much.

As soon as she reached the hotel, she had a private talk with Cheditafa, and what the negro told her reassured her greatly.

He did not make a very consecutive tale, but he omitted nothing. He told her of his meeting with the Rackbird in front of the Bon Marche, and he related every word of their short conversation. He accounted for this Rackbird's existence by saying that he had not been at the camp when the water came down. In answer to a question from Edna, he said that the captain of the band was named Ramirez, and that he had known him by that name when he first saw him in Panama, though in the Rackbird's camp he was called nothing but "The Captain."

And you only told him I was the captain's wife?" asked Edna; "you didn't say I was Capt. Horn's wife?"

Cheditafa did his best to recollect, and he felt very sure that he had simply said she was the captain's wife. When his examination was finished, Cheditafa burst into an earnest appeal to his mistress not to go out again alone while she stayed in Paris. He said that this Rackbird was an awfully wicked man, and that he would kill all of them if he could. If the police caught him, he wanted to go and tell them what a bad man he was. He did not believe the police had caught him—this man could run like a wild hare, and policemen's legs were so stiff.

Edna assured him that she would take good care of herself, and after enjoining upon him not to say a word to anyone of what had happened until she told him to, she sent him away.

When Edna sat in council with her friends, she was some very fair conjectures as to what had happened. The scoundrel she met had supposed her to be the wife of the Rackbird's captain, and she seemed to be good reasoning, and she insisted to herself over and over again that she was quite sure that Capt. Horn had nothing to do with the letter which the man had been intending to give her.

That assurance relieved her of one great trouble, but there were other great troubles, and perhaps he had companions—who had sworn her to secrecy, and Cheditafa's account of this man convinced her that he would be ready enough to carry out such a scheme. She scarcely believed that the police had caught him; for she had seen how he could run, and he had started of them. But even if they had, in what charge would he be held? He ought to be confined or deported, but she did not wish to institute proceedings and give evidence. She did not know what might be asked, or said, or done, if she deposed that the man was a member of the Rackbird band, and brought Cheditafa as a witness.

In all this trouble and perplexity she had no one to whom she could turn for advice and assistance. If she told Mrs. Cliff that there was a Rackbird in Paris, and that he had been making threats, she was sure that that good lady would try to her home in Plainville, and when she would have iron bars put to all the windows and double locks to her doors.

In this great anxiety and terror—for although Edna was a brave woman, it terrified her to think that a wild and reckless villain, purple with rage, had shaken his fist at her and vowed he would kill Cheditafa—she could not think of a soul she could trust.

Her brother, fortunately, was still in Belgium with his tutor. Fortunately, she thought, because if he knew of the affair he would be certain to plunge himself into danger; and to whom could she apply for help without telling too much of her story?

Mrs. Cliff felt there was something in the air. "You seem queer," said she; "you seem unusually excited and ready to laugh; it isn't natural. And Cheditafa looks very shy. I saw him just a moment ago, and it seems to me that he is a little out of his good. It may be that it is a sort of spring fever which is affecting people, and I am not sure but that something of the kind is the matter with me. At any rate, there is that feeling in my spine and bones which I always have when things are about to happen, or when there is malaria in the air."

Edna felt that she must endeavor in all possible ways to prevent Mrs. Cliff from finding out that the Rackbird was in Paris, and she herself shuddered when she thought that one or more of the cruel desperadoes who were coming they had surrounded and waited for through that fearful night in the caves of Peru, were now to be dreaded and feared in the streets of Paris. If Edna shuddered at this, what would Mrs. Cliff do if she knew it?

Hints to Housekeepers.

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Good Men Will Succeed

Dr. Talmage Draws Lessons from the Life of Joseph.

Every Man Will be Valued at What He is Worth.—The World Compelled to Honor Christian Character.

Washington, D. C., April 13.—The sermon of Rev. Dr. Talmage yesterday is full of stirring and practical lessons for all Washingtonians, many men who, like the hero of the text, started from almost nothing, and rose to high place. The texts chosen were: Gen. xxxvii, 28, "They drew and lifted up Joseph out of the pit, and sold Joseph to the Ishmaelites for 20 pieces of silver." Genesis, xlv, 28, "He is governor over all the land of Egypt."

You cannot keep a good man down. God has decreed for a man a certain point of elevation. He will bring him to that though it cost him a thousand worlds. You sometimes find men fearful they will not be properly appreciated. Every man comes to his value at just what he is worth. You cannot write him up and you cannot write him down. These facts are powerfully illustrated in my subject. It would be an insult to suppose that you are not all familiar with the life of Joseph. How his jealous brothers threw him into a pit, and how he was sold to an Arabian merchant, and how he was carried him down into Egypt; Joseph there sold to Potiphar, a man of influence and office. How by Joseph's integrity he raised himself to high position in the realm, until under the false charge of a vile wretch he was hurled into the penitentiary. How he was commended respect and confidence. How by the interpretation of Pharaoh's dream he was freed, and became the chief minister of the government of Egypt. How in the time of famine Joseph had the control of a magnificent storehouse, which he had filled during the seven years of plenty. How when his brothers who had thrown him into the pit and sold him into captivity, applied for corn, he sent them home with the best of burdens, born down under the heft of the corn-bags. How the sin against their brother which had so long been hidden, came out at last, and was returned by that brother's forgiveness and kindness—the only revenge he took.

You see in the first place, the world is compelled to honor Christian character. Potiphar was only a man of the world, yet Joseph rose in his estimation, and became a chief of state. His house was committed to his charge. Wherever Joseph was placed, whether a servant in the house of Potiphar, or a prisoner in the penitentiary, he became the first man everywhere, and is an illustration of the truth I lay down, that the world is compelled to honor Christian character. There are those who affect to despise a religious life. They speak of it as a system of phylacteries with which men are to be all his courage and nobility. They pretend to have no more confidence in him since his conversion than before, or when he was a heathen in the marketplace outside the church. It is impossible for any man to admire and confide in a man who shows that he has really become a child of God, and is what he professes to be.

I find Christian men in all professions and occupations, and I find them respected and honored and successful. John Frederick Oberlin alleviating ignorance and distress; Howard passing from a poor boy to a great benefactor for body and soul; Elizabeth Fry going to the profligate of Newgate Prison to shake its obduracy as the angel came to the penitentiary at Philadelphia, driving open the doors and snapping loose the chains, as well as the lives of thousands of followers of Jesus, temporal and spiritual welfare of the race, are monuments of the Christian religion that shall not crumble while the world lasts.

We learn also from this story of Joseph that the result of persecution is elevation. He has been for his being sold into Egyptian bondage by his malicious brothers, and his false imprisonment Joseph never would have become a great man. Everybody accepts the promise, "Blessed are they that are persecuted for righteousness sake, for theirs shall be the kingdom of heaven," but they do not realize the fact that the principle applies to worldly as well as spiritual success. It is true in all departments. Men rise to high official positions through misrepresentation. Public abuse is all that some of our public men have had to rely upon for their elevation. It has brought to them what talent and executive force could not have achieved. Many of those who are making great efforts for place and power will never succeed, just because they are not of enough importance to be abused. It is the nature of man—that if he is persecuted, he will rise. Men are apt to forget the fault of those who persecute them, and they are apt to drive back the slanderers. No good man was ever more violently maltreated than John Wesley—beaten and carried to the stake, and slandered, until one day he stood in a pulpit in London, and a man arose in the audience and said: "You were drunk last night," and John Wesley said: "Thank God, the whole catalogue is now complete. I have been charged with everything, but that." His followers were hated at and maligned and called by every detestable name that infernal ingenuity could invent, but the hotter they spread, until you know what a great host they have become, and what a tremendous force for God and the world over. It was persecution that gave Scotland to Presbyterianism. It was persecution that gave our land first to civil liberty, and afterward to religious freedom. Yea, I might go further back, and say that it was persecution that gave the world the great salvation of the Gospel. The ribald mockery, the hungering and thirsting, the unjust charge, the ignominious sentence, when all the force of hell's fury was hurled against the cross, was the introduction of that religion which is yet to be the earth's deliverance and our eternal salvation.

Learn also from our subject that sin will come to exposure. Long, long ago had these brothers sold Joseph into Egypt. They had made the old father believe that his favorite child was dead. How their cheeks must have burned and their hearts sunk at the flaming out of this long suppressed crime. The smallest iniquity black out exposure. Saul was sent to destroy the Canaanites, their sheep and their oxen; but when he got down there among the pastures, he saw some fine

sheep and oxen too fat to kill, so he thought he would steal them. Nobody would know it. He drove these stolen sheep and oxen toward home, but stopped to report to the prophet how he had executed his mission, when in the distance the sheep began to bleat and the oxen to bellow. The secret was out, and Samuel said to the blushing and confused Saul: "What meaneth the bleating of the sheep that I hear, and the bellowing of the cattle? Ah! my hearers, you cannot keep an iniquity still. At just the wrong time the sheep will bleat and the oxen will bellow. Achan cannot steal the Babylonish garment without being stoned to death."

Learn also from this subject that there is an inseparable connection between all events, however remote. The universe is only one thought of God. Those things which seemed fragmentary and isolated are only different parts of that great thought. How far apart seemed these two great events—Joseph sold to the Arabian merchants and his ruthless accusers are seen in what a mysterious way God connected the two into one plan. So the events are linked together, and the universe is one thought of God. One undivided chain of events reaches from the Garden of Eden to the Cross of Calvary. God can trace a direct ancestral line from the blue-jay that this spring will build its nest in the tree over the house to some one of the flock of birds which when Noah hoisted the ark's window, with a whirr and dash of bright wings, flew over Mount Ararat. The tulips that bloom in the garden this spring were nursed by the snow-flakes. The furthest star in the firmament could not look toward the furthest star on the other side of the universe and say: "You are no relation to me, for I reach you by not a voice of light would ring across the heavens responding, 'Yes, yes, we are sisters.' Nothing in God's universe swings as a pendulum, accidents are only God's way of turning a leaf in the book of his eternal decrees. From our cradle to our grave there is a path of events, and every event in our life is connected with every other event in our life. Losses may be the most direct road to our gain. Our failures and our victories are our twin brothers."

We also learn from this story the propriety of laying up for the future. During the seven years of plenty, Joseph prepared for the famine, and when it came he had a crowded storehouse. You will be disappointed, you will be defrauded, there will be hard times, you will be disappointed, and if you have no storehouse, you will be ruined. You may be famine-struck. We have no admiration for this denying one's self all personal comfort and luxury for the mere pleasure of hoarding it up, this grasping, grasping for the mere pleasure of seeing how large a pile you can get, this always being poor because as you get as a dollar comes in it is sent out to see if it can find another dollar, so that it can carry it home on its back. We have a contempt for all these things, but there is an intelligent and noble-minded forecast which we love to see in men who have families and kindred depending upon them for the blessings of education and home.

Above all, lay up treasures in heaven. They never deprive you of your \$1,000, or \$2,000, or \$10,000, or \$20,000 income, but what will such an income be worth after you are dead? Others will get it, but you will be buried. They will be right glad when you are dead, then, will all your earthly accumulations be worth? If you gathered it all in your bosom, and walked up with it to heaven's gate, it would be of no use to you. Or if allowed to enter, it could not buy you a crown or a robe, and the poorest saint in heaven would look down at you and say: "Where did that pauper come from?" May we all have treasures in heaven. Amen!

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In the market today for the money. The public are cordially invited to call and inspect our wheels. For sale at

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The Balmy Spring

Will reveal the need of new wall paper coverings in many a home. Let us suggest something out of the ordinary this time. With our matchless facilities we can give unique results in style, quality and prices of wall paper.

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PRAIRIE ROMANCE.

Black Bear Steals Mrs. Red Hand and Settled for Ten Ponies.

Wichita, April 14.—Near Watonga, Okla., Black Bear, an Arapahoe, stole the pretty wife of Red Hand, and on fast horses spirited her away towards Indian Territory. Red Hand, on learning what had happened, picked out three of his best horses, and with two friends started in hot pursuit. The chase was kept up day and night for two days, and last night Black Bear and his captive fell into the hands of the pursuing party.

It then came out that Black Bear had stolen the affections of his captive. She begged her husband not to compel her to return, saying that she did not love him. After a long parley it was decided that the squaw should get a divorce and marry her captor. Black Bear gave Red Hand ten ponies as a peace offering.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
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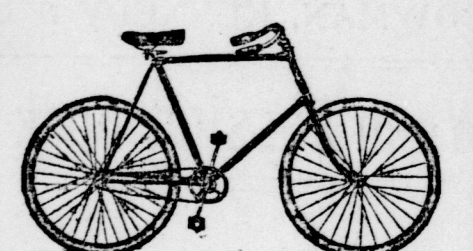
Monday morning we will place the contents of six cases of manufacturers' samples at 33¢ cents off regular prices.

Come early to avoid the rush.

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Large Barrel Hubs,
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Best Material,
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MOSTLY FAIR AND WARM—RAIN AT NIGHT.

Toronto, Ont., April 13—11 p. m.—Pressure is low throughout the western portion of the continent and highest off the south Atlantic coast. Light falls of rain and snow have occurred in the Northwest and Manitoba, and a few scattered showers in Eastern Canada.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 26—28; Qu'Appelle, 30—46; Winnipeg, 35—38; Port Arthur, 34—44; Toronto, 35—71; Ottawa, 34—68; Montreal, 30—52; Quebec, 32—34; Halifax, 36—44.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, April 14—1 a. m.—For the lower lakes region (including counties lying south of the Georgian Bay region, east as far as Belleville)—Fresh to strong southeasterly to southwesterly winds; mostly fair and warm; showers or light thunder storms, chiefly at night.

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We sell annuities, and are selling them.

FIRE AT COLBORNE.

Colborne, Ont., April 14.—The dwelling house owned and occupied by Hugh Heffrin was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Only a very small part of the contents was saved. The explosion of a coal oil lamp is supposed to have been the cause. Insurance \$650.

DIED OF HIS INJURIES.

Hamilton, April 14.—Thomas Smiley, the Waterdown man who was severely injured in a boiler explosion at Waterdown some weeks ago, and who has been lying at the city hospital ever since, died Sunday. Both his legs were broken. He leaves a widow and family of little children destitute.

Have You Got It?

To cure cramps take Nerviline. To break up a cold nothing is as good as Nerviline. If lumbago, neuralgia, or rheumatism troubles you resort to Nerviline. It never fails to give relief. Nerviline is a powerful penetrating substance, which goes at once to the bottom and speedily dissolves all pain. Nerviline is better, stronger and more certain in action than any other pain remedy in the market. Nerviline is sold by all dealers, only 25 cents.

Bicycles, something new, the America.

See the improvements and truss frame. No additional cost. J. E. Adkins, jeweler, agent.

Italian Cream, the new toilet lotion, price 25¢ at Anderson & Nellie's Drug Store.

SAY!

Have You Bought Your Spring Hat Yet?

If not, we want you to see our stock. If you go to a millinery establishment they will tell you that everything is the latest. Not so in men's millinery(?) There is only one latest, and we have it.

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C. P. R. Ticket Office

Southwest corner Dundas and Richmond Streets.

London and Environs

—Mrs. W. T. Hunter, Hamilton, is visiting friends in this city.

—Assistant Engineer Ironsides is acting street commissioner.

—R. Parsons will erect two frame cottages on Rectory street, between York and King.

—Mr. F. Spittal, of Milne, Spittal & Co., left yesterday for New York and Montreal on a purchasing trip.

—The asphalt in the street railway portion between Clarence and Richmond streets is in need of slight repairs.

—Mr. Fraser, of Fraser, McMillan & Co., wholesale hat and cap dealers, left for a six weeks' business trip in British Columbia today.

—Dr. Marguerite Symington, who recently took the degree of L. R. C. P., in Scotland, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Winnett, of Oxford street.

—The street railway company had a gang of men at work yesterday hauling ties for the Wellington street extension. The laying of the tracks will begin today.

—The city license commissioners will hold a meeting on Friday afternoon at 6 o'clock. They will probably be waited upon by deputations from the local temperance organizations.

—Mr. F. G. Rumball, lumber merchant, city, is one of the members of the Kensington Manufacturing Company (limited), of Goderich. The object is the manufacture of furniture.

—Inspector Bell has received word of the death in Toronto of Mr. Thomas Bond, who nearly twenty years ago conducted a lithographing business on Dundas street, under the title of Woodward, Grant & Bond.

—Car No. 625 arrived at the Grand Trunk depot yesterday from Toronto. It is the first of the cars to be repainted according to the recent order. The color is a maroon with a plentiful ornamentation of gold. The effect is very pretty.

—Prof. G. Sterling Ryerson, of Toronto, will leave for England tomorrow on account of indifferent health.

A severe attack of grip has made a change of air advisable. While in Europe he will revisit the hospitals devoted to eye, ear and throat studies, and will return to Toronto in June.

—The Seventh Battalion and band had a route march through the principal streets last night. Col. Lindsay through a number of moves on the asphalt pavement. The companies were well filled, and a great improvement was noticeable in the execution of the drill. The men are showing considerable interest in the trip to Hamilton on May 25.

—Special revival services were held at the Salvation Citadel on Sunday by the "Desperadoes." The "Desperadoes" are comprised of Ensign Wiggins and Captains Taylor and Huntington—three young men who have been engaged in this special work around Western Ontario for the past year. They are very earnest and enthusiastic workers and lift straight at the mark, i. e., to get sinners converted.

Meetings will be conducted every night at the Citadel and on Sunday next Brigadier Margetta will be in charge of the services, assisted by the "Desperadoes."

LATEST CUSTOM CHANGES.

The following decisions have been made by the board of customs and approved by Controller Wood: Acorns, if shelled, 5 cents per pound; acorns, not shelled, 2 cents per pound; sad irons, plated, 27-1/2 per cent; California or silver prunes, 1 cent per pound; flunspars, 20 per cent; perforated paper, in sheets or rolls for use in machinery, 25 per cent; paper, cut to shape, 25 per cent; in future the value at which the Austrian florin is to be taken for customs purposes shall be 40.5 cents, instead of 34-1/10 cents, as shown in the analytical index.

THE PHENOMENAL SOPRANO.

Miss Ellen Beach Yaw and artists in grand concert will be the attraction at the Grand tonight. The Baltimore Herald says: Ellen Beach Yaw, the phenomenal soprano, has been heard in the city, and even the most skeptical are forced to confess that she has substantiated everything that has been said and written about her remarkable powers. Miss Yaw sang last

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Fresh Canned Shrimps Extra quality. They are sufficiently cooked for salads, muttons and all cold dishes.

Heinz's Tomato Catsup The finest made. Delicious flavor. Only 15¢ a bottle.

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Keller's Dundee Marmalade Known as the finest made. We have it in 7-lb. tins. Almost as cheap as you can make it yourself.

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228 Dundas Street.

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night to an audience comprised in the main of the most critical and cultured people of the local lyric world.

She had not proceeded far before her hearers were electrified. They were prepared for something out of the ordinary in singing methods, but could hardly realize it to be read when the winsome maiden before them, without any seeming effort, took tones in the extreme upper register that were almost startling. Her high tones are most startling. Her high tones are most startling.

With a voice that is as flexible as fiber, and thoroughly under control, she essayed the coloratura with a brilliancy that was indeed phenomenal. Her first number was a Russian folk-song, which is replete with bravure themes, and was sung in glorious style. It was in the rendition of the "Proch Variations" that Miss Yaw gave an exhibition of her sensational abilities. Cadenzas, chromatics and trills rippled forth as though sung by a bird.

And again did the wonderful cantatrice rise to the height that no other vocalist has ever achieved, and each time the high notes were struck with precision and in proper time. The audience was large and decidedly enthusiastic, and each one of the artists received a hearty reception.

BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT.

A writ has been issued in London by Messrs. Meredith, Cameron, Judd and Dromgole, at the instance of Isabella G. Thompson, against Malcolm McIntyre, for alleged breach of promise of marriage. It is the same old story of blighted love and broken vows, the plaintiff claiming that the defendant, who is a prominent farmer residing near Belmont, was keeping company for a length of time and promising to marry her. The defendant has been recently married to another lady, and thus arises the cause of action. The plaintiff is about 25 or 26 years of age, and the defendant about the same, and both have lived in North Yarmouth for some time. The claim is for \$1,000, and the action will probably be tried in London at the spring assizes, opening on May 11.

FRUSTRATED IN HIS ATTEMPT TO DEFRAUD.

A Substituting Druggist Who

Wished a Lady to Buy Common Dyes When She Asked for Diamond Dyes.

Some druggists and dealers make it a point to push on their customers cheap and worthless dyes when the Diamond Dyes are asked for. This contemptible work is carried on from day to day merely for the sake of profit.

The crude and poorly-prepared dyes are made from such common materials that the dealer is enabled to buy them at very low prices, and of course endeavors to sell them at the same price as Diamond Dyes—ten cents per package. When the dealer sells a package of the adulterated dyes he makes as much profit as a sale of three packages of the Diamond Dyes would give him.

Mrs. Nelson Malcolm, of Teeterville, Ont., says:

"I am a large user of Diamond Dyes, and went into a city store last week to buy some. The druggist insisted that I should take another make of dye. I told him I would accept no substitute, so he handed me the Diamond Dyes that I asked for."

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Mr. Willis, of Toronto, was in the city Saturday, taking the electro-

thermo baths at the Sanitarium, 320 Dundas street.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron states: "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' Electric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than a half-bottle cured me. I certainly believe it saved my life. I was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

Though a shilling is charged for admission to Canyle's house, over 3,000 persons have visited the exhibition since it was opened in July last.

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