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## Births, Marriages, Deaths

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

MARRIED. ROSS-McVICAR-At the manse, Alvinston, on Wednesday, Jan. 18, by the Rev. W. G. W. Fortune, B.A., Donald Ross, of Euphemia,

to Flora McVicar, of Ekfrid. DIED. SYMONDS-In the hospital, at Detroit, on Thursday, Jan. 19, 1899, Miss Kate Symonds.

Funeral tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, at o'clock, from the residence of James Angus, WILSON-Suddenly, at Ingersoll, on Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1899, James H. Wilson, V.S.,

Funeral will leave his late residence, No. 846 Richmond street, on Friday, Jan. 20, at 3:30 p.m.; service at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

### **Amusements and Lectures**

GRAND OPERA Special return visit. Saturday, Jan. 21, matinee and night, JOHN GRIFFITH, in E. H. othero's great romantic drama "AN ENEMY O THE KING," supported by Kathryn Purnell, and a powerful company. The full Lycum Theater. New York, production will be given. Prices—25c, 50c, 15c, 21. Seats now on sale. 45k

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Tuesday, Jan. 24, JEFFERSON COMEDY COMPANY, in "RIP VAN WINKLE"

Introducing Thomas Jefferson, Joseph Jefferson, jun., William Jefferson, C. B. Jefferson, and a strong company. Prices, lower floor \$1, first two rows balcony 75c, balance 50c, gallery 25c. Seats on sale Saturday.

BAND TONIGHT - REDLIGHT RINK - Children's carnival Saturday afternoon.

JUBILEE RINK-OPEN AFTERNOONS-Band and City League hockey match Saturday night.

GRAND CONCERT, MONDAY, FEB. 13
Grand Opera House. Mlle. Antoine te
Trebelli, soprar o; Mr. Harold Jarvis, tenor, and
Mr. George Fox, violinist. Admission \$1,75c
and 50c. Plan open to subscribers at Bell Piano
Warerooms Monday nc. 47u

DRINCESS-LONDON VS. INGERSOLL-Tonight, 8 o'clock, for the championship. Band and skating at 9. Admission 25c. Coupons

A HOT TIME-FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL -Starlight Rink, tonight, Three cash prizes. Tickets 10c. Come.

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—Have you seen the "Society Cakewalk?"
Newest dance out; sure to be very popular.
We can accommodate you with a private lesson
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PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCINGsire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of dancing, 345 Princess avenue.

## Meetings.

MASONIC-KING SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 378, A., F. and A. M., West London, meets this (Friday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Visitors welcome. F. A. Andrewes, W.M.; W Nichels, Sec.

M ASONIC—AN EMERGENCY MEETING of St. John's Lodge, 209a, A., F. and A. M., will be held this (Friday) evening, Jan. 20, at 7:30, for work in the third degree. Visitors cordially invited, Arthur W. White, Wor. Master; T. A Rowat, P.M., secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF EAST MID DLESEX Reform Association will be held Saturday. 21st January, 1899, in Duffleld Block, corner Dundas and Clarence streets, at 2 p.m. All members requested to be present. J. B Gorwill, Vice-Pres.; W. B. Laidlaw, Sec.

## Domestics Wanted.

WANTED - GENERAL SERVANT-AP-PLY 567 Queen's avenue. 46bu WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT no washing. Apply 90 Elmwood avenue.

## Situations Wanted

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WANTED-TWO LADY CANVASSERS— Good wages. Apply Lusterine Manu-facturing Company, 394 Richmond street. 45c

## Wanted.

WANTED — SECOND - HAND SAFE — State price, etc. Address Box 121, Advertiser Office. 47c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—TWO UN-FURNISHED rooms, State price. Ad-dress Box 120, Advertiser. 45k WANTED TO PURCHASE—MEDIUM OR large sized fire proof safe. Must be in good condition. Address "Safe," this office.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE mond street.

MEN'S cast-off olothing. A. P. Sains bury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

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here. We are selling at reduced prices now, but no reduction in our standard of making, which is always first-class.

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that would have been \$1.50 had they landed in any other store in town. You'll see these if you're

120 pairs Women's Genuine Dongola \$1.00 Buttoned, kid tip, coin toe......

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Houses, Etc., To Let. TO LET-GOOD BRICK AND FRAME stable. Inquire A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. Phone 735. TO LET-NO. 427 KING STREET-APPLY at 383 King street. 96tf TO LET—COVERED MOVING VANS— When moving have your furniture and planos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

## Lost and Found.

FOUND-LARGE BRASS KEY-APPLY L OST-AN ENVELOPE CONTAINING 12 tickets. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to Sifton & Co., Dundas street.

DOG LOST-SATURDAY, 14TH-FAWN collie dog. Notify H. Worster, at Asylum, and receive reward.

## Miscellaneous.

DRESS SUITS TO RENT, IN FIRST-CLASS condition. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street.

## Business Chances.

CHEESE FACTORY FOR SALE IN A good farming locality; will be sold cheap. Address Box 119, Advertiser Office, London.

FOR SALE - TWO WAREHOUSES AT Clandeboye station, immediate possession, price easy. Apply, J. Cobledick, Exeter. 42n FOR SALE-STORE WITH POSTOFFICE T and dwelling-house; also stock of general merchandise. Address Box 32 Orwell, Ont. 34hi

## Real Estate.

FOR SALE-SELECT FARM AND CITY ply G. W. Francis, 90 Dundas street. London,

FOR SALE, OR LEASE FOR A TERM OF years, The White Sulphur Springs and Mineral Baths, Swimming Bath, Boating Business, 300 feet of land. For particulars apply 60 Elmwood avenue, South London. PINE 2-STORY HOUSE, WITH ALL MOD-

Three 28TOR1 HOUSE, WITH ALL HOUSE ERN conveniences, for sale, or would rent to suitable tenant. Three lots on Heilmuth avenue, very cheap for party that will build this season.

J. F. SANGSTER,

403 Richmond street.

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## Articles For Sale.

ONIONS FOR SALE — SEND IN YOUR orders to A. McInnis, 383 Talbot street.
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POLOGNA AND SAUSAGES ARE ALL right when made right, and as fit to eat as fresh pork, ham or bacon. We sell sausages and bologna 4 bls. 25c, made from clean fresh pork. Tenderioins 10c ib. Headcheese 8c. Special cut in the price of beef for tomorrow. For prices see our window. Faulds' Provision Store, 8 Market Lane.

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

felt better than ever. The next time he drank eight ounces of horse liniment without any ill effects.

Another time he sat for hours in a barrel of water and ice which he had in Co. Call at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, his cellar, trying to catch cold. But he that time he was used to exposure

EXPRESS MONEY ORDERS ON ALL of that sort, and pneumonia was farmoney. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, sells them.

FOR SALE—A QUANTITY OF YOUNG white oak timber, from 8 to 20 inches, standing; suitable for piles. Wm. T. Hawken, Warwick Village Postoffice. 44n&wb TISSUE PAPER-ALL COLORS-FOUR I full size sheets for one cent. Large assortment of school books and school supplies. J. H. Cunningham, 778 Dundas street, East London

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

FOR SALE—ONE SLIGHTLY USED UP-RIGHT mahogany piano, 7½ octaves, only \$200, and one Thomas organ, slightly used, \$35. Easy terms. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas

FIRST-CLASS WOOD-HARD AND SOFTstove lengths or cordwood. Prompt de-livery to any part of the city. Prices reason-able. Phone 1,312. S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London.

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C. E. GERMAN, London.

## "HONESTY THE

Jackson,

Who Helped Himself to the Contents of a Safe Fifteen Years Ago.

Chicago, Jan. 20 .- Alfred Jackson, who is lying at the Cook county hospital with a bullet-hole in his head, says he robbed the First National Bank of Chicago of \$1,500 fifteen years ago, was chased by detectives for fifteen months, gave himself up to Lyman J. Gage when Mr. Gage was president of the bank, was pardoned, and afterwards tried seven times to kill himself. Jackson is 50 years old, and his home is in Western Springs. He says he is a safe builder, and that he was employed on the First National Bank safes when that institution moved into its new building on Dearborn street in 1884. There were twelve new safes in the bank, and, according to Jackson, money was put into some of them by the bank officials before they were ready for use. "One day," Jackson said, "I was working on the safes, and noticed that the door of one of them was open. I looked inside and saw several bundles of paper money. No one being

my being found out. I determined to after made or promulgated is to apply tell Lyman J. Gage all about it. I to any part of the Soudan save by went to him one day, and I said: Mr. the proclamation of the governor-Gage, if you had come to me and ac- general. cused me of taking that money, I would have told you. I took that money, but I was too proud to let the detectives catch me.' 'Can you return the money?' said Mr. Gage. 'I cannot,' said I; 'it's all gone.' I told Mr. Gage he ought to prosecute me and send me to the penitentiary. He refused to do so, and never attempted to do any-

near, I took two of them, containing

thing to me." At last, Jackson says, the disgrace weighed on his mind so hard that he made up his mind to commit suicide. First he tried to contract pneumonia. He soaked two sheets in water, wrapped himself up in them, opened his bedroom window, and sat there until the sheets froze to his skin. He waited patiently, but failed to get sick. For his next attempt, Jackson says he drank a pint of alcohol, and then went out and sat on a snowbank, and prayed that he might catch pneumonia or something just as bad. His prayer was not answered, he says.

The third time Jackson says he mixed a pound of potash in water and drank it. Outside of a mild attack of

sore throat, he felt no ill effects. But Jackson did not lose hope. He had heard that people who were nearly starved and who ate heartily almost died from the effects. Accordingly he went without eating nine days, and then sat down to a banquet of fried oysters, a la Newburg, dill pickles and ice cream. But the next morning he felt better than ever. The next time

by that time he was used to exposure of that sort, and pneumonia was fara bullet into his head. It entered behind his right ear and penetrated the brain slightly. He is getting along nicely. He appears to be in full possession of his faculties, and he has puzzled the hospital surgeons, who declare he is a remarkable case.

No Cocaine in Dr. A. W. Chase's Ca tarrh Cure.

Prof. Heys, Ontario School of Chemistry and Pharmacy, says: "I have made an examination of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure for Cocaine and in all its compounds, from samples purchased in the open market, and find none present." We offer a reward of \$1,000, to be devoted to any charitable institution if any druggist or doctor can find the least trace of that deadly drug Cocaine contained in Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, re-commended by all dealers, at 25 cents a box, blower included free.

## PATENT NOTICE.

THE RIGHT TO MANUFACTURE "THE Cam (Chainless) Bioycle," described in Canada Letters Patent, No. 54,694, can be obtained, or machines will be furnished, at a reasonable price, to any person desiring to use them, by applying to P. J. Edmunds, Solicitor of Patents, London, Canada, resident attorney for The Velocipede Syndicate, London, Eng., owners of the said patent. The mechanism of this invention is simple; there is nothing to get out of order; it will stand the roughest handling, and great speed can be attained on these machines with very easy pedaling. The goar case is made of celluloid and aluminum, and an 84 gear on this machine can be worked as easily as a 60 gear on an ordinary bicycle. This invention has been patented in all the leading countries of the world and is declared absolutely novel by the English, German, United States and other patent offices.

Points of the Arrangement Between Britain and Egypt.

No Special Trade Privileges to the Subjects of Any Power.

Cairo, Jan. 20.-The Official Gazette today publishes a convention between Great Britain and Egypt relating to beseeching in vain for charity, villified the kaiser, and promptly secured two the future government of the recon- years for lese majeste. quered Soudan provinces.

After reciting that the provinces After reciting that the provinces were reconquered by the joint military and financial efforts, of the Brits tary and financial efforts of the British and Khedival Governments, and setting forth the desire to give effect to the claims that have accrued to her Britannic Majesty's government by right of conquest - the claim to future working and development of The Cape-to-Cairo Idea Proves the administration of the territoryand pointing out that the territories of Wady Halfa and Suakim may be most effectively administered in conjunction with the reconquered pro-vinces, the convention proceeds as fol-

"It is hereby that the wor soudan in this agreement means all the territories south of the 22nd parallel of latitude which have never been evacuated by the Egyptian troops since 1882, or which, having been administered by the khedive's government prior to late rebellion, were temporarily lost to Egypt, and have been reconquered by the British and Egyptian governments, acting in concert, or which may herafter be reconquered by the two governments acting in

### UNDER TWO FLAGS.

"The British and Egyptian flags shall be used together on both land and water throughout the Soudan, except in Suakim, where the Egyptian

flag alone shall be used. 'The supreme military command in the Soudan shall be vested in one officer, termed the governor-general, appointed by khedival decree, with the consent of Great Britain, and to be removed only by khedival decree, with

the consent of Great Britain." The next clause gives the governorgeneral absolute power to make, alter, or abrogate by proclamation, laws, orders or regulations for good government of the Soudanese, and for regulation, holding, disposal and de-votion of property of every kind situated in the Soudan, but of all such proclamations the agent of her Britannic Majesty at Cairo and the president of the khedival council must 500.

forthwith be notified. No Egyptian law, decree, or enactment here-

Regarding the condition which Europeans shall be permitted to trade, reside or hold property

### the Soudan, the convention says: NO SPECIAL PRIVILEGES.

"No special privileges shall be accorded the subjects of any one or more powers. No import duties shall be levied on goods from Egyptian territory, but they shall be leviable on goods from elsewhere. In the case of goods entering the Soudan at Suakim or any other Red Sea port, the duties must not exceed the amount leviable upon foreign goc hering Egypt. Duties may be levied upon goods leaving the Soudan, the rates to be prescribed by proclamation."

The convention provides that the jurisdiction of the mixed tribunals shall apply to no part of the Soudan, except Suakim, and the whole Soudan, except Suækim, shall remain under martial law until the governorgeneral proclaims otherwise. No consular agents shall be accredited to or allowed to reside in the Soudan without the previous consent of Great Britain. The importation or exportation of slaves is absolutely prohibited, and special attention is to be paid to the enforcement of the Brussels act of July, 1890, in respect to the import, and manufacture of firearms, munitions, and distilled or spirituous

liquors. The convention, which is dated at Cairo, Jan. 18, 1899, is signed by the khedival minister of foreign affairs, Boures Pasha Chali, and by Lord Cromer, British agent, and consul-

general in Egypt. PRESS COMMENT. The Times, referring editorially to the convention, expresses approval of the

agreement, which it describes as eminently practical and sagacious. The Standard says: It is reasonably certain that some diplomatic trouble will follow. The sultan will probably protest against the ostenta- government orders. tious neglect of his suzerain title; and France, doubtless, will leave nothing undone to nurse the displeasure of the porte into a serious international

### ferment. CABLE NOTES.

It is announced that Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, will preach the annual sermon in the cathedral at Orleans, on May 8, the anniversary of Joan of Arc.

A committee of cardinals has decided to mark the close of the nineteenth century by recommending a world's pilgrimage to Rome during the year 1899. The pope will proclaim plenary indulgence to all pilgrims to the tomb of St. Peter and St. Paul. Lord Aberdeen has accepted the in-

vitation of the Duke of Devonshire and

the council of the British Empire

League to become a vice-president of the organization. Seven members of the crew of the British steamer Canaford, from Cadiz for St. Johns, Nfid., which was abandoned on Jan. 12, have been landed at Liverpool by the steamer Nasmith.

Australia will have 10,000,000 bushels of a wheat surplus. The Spanish Government has issued new uniforms and some pay for the troops in the northern provinces, and a drop in Carlist sentiment has followed. The general condition of the army remains poor, however, and thousands of repatriated soldiers in Barcelona and

Cadiz are starving. Prof. Benedict, of the Vienna University, who has been experimenting ley, Dean of Westminster, persists in during the past year with the Tesla declining to make any statement in system of cures by means of electrical regard to the conditions leading up to

## currents, has achieved some splendid results in the cure of gout and skin diseases, and expects to cure consump-

The North German Lloyd Steamship Company will organize for next sea-son's travel a service of fast passenger steamers to run between New York and La Rochelle, France.

The sultan is disturbed at the growth of the Young Turkey party which is daily winning recruits from the best Turkish families.

Premier Sagasta announces that the queen regent will sign a decree convoking the cortes on the day following the receipt of the news of the ratifica-tion of the treaty of peace by the United States Senate.

A bookbinder named Decker, who was in destitute circumstances, after

Popular.

And Meets Financial Encouragement in London.

Stringent Measures Against the Carlists Inaugurated.

Noisy Debate in the French Senate-Experimenting With Sub-Marine Boats.

London, Jan. 20.-Cecil Rhodes' great scheme for a railway through Africa versity of Aberdeen, died on Thursday from Cape Town to Cairo is meeting with financial encouragement. The line from Buluwayo, the terminus of troops (the insurgents), who now octhe present Cape system, to Khar- cupy the capital, La Paz, have had an toum, will be more than 3,000 miles long, and it is estimated to cost \$47,000,-000. Mr. Rhodes has been assured of \$10,000,000 for the section from Buluwayo to Lake Tanganyika, and the remainder can be secured when the surveys from Tanganyika to Khartoum are made. It is said Germany will give consent for a right of way through the strip of German territory north of the lake. At Khartoum connection is to be made with the Egyptian line, which the sirdar has already built up the Nile as far as Attabara. Another transcontinental railway scheme has been revived in India to give a route across Asia from north This would make Bombay and Calcutta the outlets for Russian commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable travelers from London to reach the commerce in Asia, and enable the ten days.

## UNITED ACTION.

A resolution will be offered at the annual meeting of the British Chambers of Commerce on March 14, urging the government to utilize every opportunity of co-operating with the United States for the benefit of the commercial in-terests of both nations. Other business to come before the meeting includes resolutions expressing satisfaction with the government's protection of British interests in China, urging adherence to the "open door" policy and request-ing the government to arrange with the United States so that British produce and manufactures shall not be subjected to a differential tariff in the

Philippines, Porto Rico and Cuba. BUBBLES IN FRANCE.

Paris, Jan. 20.—The senate yesterday indulged in another somewhat noisy debate on the subject of the alleged partiality and slowness of the court of cassation. The minister of justice, M. Lebret, defended the court and urged the necessary of obtaining a separation between legislative and judicial powers. He also said he believed that M. Ques-nay de Beaurepaire's resignation of the presidency of the civil section of the court of cassation was due to pique, because he thought that insufficient deference had been shown him. A resolution, approving the views of the minister of justice was adopted by a

vote of 212 to 28. The Anti-Jew, a newspaper here, has been sentenced to pay 500 francs to each of the Jewish officers in the army whose names it published recently with malicious intent. The list of officers is a long one.

HOW THEY "DISARM." St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.-The Russian Government has ordered a new cruiser of 6,250 tons to be constructed at the Vulcan ship-building yards, Stettin, Prussia. It has also been decided to build in Russian yards three battle-ships of about 12,000 tons each and two cruisers of 2,000 and 3,000 tons respectively. Numerous torpedo boats are now in course of construction under

In the French Chamber of Deputies, M. Paschal Grousset, Radical Socialist, introduced the question of submarine boats, in which vessels, he said, successful experiments had been conducted at Toulon, the French naval stronghold in the south of France. The deputy pointed out the importance of this matter, which, he alleged, would produce a revolution in naval tactics. He declared that a syndicate of iron manufacturers had for twelve years past opposed the construction of submarine boats, and had tried to prevent the success of the experiments in those vessels. Therefore he moved the appointment of a committee to examine into the question, and asked for urgency on his motion. The minister of marine, M. Lockroy, opposed M. Grousset's motion. France, the marine minister said, was the only power in possession of a practical submarine boat. The chamber rejected the motion for

urgency by a vote of 357 to 121. London, Jan. 20.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: The constitutional guarantees have been virtually suspended against Car-A Carlist propagandist, who was carrying documents from headquarters, has been arrested in Valen-

Senor Sagasta's determination to adhere to his tottering power causes universal indignation, unequaled since the capture of Santiago.

WON'T EXPLAIN. The Very Rev. George Granville Brad-

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the recent sudden and sensational resignation of the Rev. Robert Eyton, rector of St. Margaret's, Westminster, and canon in residence. Canon Eyton's family explain that his health is broken by mental strain, and that he is going

THE CANADIAN STEAMSHIP COM-

PANY. The long-expected issue of stock of the Canadian Steamship Company is now being made in connection with the inauguration of the Milford Haven-Paspebiac service. The ordinary shares, amounting to £50,000, are not offered to the public, but the b per cent debentures, amounting to £200,000, and £100,000 of 6 per cent preference stock,

are being offered to the public.

CABLE NOTES. Prince Herbert Bismarck, it is rumored, is about to re-enter the diplo-

matic service. Prof. Henry Alleyne Nicholson, regius professor of natural history at the Uniin his 55th year. According to reliable advices from the

seat of war in Bolivia, the Federalist

engagement with two battalions of President Alonzo's forces, defeating them and taking a large number of There have been serious student riots during the last two days at the universities of Palermo and Naples, owing to

the refusal of the university authorities to grant certain requests regarding examinations and holidays. The Chinese Government will send a commercial mission to Europe and America, starting next month, and returning in November. If it reports favorably, commercial agencies will be established in important cities abroad

next year.

## IN DEADLY PERIL

Carried Down to the Gulf of St. Law rence on an Ice Floe.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.-Major Goudreau, deputy minister of marine and fisheries, received a telegram Wednesday evening from Rodolphe Remieux, M.P. for Gaspe, stating that a mail carrier and three assistants, in crossing from Bonaventure Island to the mainland on the ice, were carried out through the ice breaking up. Mr. Le-mieux asked the department to do what it could to relieve the unfortun-

ate men. The postmaster-general instructed him to send telegrams, to get any vessel that was available, and have it go to the assistance of the men. The government would defray the expense Bonaventure Island is in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, off the coast of Gaspe,

Col. Goudreau telegraphed Mr. Le-

mieux and Dr. Pigeon, at Port Daniel.

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There is one prisoner in the Elgin county jail, the first since Dec. 20,

A Vancouver dispatch says: The tug active, with a crew of eight men, is six days overdue, and is said to have been lost near Queen Charlotte Sound. The assessors' returns show that there is at the present time in To-ronto 34,209 occupied and 2,209 vacant houses; also 4,765 occupied and 320

vacant stores.

anne street, Montreal, who has been in a state of catalepsy for 28 days, was awakened from her long slumber Wednesday by sticking red-hot needles From reports brought in to Sar Francisco by the steamer Collier Wyefield, Capt. Cartman, an unknown schooner has gone to pieces off Point

Eva Roch, the sleeping girl of Mari-

Reyes, and the probability is that all hands were lost. A borax trust, with \$7,000,000 capital, is the latest combine proposed.

The Toronto street railway is a gold

mine. The net profits last year were

It is proposed to utilize the force of Niagara whirlpool rapids by turning the water into a raceway, generating a 35,000 horse power.

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For a summer cough, Or a winter cough; For a night cough, Or a slight cough,

Or a cough which "hangs on,"

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## FATAL FIRE

Three Dead Bodies Discovered in the Debris.

Boy Badly Burned With Benzine-Two Sudden Deaths.

THREE LIVES LOST.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 20 .- Three bodies have been found in the debris of the steamer Ouchita, which was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. They are believed to be the remains of Mr. and Mrs.Keck, en route from Columbus to Greenville, Miss., and Dr. Murray, of Vicksburg. All of the other passengers have been accounted for. BURNED BY BENZINE.

Hespeler, Ont., Jan. 20.-A lad named Schleeman, in the employe of Messrs. Zryd & Co., hardware merchants here, narrowly escaped death from burning yesterday. He poured benzine out of a can on a fire he was kindling in the workshop. The blaze caused the benzine to explode with terrific force. The boy was ablaze in an instant, and, rushing outside, he fell to the ground unconscious. The noise of the explo-sion attracted the attention of Mr.Duncan, merchant tailor, in the next building, who rushed out and enveloped the boy in his overcoat, smothering the flames. The lad was badly burned about the face, head and hands.

DEAD FOR SEVERAL DAYS. Stratford, Jan. 20 .- The remains of Mrs. Williamson, who was found dead at her home on Vincent street, where she led the life of a recluse, were taken to Toronto by her son, Mr. A. Williamson, private secretary to Hon. J. M. Gibson, yesterday. Deceased was dead several days before being discovered. Chief of Police McCarthy, who made the gruesome discovery, stated that there were evidences of plenty, of provisions in the cottage. Her son said that an allowance of \$300 per year was given her, and as he and his sister corresponded regularly with her, it was only when these letters were not answered that the authorities were no-

tified, with the result stated above. DROPPED DEAD. Winnipeg, Jan. 20.-Archibald Mc-Bean, who has been in the grain business for nearly 20 years, dropped dead at his house Wednesday. Stomach trouble was the cause of death. He Stomach

was 66 years of age. DEAD IN THE BATHROOM. Toronto, Jan. 20.-Captain Arthur Clarkson, an old resident of Toronto, was found dead in the bathroom of his residence Wednesday morning. He had evidently died of heart failure.

## A DIZZY DANCE!

New York's "French Ball" a Scene of Wild Hilarity-Police Kept Out of Sight.

New York, Jan. 20 .- The French ball, the annual carnival of dissipation and wild orgy indulged in by men and women of high and low degree, held sway at Madison Square Garden on Wednesday night.

It was the swiftest ball New York has seen in a decade, and would have done credit to Paris itself. Fully 10,000 people thronged the garden during the night. The boxes, the cheapest of which was \$15, and the highest \$90, were all sold by midnight, and the promenade was filled until dawn.

The official opening event, according to the order of dance, was a pretentious ballet dance by 36 couples, boys and girls, ranging in age from 14 to 18 years. Following close upon this event was the patriotic ballet, in which 50 men and women indulged. Pretty women sported in the costumes of Cubans, Porto Ricans and Filipinos.

Numerous other ballets followed, and the hour of midnight having arrived, the public were turned loose on the floor. They began with great decorum,

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but by 2 a.m. the revelry was fast and furious. High kicking there was in plenty, and wine flowed like water. The police took the matter philosophically, and although there were many in the vicinity, they kept out of sight.

## WESTERN ONTARIO

Deserted by Her Husband and Dying of Consumption.

Sad Story of a Windsor Woman-Bad Accident to an Ayimer Man.

Alvinsion is figuring on a pork pack-Dawn council offers a bonus for the destruction of sparrows.

A Brigden man makes a specialty of repairing broken tombstones. Lawyer Vanstittart, Tilsonburg, fell on a sidewalk and broke his leg.

Grand Rapids curlers have invited the Sarnia club to visit that city. Mrs. E. Long, of Courtright, fell on the icy sidewalk and broke her leg. Mrs. Jane Tyrell, an old resident of Euphemia, died last week in her 85th

R. R. Neild has been chosen chair-man of the Stratford board of educa-

J. W. Peart, Grand Trunk agent at Welland, has been transferred to St. Bott & Brown, of the London Furni-

ture Company, are opening a new furniture store in Petrolea. The boarders of the Vendome, Sarnia,

presented Landlord Ryder with a silk umbrella on his birthday. Billy had to put up more than his parachute. The council of Sandwich West ap-

pointed F. X. St. Louis collector, R. Morforton assessor, J. Lajeuneuse treasurer, and F. Pare and J. Antailla Chief Hill, the aged father of the Seneca tribe of Indians, located near Brantford, fell 30 feet on Monday and

was badly injured. Little hope of recovery is held out. About 70 couples attended the ninth annual ball and supper of Unity Lodge, No. 47, Brotherhood of Railroad Train-men, held at the Gand Central Hotel

Wednesday night, at St. Thomas. The Catholic Foresters of Walkerville last night installed officers: A. St. Louis, C. R.; J. L. Reaume, financial secretary; W. Waldmann, recording secretary; F. Lajeuneuse, treas-

At the manse, Flora street, St. Thomas, Wednesday evening, Mr. Geo. A. McIntyre, of Dutton, was united in to Miss Barbara Bellwood. Rev. R. McIntyre performed the cere-

Old Charley Buchner, of Simcoe, an inmate of the county home, died ounday. He was 81 years of age, and had been in the home about eighteen on Thursday for London, where she in-months. Dropsy was the immediate tends furthering her musical education cause of his death.

Thos. Laur and his oldest son, of Glen Colin, two miles from Aylmer, were engaged in felling a tree at the top of a deep gully, when the tree fell down the gully, a distance of about 40 feet, carrying Mr. Laur, sen, with Mr. Laur was bruised very badly and is in a very critical condition.

A drainage case, in which the costs far exceed the sum originally claimed, is before the court of appeal at Toronto. John and William Young, Lambton county farmers, wanted \$200 Wm. Tucker for the damages from alleged negligent construction of a drain, which caused the flooding of the plaintiff's property. The action was dismissed. They seek a new trial.

Mrs. Williamson, an old lady of Stratford, was found dead in her home Wednesday morning. The body was found on the floor, face downwards, and the indications were that she had not died very suddenly, as the hands had been drawn under the body, and there were other signs of her having moved around. Dr. Wunsmore concluded that an inquest was unnecessary, and that the deceased had died from natural causes.

The East Elgin Agricultural Society has decided to hold a street fair in St. Thomas next fall. The officers are: President, N. W. Moore; first vicepresident, Peter Cameron; second vice-president, John Sutton; directors, J. G. Chapman, H. Fulton, John Collins, W. Trigger, Thos. Olde, S. Dubber, Fred Sutherland, L. D. Marlatt and S. H. Palmer; auditors, Angus McKenzie and R. T. Pincombe; secretary-treasurer, Wm. Newcombe.

While trimming trees in front of James Springsteen's, near Blenheim, Wednesday morning, and depending on small limb for support, James Dimma fell from one of the top branches, and landed on the hard pavement underneath, striking his hip bone. He was at once removed to Dr. Quackenbush's office, when it was found that he was so badly hurt that his removal to the general hospital at Chatham was determined on.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Paterson, Eagle, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Mattie, to Mr. Wm. Hunter, Rev. J. F. Scott officiating. The bride, attended by her cousin, Miss Mary Lang, and the groom by his brother, Edward, marching to the Lobengrin wedding march, rendered by Miss Flor-ence Lang, met in the center of the parlor, where the ceremony was performed, after which the guests sat down to an excellent repast.

Mrs. Albert Johnson lies dying of consumption at her home on Eliot avenue, Windsor. Several months ago she was deserted by her husband, a bricklayer. She has since had a pitiful experience in trying to provide for herself and her three little children, the soungest of whom is a wee twoyear-old girl. On Wednesday the mother signed an agreement, binding them over to the Carey home, where they will be kept until they are of age. The Essex Law Association has elected J. L. Murphy president, H. T. W. Ellis, vice-president; J. F. Hare, treasurer, and A. P. E. Panet, secretary. It was decided to request Judge Horne to instruct the clerk of the surrogate court not to accept certain legal documents prepared by J. A. Tremblay, of Tilbury, or W. Pillon, of Stony Point, as they are not qualified practitioners. These two gentlemen have been doing a land-office business in conveyancing and drawing wills, etc., and have made serious inroads into the incomes of some of the profession.

One More Unfortunate.

An author, after having waited in vain for a check for an accepted poem, wrote the editor mildly inquiring about

The editor replied: "Dear Sir: The magazine is dead. It "Dear Sir: The magazine is dead. It couldn't stand everything. It passed peacefully away, with your poem on the front page. The sheriff, who is a man of some literary ability, is now writing its obituary. The blow is a sad one, but we hope to get damages out of you."-Atlanta Constitution

## Another Permanent Cure of Scrofula.

Not long ago we published the case of Mrs. Bennet, of Crewson's Corners, Ont., whom Burdock Blood Bitters cured of one of the severest cases of Scrofula met with in Ontario.

So thorough and permanent has the cure been that in nearly 5 years the disease has shown no signs of returning.

This time we give the case of Mr. Norman D. Murray, of Brook Village, N.S., who was permanently cured by B. B. B. of scrofulous sores that defied the skill of two prominent physicians. Mr. Murray writes as follows:

"It is with pleasure I write in praise of Burdock Blood Bitters, which completely cured me of Scrofula. I consulted two of our most skilful doctors, who gave me some acid to apply to the sores, but I regret to say that the application only made them worse. My face was all one running sore and I could get no ease. At last I purchased one bottle of B. B. B., and before I had used it all I was completely cured. Words cannot express my feelings toward your God-sent medicine. I will praise it wherever I go, because It has made a permanent cure in my case, after I had practically given up hope.

## MIDDLESEX NEWS

Glencoe Defeats Dutton at Hockey-Annual Meeting of the Mount Brydges Baptist Church.

La grip is prevalent in Mount Brydges.
Mr. John Taylor, of Thorndale, has gone on a trip to Florida.

The Delaware Agricultural Society have reorganized for the ensuing year.

Last year's report proved very satisfactory. Miss Nettie Risdon, of Devizes, left

in the Conservatory of Music.

The senior division of Bélmont public school was closed on Monday and Tuesday of this week, the principal suffering from an attack of la grippe.

The Strathroy printers held their annual supper on Thursday evening of last week. Seven kinds of "pi" figured on the bill-of-fare, and the office cat responded to the toast list.

Mrs. Perkins' Sunday school class, Delaware, surprised their teacher by making an unexpected visit to her residence and presenting her with valuable silver salt and pepper shakers and gold stick pins.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church, Mount Brydges, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. L. Lipsit; vicepresident, Miss Baker; secretary, Mrs. Holmes; treasurer, Mrs. J. Elsey.
The annual meeting of the Baptist

Church, Mount Brydges, was held on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. J. C. Pilkey was cordially invited to remain another year. Mr. Pilkey thanked the members and accepted their kind and hearty invitation.

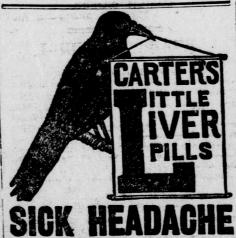
The trustees of Mount Brydges publie school have decided to charge a fee of 50 cents for each child attending school that belongs to an adjoining section. Hitherto they have been admitted free, but the school is becoming overcrowded, and this necessitated an increased expenditure by having to provide more seating accomodation. The annual meeting of the Westmin-

ster Agricultureal Society was held at Odell's Hotel on Thursday afternoon. A large number attended. It was decided to hold the annual fall show at Lambeth. The election of officers resuited as follows: President, G. Gowen-lock; vice-president, W. D. Woodhull; secretary-treasurer, J. Thornicroft; directors, Mr. Anderson, Belmont; Mr. Adair, Byrcn; Mr. Whetter, London; Robt. Nichol, Glendale; J. D. Cummins, Tempo; Mr. Laidlaw, and Mr. Thompson, of Wilton Grove, and Mr. A. Hall,

The Glencoe hockey team defeated the Dutton club in a very interesting game Wednesday night by eight to four.

Officers-elect Court Delaware Valley, A. O. F., No. 672, Delaware: Bro. R. C. Hammond, C. R.; Bro. W. Fonger, P. C. R.; Bro. R. Elsey, V.C.R.; Bro. W. Evison, chaplain; Bro. E. T. Ralph, financial secretary; Bro. F. Fink, recording secretary; Bro. W. Leaker, senior woodward; Bro. F. Evison, junior woodward; Bro. Henry Reid, senior beadle; Bro. Alden Evison, junior beadle; Bro. F. H. Mitchell, physician; Bro. R. C. Hammond, delegate.

A grand concert in connection with L. O. L., No. 901, Metcalfe, will be held in their new hall, Glenwillow, on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1899. Addresses will be delivered by Rev. C. Barltrop, of Ap-pin; Rev. Mr. Willimott, of London; Rev. J. E. Holmes, of Mount Brydges; ex-Alderman Coo, of London; Mr. G.



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B. Campbell, of Appin; Mr. W. Hawthorne, of London; instrumental music will be given by Pierce brothers, Caradoc, and S. Radeliffe, Adelaide; vocal solos by Prof. Hollingshead, of Dutton; Walter, Charles and Ernie Wright, of Strathroy; and J. Mitchell, of Appin; and recitations by the Misses Kincaide, of Adelaide. Mr. E. T. Essery, of London will occupy the chair.

of Adelaide. Mr. E. T. Essery, of London, will occupy the chair.

The Chosen Friends, No. 253, Thorndale, installed their officers on the 10th January, as follows: C. C., Wm. T. Walker; P. C., A. Abbott; V. C., Thos. F. Logan; Rec., K. M. Whitehead; Assist. Rec., Merton St. Clair; Treas., Dr. F. W. Hughes; prelate, Robert Stevenson; marshal, T. Buckle; warden, Thomas Holland; guard, C. R. Walker; sentry, James Harding; mediden, Thomas Holland; guard, C. R. Walker; sentry, James Harding; medical examiners, Drs. Ford and Hughes; representatives to Grand Council, A. Abbott, I. D. Salmon. Friend James H. Wheaton acted as installing officer, and Thomas Abbott as grand marshal.

As Mr. Edward Beattie, of North Dorchester, was on his way home from church, the front axle of his buggy became detached from the rig and Mr. Beattie was thrown out into the road, sustaining a dislocation of

the shoulder and other bruises. Mr. Beattie is a man well up in years, and it will be some time before he will be able to be around.

The death occurred recently at the residence of her son, Mr. James G. Frank, Willow Hill, Adelaide, of Elizabeth, relict of the late Adoram Frank, aged 85 years. Deceased, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Hudson, was born in Durhamshire, England, and came to Canada with her parents when only four years of age. will be able to be around. parents when only four years of age. They settled in Westminster town-ship, where Mrs. Frank continued to

reside until her marriage, when she moved to Adelaide township. moved to Adelaide township.

At the annual meeting of the West Nissouri Agricultural Society there was a good attendance, and Secretary Bailey's report showed a very satisfactory state of finances, the surplus being quite in advance of previous years. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Arthur Brown Rebecca postoffice: vice-Arthur Brown, Rebecca postoffice; vice-president, David Aitken, Thorndale; secretary-treasurer, A. Bailey; direct-ors, R. E. Ardiel, Wm. Ardiel, Wilbert Logan, J. Hobbs, Edward Dann, Rob-ert Sterrit, Peter Elgie, John McFarline, A. McMartin. Dr. Ford and C. R. Walker were reappointed auditors. A stock company is being formed in Strathiey to build or purchase a grain elevator and secure another buyer on

### LAMBETH.

the market.

Lambeth, Jan. 19.-Mr. W. B. Woodhull is laid up with an attack of la grippe. It was reported that he was dangerously ill, but his many friends will be pleased to learn that such is not the case.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lackey, which took place on Tuesday, was largely attended. One more old and re-

spected resident gone.

Miss Stella Mann has returned from her visit with Mrs. W. Jordan, St.

Miss Etta Vandermade, of Grand Rapids, with her cousin, Miss May Vandermade, of Lambeth, are visiting the aunt of the latter, Mrs. J. A. Thomas, of Becher street, South Lon-

## SARNIA RESERVE.

Sarnia Reserve, Jan. 18. - Rough Mr. Elijah George and wife were at

Kettle Point over Sunday. Mr. A. Bressette, Kettle Point, was here on Sunday.

Point, was here last week attending the regular monthly council. Mr. Joe Williams, while cutting wood

missed his aim and nearly cut his foot into pieces. Rev. J. A. Ferguson has not been in the best of health for a few days past,

but is now better. On Monday evening, about 6 o'clock, Mr. James Cain's house was destroyed by fire. Only one blanket was taken out. Mc Cain was cutting some poles in his bush when the house caught fire. The children were taken out in time.

Councilor George Oliver is smiling these days. The new arrival is a boy. The mother is still very sick.

## POPLAR HILL.

Poplar Hill, Jan. 20.-The Young People's Union of the Baptist Church of Poplar Hill held a box social in the town hall, Coldstream, on Friday evening, Jan. 13. Despite the inclement weather and darkness of the night, about 150 people attended. A short but excellent programme was provided by the committee. Miss L. White, of Springfield, gave several exceedingly fine violin solos. The proceeds, amounting to \$18, go to a fund that the young people are raising to provide acetylene gas fixtures for lighting the church. Other socials will be held in the near future for the same purpose. It is expected that the next one will be held at the residence of Mr. Gray in a couple

## STRATHROY,

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, Jan. 19 .- The drygoods firm of McKellar & Newton have dissolved partnership. Mr. McKellar will remove to his store on Front street, next to Welch's drug store, where he intends carrying on a general drygoods business. Mr. Newton will occupy the old stand on Frank street, and will direct his attention exclusively to the clothing and gents' furnishing trade. Mr. Joseph Argue, late of Port Huron, will take charge of the tailoring de-

partment. The annual meeting of the growers of produce for the Strathroy Canning and Preserving Company was held at the factory on Saturday, and in spite of the disagreeable weather a large number were in attendance. It was stated that the year just closed was the most successful one in the company's history. Mr. Thomas Gale, of Toronto, was in

town yesterday. The death occurred in Adelaide on Sunday evening, Jan. 15, of Elizabeth Frank, relict of the late Adoram

Frank, aged 85 years. The annual meeting of the Strathroy Gun Club will be held at the Prangley House on Friday evening, the 20th inst., for the election of officers and other business.

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's congregation was held Tuesday even-ing in the basement of the church. Reports from the different societies in the church were presented and considered. The session's report showed a slight increase in the church's membership. The chief interest of the meeting was centered around the managers' report, which raised the question of the need-ed repairs and advisable improvements to the church property. After considerable discussion it was decided that the necessary repairs be proceeded with as soon as possible. Then the question of improvements was considered, the putting in of a gallery being referred to the session and managers. It was also decided that an organ be put in the church, if the promises toward the improvement fund warranted such an expenditure. The electric light was, if WHATIS

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satisfactory arrangements could be ( made, to be part of the complete scheme. The meeting was brought to a close in the usual manner.

The following officers and directors were elected at the annual meeting of the Strathroy Horticultural Society: President, Mr. R. F. Richardson; vicepresident, Mr. Thomas Luscombe; sec-retary, Mr. James H. Lee; treasurer, Mr. H. McColl; auditors, Messrs. R. P. Smith and Charles Grist; directors, Messrs, Thomas Benstead, F. W. Atkinson, John Robertson, Charles Beckett, John Anderson, W. Shaw, H. Goodernam, J. S. Newton and D. Pat-

Mr. Walthen, who has finished decorating the office of the Queen's Hotel, has received the contract for decorateyser's barber shop, and will proing ceed with the work at once.

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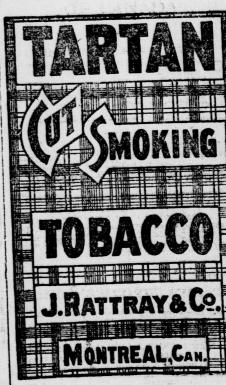
Once, He Says. Danville, P. Q., April 9th, 1898. Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto: Dear Sirs,-Enclosed find \$1 for halfdozen boxes Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Please send them at once. Every patient using it says: "It is an excellent cure, gives relief at once.' JAS. MASSON, General Merchant,

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## The Ganadians Led Nationals and Waterloo II. was played last night. At half-time the score was 2 to 0 in favor of the Nationals; final score, Nationals 7, Waterloo 2. This gives the Nationals 11 goals to Waterloo's 7

In the International Shoot at | scores made were: R. Emslie 17, W. H. Hamilton.

And Captured the International Curling Trophy at St. Paul.

the St. Marys Players. Aylmer Hockey Club Organized-Open-

London Curling Club Defeated

ing of the Ontario Tankard Contest -Various Other Sporting Events of Interest.

### CURLING

DEFEATED THE REDOUBTABLE ST. MARYS.

A friendly match between the St. Marys and London Curling Clubs was played at the Simcoe street rink yesterday afternoon and resulted in a hard-earned victory for the locals. There were four rinks from each club, and some fine sport was enjoyed. The

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skip ...... 12

skip ..... 17

W. Clarke,

G. B. Harris,

Allen, H. Beaton,

St. Marys.	London
Rink No. 1-	
F. Huston,	J. S. Walker.
C. S. Ramsey,	J. P. Cook.
W. Andrews, jun.,	D. B. Dewar.
W. Andrews,	J. P. Evans.
skip18	skip
Rink No. 2-	
J. R. Roger,	W. T. Edge,
W. Moyes,	J. Stevenson,
K. Waring,	D. Regan,
S. Grant,	Thos. Gillean.
skip10	skip
Dinle M. 0	

Rink No. 3-R. Sheppard, R. S. Box, W. Somerville, J. D. Moore, R. Lucas.

A. Rivard, J. W. Wood, Rev.T.A.Cosgrove, F. Grew, J. W. Wood. C. Muir, J. W. Jones, skip......15 Total...... 74

Two rinks of the Forest City Curling Club last evening played a junior skip match, it being one of the series for the club. The game was a most interesting one. The score: Rink No. 1—

Rink No. 2—

C. B. Keenleyside,
J. Carrie,
Robt, Reid, jun,
Ald. Graham, s....17

Rink No. 2—

C. Tune,
C. Tune,
C. W. Davis,
B.McKillop, s.16

IN GROUP NO. 2. The first draw in group No. 2, Ontario tankard, was played at Paris yesterday between two rinks of the Ham-

follows:	
Hamilton.	Paris.
Rink No. 1-	
R. R. Bruce,	M. Cavan,
skip12	skip
Rink No. 2-	
J. Leggatt,	J. Torrance,
skip12	skip

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.-The Canadians won the international curling trophy at the St. Paul bonspiel yesterday by score of 126 to 90.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 20 .- Yesterday's opening games in the Northwest bonspiel resulted as follows: International trophy—Hartstone, Granites, Winnipeg, 17; Cooper, Portage la Prairie, 15; Small, Killarney, 12; Mackenzie, Thistles, Winnipeg, 13. St. Paul curling trophy, preliminary and first draw: Kibb. Chicago, 12; Long, St. Paul, 9; Todd, New Richmond, Wis., 5; Steward, St. Paul, 13; Mound, Barraboo, 10; Griggs, St. Paul. 11.

Trophy contest—Rineldeffer, Minne-apolis, 12; S. J. McCullough, St. Paul, 9; Hastings, Minneapolis, 14; A. McCullough, St. Paul, 10. In the contest for Duluth jobbers' trophy, the following scores were made: Defiel, St. Paul, 17; Hall, St. Paul, 10; Fullerton, St. Paul, 11; Lorimer, St. Paul, 15; Georgeson, Rat Portage, 11; S.Pattison, Assiniboine, 13.

### TRIGGER. THE HAMILTON SHOOT.

The international handicap in connecdon with the Hamilton Gun Club's tournament was completed yesterday, Exactly fifty men shot, and seventeen of them got a share of the money. The Canadians got the best of it, too, eleven of the seventeen winners being from this side, while six were from the United States. A. King, of Hamilton; J. Wayper, of Hespeler, and William McCartney shot 19 live birds each out of 20, and received \$91 66. Norton, of New York, shot for birds only, and made 19, but got no money, being employed as agent for a gun house. The 14 men who scored 18 out of 20 received \$23 33 each. They were: Mayhew, of Utica; Thomas Crooks, Hamilton; R. Backus, Hillsburg; Jas. Crooks, Hamilton; H. Bates, Ridgetown; T. Gard-ner, Hamilton; J. Smyth, Hamilton; Geo. Briggs, Toronto; A. Phillips, Toronto: H. Kirkover, jun., Fredonia, N. Y.; E. C. Burkhard, Buffalo: S. Fairburn and E.Norris, Buffalo. The other

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17, A. Smith 17, H. Fletcher 17, A. J. Gay 16, W. L. Cameron 16, Isaac Bell 16, Thomas Donly 16, C. Forsyth 15, S. Brooks 15, B. Lewis 15, A. Bates 13, A. White 13, J. Westcott 11, Chas. Bowen, E. R. Edwards, J. Bennett and H. Graham retired when they missed three.
The other events of the day were:
Ten live bird sweep, \$7 entrance (con-

tinued from Wednesday)—H. D. Kirk-over, jun., 10, S. Brooks 10, Norris 9, H. Bates 9, J. Wayper 9, W. L. Cameron 8, George Reid 8, F. R. Dealtry 8, W. H. Wheeler 8, W. H. Brady 7, A. J. Gay 7, Virtue 4.

Open handicap, 25 live birds, \$200 guaranteed (urfinished)—Kirkover 22, Mayhew 22, Burkhardt 22, Hibbard 21. Twenty artificial birds, \$2 50 entrance—E. C. Burkhardt, Buffalo, 20; Wm. Elliston, Nashville, Tenn., 19; E. Burton, liston, Nashville, Tenn., 19; E. Burton, Hamilton, 19; Cowan 18, Brooks, 18, Wilson 18, McDonald 18, Kirkover 18, Norris 17, T. Lewis 17, Mayhew 17, Fletcher 17, Cooper 16, Wheeler 16, Hibbard 15, Robbins 15, Robert Emslie 15, E. B. Smith 15, Norton 14, Graham 12, H. Bennett 11, Reid 11, Dealtry 10.

Sweepstake, 15 blackbirds, \$1 50 entrance—H. D. Kirkover, jun., Fredonia, 14; T. Cowan, Winnipeg, 14; Mayhew 13, Wheeler 13, Burkhardt 13, Talsma 13, Crew 13, Emslie 12, Noxon 12, Wilson 12, Norris 12, Hibbard 12, Dick 11, El-

liston 11, Gay 11, R. Lewis 10, Cooper 10, Robbins 9, Reid 6.
Extra event, No. 1, 15 blackbirds, \$1 50 entrance—J. Wayper, Hespeler, 15; G. D. Cooper, Buffalo, 15; Noxon, 14; McDonald, 14; Talsma, 13; Cowan, 12; Graham 11, Donly 10.

THE MELROSE SHOOT. The Melrose Rifle Club met Jan. 18. Following are the scores:
100 yards, off hand—

	Abe Steinhoff10	10	5	7	8-4
	F. Robinson 9	10	9	4	8-4
	J. Harrison 9	9	6	8	6-3
	A. Smith10	8	4	7	7-3
	J. H. Challoner 4	7	10	10	5-3
1	J. K. Morris 7		4	5	10-3
	J. A. Clare 7		6	7	5-3
	Alf Harrison 4		7	9	7-3
	W. Robinson10		6		6-3
	B. Robinson 6	3	6	9	
1	J. Ferguson 5	8	5	7	
	M. Westlake 6	6	7	5	5-2
	F. Harrison 5		6	3	5-2
1	D. Luce 6	3	4	4	10-2
1	D. Steinhoff 5		4	8	4-2
	C. Harrison 6		5		
		4	100		4-2
	E. Morden 9		4		
1	W. H. Gurd 8	5	2	5	
	B. Harrison 1	8	7	4	5-2
١	200 yards, on rest-				

D. Steinhoff ...... 8 10 6 8 7-39 Alf Harrison 6 5 10 5
J. H. Challoner 6 8 5 9
B. Robinson 6 6 4 9 J. Robinson ..... 5 2 W. Robinson ...... 7 9 Luce ..... 9 Morden Harrison ..... 7 C. Harrison ...... 5 4 W. H. Gurd ..... 2 5 J. Ferguson ...... 7 2 2 7 3-21

34 B. Harrison ...... 1 5 A. Smith ..... 3 5 Totals-F. Robinson, 71; J. H. Chal-Totals—F. Robinson, 71; J. H. Challoner, 70; Alf Harrison, 66; Dan Steinhoff, 66; J. Harrison, 66; B. Robinson, 62; Abe. Steinhoff, 63; W. Robinson, 62; F. Harrison, 67; J. K. Morris, 57; D. Luce, 56; A. Smith, 55; E. Morden, 54; J. A. Clare, 54; M. Westlake, 53; J. Ferguson, 51; C. Harrison, 48; W. H. Gurd, 46; B. Harrison, 45 Gurd, 46; B. Harrison, 45.

TURE. AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Jan. 20.-Yesterday was the 49th day of the Crescent City Jockey Club's winter meeting. Summary: First race, 6 furlongs—Takanasse 1, Star of Bethlehem 2, Jim Gore II. 3. Time, 1:151/4. Miss Lizzie fell and broke a leg.

Second race, 6 furlongs-Pell Mell II. 1, Ned Wyckes 2, Nandaro 3. Time, 1:16. Third race, selling, 1 1-16 miles-Amber Glints 1, Liewanna 2, Babe Fields 3. Time, 1:50%.

Fourth race, selling, 11-16 miles-Col. Frank Waters 1, Baratiara 2, Albert S. 3. Time, 1:54%. Fifth race, 1 mile-Our Nellie 1, Es-

tabrooks 2, Sir Blaze 3. Time, 1:44%. Sixth race, selling, 7 furlongs-Egbart , Randazzo 2, Shuttlecock 3. Time, 1:30. AT INGLESIDE.

San Francisco, Jan. 20.-Track fast at Ingleside yesterday.
First race, 6 furlongs—Sokombo 1,
Sevey 2, Alhaja 3, Time, 1:17½. Second race, selling, 6 furlongs-Merops 1, Master Buck 2, Potente 3. Time,

Third race, gentleman riders, 1 mile-Dr. Sheppard 1, Forrier 2, Una Colorada 3. Time, 1:48. Fourth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Guil-

der 1, Dr. Sharp 2, Formella 3. Time, Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Opponent 1, Lord Marmion 2, Ricardo 3. Time, 1:151/5.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs-High Hoe 1, Eakins 2, Shinetz 3. Time, 1:03. BASEBALL.

CROWE WILL RETURN. A Warren, Ohio, telegram says: Charles Crowe, the pitcher, has received a contract from the London (Canada) team, and will probably sign it. Crowe has played with London, in the Canadian League, two years. FISTIC.

SHERIFF INTERFERED. Galveston, Texas, Jan. 20.-The 25-

round glove contest booked for last night, between Joe Choynski and Jim HOCKEY

TONIGHT'S GAME. The Londons play the first O. H. A. game here tonight at the Princess rink with the Ingersoll team. London won of food. I heartily indorse them in all the first game in Ingersoll with a score of 5 to 3. Ingersoll is coming determined to wipe out the lead. The Ingersoll team will be: Goal, Elliott; point, Bell; cover point, Myers; forwards, Greenley, Hault, Davis and Marshall. Captain Howard: will be in the game again. This game will undoubtedly be one of the best exhibitions of hockey ever given in this city, and should attract an immense crowd.

AT KINGSTON Frontenac's second defeated Norwood second in a return championship hockey match Wednesday night, 16 to 0. AT AYLMER.

The Aylmer Hockey Club was organized Wednesday night, with the following officers: Honorary president, J. M. Wrong; president, F. A. Ashburg; vicepresident, J. G. Hitter; secretary-treasurer, D. H. Price; managing committee, W. W. White and E. A. Caughill; captain of the team, R. Caldwell. The officers will act for both senior and funior teams.

AT WATERLOO The return O. H. A. match in the intermediate series between the Guelph

NOTES OF SPORTS. Rochester tried to get into the Eastern League again and succeeded, but

now has dropped out. Cornell has refused to meet Harvard and Yale in the 'Varsity race at New London on June 29.

The Greater New York bowlers broke even in Philadelphia yesterday, and the All-Star team lost four out of six at Columbus. The crack pin-tumblers have not such a snap after all. Talk about abolishing the bunt hit is

dying out. In the first place, it eman-ated from managers whose clubs either could not or did not take advantage of this valuable adjunct to scientific baseball.

Hanlon says that the Orioles lost \$15,000 last year. That was with a sterling team that was always in the race for the pennant. This year, with an inferior aggregation, the loss will be much greater unless the salary list is severely handled.

## LAID IN THE GRAVE

Thousands Witness the Funeral of the Late Father Chiniquy.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—The funeral of the late Father Chiniquy took place yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended. Fully 10,000 people turned out to see the funeral and the streets along which it passed were crowded spectators.

After a short service at the residence the cortege formed and proceeded to Erskine Church, where the funeral service was conducted by Rev.-A. W. Mo-wat, Rev. A. R. McKay, and Rev. Dr. Fleck. Eulogistic addresses of the deceased were delivered by Rev. Principal MacVicar and Rev. Prof. Lefleur. The cortege then reformed and proceeded to Mount Carmel Cemetery, where interment will take place. The Montreal Orangemen, of which Chiniquy was at one time chaplain, attended the funeral in a body.

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## HIDDEN FORCE

The Electricity in the Air Which Must Be Stored for Use.

Evidences That It Is in the Atmosphere -Its Effect Upon Individuals-The Benefits Which It Will in the Near Future Bestow Upon Mankind

It is a scientific fact that the atmosphere contains more or less electricity at all times. Over a century ago Benjamin Franklin gave a practical demonstration of this truth by drawing a current of electricity from the upper atmosphere through a kite. Other experiments of a similar nature resulted in the death of several experimenters, they having unwisely lost sight of the fact that it was necessary to have some protection in the shape of insulation in case of an overcharge.

These experiments have proved beyond

doubt that electricity may be drawn from the atmosphere by simple means, all of which have been long understood and are quite natural; moreover, we know that it is easier to obtain this current under some atmospheric conditions than others. Dry air is a nonconductor and moist air a good conductor of this valuable invisible power, and the greatest amount of electricity is found when the atmosphere is charged to its full capacity with moisture.

Electricity is shown in the phenomena of thunderstorms, in the slight electrification in the air during clear weather and

in the aurora.

During the auroral display it has been possible, owing to the abundance of electricity in the air, to work telegraph lines and transmit messages for long distances without the aid of a battery. The most plausible theory of the aurora is that of Franklin, that it is caused by electric dischares in the upper air, resulting from diffe. ing electrical conditions of the cold air of the polar regions and the warmer streams of air and vapor raised from the

ocean by evaporation in tropical regions. It is generally understood that the clear air above the earth is positively electrified and that the air at the earth's surface is negatively electrified and its volume measured by its potential from a point above the earth to that at the surface, while the air between the upper and lower layers

serves to keep the opposite charges separate. It is usually found that in cloudy or rainy weather the charge is of a negative character and with clearing weather it changes to positive, any definite change in the electrical conditions indicating change of weather conditions.

Atmospheric conditions must necessarily play a very essential part in the elec-trical potential. This being so uncertain and weather conditions so changeable, it may never be possible to obtain a constant for any given elevation, but it is possible to so govern the current drawn from the clouds or a clear sky by passing it to earth through lightning arresters or possibly resistance coils that by the time it reaches the desired point its potential would be se reduced as to allow its charge to be utilized in charging storage batteries.

Now, it may be said that under the most adverse conditions the current would be found too weak to be of value, but I believe that even under such conditions there would be sufficient electricity gathered to continue in force that previously ctored without failure or loss of nower. provided the capacity of storing is sufficient to meet the wants of an emergency of this character.

This would provide against the unstable atmospheric element, and, the periods and conditions under which its greatest volame exists being known, extra precaution and provision must be made for storing for future use.

It is contended by some that the ocean affords the best facilities for gathering and storing this valuable power. I contend that, although the ocean may be the better conductor, it would be more difficult to store on the ocean than on land, for is is always an easy matter to carry a current to moist soil and there do the storing. Besides, there are in addition to be gathered the earth currents and that artificially generated by the thousands of dynamos, etc., which is of itself today a vast power and is hardly utilized before the power is lost There is nothing to prove that a current when once set in motion cannot be controlled and made a permanent power. Its force, if stored, may be used over and over again if a proper conductor is provided after it has performed its work to carry it to a reservoir or storage plant for future

Have you ever thought of the great volume of electricity which our atmosphere contains? We inhale with every breath a sufficient quantity to strengthen and invigorate us. It is one of the most important elements. There is an ebb and flood wave to our atmosphere which is similar in its action to the tides of the ocean. Its maximum pressure cocurs at certain hours of the day and night and its minimum at opposite hours. When the pressure is at its minimum the electrical force of our bodies is least, and at such times we are greatly enervated and weakened, and at periods of excessive humidity similar effects in our physical condition may be observed. When the atmosphere is thorougaly saturated, it is a more perfect conductor, and the current readily leaves us for that offering the least resistance. All these forces tend to show and prove that there is an electrical discharge from one substance to another, and fully demonstrates that it needs but the best conductor to gather and a proper re-ceptacle to store the electric fluid which constantly surrounds us.

Several experimenters are already employed in devising a plan for gathering and storing atmospheric electricity, and I am confident from the progress already attained in this line that it will not be many years before atmospheric electricity can be properly stored and utilized, taking the place of all lighting, heating and mo tor power employed at the present day.

The possibilities and uses to which this

power may be applied are innumerable. I expect to see it used in every house in as simple a manner as gas or water, so that it shall be within the reach of the poor as well as the wealthy.

The earth and atmosphere were given to men, mice and bugs for useful purposes; the earth has responded to many of their wants, and now, as science progresses and we are becoming more enlightened, the possibilities of atmospheric qualities and uantities are open for experiment.-E. B. Dunn in North American Review.

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## The Trouble in Samoa.

As the present troubles in Samoa may lead to international complications, a brief sketch of the country will be timely,

Samea is a group of fourteen volcanic islands of Polynesia in the South Pacific. They contain about 36,000 native inhabitants, and only about 1,000 foreigners, chiefly British, German and Americans, who have extensive commercial interests there. Formerly the islands, with one exception, were governed by the royal houses of Malietoa and Tubua. In order to secure stability of Gogernment, Great Britain, Germany and the United States made an agreement in 1881 by which Malietoa became king of all Samoa, and Tamasese viceking. In 1887, Germany proclaimed Tamasese king, and Malietoa was deported to the Cameroons. Mataafa, the chief of the loyalist party and a relative of the exiled monarch, made war against Tamasese. The Germans attempted to disarm Mataafa and proclaimed martial law. In 1889 a conference was held, and an agreement, known as the treaty of Berlin, was signed by the representatives of Great Britain, the United States, and Germany. They declared Samoa independent and neutral; the Samoans were conceded the right to elect their own king and govern themselves according to their own laws and customs, and a supreme court was created to secure he rights of foreigners. Malietoa was have since been intermittent disturbances, the most serious being an outbreak in 1893, headed by Mataafa who was deported to an island of the Union group. King Malietoa died in August banished Mataafa and by another relative of the late king, Malietoa Tanus. It is suspected that Germany has designs on Samoa and has intrigued with the native factions to further her own ends. The Germans were angered by the recent decision of the United States to establish a first-class naval supply station at Pago-Pago, in Samoa, countries in 1880 and 1897: claiming that the project means a dislocation of power in the south seas and a virtual violation of the treaty of Beriin. The Americans, however, are perfectly within their rights as the chief of Pago-Pago ceded to them in 1872 the exclusive privilege of establishing a naval station in that harbor. The validity of this transfer was and affirmed in the Berlin

compact. The attempt of the Germans to usurp the functions of the supreme court of Samoa is a flagrant deflance of the tripartite agreement which provides that the court shall consist of one judge (styled the chief justice), who shall be approved by the three powers. This arbitrary action cannot but increase the resentment of the Americans, who have been subjected to a policy of pinpricks by Germany. It is satisfactory to note that the British and American consuls acted in concert, which points to some friendly understanding between the two Governments as to the general course to be pursued in Samoa.

## Flogging Wife-Beaters.

Again we have a public discussion regarding the most effective punishment that can be meted out to men who abuse, beat and neglect their wives and children. The subject is revived by the publication of a letter which the Minister of Justice has addressed to the secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Women and Children, Montreal, in reply to the request of that organization. What the society desires is an amendment to the criminal code, so that this class of culprit may be punished wit the lash, as well as by imprisonment. To this request, Hon. Mr. Mills sent the following reply, which appears in La Patrie, of a

recent date: "I am in receipt of your letter of the 9th inst., in which you recommend that the law should be amended so that magistrates may have it in their discretion to add a certain number of lashes on the bare back to the ordinary sentence of imprisonment for wifebeating and brutal treatment of chil-I beg to say that the subject

will be given due consideration.
"I am inclined to think that if what you suggest were made law, it would in almost every instance lead to separation. There are some cases where men who are usually kind to their wives and children become as ruffian-ly as you describe when drunk. Do you not think their wives would be deterred from complaining at all if they thought that the result of their complaint would be the public flogging of

their husbands?" It will be interesting to know what reply the Montreal philanthropists will make to the query of the Minister of Justice. Everyone knows that he is s man of kind heart, and that no one is more willing than he to listen to any well-conceived plan to aid in the reformation of wrongdoers. But we should think that he might well hesitate before he ordered the application of the "cat" to this class of offenders. He may reasonably doubt if even the present opportunity to save a woman from the bad treatment of an unfeeling husband would be presented if to the existing punishment the lash were added. Those who have from time to time witnessed police court proceedings know how very difficult it often is to get the wife of a drunken, bad-tempered husband to give evidence against him, when her resentment has cooled. in 180

We can well understand how this afteranxiety to screen the offender would be increased if the wife knew that the result of her evidence would be the disgrace of public flogging, added to imprisonment. There is this further be figuring in an American dime museconsideration. None of us desire to stand in the way of punishing the wife-beaten or the man who systematically inflicts cruelty on his tender offspring. But we all desire to see such punishment inflicted as will prove deterrent, and result, if possible, in the reconstruction, on a proper basis, of the afflicted and disunited family. Would the humiliation of flogging inflicted on a wife-beater tend to make him more repentant and loving towards his partner in life? Would it make the man whose back is covered with raw skin pine for the hour of his release in order that he might rejoin the woman who gave the evidence that caused this punishment? We think not. Surely not till the law-makers have made up their minds that the wife-beater must be divorced from his wife should flogging be resorted to. It is morally certain that no man of spirit would resume the marital relationship with a woman who had caused him to be lashed. Divorce might be better for the woman, but again it might result in breaking up a home that could have been cemented under kinder and humaner treatment of its erring head.

### A Boom in British Shipyards.

The year 1898 was the most extraordinary in British shipbuilding annals. The total value of the mercantile shipbuilding was \$100,000,000 and the value of warships was \$100,000,000 more. The aggregate tonnage last year exceeded all records-yet the present year promises to surpass it. Already British shipyards have nearly 2,000,000 tons on hand, an increase of half a million tons, compared with the same thereupon re-elected king, but there period last year, and four times as much as all the other shipyards of the world turned out in the whole of 1897. This has caused great activity in the engineering, electrical, iron, steel, and all other related industries. In fact, last and the throne is claimed by the the great mechanical industries are so rushed with home work that foreign orders have had to be refused with was not. "In England we have no city serious loss to the British export

The overwhelming maritime supremacy of the British empire is shown in the following statement of the tonnage of the merchant navies of the leading

1		1880.	1897.
-	British Empire	8,447,000	10,416,000
-	Russia	467,000	577,000
1	Sweden	542,000	496,000
	Norway	1,518,000	1,566,000
	Denmark	249,000	345,000
	Germany	270,000	450,000
	Holland	328,000	294,000
	France	919,000	894,000
	Italy	999,000	765,000
,	United States	1,352,000	805,000

Totals ............15,091,000 16,608,000 It will be seen by this that the preponderance of the shipping of the British Empire has increased, while five countries show a decrease, notably the United States. One reason for the present stimulus to shipbuilding is the cheapening of steel ship plates, which has caused a rush to substitute steel for iron ships.

Russia is piling up her armaments as if she really feared the Czar's peace conference would amount to some-

Germany does not look with favor on the Anglo-American alliance, yet her agents abroad have done a great deal to promote it.

Some Russian missionaries in Persia have been murdered, and satisfaction has been demanded. Is this preliminary to a land grab?

The Anglo-Egyptian convention for the government of the Soudan, is quite Oriental in its diplomacy. Egypt gets the shell and Great Britain the kernel. It is the voice of the Khedive and the hand of Lord Cromer.

Holland will spend \$50,000,000 to reclaim a half-million acres of land at present under water. The land will be sold at \$300 an acre. Farm property is a great deal dearer there than here, but most Canadian farmers do not Has all gone wrong, have to live on three acres and a cow. And the chorus is misery.

The German consul at Apia, Samoa, seems to be a second Diederichs. Diederichs is the German general at Manila who made himself so obnoxious to the Americans by his pro-Spanish attitude. It is significant that both at Manila and Apia the British and the Americans stood together.

Parry Sound, Midland, Meaford, Owen Sound, Collingwood and Goderich-each thinks it is the key to the transportation problem, and calls on the Government to spend money on its harbor in the sole interest of the Northwest farmers. The Government, if it does not wish to sink its surplus in Lake Huron, will have to disappoint some of these

The Winnipeg Free Press says the past year was one of unalloyed prosperity in the province. It gives these

Imports ..... \$5,391,237 \$3,453,264 Duty ..... 1,034,000

Exports ..... 3,369,996 2,012,996 Our contemporary riddles the specious argument that taxes are higher because more duty is collected, pointing out that increased imports show an increased capacity for buying. The rate of duty on Manitoba imports was 24 per cent in 1895, 23 per cent in 1896, 221/2 per cent in 1897, and 19 per cent

## WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Aguinaldo's Opening.

[Philadelphia Ledger.] The next thing Aguinaldo knows he um, if he doesn't watch out.

> The Whriligig of Time. [Goderich Signal.]

If the Old Man with the scythe attends to business as he has been doing of late, the Tories will be shouting for the abolition of the Senate in a very few years.

### Witcheraft in Toronta

[New York Sun.] Certain persons in Toronto have been arrested on thec harge of witchcraft and sorcery. We knew when we saw the recent wild caperings of the Toronto World that it must be a case of demoniac possession. After proper exorcism that perturbed contemporary may recover.

### Tutor for the President.

[Portland (Me.) Argus.] The president is said to be carefully studying the history and methods of British colonial administration. The president might get "Joe" Chamberlain to come over and give him a course of lessons in colonial govern-ment. Or there is a man in South Africa who might possibly be induced to superintend a trial start of the American imperial machine. His name and address is Cecil Rhodes, empire builder, Cape Colony.

### Hiram Walker's Millions. [Hamilton Times.]

Much wonder is expressed in some quarters at the fact that Hiram Walker left nine million dollars. That is not surprising. Suppose Mr. Walker had run his business for 50 years making a clear profit of \$100 a day, week day and Sunday, how much would he have accumulated? Less than \$2,000,-000 excluding interest. How did he make the money, then? He didn't make it; government, by its law regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor, made the greater part of the fortune. The same is true of Gooderham, Seagram, and the tobacco princes

## English Aldermen.

[Montreal Gazette.] An English alderman, explaining the British municipal system to New Yorkers, found it easiest to say that it bosses, no primaries, no conventions, and few bands and fireworks. In nominating a candidate there are no ward restrictions as here. It matters not what a man may be socially or politically, so that he be honest, faithful and competent. There is no hustling of voters at the ballot box by policemen. It is understood the police are there for protection. All this the councilors is gratuiservice of tous, and the same men serve year after year."

### Why They Cannot Disarm. [Chicago Chronicle.]

Nobody wants to disarm first. Indeed most of the parties to the prospective contract maintain that it is impossible for them to lay aside their firearms until certain existing con-tracts are terminated. Fingland has The Soudan several jobs on hand. business is not by any means finished; the Indian engagement is a perpetual contract. There is a good outlook for a set-to with the Boers. Germany expects to do considerable business in Russia, where Nicholas himself, despite his peaceful proclivities, keeps his shooting-irons handy at all times. France yearns for the revanche. Italy is all tangled up with Abyssinia. Poor old Spain, it is true, has no prospect of a row with anyone. Like a toothless lion, she growls and snarls impotently at the United States. But Austria-Hungary is not unlikely to have a domestic row. As for the United States—well, the process of benevolent assimilation is not to be accomplished without suitable accessories in the way of large and small caliber projectiles of the latest pattern. It is quite out of the question for us to join the peace league for the present.

The Grip. [New York Sun.]

And the Grip Has got its nip On your neck, And you're a wreck. You cough Your head and your heels off. And your arms and your legs off, And your hands and your feet off, And still you cough; And your remains
Are full of aches and pains. You take no pleasure in your friends, And all the ends Thou aim'st at are the Grip's. From Maine to California, From the mountains to the sea The old sweet song Oh, for a ray of sunshine. Oh, for a spot of blue In the leaden sky, To tickle the eye And pull our livers through! Sav. Grip. Won't you get onto our tip And skip?

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course.

In a vigorous way,

And the whole land

-n!" and "D-

Economy to Smoke. "You could buy a horse every year with the money you spend on cigars," said the total abstainer severely to the

-n!" again

"But I don't want a horse every year." responded the smoker. "What would I do with such an accumulation of horses? It would ruin me to feed them. Cigars don't eat. It's a positive economy to smoke."—Chicago Post.

About the Size of It. Bachelor-I wonder what induces men to marry? Benedict - Why, the women,

After the Days of Business. When I sit down with thee at last Shut out the wrangle of the clashing

scrape of petty jars that fret and fray. The snarl and yelp of brute beasts for When thou and I sit down at last alone And through the dusk of rooms di-

vinely gray

Spirit to spirit finds its voiceless way is tone melts meeting in accordant Oh, then our souls far in the vast of Look from a tower too high for sound

of strife
Or any violation of the town,
Where the great vacant winds of God go by, And over the huge misshapen city of

Love pours his silence and his moonlight down.

## A Shilling a Word. The Boston Herald tells a good Kip-They are telling of a certain wag, who, hearing that Rudyard Kipling received at the rate of a shilling a word

for his stories, sent him a shilling, and asked him for a word. Mr. Kipling replied, "Thanks."

Too Tired to Think. \* \* \* It must oft fall out That one whose labor perfects any

Shall rise from it with eye so worn that Of all men least can measure the ex-

Of what he has accomplished. -Robert Browning.

## **EXAMINE HER EYEBROW**

It Will Aid in Predicting the Future-So Says & Sage

"It's ail very well for a girl to plume herself upon her pretty eyebrows," said an expert physiognomist the other day, but I, who have been studying character for years, have perhaps a different point of view. Eyebrows show character, and the wise man will take note of them when choosing his friends. Eyebrows, for instance, that are wide apart, denote a frank, generous, unsuspicious and impulsive nature. they meet one may be sure that their owner's temperament is ardent, but jealous and suspicious. Eyebrows that are elevated at starting and continue in long sweeping lines over the eyes with a downward tendency indicate artistic feeling.

"Straight eyebrows, forming a firmly defined line close to the eyes, denote great determination and will power Those which begin rather strongly and terminate abruptly without passing beyond the eyes show an impatient and

irascible nature. "Sensitiveness and tenderness are indicated by slightly arched eyebrows, and firmness of purpose and kindness of heart by those which are straight at the beginning and rather arched at the temples. The eyebrows of people utterly devoid of mathematical power are raised at the termination, leaving a wide space between them and the corners of the eyes. On the other hand, if they are close to the eyes at the end mathematical power may generally be safely assumed.

"Eyebrows of the same color as the hair show constancy, firmness and resolution; if lighter than the hair they denote indecision and weakness; while if darker we may probably be right in our surmise that the owner is of an ardent, passionate and inconstant dis-

position. "An energetic and easily irritated nature is known by the hair growing in different directions; while short, closelying hair, growing in one direction, indicates a firm mind and good ceptions. An ardent but tender nature is shown by the hair being soft and When the hair of the eyebrows had a downward droop so that it almost meets the lashes when the eyes are widely opened, tenderness and melancholy are betrayed. The nearer the eyebrows are to the eyes, the firmer and the more earnest the character, while the more remote, the more volatile and flighty is the nature of their

### WHEN HE COURTED YOU He didn't complain if you were a little

despondent or irritable at times. Now he does. He's the same man. He didn't understand then. He doesn't now. Then he thought it was caprice and liked it. Now he thinks it is caprice and doesn't like it. But now he's busy get-

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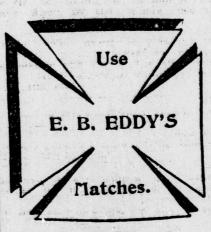
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## THE MARKETS.

Toronto, Jan. 19. - Following are today's

Industrial Exchange:	Oromico Minni	and and
Industrial Exchange.	Asked.	Bid.
Decca	25	
Foley	95	
Hammond Reef	23	1814
Hiawatha		26
Ohve		95
Sawbill	45	
Caribeo		1471/2
Minnehaha	21	1614
Cariboo Hydraulie	100	Brown fi
Tin Horn	12	
Smuggler	81/2	814
Old Ironsides	105	
Knob Hill	85	
Golden Cache		
Athabasca		39
Dundee		30
Dardanelles		15
Golden Star Fern Gold M. & M. Co	50	48
Fern Gold M. & M. Co	48	
Superior G. and C. Co		8
Waterloo	9	8
Salmo Con	19	
Noble Five	161/2	2
		31.50
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Big Three		15
Commander		10%
Deer Park		614
Evening Star		3
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Iron Mask		00/3
Montreal Red Mountain	*****	22
Monte Cristo		10
Northern Belle		•
Silver Bell Con		6%
St. Elmo		-/-
Virginia		42
War Eagle Con		317
White Bear		
B. C. Gold Fields		4%
Can. G. F. S		6
Gold Hills		
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SALES—Morning—Smuggler, 1,000, 1,000 at 10½; Evening Star, 500, 1,000 at 6½; Commander, 500, 500 at 10½. Afternoon sales—Smuggler, 500, 500 at 9½, 500 at 9½, 500 at 9, 500 at 8½, 300, 5,000 at 8½, 500 at 8½, 500 at 8½; Dundee, 500 at 30½.

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Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu
Oats, per bu29½c to 30½c
Corn, per bu
Barley, per bu
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\$2 75 to \$4 25, with the bulk selling at \$3 40 to \$4; ewes, \$3 50 to \$3 85; yearl-The only grain receipts today were hay, oats and wheat. Prices were steady and uncharged. The feeling in

oats was easier. Quotations:	
GRAIN.	
Wheat, white. fall, per 100 lbs 1 17 @ Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs 1 16 @	1 17
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Oats, per 100 lbs	1 95
Corn, per 100 lbs 70 @	80
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 00 85
Bean a per bu	
PROVISIONS.	
Honey, comb 9 @	12 10
	12
Cheese, per lb       10       @         Eggs, single dozen       20       @         Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen       18       @	22
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen 18 @	18
Eggs, per dozen, basket, p'kd. 14 @ Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz 00 @	14
Butter, per lb, retail 18 @	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets 16 @	16
Butter, pound rolls, baskets 16 @ Butter, lb, large rolls or crooks 14 @	15
Butter, per 10, tubs of firkins. 10 (c	14
Lard, per lb. VEGETABLES AND FRUIT Pumpkins, per doz. 50 @	10
Pumpkins, per doz 50 @	1 00
Potatoes, per bag 70 (0)	80
Apples, per basket	1 00
Apples, per basket	2 50
Beets, per dozen bunches 20 @	20
Beets, per dozen bunches 20 @ Onlons, per bu	90
Celery, perdoz buiches 40 (@	50 30
Turnips, per bag	25
Parsnips, per doz. bunches 40 @	5
	3 50
Young pigs, per pair 2 00 @ Cows, eac'1 20 00 @ Beef, per tb 2½ @ Heef, per tb 40 00 @	40 00
Beef, per 1b	4 10
Hogs, nght, per lo los 1 00	4 10 5 00
Hogs heavy, per 100 lbs 3 50 @	4 00
Sows. per 100 3 25 @	
Ducks, per pair 50 @	25
Chickens, per pair 30 @	40
Hen per pair	50
Hay, per ton	7 50
Hen per pair. 40 @  HAY AND SEEDS. Hay, per ton. 6 50 @  Straw, per load 2 50 @  MEAT, HIDES, ETC.  Beef, front quarters, per lb 4½ @	2 50
Beef, front quarters, per lb 4% @	5
Beef, front quarters, per lb 4½ @ Beef, hind quarters, per lb 5½ @	616
Mutton, quarters, per 10 5 @	6
Veal, quarters, per 1b 5½ @	6
Dressed hops 100 lbs light 5 25 @	5 35
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy . 4 50 @	5 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb 71 @	61/2
Hides, No. 2, per lb 64 @	51/2
Hides, No. 3, per lb	
Wool, washed, per lb 16 @	17
Wool, unwashed, per lb 9 @	11
Chickens, per pair 35 @	60
Veal, quarters, per 1b. 5½ (& Lamb, quarters. Ps. 8 (@ Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light. 5 25 (@ Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy 4 50 (@ Hides, No. 1, per lb. 7½ (@ Hides, No. 2, per lb. 5½ (@ Hides, No. 3, per lb. 5½ (@ Calfskins, green. 8 (@ Wool, washed, per lb. 16 (@ Wool, washed, per lb. 9 (@ Uhickens, per lb. 7 (@ Turkeys, per lb. 7 (@ Turkeys, per lb. 5 (@ Turkeys, per lb. 5 (@ Calfskins, per lb. 5 (@ Calfskins	9
Geecs, per lb	6

American Markets

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.— The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 70½c to 70%c; July, 68½c. Corn—Jan., 34½c; May, 35%c to 37c; July, 37½c. Oats—May, 27%c; July, 26½c. Pork —Jan., \$9 87½; July, \$10 12½. Lard—Jan., \$5 55; May, \$5 80. Ribs—Jan., \$4 75; May, \$5 07½. Cash quotations: Flour dull. No. 2 spring wheat, 67c to 68½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 63½c to 67½c; No. 2 red. 72c. No. 2 corn, 36c; No. 2 yellow copn, 36½c. No. 2 oats, 27c; No. 2 yellow copn, 36½c. No. 2 oats, 27c; No. 2 ryc, 56½c to 57c. No. 2 barley, 43c to 52c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 13; Northwest, \$1 17½. Mess pork, \$9 90 to \$9 95. Lard. \$5 55 to \$5 57½. Short ribs, \$4 70 to \$4 95. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$5 10 to \$5 15. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, dull; fresh, 18½c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 19,500 bushels; wheat, 158,000 bushels; cror, 476,000 bushels; barley, 56,000 bushels; ryc, 12,700 bushels; wheat American Markets 56,000 bushels.
SHIPMENTS—Flour, 37,000 barrels: wheat,
17,700 bushels: corn, 363,000 bushels: oats,
155,000 bushels: rye, 4,000 bushels: barley,

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Opening.—Wheat, May, 70%c; July, 68%c; March, 68%. Corn, May, 37%c. Oats, May, 27%c. Pork, May, \$10 12%c. Lard, May, \$5 77%. Ribs, May, \$5 05.

St. Thomas Aarket. St. Thomas, Jan. 19.-Wheat, per bu. 68c to 70c; oats, per bu., 30c to 32c; peas, per bu., 45c to 50c; barley, per

bu., 38c to 40c; corn, per bu., 35c to 40c; beans, 80c to 90c.

Dairy Markets. NEW YORK, Jan.19.—Butter steady; western creamery, 14c to 19c; do fac-tory, 12c to 14c; Elgins, 19c; imitation creamery, 13c to 17c; state dairy, 13c to 18c; do creamery, 14c to 18c. Cheese steady; large white, 10½c; small white, 11c to 11¼c; large colored, 10½c; small colored, 11c to 11¼c; light skims, 7½c to 8¼c; part skims, 5½c to 7½c; full

CHICAGO, Jan. 19. Butter leasy: creameries, 13c to 18c; dairies, 11c to 16c. Cherse unchanged

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Jan. 19.—Oil closed at \$1 16. PITTSBURG, Pa.. Jan. 20.—Oil opened \$1 16. PETROLIA, Jan. 20.—Oil opened and closed

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

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WHEAT-								
Red Winter	6	3	6	3	6	216	5	21/2
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0
No. 1 Cal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	5	10%	5	95/8	õ	93/4	5	95/3
May	5	83/	5	81/2	5	8	5	778
CORN-								
New	0	C	0	0	0	0	0	0
Old	3	101/2	3	101/	3	10	3	10
Jan	3	101/8	3	9 7/8	3	93/4	3	97%
March	3	81/2	3	81/8	3	13/	3	73/
May	1 3	83%	3	8	3	73/2	3	75/8
Flour	19	3	19	3	19	3	19	3
Peas	5	1034	5	1014	5	10%	5	101/2
	50	0	50	0	50	. 0	50	0
	29	0	29	0	29	0.	29	0
Tallow	22	6	22	6	22	6	22	6
Bacon, light		0	27	0	27	0	27	0
			49	6	49	.0	49	0
	19		49	5	49	0	49	0

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 1 Cal., no stocks; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s; spot No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, stocks exhausted; do old, 3s 10d; futures, quiet; Jan., old, 3s 10d; March, 3s 8½d; May, 3s 8d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 9d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 10½d.
Beef—Dull; Extra India mess, 65s; prime mess, 60s.

Beef—Dull; Extra India mess, 66s; prime mess, 60s.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 fbs, steady, 36s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 46 fbs, dull, 26s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 27s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 27s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, strong, 32s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 34s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 37s.

Lard—Prime western, 29s 3d.

Butter—Finest United States, 88s; good, 65s.

Cheese—American, finest white 49s; do

colored, 49s.

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 22s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—33s.
Rosin—Common, 4s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined, 6s 8d.
Linseed oil—18s.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 14s 9d.

The Apple Market.

J. I. Libby Company received the following cable from Messrs. Hamilton & Pritchard, Liverpool: 9,700 barrels of apples selling. Canadian Red lin, and it is expected that the German Fruit, 12s 9d to 25s; Greenings, 13s to Government will unhesitatingly condemn their actions as soon as it shall wins. 20s; Spies, 15s; Greenings, 18s 6d; Maine red fruit, mostly 16s to 20s. A cable from Mr. Thomas Russell, of Glasgow, reads as follows: Spies and Baldwins, 18s to 21s: Greenings, 17s to 20s. Trade good, with active demand. Live Stock arkets

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—All consignments of cattle today of desirable quality found purchasers at advancing prices, while other grades ruled weak; fancy cattle, \$5 90 to \$6 10; do steers, \$5 60 to \$5 85; medium, \$4 85 to \$5 20; beef steers, \$4 60 to \$4 80; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 65; bulls, \$2 50 to \$4 25; cows and heifers, \$3 30 to \$4; western fed steers, \$3 90 to \$5 80; Texas steers, \$3 60 to \$5 75; calves, \$3 50 to \$6 90. There was an active demand for hogs, and prices ruled 21/20 to 5c higher; fair to choice, \$3 67½ to \$3 80; packing lots, \$3 50 to \$3 65; mixed, \$3 55 to \$3 70; butchers, \$3 55 to \$3 75; light, \$3 45 to \$3 72½; plgs, \$3 10 to \$3 30. Trade in sheep was fairly

active, at unchanged prices; sheep,

ings, \$4 to \$4 60; lambs moved off at \$4 to \$5; feeders, \$4 to \$4 50; heavy lambs, \$4 60 to \$4 85. Receipts—Cattle, 8,500; hogs, 28,000; sheep, 16,000. steady Monday's prices. There was a and lambs—The market was in fair position, but not as good as yester-day, and a total of 23 loads on sale; \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 40; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25; common to fair, \$2 50 to \$3 50; there was a fair clearance, with the bulk of the lamb sales at \$5 25. Hogs—The trade opened fairly active, with 15 loads fresh on sale, which later was increased to 60 loads; heavy opened quotable at \$3 85 to \$3 90; medium, \$3 85; Yorkers, \$3 75 to \$3 80; pigs, \$3 50 to \$3 60; the market eased up and closed 5c lower; Yorkers on the basis of \$3.75 to \$3.77½; heavy, \$3.85; medium, \$3.82½

pigs, \$3 55. NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Beeves—Receipts, 23; no trading; feeling steady. Cable firmer; American steers at London, 12c to 12%c; at Liverpool, 11%c to 124c; refrigerator beef, 9%c per lb. Exports none. Calves—Receipts, 24; very little doing; steady for yeals, at \$5 to \$8; no westerns or barnyard calves. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 5,258; sheep firm; lambs opened 5c to 10c higher; closed lower; sheep, fair to prime, \$4 to \$4 50; lambs, medium to choice, \$5 25 to \$5 70. Hogs—Receipts, one deck on sale; firm, at \$3 70

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 19 .- The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 400 head of cattle, 20 calves, 40 sheep and 150 lambs. The attendance was large, and the demand was good for all grades. Good cattle sold at 41/4c to 43/4c per lb.; lower grades at 2c to 3c per lb. Calves sold at \$3 to \$9, according to size. Sheep brought from 3c to 31/2c per lb. for choice, and culls from 2c to 21/2c per lb. Lambs sold at 4c to 41/2c per 1b. Hogs sold at \$4 30 to \$4 50.

## TWO SUDDEN DEATHS

Two Peculiar Fatal Cases at Guelph in One Day

Guelph, Jan. 20 .- Mrs. Teehan, relict of the late Maurice Teehan, was found dead in a chair at the residence of her son, John Teehan, Waterloo avenue, about ten o'clock yesterday morning. Deceased had been unwell with an attack of la grippe during the past few days. Yesterday morning she felt somewhat better, and was sitting up. Her son gave her some medicine at 10 o'clock, and then went out of the house Returning in a few minutes he found his mother dead in her chair.

ANOTHER. Mr. Thomas Fraser died suddenly of heart failure at his home on Dublin street. The deceased had been ill for the past week or so with what he considered la grippe. He worked all day Wednesday at Bell's factory, and took supper with his family as usual Wednesday evening. At half-past six vesterday morning his daughter went to his room to arouse him for breakfast. He did not answer her calls, and she took him by the hand and found it quite cold. She awakened Mrs. Fraser, who also failed to arouse him. The physician, on arriving, stated that he had been dead several hours, and attributed death to heart failure.

Parents Must Have Rest.

president of one of our colleges says: "We spent many sleepless nights in consequence of our children suffering from colds, but this never occurs now: We use Scott's Emulsion and R quickly relieves pulmonary troubles."

See Danger in the Germans Situation.

How the News Was Received at Ber lin-Feeling at Washington-London Times View of the Matter.

Berlin, Jan. 20 .- The news from Samoa has been received with forebodings. The Lokal Anzeiger says: "All this, doubtless, signifies an appreciable quarrel, and with the unceremoniousness which the Americans have affected lately toward us it may easily take a serious turn. The Samoan condominium has always involved a lurking dan-

The Vossische Zeitung says. "The situation will become even graver when the American warship arrives at Apla. It is said that the Washington departnent of state has instructed the United States consul-general there, T. W. Osborn, not to trust the German consul. Evidently the United States, who are least interested in Samoa among the three powers, do not mean to respect Germany's paramount interests. Germany will have to show firmness, all the more so as our position is made the worse by the evident desire of England to help the United States so as to retain the latter's friendship."

DEEP CONCERN. Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—The deepest concern is felt by all parties over the outlook. The common belief is that the German representatives in Samoa, in acting in the arbitrary manner they did, completely exceeded their instructions from their own government. It is quite certain that they exceeded the authority with which they were clothed by the treaty of Berhave become officially advised as to what has actually happened. The authorities feel that the greatest element of danger lies in the possibility of trouble before Rafael and Rose can be restrained by government advices.

THE TIMES' VIEWS. London, Jan. 20 .- The Times says: "The decision of Chief Justice Chambers that the Berlin Act disqualified Mataafa must be accepted with considerable reserve, for that act expressly reserves to the Samoans the free right to elect their king, and to choose their form of government. This right has been solemnly recognized by the three powers. The only obstacle to the Mataafa's election seems to be a promise wrested from him before he was permitted to leave the Marshal Islands to renounce participation in Samoan politics. The renunciation evidently owed its origin to Germany, yet Germany now champions Mataafa. Nobody acquainted with the islands can be surprised that the Samoans uphold Mataafa. The astonishing thing about the whole business, apart from the German volte face, is that Great Britain and the United States should have consented, while the throne was vet vacant, to allow such a firebrand EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 19.—Cattle— to be thrown among the smouldering There was only one load on sale, mix—embers of Saoman disaffection. The ed cows and feeders, which sold at full part the United States have played in fair trade in caives on the basis of nection with President McKinley's last \$7 50, with a few sales at \$7 75. Sheep message to congress. It must not be forgotten that these islands were so long ago as 1872 a cherished object in eyes of American expansionists; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable and even now Samoa is a word to conat \$5 to \$5 25; good to choice, \$4 75 to jure with throughout many Western \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 25 to States. The present situation will not States. The present situation will not be devoid of benefit if it serves to convince the three powers that the Berlin act requires immediate and radical amendment, in default of which Samoa will always be liable to become the prey of civil war and a source of anxiety to the signatory powers.

## UNDER GRIP'S SWAY

might even be, as was nearly the case

ten years ago, the theater of hostili-

ties between two of their number."

Many Cases in Hamilton and Dundas

-Child Poisoned by Cough Syrup. Hamilton has many cases of grip. There have been no less than 72 cases in the House of Providence at Dundas. and it was found necessary to close the separate school so that the three teachers could help nurse and wait upon the sick. The disease prevails not only in the House of Industry, but throughout the town.

William Drummey, a prosperous and highly-respected farmer of Marysville, Ont., died on Wednesday of pneumonia. His wife died on Friday last from the same disease

At Oakland, Cal., George W. Dent. brother-in-law of Gen. U. S. Grant, and uncle of U. S. Grant, jun., candidate for United States senator, is dead from pneumonia.

Felix Emile Maroox, a child, died recently in Quebec. Dr. Vallee, professor of toxicology at Laval, made an analysis of a cough syrup which the child had been taking, and found it contained half a grain of morphine to one ounce of syrup. A coroner's inquest was held, and the jury returned a verdict of death from asphyxla.

WOODSTOCK WONDER.

A Crippled Rheumatic Restored by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 16.-Never, in the social history of this town since the Birchall trial, has such great in-terest been shown as the "Cutmore Case" has caused.
Mr. C. J. Cutmore, 90 Main street, was crippled by Rheumatism and Lum-

bago during five years. He couldn't stand straight, and had to be helped Today he is straight and strong; sound in every limb, thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills. Other remedies were used, but did no good. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him. Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure Rheumatism and Lumbago.

Judge D. W. Johns, of Glencoe, Minn., a prominent former county official at Glencoe, and member of the Kentucky Legislature, who in 1860 voted against secession at the risk of his life, is dead

at his home, aged 83 years. Bismarck's Iron Nerve Was the result of his splendid health. ergy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents; for sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

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continues with splen-indicate the did results. An additional lot comes front today. Great bargains in ends of

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## **BIG TRUST**

Mr. F. A. Fitzgerald, of London, Prospective President.

The Imperial Oil Company Swallows UpOther Concerns-The Standard Behind It.

Montreal, Jan. 20.-An important meeting of oil men was held at the Windsor yesterday, the business being connected with the acquisition of practically all the oil business in the Dominion by the Imperial Oil Company, which is understood to be the Canadian end of the great Standard Oil Trust of the United States. The object was to discuss the situation arising from the absorption of the Bushnell Oil Company and the Eastern Oil Company by the Imperial Oil Company. The various delegates in attendance were directly or indirectly interested in the new cor-poration, which is controlled by the Standard Oil Trust. The Eastern Oil Company formerly controlled the oil trade in the Maritime Provinces. To effect the arrangement referred to the Imperial Company was recently granted a new charter and its stock increased from half a million to one million dollars. This enabled the Imperial Company to practically secure a monopoly of the oil business of Canada. The refining and manufacturing at Petrolla and Sarnia will in future be done by the new trust. The head offices. as formerly, will remain in Petrolia. The business for Ontario will remain in the hands of the Queen City Oil Company of Toronto, of which company Mr. F. A. Fitzgerald, of London, is managing director, and Mr. S. Rogers, of Toronto, is the president. The branches made shipping and distributing stations under head office management. Mr. C. Mills, the present manager of the Imperial Company for Western Ontario will be general inspector in Toronto. The directors of the new company will be elected here. Mr. F. A. Fitzgerald is spoken of as the prospective president of the new company.

## IN LABOR'S FIELD

15.000 Coat-Makers Threaten to Strike -Colliery Shut Down.

THE COATMAKERS.

New York, Jan. 20 .- Over 15,000 coatmakers in the city and vicinity have informed the manufacturers that unless the old abuses, which are again appearing, are done away with they will strike.

SHUT DOWN. Hazelton, Pa., Jan. 20 .- On account of a threatened strike of the carpenter force at the Honeybrook colliery, of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company, because of a wage disagreement all the works at Audenreid & Honeybrook are shut down, throwing 2,500 men out of employment.

BAKERS ON STRIKE.

Paris, Jan. 20.-There is a general strike among the bakers in Algiers. The French commissary is unable to meet the demands of the army, and there is great suffering in the hospitals and elsewhere. There have been several riotous demonstrations.

SUICIDE IN CHURCH.

Lamont, I. T., Jan. 20.-While kneeling in prayer in a church here, Mrs. Samuel Smith suddenly drew a revolver and sent a bullet through her brain, dying instantly.

NORTH NORFOLK AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Simcoe, Ont., Jan. 19.-The annual meeting of the north riding of Norfolk Agricultural Society was held here yesterday. The treasurer's report showed a balance in the bank of \$187 97. The treasurer's report of the Norfolk Union Fair showed a balance on hand of \$1 05. The following officers were elected: G. J. McKill, president; E. Kitchen, first vice-president: Isaac Kellam, second vice-president; J. Thos. Murphy, secretary treasurer (his 26th year). Directors—A. Hart, J. Wyckoff, J. Harris Wooley, J. D. Clement, O. Jarvis, Thos. Hambly, J. E. Co-hoe, D. B. Palmerton and W. F. Kydd. Auditors-A. J. Donley and A. D. De-

No Right to Ugliness. The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be tractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, and to purcomplexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents; for sale by W.

Mr. P. B. Dumoulin, manager of one of the Quebec city branches of the Quebec Bank, has been given the cashiership of the bank at Montreal.

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## **IRON PRICES**

Than in Ten Years.

Wages on the Increase in the Mining and Building Trades-Disastrous Typhoons-The Pope Indisposed.

Glasgow, Jan. 20.-The prices of iron are now at the highest point they have reached in ten years, and American and home advices are causing the bears to hasten to cover their sales, which they are doing under much excitement. Manufactured iron and steel have advanced 5s. a ton. The manipulation of the copper and tin market has had a marked influence upon the general position.

WAGES ON THE INCREASE. London, Jan. 20 .- Returns just issued show that there has been a general rise in wages throughout England in the last year. The aggregate raise in the wages of 990,000 workers affected amounted to £78,000 a week, an average of 37 cents a week per capita. This rise is chiefly in the mining industry, but the operatives in the building trades also are favorably affected. COVENT GARDEN SOLD.

London, Jan. 20 .- A contract for the sale and purchase of the Covent Garden Opera House and its contents was entered into yesterday by Mr. George Faber and the Grand Opera syndicate represented by Mr. H. V. Higgins, The purchase money is \$550,000, and the purchase to be completed by March 25 next.

THE POPE'S HEALTH.

London, Jan. 20.-A dispatch from Rome says that the pope is suffering from a slight attack of influenza, which would be insignificant were it not for his extreme age. His physician has ordered that he remain in bed.

HUNDREDS OF CHINESE KILLED. Several hundred Chinese have been killed by the typhoons which swept the Chinese coast, between Amoy and Foo Chow last month. The damage was particularly severe on the coasts of Fu Ching and Hai Shan Islands. Three severe typhoons occurred in succession. Hurdreds of boats were sunk, those who perished being mostly fishermen. That region has had prolonged drought, and great suffering now

prevails. DAMAGE IN SWITZERLAND. Berne, Jan. 20.-The storm which has just subsided has been the most serious in years. The most damage done in Switzerland was in the Bernese Oberland, and particularly in the Emd val-There have been countless landslides-several of them serious-in the Alps; many rivers have overflowed their banks, and much property has been destroyed.

## **AMUSEMENTS**

THE OPERA HOUSE.

"An Enemy to the King;" the most noteworthy of the many plays in which E. H. Sothern has appeared, will again be seen at the Grand Opera House tomorrow matinee and evening. This thrillingly romantic drama will be presented by a company of acknowledged ability, at the head of which is Mr. John Griffith, than whom there are few equally talented romantic actors on the American stage. No expense has been spared in the environment of the play, and the costuming is said to be most picturesque and historically correct. Every detail which added to the effectiveness of the original production is looked after. The lavish adornment of the production is pronounced equal to that given by Sir Henry Irving's "King

Mr. Griffiths' portrayal of Ernanton de Launay, the Huguenot leader, is said to be equal and in some respects superior to that of his predecessor. remainder of the cast, which includes Kathryn Purnell, a handsome woman of marked ability, is effective and evenly balanced.

JEFFERSON COMEDY COMPANY. Thomas Jefferson's return to the

stage, as the principal comedian in the Jefferson Comedy Company, has met with the greatest success. He will be seen on the night of Tuesday, Jan. 23, at the Opera House as Rip Van Winkle, in the play of that name, which will be presented by the above named company. He will be ably assisted in presenting this poetic pastime by his three brothers and another of other excellent artists. The three brothers, Joseph, William and Charles, will play respectively the parts of Derrick Von Beek-man, Cockels, his nephew, and Hendrich Vedder. All four of the Jefferson boys have had a thorough schooling in the dramatic art and are most familiar with the technique of the stage. C. B. Jefferson, the elder of the four Jefferify the blood. It gives strong nerves, son boys, assumes the management, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich and he gives the assurance that the play will be mounted in a most lavish manner, no expense being spared to make the above play the most complete of any production presented in this city this season.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. Bark-well's Balsam cures Bronchitis.

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

## THE RAILWAYS

Earnings of the Grand Trunk and C. P. R.

The traffic returns of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ending Glasgow Reports Them Higher the official report), to \$416,000, as compared with \$404,000 for the correspond-

ing week of last year. Following are the official returns of traffic on the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ended Jan. 14, 1899, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year: 1899, \$423,057;

1898, \$463,393; decrease, \$40,336. Edmund Pennington's appointment as general manager of the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Sault Ste. Marie Ra way, has been announced at C. P. R. headquarters, Montreal. Mr. Penning-ton takes F. D. Underwood's place. He has been general superintendent since

## SOME GOLD DUST FROM DAWSON

Sixty Men Brought Down About

\$400,000. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 20.-The steamer Danube, which arrived from the north yesterday, brought about 60 men from Dawson and Atlin, with him \$400,000

in gold dust. The Dawson men say the upper Dominion Creek is panning out well, running from \$2 50 to \$4 a pan. There are still fifteen tons of Canadian and American mails at Tagish, awaiting to be forwarded. A great deal of typhoid fever is reported at Dawson, some say fully 800 cases. Seven men have been frozen to death in the Klondike this

## LATE SPORTING

M. Oestlund at Zurich Wins the World's

Skating Record.

SKATING. WINS THE WORLD'S RECORD.

Zurich, Jan. 20 .- The annual skating races for Europe, held this year as usual at Davos, in the canton of Grisons, are just over. The races attracted an unusual number of visitors and many Americans. The world's skating record for 500 metres (546 yards) was won by M. Oestlund in 47% seconds. The same contestant covered the 5,000-metre course (3.106 miles) in

CURLING.

HAMILTON THISTLES BEATEN. Paris, Ont., Jan. 20.-The severaltimes winners of the Ontario tankard, the Hamilton Thistles, were yesterday badly defeated in the first round in group 8 by Paris. The scores: 

Cavan......36 Bruce .........15 Total......27 In a friendly game which ran simultaneously, Hamilton was down 50

Ste	amship Arriv	als.
Jan. 19.	At.	From
Ormiston Corean Maasdam Pennland	New YorkGlasgowSt. JohnRotterdamPhiladelphiaLiverpool	New York Liverpool New York Liverpool
	At.	
Mongolian	Portland Philadelphia	Liverpool

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Bark-well's Balsam cures Grippe.

J. Wageman, clerk of the court criminal correction at St. Louis, Mo., has disappeared, and it is said by his intimate friends that he has confessed to a subversion of witness' and jurors' fees to the amount of \$30,000. friends fear he has committed suicide. LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of

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Ask.	84 7/2
Canadian Pacific 85	21/3
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Montreal Gas Company212	1721/2
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Royal Electric	248
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Bank of Toronto	243
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Quebec Bank	122
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Bank of Commerce	148
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Dominion Cotton110	109%
Toronto Stock Market.	

Toronto Stock Market TORONTO, Jan. 20. Standard.....

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1105/8 176 1271/8 751/2 171 161

New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, Jan. 20.				
Yesterday's	_	Tick	Tow	2:30.
		High.		233%
Atcheson 221/2	221/8	233/8		
Atcheson Pfd 591/3	593/4	603/4	595/8	603/8
C., B. & Q139¼	13934	139 1/8	139	1391/3
C. & N. W14738	14774	148	147	148
Bay State Gas 634	6%	71/8	67/8	7
Chicago Gas11134	112	1125/8	11178	1121/4
N. Y. Gas				· in . !
Gen. Electric 991/2	100	101	100	1003/4
L. & N 67	871/2	67 1/8	6714	6738
Man11236	114	1181/2	11314	1175/8
Mo. P 461/8	463/8	47 7/8	463/8	471/8
Omaha 99	99	1001/4	99	995/8
P. M 453/4	45%	463/8	453/4	46%
R. I	121	1211/2	1205%	1205/8
Landing 93	231/4	2348	223/4	2334
Reading 23		13114		131
N. Y. Central 126%	12834			1285/3
St. P128			401/8	401/4
T. C. L 401/4	0		235/8	227/8
Wabash 23 1/8	951/2			951/2
W. U 95		00:1		93
Brooklyn Transit 92%				781/8
U. Pacific 7434		75	753%	745/8
Leather Trust 721/2	901/			40
Lead 385/8	381/2			1331/2
Sugar	10074			147
Tobacco	12074		4814	481/4
Southern Ry. Pfd 48%	481/2		10214	1027/3
Jersey Central1027	10272		37 1/2	37 1/2
K. & T., Pfd 31%	3178			801/4
N. P., Pfd 7934	801/8	803/4	801/8	00/4

## Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Jan. 20.-Wheat is steady at 69c for red, and 69½c to 70c for white west. Manitoba wheat firmer at 81½c to 82c for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit. Flour is steady at \$3 to \$3 10 for cars of straight roller west. Millfeed scarce and firm at \$12 50 to \$15 for shorts, and \$12 to \$12 50 for bran west. Barley is dull at 46c to 47c for No. 1 Buckwheat firm at 49c to 50c west. Rye firm at 53c to 54c west. Corn steady at 36c for Canada yellow west, 45c for old American, and 42c for new American here. Oats steady at 29c for white west. Peas are steady at 65½c to 66c west. Eggs steady at 22c to 24c for new laid, 18c for held fresh, and 16c for limed. Butter steady at 13c to 141/2c for large rolls, and 11c to 131/2c for dairy tubs; creamery unchanged at 20c to 21c for prints, and 19c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs easier at \$5 to \$5 05 for cars here.

## English Markets

Liverpool, Jan. 20—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western, winter,
dull, 6s 2d; No. 1 red northern spring, dull,
6s; No. 1 Cal., 6s 10d to 6s 10%d; No. 1 cash, firm, 88 2%d.

Corn—Spot American mixed, old, quiet, 3s

10/4d; spot do, new, stocks exhausted; futures, quiet; Jan., 3s 9/6d; March, 3s 7/4d; May, 3s 7/4d.

quiet; Jan., 38 9/84; Harch, 38 1/44; May, 38 1/46.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 78 9d.

Peas—Canadian, 58 10d.

Pork—Steady; Prime mess, fine western, 50s; 60, medium, western, 478 6d.

Beef—Steady; Prime mess, 60s; extra India mess, 65s; do, medium, western, 478 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 36s 6d.

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

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 23s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, steady, 29s.

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Butter—Finest American, 86s; good, 65s. Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 3d.
Cheese—Steady; American finest white, 49s
6d: do, colored, 49s 6d.

6d; do. colored. 498 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, strong. 228 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, firm, 158 3d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 32s.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast) dull, £4 108
to £5 10s.
Linseed oil—17s 9 l.
Petroleum—Refined, 65%d.

## American Markets.

BUFFALO, Jan. 20 .- Spring wheat-No. 1 hard, 79%c; No. 1 northern, 75%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 74%c; No. 1 white, 741/2c, on track. Corn-No. 3 yellow, 39c to 391/4c; No. 4 yellow, 381/2c; No. 3 corn, 38½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 33½c; No. 3 white, 32½c; No. 4 white, 311/2c; No. 3 mixed, 311/2c, on

DETROIT, Jan. 20.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 71c; No. 2 red, cash, 701/2c, May, 731/4c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 20.-Wheat-Cash, 71c; May, 73½c; July, 70½c. Corn— Cash, 36c; May, 37c; July 37½c. Oats— Cash, 281/4e; May, 281/2c. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 20 .- Wheat

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 .- Flour - Receipts, 25,281 bbls; sales, 2,400 pkgs; state and western had few buyers, and was lower to sell. Rye flour steady;

dull and weaker this morning; foreign houses sold, but scalpers felt rather bullish on rumors of fresh outside interest; March, 77%c; May, 74%c to 74%c. Rye dull; state, 60c; No. 2 western, 65c, f. o. b.; afloat, 50c. Corn—Receipts, 73,225; sales, 25,000; ruled quiet and easier, with wheat; May, 41%c to 41%c. Oats—Receipts, 39,600; dull; track, white, 35c to 38%c. Butter—Receipts, 3,925 pkgs; firm. Cheese—Receipts, 5,435 pkgs; steady. Eggs—Receipts, 5,435 pkgs; steady; state and dull and weaker this morning; foreign ceipts, 5,435 pkgs; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 19c to 19½c; western, 18½c; southern, 18c to 19c. Sugar-Raw quiet; fair refining, 3%c; refined quiet; Coffee dull. Hops steady. Lead steady; bullion, \$4; exchange, \$4 22½ to \$4 27½. P. O. BOX 807 . . MONTREAL

Chicago Exchange TODAY'S WARKETS

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

i Open.	High.	LOW.	CIUSE.
Wheat-May 7058	70%	701/4	701/2
July 68½	685/8	6814	681/2
Corn-May 37	37 1/3	36%	37 37 1/4
July 3738	973%	37 2734	27 1/6
Oats-May 2758 July 2614	27 5/8 26 1/4	26	261/8
Pork-Jan 9 95	-:-::	10.10	10.00
May10 12	10 25	10 12	10 22
Lard-Jan 5 55 May 5 77	5 82	5 77	5 80
Ribs-Jan 5 05	5 10	5 05	5 10
Live Stoo	k Ma	rkets.	

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.-Hogs-Estimated receipts today, 27,000; left over, 5,519; opened steady; closed lower than early; light hogs, \$3 50 to \$3 721/2; mixed, \$3 55 to \$3 77½; heavy, \$3 50 to \$3 80; rough, \$3 50 to \$3 60. Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; steady to strong; beeves, \$4 to \$5 90; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$490; Texas steers, \$360 to \$5; stockers and feeders, \$3 20 to \$4 60.

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## <del>\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*</del> LATEST "PROBS"

Toronto, Jan. 20-11 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region to for the next twenty-four hours: Southwesterly winds; fair; rising + + temperature.

Saturday - Southerly winds; cloudy, with light local sleet or + + rain.

## \*+++++++++++++++++++ LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-The annual ball in connection with the London Asylum will be held on Feb. 8.

-Inspector Sanders, of the Children's Aid Society, placed a little girl in a foster-home.

-Grip has been prevalent at the Asylum here for the past two weeks, but it was not of a serious character. -Rev. Thomas Wilson delivers his lecture in Stratford this evening on Thirty Years With South Sea Canni-

-Two rinks of the Forest City Curling Club played at Ingersoll this afternoon in the Western Ontario tankard

match. -Mr. Robert Hueston, the liveryman, -Mr. Ropert Hueston, the hveryman, is seriously ill. He has been confined to bed the past two weeks with the president of the school, Rev. W. H. to bed the past two weeks with the

grip. -There was an exceptionally large crowd of skaters at the Princess last

night. The ice was grand and the music good. -Mr. R. Wright, of Hensall, was in the city today. He is on his way to visit his sons in Detroit and Toledo.

Mrs. Wright is in Rochester, visiting her daughter in that city. -The death occurred last night of Miss Sarah Jane Wood, at St. Joseph's

Hospital, from dropsy. Deceased was 45 years of age. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from No. 148 Kent street. -The remains of the late Miss Kate

this city this afternoon, and transhipped to Wyton, where they will be interred tomorrow.

-Mr. Robert Reid, sen., collector of customs here, received notice from Ottawa Tuesday of the dismissal of Mr. D. Donaldson, clerk and landing wait-Mr. Donaldson's successor has not yet been appointed.

-Mr. James Currie has been oppointed cashier of the London Street Railway Company. Mr. Currie is a brother of Mr. Charles Currie, formerly of this city, now manager of the Lima (Ohio) Street Railway Company.

-The assault and abusive language case, in which Annie Blair and her husband, Thomas Blair, of Westminster, figured, was settled this morning before Squire J. B. Smyth. Blair was bound over to keep the peace.

-The local life underwriters' association committee has prepared a report to be submitted at a meeting of the association tomorrow morning. Every insurance man in the city has been invited. Officers will be elected, and a plan laid down for mutual protection and benefit.

-The "Society Cakewalk," a new dance just published, has been introduced during the past week by Messrs. Dayton & McCormick. Judging by the popularity of its first appearance, the dance promises to become as great a favorite as the two-step, nearly 300 pupils having already been taught.

-Mr. James Arthur, of Lorne avenue, exhibited six Wyandottes at the Toronto poultry show, and not only won prizes for each bird, but a special prize for the best pullet and cock, and a handsome silver cup for the greatest number of points for Wyandottes, all kinds, including, golden, silver, black, and buff. A well known New York fancier stood second.

-London's hockey team has been weakened to some extent by the deparwas lower to sell. Rye hour steady, weakened to some extent by the depargood to fair, \$3 20 to \$3 30; choice to ture of Captain Howard, who has been fair, \$3 30 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, called away on business matters to 192,000; sales, 200,000 bu; market was Wininpeg. Mr. Howard wired Mr.

John Brown yesterday that he would be back in London on Tuesday next. The statement now going the rounds of the press that Howard had severed his connection with the club is denied by the club officials. Howard is one of by the club officials. Howard is one of the best forwards in the game, and the opponents of London would no doubt like to see the team weakened. How-ard's place in the game tonight has been filled by a local player, who has a great record as a hockeyist.

-The funeral of the late John Walker took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Richard Bissett, 458 Quebec street, to Mount Pleasant Quebec street, to Mount reason.

Cemetery. Deceased, who was a prominent Knight of Pythias, was buried by that order, the members of which turned out in numbers, together with those of the A. O. U. W., C. O. F. and the car shops, in all about 150 being present. The services were conducted by Rev. A. G. Harris. The pall-bearers were chosen from the K. of P., and were: Thomas Reycraft, Henry Burdick, Wm. Brown, W. E. Gillett, Thos. Mitchell and W. H. Suhr.

-A concert of unusual interest is an nounced for Monday, Feb. 13, in the Grand Opera House. Mlle. Antoinette Trebelli, the celebrated English soprano, will sing for the first time in London. Mile. Trebelli has already sung in Massey Hall, Toronto, twice this season, having taken part in the recent rendition of "The Messiah." She will again sing in Toronto on Feb. 9, in one of the great course of concerts. Mile. Trebelli is a great artist, and all music-loving citizens should hear her. Mr. Harold Jarvis, the ever-popular, and Mr. George Fox, the talented young violinist, will also take part. Such an array of artists will doubtless appeal to all. The subscription list will be open at the Bell Piano warerooms on Monday next. Subscribers will have first choice of seats.

COURT CASES. At Osgoode Hall: Fraser vs. London Street Railway Company-H. D. Gamble, for defendants. Aylesworth, Q.C., order for examination of plaintiff as to his physical condition by a surgeon, adjourned after argument.

Young vs. Tucker—Aylesworth, Q.C., and Kittermaster, Sarnia, for appellants. A. Weir, Sarnia, for respondent. Argument concluded from previous day. Judgment reserved. LAST SAD RITES.

The funeral of the late Amasa Wood took place yesterday (Thursday) morning from his residence on East street, St. Thomas, to the First Methodist Church, thence to the Fingal cemetery for interment. The funeral cortege left the house shortly before 11, the following acting as bearers: Wm. Risdon, E. B. Benson, Geo. MacKenzie, Thomas Stacey, John McCausland and John Pincombe. On arriving at the church, the casket, buried under great masses of cut flowers, was borne before the altar, which, together with the whole front of the church, was draped in black. On the dais were Rev. Dr. Philp and Rev. Mr. Crews, of St. Thomas; Rev. Mr. Crews, sen., Rev. C. T. Scott, of Aylmer; Rev. Mr. Shepherd, of Muncey, and Rev. Dr. Smith, of London, who led in prayer. Many feeling references were made to the deceased gentleman.

A SURPRISE. On Wednesday, Jan. 11, a surprise party, consisting of about 75 members and adherents of the First Presbyterian J. Dunn, George Shaw, Thos, Grey and Church, Redman, Michigan, assembled at the house of Mr. T. A. Nichol, chorister of the same church, and a most enjoyable time was spent. But the most pleasing feature of the evening was when Mr. and Mrs. Nichol were taken completely by surprise by being presented with two handsome parlor rocking chairs, a water set and a pair of vases, also a beautifully-worded and kind address. The address was read by Miss Bertha Kirkpatrick, and the presentation was made by Misses Maggie Cowie, Nellie Trigger, Mary Alexander and Janet McGregor. Mr. Nichol is an old Westminster boy, who has settled in Michigan, and has been director of the church choir for about three

years. SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNUAL MEET-ING.

The annual meeting of the Southern Congregational Sunday school took place at the home of the superintendent, Mr. Charles Cannom, Ridout street, on Claris, was chairman, and Mr. John H. Hargreaves (secretary, pro tem.), read the annual report. This showed the standing of the school to be encouraging, every department advancing, but it was with very sincere regret the former secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. Hays, was referred to. His removal to Windsor had left a vacancy hard to fill, The officers elected were Mr. C. Cannom, superintendent; Mr. J. M. Hargreaves, secretary-treasurer; Mr. F. Bright, assistant; Mr. F. A. Ross, librarian; Messrs. F. Bright and E. Parry, assistants; Miss A. Fowler, organist; Miss Lizzie Northey, assistant; Mr. A. Imrie, musical director. After business was concluded, refresh-Symonds, who died yesterday in the ments were served, and all expressed hospital at Detroit, were brought to themselves as having spent a very happy evening. MORE BOOKS.

The additions to the Public Library journey into Thibet, 2 volumes; B. Bur-Sirdar and Khalifa, or The Reconquest of the Soudan; F. M. Crawford, Ave Roma-Immortalis, studies from the chronicles of Rome, in 2 volumes; C. V. Langlois and C. Seignobos, Introduction to the Study of History; Collections and Recollections, by G. W. E. Russell; E. Demolins, Anglo-Saxon Superiority—To What It Is Due (from a French point of view; A. Sedgwick, A Student's Text-Book of Zoology, volume 1; C. E. Ryan, With an Ambulance during the Franco-German War, 1870-1871 (personal experience and adven-tures with both armies); Philip Mel-Germany, 1497-1560, by J. W. Richard; R. H. Davis, The Cuban and Porta Rican Campaigns; F. W. Fairholt, Costume in England, a history of dress to the end of the eighteenth century, 2 volumes: R. N. Stephens, The Road to Paris: L. C. Cornford, The Master-Beggars; E. N. Westcott, David Harum; S. W. Mitchell, Far in the Forest; G. Windyhaugh; J. Buchan, John Burnet of Barns; A. Bates, The Puritans; R.Kipling, The Second Jungle Book; P. L. Dunbar, The Uncalled; R. W. Chambers, Ashes of Empire; H. R. Haggard, Doctor Therne; J. S. Le Fanu, In a Glass Darkly; C. Warman, Frontier

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## A MUSICAL TREAT

The Mehan Concert Company, Under the Direction of Miss Inez E. Smith, Delights a Large Audience at the Auditorium.

The fifth concert of the popular course series was given in the Auditorium last night, when the spacious building was completely filled with an appreciative audience, who were very liberal with their applause, encoring every number on the well-selected programme. The Mehan Concert Com- One Man Killed and Several More or pany, under the direction of Miss Inez E. Smith, soprano soloist at the First Methodist Church, gave the concert, which did Miss Smith and every artist taking part, great credit. It could truly be termed one of the musical treats of the season.

Mr. George L. Angus, violinist, of this city, who is now studying in Detroit, made his first appearance here this season, and he became a general favorite from his first selection. He was given a number of hearty encores, and gracefully responded. Mr. Angus has certainly made rapid strides under

his new instructor.
Mr. Edwin C. Craine, of Detroit, possesses a rich baritone voice, which he displayed to advantage in his dif-ferent selections. He will always be a welcome visitor to London. Miss Agnes Hull-Simpson, reader, captivated her hearers in her rendition of "Matrimonial Difficulties of Gavin Birse," (from J. M. Barrie) and "Leah, the Forsaken." In each number she showed her marked elecutions as a billion showed her marked elocutionary abili-ties to advantage. She was repeatedly encored.

One of the most pleasant features of the evening was the 'cello solos, by Mr. Henry S. Saunders, who was warmly

Miss Smith was at her best, and sang in fine voice. She was tendered an ening were Miss Minnie Raymond and Mr. W. H. Hewlett.

## LAID AT REST

Funeral of the Late Dr. J. H. Wilson-Conducted by the Masonic Order -Large Cortege.

The funeral of the late Dr. J. H. Wilson, the well-known veterinary surgeon, who dropped dead in Ingersoll, took place this afternoon to Woodland Cemetery, from his late residence, 846 Richmond street. The funera: was under the auspices of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, A., F. and A. M., of the Masons. The other lodges of the Masonic order also turned out and marched in a body. A large number of the Ancient Order of United Workmen attended the funeral, but did not march. The services were conducted by Rev. W. J. Clark, of the First Presbyterian Church, and Past Deputy A. B. Greer, of the Masonic order. The cortege was a very long one, and many beautiful floral tributes were sent. The pall-bearers (members of the Masonic order) were: Messrs. J. Simpson, J. Marshall, J. Percival, J. Hook,

## WISH HIM TO STAY

Members of the Memorial Church Will

At a regularly constituted vestry meeting of the Memorial Church, held THE OVERDUE last night, the intended resignation of Rev. Canon Richardson was discussed. Mr. J. H. Higginbottom occupied the chair, and Mr. H. T. Reason, vestry clerk, acted as secretary. The following resolution was unanimously adopted: 'That having regard to the long, faithful and efficient services of the Rev. Canon Richardson, M.A., as rector of the Memorial Church, we, the members of the vestry of the said church, strongly deprecate his removal from this parish, and we respectfully, but earnestly, urge and desire him to decline the appointment, which has been tendered him by his lordship the bishop, and we respectfully request the

bishop to recall the appointment." A committee was elected to convey the resolution to the rector, Rev. Canon Richardson, and Bishop Baldwin.

## CITY HALL NOTES

Mr. Walter Morgan, who was promised an appointment as a member of the school board by his Conservative aldermanic friends, but was passed over in favor of W. T. Hamilton, has been propitiated by the Conservative members of the school board with the promise of a sit on the free library this week include: A. H. Landor, In board as Dr. Campbell's successor. The the Forbidden Land, an account of a annual meeting of the free library journey into Thibet, 2 volumes: B. Bur-board will be held on the first Thursday in February.

In the actions begun by W. H. Bartram against the mayor, aldermen, water commissioners and hospital trustees, alleging that the election was illegal and void, the defendants have entered an appearance. Attorney Alderman P. McPhillips acting for the aldermen from wards one, two and three, and Attorney Alderman Greenlees for those from wards four, five and six, and for the mayor, Water Commissioners Jones and Little and Hospital Trustee T. McCormick are ancthon, The Protestant Preceptor of represented by Attorney M. D. Fraser,

The new street car schedule will be put into effect tomorrow morning. It will require nineteen cars-one than was in use before the strike. The schedule, even if it proves satisfactory during the two weeks trial will last only during the winter, as it is to the street railway company's interest to increase the accommodation in the spring, and more cars will be required by the summer schedule. Last winter there were but four cars on the belt The new schedule adopted by the board of works last night provides as

Oxford street and Hamilton road (two ways), 12 minutes headway, 4 cars. Dundas and Pottersburg, 12 minutes headway, 3 cars.

Dundas street and Rectory street

and West London, 12 minutes headway, 4 cars. Wellington street, north and south, 15 minutes headway, 3 cars.

Belt line 7 minutes headway, 5 cars.

new hospital at 2 o'clock today, and were joined by the members of the trust in a thorough inspection of the

## **EXPLOSION!**

With Fatal Results at a Toronto Icehouse.

Less Hurt.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Jan. 20 .- Ald. Wim. Burns' icehouse at the foot of Logan avenue, east of the Don, was the scene of a terrible boiler explosion at 12:30 today, as the result of which probably two men will die, while several others are seriously injured.

The ice crop is now being harvested, and a small portable engine had been hired to supply power for the eleva-

At the noon hour, the men were gathered around the engine, which was in a small frame structure. They were eating their dinners. Afterward all went out, except Engineer Evoy and an Italian teamster, Frank Cairo. A few minutes later a terrific explosion occurred, and the frame building was blown into pieces.

Several of the men in the vicinity were more or less badly injured by flying debris, and the two men inside were found to be terribly hurt.

Later—Evoy died at half-past one o'clock in the emergency ward. Cairo, it is thought, will recover, and the other men, while seriously, are not

## **FAVOR THE MOVE**

Presbyterian Council Heartly Indorse the Action of St. James' Church in the Proposed Move to the North.

The presbyterial council of the city of London held a meeting last night to consider the proposed removal of St. James' Presbyterian Church to the north end. Rev. Thomas Wilson occupied the chair, and in the absence of

Mr. George Armstrong, Mr. C. R. Somerville acted as secretary. Rev. George Gilmore, pastor of the London Junction Presbyterian Church, read and exceedingly fine paper on "Church Extension in the Northern Part of the City," after which Mr. A. S. Macgregor and Rev. J. G. Stuart, moved the following resolution:

"After listening to Mr. Gilmore's admirable paper on the extension of Presbyterianism in the northern part of the city, and the discussion which it provoked, this council is unanimously of the opinion that a regular congregation should be established in that locality, and we rejoice to know that St. James' congregation has decided to occupy that field, and we most heartily commend their action to the moral and financial support of the Presbyterians of this city." This was unanimously carried. Rev W. J. Clark delivered an enthusiastic address, in which he advocated a closer relationship between the city churches and the exchange of pulpits. A motion to refer the matter to Urge Bishop Baldwin to Re-Call the the consideration of the sessions of the Appointment of Canon Richardson different Presbyterian churches was passed, and a report will be submitted at the next council, when the election of officers will take place.

## LAKE HURON

On Her Way Into Halifax Harbor With 2,100 People on Board.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Halifax, N. S., Jan. 20 .- The steamer Lake Huron, with the 2,100 Doukhobors from Batoum on board, is entering the harbor.

Deputy Minister Smart received word today that the Lake Superior, the ship bringing out the second lot of Doukhobors, had on board 1,989 souls. She may reach here only a few days behind the Lake Huron, but even if this be the case, the landing of over 4,000 people in such a short time will not tax the energies of the department or the railway, for both are fully prepared.

INSANITY'S DEBT TO MEDICAL

SCIENCE. Insanity is now recognized a ease which is the result of some functional or organic disturbance of the brain, or of some injury or malformation of that organ. Be it said to the everlasting credit of medical science that it has rescued the whole subject of the diseases of the brain and nervous system from the region of myth and superstition, and placed it on a scientific plane along with the other disease and injuries to which human flesh is heir. The old lunatic asylums, and the filthy cells of the county jails, with all their horrors, where the victims of dethroned reason used to be confined and tortured, have been abolished, and in their place we now have the modern hospital for the insane. And it stands on the same footing in every respect as a hospital for diseases of the eye and ear, or any other medical specialty. It was not the churches, but medical science inspired by a desire to benefit mankind, which taught the world that the insane are our brothers still, and that to them is due the same Christian charity and care as to any others in distress .- Dr. John Girdner, in North American Review for January.

So much depends upon the purity of the blood that by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla many different diseases are cured.

A Charleston special says the steamer Stanley has been ordered to search for the four men who were blown away from Bonaventure Island on floating ice. The Chezetcook schooner Rising Sun arrived here today in charge of inland revenue officers, having been

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## THE DAIRYMEN **ELECT OFFICERS**

Close of the Convention of the Western Cheese and Butter Men.

Guelph, Ont., Jan. 20 .- Yesterday the members of the Cheese and Butter Association visited the Ontario Agricultural College and Dairy School. Everything in the creamery and home dairy buildings was in perfect running order. It was a splendid sight to witness the young men and women, with their spotless white dairy attire, working at butter and cheese-making in its vari-

ous branches. At the closing session of the convention it was voted that the directors of this association be requested to lay before the passenger agents of the various railway companies in Canada the excessive charges of transportation to parties attending the annual convention of the Cheese and Butter-Makers' Association of Western Ontario, with a view to securing cheaper rates and more

simple methods for the future. It was moved by A. F. MacLaren, and seconded by J. N. Paget, "That this association having since its last convention lost by death one of its oldest members, Mr. John Robertson, of Ingersoll, the members of the association in convention assembled desire to place on record the high esteem in which Mr. Robertson has always been held, and, further, that, as a cheese and butter-maker and an instructor and exporter, he had largely aided in bringing the butter and cheese trade of Canada to its present high standing." The mo-

tion was adopted by the meeting. OFFICERS FOR 1899.

The nominating committee prought in a report recommending the election of the following officers for 1899: Honorary president, Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, of Stratford; president, Harold Eagle, of Attercliffe; first vice-president, R. M. Ballantyne, of Stratford; second vice-president, Aaron Wenger, of Ayton; third vice-president, James Connelly, of Porter's Hill; directors, John Prain, of Harriston; J. N. Paget, of Canboro; Robert Johnston, of Bright; G. H. Bain, of Sebringville; A. F. MacLaren, of Stratford; J. A. James, of Nilestown; George E. Goodham, of Milverton; auditors, J. C. Hegler, of Ingersoll, and J. A. Nelles, of London; representatives to Toronto Exhibition, H. Eagle and A. F. MacLaren, M.P.; to London Fair, T. B. Wilson, of London,

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## THE QUEEN OF

CHAPTER LIII., AND LAST. It never entered Aymer's head to inquire into the position of his fair fiancee; but still he did not pretend to be sorry when he learned that she was a countess in her own right-a descendant of an ancient family, and so fairly dowered, that no one could say he had mar-ried badly. Lady Esselyn certainly made a few ill-natured speeches; but Marie had spirit and dignity enough to keep her at bay, so that all she gained by her malevolence was the consciousness that she would be excluded as much as possible from the house of

Aymer and his bride. "Are you going to have a double wedding?" inquired Cressida, when the events of the evening were made known to her. I'm not sorry it cannot come off. quite as soon as my own; for I'm. sure it would put poor Mandeville quite out of conceit of his bride if he saw me side by side with you, Viva, and that pretty countess."

"You must let me echo Cressida's question," said Sir Innis, following Vivien, who had retreated into the conservatory, "and ask, with her, if we may not make Aymer's wedding-day our own? You shake your head, but is there any reason why we should not?"

"There are many and grave ones," act in harmony and if they prove she answered. "Once I was wicked worthy of their high destiny, hold the enough to try to make you love me, fate of the world in their hands. They but now I will be truthful enough to tell you that you must do your best to forget me.

But Sir Innis would not hear this. "I cannot school my heart to thrust away a love that has so long been part of my existence, unless you tell me what I have often feared is tdue, that there is someone who has a stronger hold on your affections than I can ever

"Don't do me this injustice," was the earnest response. "If it had been so, I would have told you long ago."

"You can still be frank with me, and explain why-although I fancy I read a kindly feeling for me in your eyes-you thus refuse to make me happy.' "Have you not heard the tale, not

softened, but exaggerated, from the lips of Lady Esselyn?" asked Vivien, with her suffused face hidden from his gaze. "I have heard nothing concerning you, dearest Vivien, that I did not know already, and certainly nothing ington will it, a law for the whole that could lower you in my esteem."

She stopped, and Sir Innis wonderingly asked what Mr. Elkins could have to

He confessed to me that you had given no encouragement to his adora-"Mr. Elkins?" exclaimed Vivien. "The sandy-haired youth who came to our house on two or three occasions when

my drawing-master was too much indisposed to give me lessons himself. Is it of Mr. Elkins you have been speak-"Certainly it is; and I am ashamed to say that, after raving of your beauty, and declaring that fame would be

nothing to him unless he could win your love, he has just arrived in England, and proudly introduced to me as his wife the fattest and most prosaiclooking German frau I ever beheld." Vivien laughed a little, but she look-

"Are you not satisfied now, my love?"

he asked, tenderly.
"No," she sighed; "for I feel convinced that you have still to hear the history of a night in my life which must, may, shall, part us. I will never come to you," she added proudly, "while I know that it is in the power of anyone

to cast a slur upon my name."
"Who could do this, Vivien? Your step-mother? No, no. You may safely assure yourself that I have silenced her for ever."

'But there is another," she murmured, desperately. "Yes, I will tell you all. An Englishman-

Who took this turquoise ring from your finger, and has treasured it next his heart ever since," cried Sir Innis, producing the article in question and holding it towards her. "Nay, do not look so bewildered. Cannot you understand how a sharp attack of wasting fever, added to a beard of some weeks' growth and uncropped hair, converted me into the gaunt skeleton you succored so tenderly that night?"

"It seems incredible!" gasped Vivien.
"Yes, it is true, dear. When I found that Aymer was determined to undertake the political mission of which we were speaking yesterday, I insisted on sharing his danger; but a cold caught in a wretched hovel where we passed the night, ended in the fever from which

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I was very slowly recovering when a certain Sister of Mercy stole on my wondering gaze. It was not Aymer who wrote the letter that brought you On a certified character, vouched played off his schemes on everyone from whom he saw a prospect of extorting money. Your brother had left Paris, compelled by the exigencies of the mission he had undertaken to leave me behind, little dreaming how the harpies, to whose care he was forced

to trust me, would behave." "I can scarcely believe it even now," she protested, though her heart seemed lightened of a load, and the sunny smiles began to play around her rosy

mouth once more.
"Will you find it equally difficult to credit my assertion that I loved you from that hour, and only held aloof because others loved you too-others who had known you, and cherished your image even longer than I? Will this, then, convince you that you are inexpressibly dear to me? Or this?-

And though Vivien blushingly evaded any more of the kisses set first upon her hand and then upon her cheek, she was induced to confess herself a con-vert before she left her happy lover. So you are going to run away with

the Queen of the Season, Hatherfield?" exclaimed a prince of the blood royal, as he stood on the steps of his club chatting affably with the baronet.
"You might have let her reign a little longer for the sake of her subjects."
"Nay, your highness, Lady Vivien

does not resign her dignities," was the

laughing reply. "She only exchanges a temporary sovereignty for a lasting one. I have prevailed upon her to think that she will be a more sovereign potentate as queen of my heart and home than as the reigning belle of society. "I do not doubt it, so let me be one of the first to wish Queen Vivien a long and happy monarchy!" To which

Sir Innis heartily and earnesly murmured an "Amen!

[The End.]

Great Britain and America-A Plea for

Co-operation. [William Laird Clowes, in the Fortnightly Review.]

The English-speaking nations, if they can make right triumph over mere might; they can render wars impossible without their permission; they can introduce an era of peace and prosperity such as has been unknown in history. But to attain these results they must be just and honest in their methods and united in their aims. If either branch, under-rating its respon-sibilities, should, by any lack of precaution, permit those who are dependent upon it to be poorer, more ignorant, less free, or less well-governed than they were before they became dependent, the clock of liberty, civilization, and justice will be everywhere set back, and an occasion will be given the enemy to blaspheme. If, again, there be any germ of sympathy and co-operation between the branches when there is good work to be done, the influence of race will suffer, perhaps

permanently.
Tomorrow, if only London and Washearth may be proclaimed in English, "Ah! I had forgotten," she gasped. and no one will dare gainsay it. To-The artist whom you met abroad reday, however, as a necessary condition, London and Washington must not only be loyal friends and comrades, but also not hesitate to use for the common ends the best methods and the best men that either can provide. For when the United States determined to be something more than a continental American power, she put at stake not merely the inheritance of Washington and Lincoln, but the inheritance of men like Hawkyns, Raleigh and Penn

## **WOMAN'S WORK**

In Newspaper Life-It Is Remunerative and Rarely Monotonous in Large Cities.

"In addition to her news work the woman reporter probably does 'specials' for the Sunday edition," writes Elizabeth G. Jordan of "What It Means to be a Newspaper Woman," in the January Ladies' Home Journal. "There is no reason why her income should not be \$35 or \$40 a week at the end of the second year. After she has worked in New York five years she should be earning at least \$50 a week. If she does she is prone to take an apartment in a hotel and spend most of it for living

expenses. "As to the brighter side of the picture it may be said that the reporter is in constant touch with interesting phases of life. However hard her work may be, it is rarely monotonous. Each day brings her into contact with different persons and with varying conditions. She meets the brightest men and women of this and other countries and makes friends of many of them. She has an unrivaled opportunity for the study of men, women and human nature. She is using her brains and making a name for herself among her associates. She had opportunities to do much good in a quiet way. If she has ideals (and as a rule she has) it is no harder to live up to them in her profession than in others. Of the so-called 'perquisites' of the profession-passes and gifts-the less said the better. The best type of newspaper woman never



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The Passing of London's Old Newgate Prison.

Said to Have Been Built in the Reign of Henry L-Well Known to All Anglo-Saxons Through Britain's Matchless Historical Fiction-Plans for Its Rebuilding-It Will Soon Be Torn Down.

Partly by reason of the historical associations common to all Angio-Saxons, and largely through the more entrancing pages of fiction-no less history, however -London's old nooks and corners and famous buildings are household memories, as it were, in Canada as well as in England. Many Canadians know "The Tower" better than most cockneys, and there are few haunts made memorable by Dickens or Thackeray that have not been hunted out and peopled in imagination with the characters all know so well. That Newgate Prison and the Old Bailey Court House are to be improved away will, therefore, have a personal interest for most of us, since they figure in the fiction and serious literature of England in decidedly picturesque manner for hundreds of years.

With the Old Fleet Prison, famous or infamous for its cruelty to debtors and for its loose clergy, who married anybody without compunction, Newgate Prison divided interest during the six or seven centuries. Fleet Prison had a known history for 800 years when it was torn down in 1848, and with it but a memory New-



THE EXTERIOR OF NEWGATE.

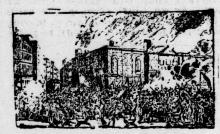
gate was left supreme as the visible embodiment of old horrors and criminal romances, with Old Bailey, England's great criminal court, on Old Bailey street, near St. Paul's Cathedral, as a close second. Old Bailey street runs from Newgate street to Ludgate Hill, and so the name and fame of the two places are thus doubly connected. In 1887 Newgate, which had become a mere house of detention, was ordered torn down, but things move slowly in London, so it will not be until this year that its last day

will arrive. The prison of Newgate is said to have been built in the reign of Henry I., although it had an earlier history as Chamberlain Gate, and was restored under Henry I. and Stephen. As early as 1218 it was a common jail for felons taken in the City of London and County of Middlesex. It is recorded that certain wealthy Jews in 1241 were ordered to contribute 20,000 marks for the restoration of the prison or to be confined in Newgate until they paid this fine. In 1385 Sir William Walworth left money to relieve Newgate prisoners, who were generally confronted with semi-starvation, and Sir Richard Whittington bequeathed money to rebuild the prison. In the safe-keeping of felons of all descriptions and the confinement of debtors Newgate Prison was the receptacle for nobles, officers of state and the contumacious gentry not then imprisoned in the

Probably the best-known incident in the history of Newgate is that (used so effectively by Charles Dickens in his story of "Barnaby Rudge") during the famous "No Popery" riots in 1780, when the mob managed to burn down the old jail and release all the prisoners, over 300 all told. The illustrations of the fire from an old print and the new Newgate show that the jail was rebuilt largely on the old lines, and its severity of aspect was not improved. Newgate, after Tyburn was abandoned, became

place of public executions. The records of the Old Bailey constitute the great criminal history of England, while "The Newgate Calendar" and "The Chronicles of Crime," have furnished plots for plays and novels innumerable. During its active history the Old Bailey formed the theatre for criminal notorieties of every description, and the incidents are of the most sensational order. The court witnessed the trial of the regicides condemned for their parts in the trial and execution of King Charles I., and of Lord William Russell, Algernon Sydney, and other unfortunate patriots-"household names in connection with English liberty"-for their participation in "The Rye House Plot."

The Old Bailey gallows-tree was built with three crossbeams, and held at one time three rows of unfortunates. Between February and December, 1785, 96 persons were executed by the "new drop," the invention of which superseded the cart. which used to be drawn from beneath the victims' feet. The pillory also stood in the Old Bailey, and the excited crowds



N EXACT REPRESENTATION OF THE BURN ING, PLUNDERING AND DESTRUCTION OF NEWGATE, JUNE 7, 1780."

were treated to the spectacle of offenders pilloried in the confinement of a wooden frame crected on a scaffolding. They were here pelted with rotten eggs, offal, mud or offensive missiles, and sometimes stoned by the mob. The last exhibition of this nature was one Peter James Bossy, convicted of perjury, and sentenced to seven years' transportation. Before being transported he was confined for six months in Newgate, and stood in the pillory in the Old Bailey June 24, 1830. All these details of rough and ready cruelty and rude justice were familiar to colonists in this country in the last century and in this, and many early prisons and courts were but reproductions of Oid DISCOURAGED, men who suffer from the effects | Fleet, Old Bailey and Newgate. The prisoners of Newgate, for instance, were cesses, from unnatural drains, weakness or lack of allowed to gamble and drink, and the inmates, of all things, enjoyed recounting stories of their crimes and debaucheries, so that the prison was a hotbed of villainies and vices. Howard, the philanthropist, has recorded: "I scruple not to aftirm that half the robberies committed in aus around London are planned by that dreadful assemblage of criminals, and the number of idle people who visit



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## Children's Gowns

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### Skirts

Heavy White Cotton Skirts, deep 20c price..... Lonsdale Finish, very wide Skirt, six tucks, twelve inch embroidery frill. \$125, 97c sale price. Lonsdale Skirt, double lawn flounce, edged 

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Toronto, Jan. 19, 8 p.m.—The distribution of pressure has changed very little since yesterday, the high area having moved but very slowly southeastward from the lake region, and the Northwest low area remained nearly stationary. Mild weather continues in the Territories, and there has been a general rise in temperature from Ontario east. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-46; Calgary, 22-42; Prince Albert, 10-16; Winnipeg, 18-20; Port Arthur, 10-28; Toronto, 10-30; Ottawa, 14 below—26; Montreal, 2—24; Quebec, 8 below—12; Halifax, 12—

Toronto, Jan. 20, 1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes: Fresh southwesterly winds; fair and milder. Local temperatures-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at

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-Mr. John Bowman left on Wednesday for New York on business. -Mrs. R. C. Macpherson, of Paris, is

visiting with relatives in London. -Mr. W. J. Reid left yesterday on a business trip to the old country. -Mrs. E. H. McPherson, of Saginaw, Mich., is visiting her parents in this

city. -The refreshment committee of the calico ball will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

-Miss Margaret Sharp has returned home after spending six months at the Battle Creek Sanitarium, Michigan. -Mr. Alex. Dawson has accepted a

situation as night operator at Aylmer with the Wabash and G. T. R. companies. -Rev. J. W. Pedley will speak on

"Giants and Grasshoppers," at the men's meeting in the Auditorium on Sunday afternoon.

-A. Vincent was charged before the police magistrate this morning with non-payment of drayman's license fees. The case was enlarged for a week.

-Letters for Forts Simpson and Norman and other Mackenzie River stations, posted here before the 3rd of February will catch the first mail of the year. The last mail goes out usu-

ally in July. -Mr. J. Coates Lockhart and H. Ruthven McDonald, London's well-known tenor and baritone, were singing at Brooksville last night for the Ladies' Epworth League. They had an overflowing house.

-Rev. Donald Guthrie, who supplied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Church two years ago, while Rev. Robert Johnston was on his vacation, has been ordained pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, Richmond, Va., of the largest churches in the state. -The remains of the late Wm. Dibb were laid at rest this morning. The funeral, which was private, was held at 9 a.m. to St. Peter's Cathedral. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Joseph Larkin, Peter Conlon, W. T. Birmingham, John Hanlon, Martin Gould and Patrick

-Mrs. B. McKay, wife of Postmaster McKay, of Denfield, gave a very en-

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joyable party the other evening in honor of her friend, Miss Roberts, of the sixteenth concession of London township, and Mr. Bains. There were guests from Carlisle, Nairn and Elgin-

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-Mr. D. S. Robb, first reader of the Christian Science Church of this city, passed successfully an examination by the board of education, under the auspices of the Massachusetts Metaphysical College, taking both the normal and obstetrical courses.

-Miss Ina Riddell, the clever, captivating little dancer, who has delighted many audiences in this city and surrounding towns by her clever dancing, will go to Camlachie on Wednesday evening of next week and give an exhihibition of her ability at the Burns Club concert, of that place.

-In his address on "Fatigue," before the Froebel Society, on Tuesday, Mr. Carson emphasized the harm resulting from prolonged stimulation of any single set of nerve cells and the necessity of lengthened rest to enable the nerves to return to their normal state. There was a good attendance of members and their friends.

-At the next meeting of the police commissioners the reward of \$500 offered for the arrest of Marion Brown, will in all likelihood be ordered paid to Marshal A. L. Dilley, who made the arrest at North Yakima. The authorities here have received no word from provincial, Dominion or United States authorities regarding Brown.

-Mr. Edward Barnes, of George White & Sons, and Miss Caroline O'Leary, of Pall Mall street, were united in marriage yesterday by Rev. Father Tiernan at St. Peter's Cathedral. The bride was supported by Miss Annie McInnes, of Talbot street, and Mr. J. Barnes assisted the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes will reside at Marley Place, South London.

—At the regular meeting of Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, A., F. and A. M., last night, a magnificent past master's jewel was presented to Worshipful Bro John Paul, P.M., by the officers and members of the lodge. The presentation was made by Very Worshipful Bro. J. H. Flock, Q.C. The jewel was handsomely engraved, showing the name of the recipient, the lodge, and date. A number of prominent visitors -At the regular meeting of Kilwindate. A number of prominent visitors were present.

were present.

—Mr. J. S. Willison, editor-in-chief of the Globe, is making a brief stay in North Carolina for the benefit of his health, which, his friends will be glad to hear, is now almost fully restored. He will resume his duties shortly. It is hardly necessary to state that the rumor connecting his name that the rumor connecting his name with the Toronto postmastership, which has obtained some circulation through the press of the province, is absolutely without foundation.-Globe.

-The Woodstock Express says: Tuesday afternoon there died in London, Emily Louise Meade, the wife of Charles Fairfax, 180 Rusell street. The remains were brought to Woodstock. The deceased became the wife of Charles Fairfax some twelve years ago, and came to this country with her husband seven years ago, coming right to Woodstock. Since then Mr. Fairfax has been an employe of the Anderson Furniture Company. Three children are left to mourn the loss of a loving mother, Florence Rose, aged 11; William Henry, aged 4, and Charles Bernard, aged 2.

-The Sarnia Observer, in commenting on Mr. W. H. Hewlett's recital in the Central Methodist Church there on Wednesday evening last, says: The playing of Mr. Hewlett was, of course, the star attraction of the evening, and he showed by his execution that he was an artist in his chosen profession. Many in the audience have listened to different professional organists, but none of them could give more pleasing results than did Mr. Hewlett last evenresults than did Mr. Hewlett last evening. Mr. Hewlett received hearty encores for his playing of the "Overture to William Tell," "Serenade," by Schubert, and "The Storm." The "Serenade," by Schubert, was, perhaps, the gome of the evening.

the gem of the evening. -The concert given yesterday by the Woman's Morning Music Club, was highly appreciated. The following programme was executed in a most pleasing manner:

MacDowell-Idyl (Opus 28) ..... Master George Phelps
Neidlinger (a)—Serenade

Neidlinger (a)—Serenade
(b)—The Robin

Miss Johnston

Paper—Orchestral and Chamber
Music
Miss M. McDonell
(a) Hawley—My Little Love
(b) Nevin—Serenade
Mr. J. W. Fetherston
(a) Ad. M. Foerster—Woodland

Sounds

Misses Ashworth, Johnston and

Fenwick, and Mrs. Lilley.
C. B. Hawley—Ah! 'Tis a Dream..
Mrs. M. A. Lilley METHODIST MISSIONS. The executive of the central board

of missions of the Methodist Church met yesterday, in Wesleyan Chambers, Toronto, with Rev. Dr. Carman in the chair. General missionary business was taken into consideration. The excutive of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church also held its bi-annual meeting. Mrs. W. E. Ross, of Montreal, president of the society, occupied the chair. Letters from the home and foreign mission fields were read, which told of gratifying progress made in the work RAISING THE PRICE OF LIQUOR.

A meeting of the London Licensed Victuallers' Association was held yesterday, when a vigorous discussion was indulged in regarding a raise in the retail price of liquors, consequent upon the recent advances in the wholesale price. A committee was appointed to arrange matters. The following officers were elected: President, John McMartin; first vice-president, J. W. Scandrett; second vice-president, Eli Grif-fiths; treasurer, T. H. Carling. These comprise the executive committee, together with John Labatt, Wm. Ward, R. McDonald, W. Avey, Chas. Stevens, James McDonald, W. C. Ross and D. Sare, and the auditors, C. W. Davis and

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Novel Discussion of the Street Railway Matters.

Board of Works and Representation of the Street Railway Company Have a Business-Like Conference—A New Schedule To Be Adopted-Other Matters.

The street railway management and the board of works got together last evening, and after an amicable, businesslike discussion of ways and means, a new schedule was decided upon-for two weeks at least. All the members of the committee were present, and Vice-President T. H. Smallman, Manager Carr and Superintendent Potter represented the street railway com-

The city engineer, in a report as to the condition of the present service, stated: "Owing to the numerous times the G. T. R., C. P. R., and L. E. and D. R. R. have to be crossed, I do not think a regular service can be operated by the present schedule, as cars get 'bunched' by the delays at these points."

Manager Carr stated that 12 minutes was the greatest headway that could be given on the Hamilton road. The present schedule called for a 9-minute service, but as there were but two points on the line where cars could pass, and these points are 6 minutes distance from each other, the only way to get through was to send two cars through together. This made the service frequently an 18-minute one, instead of a 9-minute one.

Mr. Carr said that a practicable schedule would be to "Y" the Oxford street and Hamilton road cars at the corner of the Hamilton road and Rectory street, and run both ways on the Hamilton road; also to operate the West London cars on Rectory street to the same "Y," thus giving a 12-minute headway on Rectory street. The West London cars now run to the loop at

the fair grounds. In the discussion which followed, Mr. Smallman, speaking of the Rectory street line, said it was a distinct understanding with the city at the time the road was built that his company were to have a free crossing of the Grand Trunk tracks. But they never had received that free crossing; and today they were paying for

the services of a watchman there.

The company, he said, were most desirous of giving the best service possi-ble to give. They wanted to earn ev-ery dollar it was possible for the road to earn, and this they could not do

unless they gave a good service.

A 15-minute service is the best that can be given on Wellington street, Mr. Carr said. The present schedule calls for 12 minutes headway.

Ald. McPhillips said that for a service that was practically in its infancy, it was as good as any in America. There had been too much "bulldozing" of the company in the past, he said. Ald. Wilkey objected to Mr. Carr's

four blocks to catch a car. The mayor said the less people walk- year tenders will be called for sidewalks | Craig. ed, the better it was for the doctors. Ald. Wilkey-The better for the street railway company, too. (Laughter.)

Ald. Douglass suggested that ple of weeks on trial. Ald. Wilkey objected. The engineer thought the service pro-

posed would suit the public better than the present one. Ald. Wilkey was strongly urged to in repair, and supply the fuel.

withdraw his objection, but would not.

Tenders will also be called for the withdraw his objection, but would not. Ald. Parnell moved that Mr. Carr's

schedule be tried for two weeks. Ald. Reed seconded. Ald. Wilkey asked if it would be possible to give a six-minute service on Dundas street east between six and

eight o'clock in the morning. Mr. Carr said it would require two more cars. Afterwards, he said the Rectory street cars might run to the loop at the fair grounds for these two hours in the day. This met with the approval of the committee. Ald. Parnell's motion was carried

unanimously. Mr. Smallman assured the committee that the company would give a service that would please, not only the

council but the public.
On motion of Ald. Garratt, the flag
over the city hall was ordered raised at half-mast, in respect of the late Dr. J. H. Wilson, who was an alderman for

some years. Mr. Hicks was granted permission to retain a sign projecting over the side-walk in front of his shop on Dundas

street. Major Southall, of the Salvation Army, addressed the committee in support of a petition to rescind a bylaw preventing the army from holding open air meetings on the street corners. London stood alone in Ontario, he said, in having such a restriction on the army. As an illustration of the work of the army, Major Southall said that among the soldiers in this corps there

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were ten persons who had spent a total AUSPICIOUS of 280 years in drunkenness, and had been converted for a total of 92 years. They had been arrested 64 times before conversion, and now two of the number were church members in the city, five were still in the army, and three

had died while in the army. Some of the aldermen thought there was a likelihood of the meetings frightening horses and otherwise causing a disturbance.

At Ald. Parnell's suggestion the matter was laid over until the city solicitor's opinion could be obtained respecting the repeal of the bylaw. Tenders will be called for providing

100 street signs. The engineer presented specifications schedule, because a 12-minute service The engineer presented specifications would not suit on Dundas street, east for the year's street supplies. An inof Rectory street. The people up there did not want to have to walk three or sidewalks. Heretofore the widths were 4 feet, 5 feet 4 inches, and wider. This and one in the afternoon by Rev. Mr. 4 feet 8 inches in width as well.

Tenders for concrete kerbing will also be a new feature this year. The en-Mr. gineer said he thought the concrete Ald. Doug.ass suggested that Mr. girled said be at least 10 cents of weeks on trial. cheaper than stone. It has never been tried in London.

On motion of Ald. Garratt, tenders will be called for crushed stone, the contractor to run the crusher, keep it

delivery of broken stone. Contractor Gould's account for lumber left in the . sewer on Richmond street was again recommended paid,

the action of last year's committee being confirmed. The engineer will report on H. A

Vincent's claim for damages. The city engineer will report as to the men who have snowplow beats. Ald. Parnell asked if a non-resident of the city was doing a portion of the work in ward 6, and Mr. Graydon said

there was. The chairman was empowered to have the steam roller put in repair. Tenders for the supply of stone are to be in by next Thursday. The pay

sheet, amounting to \$217 15, was passed.

The Sewer Committee. The special sewer committee met subsequently for organization. Ald. Douglass nominated Ald. McPhillips as char-

man

Ald. Parnell thought it mere child's play to have two chairman over what was practically one committee. The one chairman would do, and he moved that Ald. Douglass preside. Ald. Wilkey agreed with Ald. Parnell.

The mayor said that matter should have been fought out in the council meeting. Ald. McPhillips was elected. The resignation of Engineer Ashbridge was received and filed. Mr. Ashbridge has returned to Toronto and opened a consulting office. The

city engineer reported that the present staff were capable of attending to the engineering work. At Ald. Wilkey's suggestion the committee will go over the whole system in company with Mr. Chipman. They will also visit the sewage farm at the asy-lum, and notify Superintendent Bucke that they are coming.

Entertained by Ald. Douglass. Subsequently Ald. Douglass, chairman of the board of works, entertained the members of the committee to supper at the Western Hotel, where a very pleasant hour was spent. When full justice had been done to the good things provided by Host Jennings, a heart vote of thanks was tendered Ald. Douglass for his hospitality on motion of Ald. Parnell and McPhillips. The chairman made a happy reply, expressing confidence that the greatest harmony would prevail at the meetings of the board throughout the year, and that they would work for the best in-terests of the citizens at large.

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## **INAUGURATION**

Of the New St. John's Church, at Aughrim.

The new St. John's Church, Aughrim, was opened by the Bishop of Huron on Sunday, Jan. 15. The services were conducted by the Bishop of Huron, Rev. W. Craig, of Christ Church, Petrolia, and Rev. H. R. Diehl, rector of the parish. Two impressive sermons were preached in the morning and evening by the bishop,

The choir of St. Matthew's Church, Florence, under the leadership of Mr. H. J. Jerome, provided excellent music. At every service the building was taxed to its utmost capacity, many, in the evening, being unable to gain an en-

The building is a most handsome one, in architecture, being strictly ecclesi-astical, and the furnishings are chaste, rich and complete in every respect. For its size and cost it is not excelled in beauty by any church in Western

Ontario.

The plans and specifications were drawn by the architects, Moore & Henry, London, and these were well carried out by the contractors, Gillespie & Clifford, of Alvinston and Aughrim, respectively. The windows are the work of the Hobbs Manufacturing Company, London, and the pews that of the Globe Furniture Company, Walkerville. The furnace was placed in position by the Hilburn Company, of Preston. The organ is made by the Karn Company, of Woodstock. The handsome communion table is the work of Mr. Lewis Hahn, of New Hamburg. The pulpit and prayer desk are of brass, and are of excellent workmanreflecting great credit upon the manufacturers, the Dennis Wire Company, London. The sweet-toned bell was procured from the Blymyer Company, Cincinnati.

The three small windows in front of

the church were presented, one by Rev. L. W. Diehl, Ailsa Craig; a second by Rev. Geo. Elliott, of Glencoe, and the third by Rev. C. Gunne, of Parkhill; while the first window at the side, on the southeast corner, was presented by Miss Lyle Flint, of London. The two silver collection plates were presented by St. Matthew's Sunday school, Florence. The two handsome church chairs were the present of Miss H. Browniee and Mrs. J. Johnston. Rev. W. F. Brownlee, of Granton, presented the congregation with a very handsome communion service, while Miss Clara Johnston made the choir a present of several chant books and hymnal companions.

The size of the building is 60x30 feet. having a chancel of 141/2x16 feet. seating capacity is 165, and cost, with all appurtenances, \$3,500, the greatest satisfaction of all being that there is a debt of only \$104 upon it. The rector and congregation are to be highly congratulated on the result of their efforts, and especially with the free-will offerings of the Sunday services, which amounted in all to \$326.
On Monday evening, the 16th, a most

instructive and interesting lecture was given by Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, rector of Christ Church, London, the subject being, "How to Make the Most of Life." Although the night was dark and wet and the roads almost impassable, there was a good attendance present, all of whom were highly de-lighted and edified with the thoughts brought out by the speaker. The lecture is a most spicy one, and from the be-ginning to the close the attention of the audience was riveted to the sub-ject in hand. A collection of \$20 was taken at the close.

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