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Births, Marriages, Deaths

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will parade for annual inspection in review order at the drill
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The estimated cost of the work is \$360, of which \$190 is to be provided out of the general funds of the muni-A court of revision will be held on 4 p.m., at the city hall, in the said city

Thursday, the 7th day of July, 1898, at for the purpose of hearing complaints against the proposed assessment or accuracy of the frontage measure-ments, or any other complaints which persons interested may desire to make, and which is by law cognizable by the court. City Clerk's Office, June 17, 1898.

61u v C. A. KINGSTON, City Clerk.

PAID THE BILL

British Bering Sea Claims

Settled. Washington, June 17 .- The claims of the Canadian sealers arising out of seizures made by the United States in the Bering Sea were finally settled yesterday by the payment to Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, of approximately \$473,000, being the full amount of the claims, as settled under an agreement between the United States and Great Britain.

LOCUST PEST

Feared That the Plague Will Be General Next Year.

Winnipeg, June 17.-It is reported that the Rocky Mountain locusts have made their appearance in small sections in Southwestern Manitoba. They are the same as the hoppers that overran the country in 1874-5, and at different periods previously. The insects are doing great damage in the Dakotas, and it is feared the plague will be general next year. The state entomologist of Minnlesota has issued warnings to farmers, after making an inspection of the Dakotas at the solicitation of the Northern Pacific Railway officials, to adopt every means of destroying the eggs that will be deposited this year, by plowing their land deep, fire, etc.

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Bombarding The Batteries Bequillul Teeth

Sampson's Ships Have Another Go at the Forts

Guard the Entrance to That Santiago Harbor.

One Totally Knocked Out the World from Key West says: An and Others Smashed.

Steps Taken to Release Hobson and His Comrades.

Stampede of 3,000 Mules and and Horses at Tampa.

Left for Manila to Prevent Dewey From Bombarling the

On Board the Associated Press Dispatch Boat Dauntless, off Santiago de Cuba, Thursday, June 16-Navy, via miral Sampson's fleet bombarded the batteries at Santiago de Cuba for the hours the ships pounded the batteries only sparing El Morro, where Lieut. Hobson and his companions of the Merrimac are in prison. The western batteries against which the main assault was directed, were badly wrecked. One was utterly destroyed. In

others many guns were dismounted. At first the Spaniards replied wildly, but impotently. Then most of the guns were deserted. Not a ship was struck, nor a man injured on the American

It is believed that the enemy's loss of

life was heavy. Coffee was served the men at half past 3 in the morning, and with the first blush of dawn the men were called quietly to quarters. The ships steamed in five-knot speed to a 3,000 yards range, when they closed up broadside on until a distance of three

cable lengths separated them. They were strung out in the form of a crescent, the heavy fighting ships in the center, the flagship on the right flank and the Massachusetts on the left flank. The line remained stationary throughout the bombardment. In fifteen minutes one western batery was completely wrecked. The Massachusetts tore a gaping hole in the emplacement with a thousand pound projectile and the Texas dropped a shell into the powder magazine. The explosion wrought terrible havoc. The frame was lifted, the sides were blown out and a shower of debris flew in every direction. One timber, car-

ried out of the side of the battery, went tumbling down the hill. The loss of life must have been great. The batteries on the East of Morro were harder to get at, but the New Orleans crossed the bows of the New York to within 500 yards of shore and played a tattoo with her long 8-inch rifles, hitting them repeatedly, striking

gun squarely muzzle on, lifting it off its trunnions and sending it sweeping measures against such agents of Amsomersaults in the air. When the order came at 6:30 to cease firing, every gun of the enemy had been silenced for ten minutes, but as the ships drew off some of the Spanish-

courage returned and a half shots were fired spitefully at the Massachusetts and Oregon, falling in their wakes.

At the close of the action a stream of multi-colored flags floated from the New York, generally complimenting the ships, and especially commending the work of the Texas and New Orleans. The men of the New Orleans raised a cheer, which was passed quickly on from ship to ship, untif every jackie in the fleet was howling himself hoarse.

The destruction and death at the western batteries must have been appalling. Many of the guns had been mounted during the last two days. From this it is inferred that Admiral Cervera had given up all hope of ex-tricating himself from the trap in which he is caught, and had removed the guns from some of his ships to

strengthen the land defenses. Admiral Sampson is highly gratified with the results of the bombardment. He thinks the western batteries practically demolished. As some of the guns on the eastern batteries did not fire, he thinks it possible they were

only dummies. The only regret expressed it that Lieut. Hobson and his men by their presence in El Morro made it sacred. Otherwise it would now be a pile of

The number of shots fired is not known when this dispatch is sent. Judged from a position near the flagship, which during the bombardment, with several interruptions, fired 208 shots, 35 from her 8-inch guns, 134 from her 4-inch guns, and 39 from her 6pounders, probably no fewer than 5,000 projectiles were fired, of a total weight of half a million pounds. CARDENAS BLOCK-HOUSES DE-

STROYED.

auxiliary cruiser reports a bombardment near Cardenas this morning. The Americans were determined to destroy three or four blockhouses which were being erected. The American ships went close in, according to the auxiliary cruiser, and peppered the blockhouses, which did not re-spond. The bombardment did not last

TO RELEASE HOBSON. Washington, June 17.-Capt. Nicol Ludlow, commander of the monitor Terror, sailed from Key West this morning for Havana on a tug flying a flag of truce, to arrange for the exchange of Lieut. Hobson and the crew German Admiral Said to Have of the Merrimac. As soon as the Madrid government had authorized Gen Blanco to make the exchange of the Americans for the Spanish prisoners, orders were sent to Capt. Ludlow to proceed to Havana to make arrangements for the exchange. CRITICISM OF THE CUBANS WELL

ANSWERED. Washington, June 17 .- The work of the Cubans in reinforcing the marines Kingston, Jamaica, June 17 .- Rear-Ad- at Guantanamo, and particularly in occupying Acerraderos, is receiving unstinted praise from officials here Senor Quesada and the Cuban offithird time at daylight yesterday. For | cials also feel much satisfaction. Mr. Quasada said today that the Cubans had not seen fit to reply to criticisms at the right and left of the entrance, current during the last few weeks, as to the ineffectiveness of the Cuban soldiers, as they knew the criticisms were due to ignorance of the careful plans, largely matured at Washington. by which the Cuban forces were to execute their part of the well-considered programme. "But now that the Cuban flag is flying over Acerraderos," continued Mr. Quesada, "all the criticisms are answered. Acerraderos is but 15 or 20 miles west of Santiago de Cuba, and is the port for the great iron and copper mines of the lo-

GERMAN INTERFERENCE.

London, June 17 .- According to a special dispatch from Shanghai, Admiral Von Diedrich left Nagasaki, Japan, for Manila, with special instructions from Berlin to prevent Admiral Dewey from bombarding the city, and also because consul the Caroline Islands as a coaling station in case operations should be

undertaken against Manila. The Berlin correspondent of the Times, after quoting the Berliner Post and other official papers, and insinuating that some foreign power is trying to sow dissension betwen Germany and America, says: Why does not the official agency condemn the statements of the Maritime Politische Correspondiez, that Germany is hoping the outcome of the presence of her squadron at the Philippines may be the possession of a harbor? Why not do this, instead of at-

tacking foreign journals? The Vienna correspondent of the Times says: There is every probability that Austria will continue to maintain her neutrality. Such reports as to Austria's impatience for mediation are

completely void of foundation. El Imparcial says the government will shortly take steps against "American spies residing in Madrid and the provinces, who pretend to be English correspondents," and the paper adds that it is very probable "that the government will speedily adopt rigorous

erica's interests." A STAMPEDE AT FLORIDA. which several lives may have been lost, occurred here last night among the horses and mules belonging to the army, corralled near the camp of the Second New York, Fifth Maryland and First District of Columbia volunteers. The camps are near the business part of the city. At midnight it could not be ascertained if any men were killed how many were wounded. The night was very dark and the camps in great confusion. The stampede started from some mysterious cause about 10 o'clock. More than three thousand mules and horses made a wild dash, breaking the fences of their corral and charging through the camp. Most of the men were in bed, and before they could receive the slightest warning many were under the feet of the animals. The soldiers attempted to break the stampede by firing a volley of shots, but this only made matters worse. The camps of several regiments were destroyed.

In Spain. HOT FOR THE CORRESPONDENTS

New York June 17.-A dispatch to

the World from Madrid says: The position of American residents and correspondents is becoming critical. The press has thought fit to denounce them so persistently as spies, that the authorities are said to be on the point in this matter, as in so many others. of giving way to the dictation and outcry of the press. Expulsion is the mildest step threatened, while "severe repression" is coolly insinuated. majority of the correspondents are not American citizens, but Spaniards, Englishmen, Germans and Irishmen. The Spanish newspapers display intense animosity towards all foreign correspondents, maliciously calling the attention of the authorities to the presence of several correspondents in Cadiz, Algecerras and Ferrol, denouncing the English correspondents as quite as bad as the Americans. It is interesting to note that at the same New York, June 17 .- A dispatch to time all the Madrid papers publish

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telegrams from their special representatives at Washington, New York, Tampa and Key West. A dispatch from Madrid says: Capt. Aunon's visit to Cadiz was with a

view of emperimenting at sea with a new and py verful explosive shell which liberates poisonous gas."

THE LATEST BUGABOO. The Gibraltar correspondent of the Daily News says: "There is great indignation here at the American threat to bombard Cadiz. As for the rumor that Spain has sold the Philip pines to Germany, there have been s. many irregularities in the war thaone more would not matter. So sa, the Spaniards. The German view given vent to here is this: President Mckinley never wanted the war not did any members of his cabinet want It was the politicians, the jobbers behind the scenes, and some philan-thropists, who dragged the president into war and have forced him as far as he has gone. The taking of Manila by the Germans would enable him to say to the war party: "What did I tell you? Are you going to try conclusions with the Germans, the Russians, and possibly the French? No. It would throw the development of

the United States back too far to do THE PHANTOM CADIZ FLEET. Gibraltar, June 17 .- The captain of a German steamer which arrived here this morning reports having sighted the Spanish Cadiz fleet off Centa, north coast of Africa, about opposite and miles south by southeast of Gibraltar, yesterday evening. The warships, it is added, were going in az easterly direction. The fleet consisted of two battleships, four large cruisers, and four

large torpedo boat destroyers. SAMPSON'S COMMENTS. Off Santiago de Cuba, Thursday, June 16, per the Associated cress dispatch boat Dauntless, via Kingston, Jamaica, Friday, June 17.-While Rear Admiral Sampson, on the bridge of the flagship New York, watched the bombardment of Santiago de Cuba this morning, he saw two guns of the eastern battery apparently in position. He stopped the New York, as she was going back to her blockading position, and personally directed the firing of the eight-inch guns at these marks. Admiral Sampson, after the bombardment, said: "I do not believe there is much Capt.-Gen. Augusti offered the German left of the western battery. It got a great hammering this morning. The eastern fortifications were harder to hit. I think some of the guns we see there are Quakers. I wish Hobson and his fellows were not in Morro Castle We would knock that down were it not for that reason. I suppose the Spaniards deserted their guns soon after our fire opened. It would not do them any good to stay thee."

FIGHT AT MANILA.

Heavy Losses Inflicted on the Spaniards.

Insurgents Claim to Have Taken 3.000

Prisoners. London, June 17 .- The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says: The news from Manila is most unfavorable. and has made a corresponding impres-Misgivings are felt for the safety of Gen. Montejo at the hands of a strong column operating some dis-Tampa, June 17. - A stampede, in tance from the coast. It is said that many foreign residents, with their families and valuables, have taken refuge on British, French and German war vessels, while others have left for China and Japan. Most of the papers express a fear that the next news will be of the fall of Manila. The whole question, in the eyes of the Spaniards, is whether Admiral Dewey can prevent Aguinaldo from committing hostilities against Manila until the American reinforcements arrive, previous to which it is supposed he will have to allow European war vessels to co-operate in the difficult task of maintaining order

and saving Manila from the masses of insurgents.

A FIERCE FIGHT. New York, June 17.-The Journal has the following from Hong Kong: The most severe and important battle since Admiral Dewey's annihilation of the Spanish fleet has occurred at Manilo. One thousand insurgents attacked 2,000 Spanish, inflicting heavy losses and almost forcing the entrance to the city. The insurgents under Gen. Aguinaldo

and the American sailors and marines (Continued on page 5.)

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done once it will do again. The Fly is a bald-headed fact.

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Slip Through Their Fingers.

St. Thomas Defeats the Leaders in a 13-Innings Game.

Even Saginaw Captures One From Hamilton.

Toronto and Montreal Were Both on the Losing Side Yesterday.

London Horses Won at Woodstock-Turf Events at Detroit, Port Huron and Other Points-Sporting News of All Sorts.

BASEBALL.

LOST AGAIN. At Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon about 200 of the faithful welcomed the Londons back from their week of woe. The faithful left the grounds disappointed disgusted, disgruntled and despairing. It was certainly exasperating. The Londons tainly exasperating. The Londons pulled themselves out of the hole by prodigious effort, and then dropped They had victory in their mit, but the shock was too great, and they couldn't hold it. They're not used to it. It has only come their way twice in the last fourteen games. For the first seven innings yesterday there was the same appalling decrepitude with the bat. They had two hits, one a scratch. In the eighth came a startling streak. Smith and Keenan singled, and then Grimshaw banged a home run into the right field, tying the score. The crowd nearly fainted. In the tenth Keenan got a double and Grimshaw placed a ball in the same spot for a triple. This was excellent, but the team should have begun its stick work sooner. In the third inning, Reuning, Sanders and Carson filled the bases, with no one out, and hopes were high. Meara popped a fly to third, Smith was retired on a little foul fly, and Keenan flied to left

field. Not a run was scored. Carson started off bravely, striking out four men in the first three innings. In the fourth, Boland's charity, Frisk's single and Meek's triple scored two In the sixth McKevitt's triple and Meek's single gave them a third. In the next three innings only nine men faced Carson. In the tenth inning the visitors had to make one run to tie the score. Habel and Tibald, the first two men, were retired on flies, and the Port Hurons began packing their kit Quinn knocked a hot grounder, which went straight through Keenan's legs. Then Boland and Frisk singled, tying the score. McKevitt's double finished the deed. The score:

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Stolen bases-Howells. Two base hits-Keenan. Three base hits-Grimshaw. McKevitt 2, Meeks. Home run Base on balls-By Carson 2, by Habel 1. Struck out-By Car- | Batteries-Yerkes and Boyd; Hem-

Sir Henry Irving says :

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The Londons Let the Game | son .8, by Habel 2. Sacrifice hit-Mc-Kevitt. Left on bases-London 8, Port Huron 6. Umpire-Mr. Sheppard. Time -1:54. NOTES.

> Shooting the chute. The boys are sliding so fast they must be dizzv. Umpire Sullivan was off on balls and strikes. He has a great voice.

Crimshaw was nearly the whole thing yesterday. He is batting like a-a real ball player.
If Port Huron wins today London

goes to fifth place. How are the mighty Talk about the Londons needing ginger!-they handle the bat too gin-

gerly altogether. The attendance was miserable for the opening of a series. And it will remain so until the team plays ball. Pop Smith doesn't make much noise or stir. The Port Hurons chatter all

They should be dubbed Murphy's Magpies. If Jo Jo had stopped that grounder the tale would have been different. Carson seemed to give up after that. He had been pitching a fine game, striking out eight men.

DOWNED THE LEADERS. St. Thomas, June 17 .- It took the locals thirteen innings to down the leaders here yesterday. Both teams played good ball, some of the plays being of the phenomenal and sensational order, setting the crowd crazy with excitement. The visitors started out with a rush, scoring three runs in the second by Rodden's error off Royce's hot grounder, Conklin's single and Nor-dike's home run. But after this inning they only managed to reach home once. Sutthoff pitched a wonderful game, Bay City only securing ten hits in thirteen innings, and these were well scattered. Damouth also did good work for the visitors. In the ninth he retired in favor of Watkins, who showed his wonderful ability as a twirler. In the remaining five innings only two hits were secured off his shoots. The home team won the game in the mirteenth. After Sheehan had been retired, Keuhne was passed; Nordike fumbled Busse's grounder, and Pears hit for two bases, sending both Keuhne and Busse home. The visitors failed to score in the other half.

The score: St. Thomas. 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-6 10 3 Bay City.... 0 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 -4 10 3 Sutthoff and Baker; Damouth, Watkins and Sullivan. Umpire, Dailey. Attendance, 900.

SAGINAW DEFEATED HAMILTON. Hamilton, June 17.-Hamilton and Eaginaw put up a great game of ball yesterday. Hamilton had the best of it It was a pitchers' battle. Only two hits and threw it out of the fielder's way. games. Hamilton got six hits, of which Pitcher McCann himself made made three. In eye is not good today." the second inning two sank errors by Strowger and McCann gave Saginaw two runs and the game. The score:

Hamilton0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0-2 6 4 Batteries - Hagerman and Lafleur; McCann, Bradford and Conwell. Twobase hit-Hagerman. Sacrifice hits-Reed. Jones, Congalton. First on balls-By Hagerman 1, by McCann 4. Hit by pitched ball—By McCann 1. Struck out-By McCann 5. Passed ball-Con-Umpire-Mr. McNeirney. Time-

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Braltimore 6 10 2 Baltimore 6 10

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and Chance; Hawley and Vaughn. At New York-New York 9 Philadelphia 3 7

Batteries—Seymour and Warner; Piatt and McFarland. At Boston-

Batteries-Nichols and Bergen; Weyhing and Maguire. A SAGINAW SOB. Saginaw News: The fans in this city would dislike to see any of the old men on the team leave, but for heaven's

can win ball.

A number of London ball cranks are thinking of moving to St. Thomas for The Saints have fought the pluckiest

fight in the league.

They say there is an epidemic of sore throat in St. Thomas after yesterday's game. St. Thomas has shattered the Bay City idol.

Even poor old Saginaw can win game sometimes. The Londons are trying hard to oust Saginaw out of sixth place. Thirteen is no unlucky number in St.

Thomas hereafter. Hamilton Herald: Those London chaps can ginger up and play ball once in a while themselves. Hamilton and London don't meet again until July 18, 19 and 20. This is

good news for London. Harry Wilson, late of London, is now substitute catcher for Baltimore. Bay City has signed a new pitcher, He is C. H. Watkins, for so long the coach of the University of Michigan team, and a man Vanderbeck, of Detroit, has been after for years.

The Saginaw Courier-Herald says Saginaw is anchored at the bottom. Cheer up, old man! London will keep you company. Hamilton Spectator: Jo-Jo, fne King

of Ireland, is a funny little fellow. . . . yesterday. Hamilton had the best of it except in one inning, but Saginaw won.

It was a pitchers' battle. Only two hits management is dickering with a new were made off McCann, Hamilton's pitcher, and both were made by Under-than to try and steal bases on Reunwood, but Hagerman got a two-base hit ing. The Hamiltons made 42 wood, but Hagerman got a two-base hit on a fly that struck the limb of a tree hits off the London pitchers in three hits off the London pitchers in three

Detroit, Mich., June 17 .- Alice Far-

3 2 ley, who won the Michigan Wednesday, came out again at Highland Park yesterday afternoon and captured mile event from the best field that went to the post. Summary: First race, 6 furlongs-Lennep 1, Judge Wardell 2, Takanassee 3. Time, 1:141/2. Second race, ½ mile-1, Contravene 2, Amah 3. mile-Ocie Brooks

Third race, selling, 6 furlongs-Ray H. 1, Jim Flood 2, Belsara 3. Fourth race, 7 furlongs, seiling Onalaska 1, Laureatta 2, Lottie Hunter 3 Time, 1:29%. Fifth race, 1 mile-Alice Farley

Our Johnny 2, Horace 3. Time, 1:42. SOME OF THURSDAY'S WINNERS. At Harlem, Ill.-Little Singer, Judge Wilcox, Tit for Tat, Goldie, Tune Maher and Warren Point. At St. Louis, Mo. - Genua, Shield Bearer, Kiss Me, Dr. Sam, Montgomery

and David. At Latonia, Ohio - Covington, Beau, Komurasaki, Mazo, Alleviate and Boardmarker.

AT WOODSTOCK. Woodstock, Ont., June 17.-The clos-

weather and good attendance. Sum-2:27 trotters and 2:20 pacers; \$250:

Palmer, Richmond Hill5 6 5 3

B. McCarthy, Thamesford 3 3 7 8 Time—2:25½, 2:24½, 2:28½, 2:29¼. 11/8 miles run; \$125: Dogma, Burns, London Mediator, Geo. Hood, Woodstock 2 Cricket, Jas. Hayward, Eastwood... Marcellina (fouled Dogma)dis

Texas Minnie, C. R. Polla-

RACING AT PORT HURON. At Wednesday's races at the Port Huron driving park, one race left unfinished and the three events on Thursday's card were disposed of. Canadian mare Lotus won the 2:30 trot. The 2:35 trot went to the Toronto entry, after dropping the first heat. For the 2:30 pace Lotus carried off the

prize. The summaries: 2:20 pace, purse \$300: sake, Manager Black, get a team that | Lena F., ch. m. 9 9 6 Katie Carver, b. m.11 11 dr Time—2:19¼, 2:19¼, 2:19½, 2:19¼.

2:35 trot, purse \$300: Hattie R., b. m.2

Lady Richmond, b. m. 5 6 ds Time—2:25¼, 2:27¼, 2:26¼, 2:24¼. 2:30 pace, purse \$300: Holland Boy, b. g. 1 4 4 2

Roy Golddust 6 6 dr Fred T. Moron, g. g......ds White Line, ch. g. ds Time—2:22¼, 2:21¼, 2:26¼, 2:25¼.

Free-for-all trot, purse \$300: Dick French, ch. g. 3 4 Mad River Bell, b. m. 6

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, June 17 .- Sandia, the Lorillard-Beresford stables' 4-year-old brown gelding, won the second year of 35th new biennial stakes at Ascot. Lord Rosebery's Tom Cringle and Sir Tatton Sykes' La Ferr ran a dead heat for second place.

The gold cup, value 1,000 sovereigns,

to Umpire McNeirney: "Your chestnut colt Elf II., Mr. Dobell's The 4 to 6 in favor of Seafort" Rush second, and Mr. P. Torterolo's Captouche III. third.

The Rous memorial stakes was won by Mr. Fairies' 4-year-old bay colt Eager; the Lorillard-Beresford stables' Sandia second, Mr. McCalmont's Argossy third.

TWO STAKES OF \$10,000 EACH. New York, June 17 .- Although there were two \$10,000 stakes to be run off at Gravesend yesterday, the attendance was surprisingly small. The Tremont stakes, for two-year-olds, was the first of the pair, and the crack two-year-old was at the great odds Jean Beraud of 2 to 5, Frohsinn being the favorite. start was good, and Kingdom went to the front at once. He made

the running, with Jean Beraud and Frohsinn following as far as the turn, into the stretch, when Jean Beraud shot to the front, and it looked to be all over. On the last furlong, however, Sims came with a rush on Frohsinn. and Sloan had to drive Jean Beraud hard to win by a neck. Summary: Tremont stakes, \$10,000, 6 furlongs-Jean Beraud won by a neck, Frohsinn second by two lengths, Kingdom third. Time, 1:15. Miller and Croker also ran.

Then came the Brooklyn Derby, with Previous as the favorite, at 2 to 5, and The Huguenot at 2 to 1. The other three were at any price. At the fall of the flag, Previous and The Huguenot ing day of the trotting races had good started out at a slow pace, and kept it WHAT IS YOUR

her cleaning. If her hand is rough, wrinkled and shrunken, it shows she is still using the old soap and soda combination.

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up for three-quarters of a mile, when the racing began. Sloan took Previous to the front, going up the back stretch, and kept him there till they came into the stretch, when The Huguenot went past him like a shot and won, pulled up, by three lengths. Summary: Brooklyn Derby, \$10,000, 11/2 miles-4 The Huguenot, 122 (Spencer), 2 to 1 and 1 to 4, won by three lengths; Previous, 117 (Sloan), 2 to 5 and out, second by ten lengths; Latson, 117 (Littlefield), 60 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time, 2:371/4. Central Trust and Handball also ran.

The other winners were Mr. Clay, Semper Ego, Bona Dea and Forget. LACROSSE.

AT SEAFORTH. In the junior C. L. A., the Excelsiors with 1,000 sovereigns in specie in addition, was won by M. J. de Bremond's of Seaforth there last evening. Score, of Mitchell played the Junior Beavers

> THE CYCLOMETER HABIT. [From the Baltimore American.]

Pumping a tire is popularly supposed by wheelmen to be the one piece of work in connection with a bicycle that is most conducive to perspiration, but a stout man in an uptown club says he has discovered something that is worse, and he recommends it as being better for reducing flesh than pumping tires, banting or sawing wood. This, he says, is the job of fitting a cyclometer to the front fork so that it will work properly. He tells a story of having worked for more than an hour putting on his cyclometer, and then finding that it would not work. He is not the first man to have trouble of the kind, but in this instance the sufferer tells a sequel to his experience that has more than a humorous suggestiveness. After he had reduced his weight a couple of pounds working at the cyclometer a friend came along and tried to soothe his feelings by advising him to start in and take off the little instrument whose adjustment had caused the original agony. The adviser advanced an argument substantially as follows: "If you put that thing on and get

in the habit of keeping tab on it, you will become a haggard and fiendish scorcher. You will develop cyclomania, have insomnia, lose your business and all your friends. Now you are a healthy and sensible rider. warned in time and take off that cylometer. I speak from experience and seriously. If you have it on your life will become wrapped up in watching the record on it grow. You will neglect your family and everything else in order to swell the record. I was a rational, genteel rider until the idea took possession of me that as I rode a great deal I should be able to my mileage for the season, and I got a cyclometer, which I flattered myself would be a nice thing. I thought I was riding an average of 80 or 100 miles a week. My cyclometer would not show any such average, and so, in order to salve my pride, I felt obliged to ride enough extra to make it show what I had boasted of to myself and a few others. When I got up to the stated average I became amitious to get a mileage record. I rode nights and early in the mornings. neglected my business and associates o get off alone with that cyclometer. In order to gain time I took to scorching. If I had not been mercifully run into and had the infernal device with its record smashed to pieces, I would now be in an asylum. There is all the difference in the world between riding with and without a cyclometer. Some can resist their temptations, while others cannot. My only hope is to

shun them, and therefore I give you warning solemnly." The stout man says he has let his cyclometer remain adjusted and has since been trying to make up his mind whether he was being "jollied" or had listened to words of wisdom. He was inclined to the former belief, but upon inquiring into the matter found several friends who have fallen victims to this cyclometer habit.

SUBESQUENT.

Bronson-My poor old grandmother s dead, and her parrot died the next day.

Dalley-Very strange! The poor bird died of grief, I suppose?
Bronson-No, I killed it with

A CANADIAN PATRIARCH. [Mount Forest Representative.] In another column of this issue will be seen the notice of a birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McNeil, of Mount Forest. This makes the 23rd child of which Mr. McNeil is the proud father. He has been twice married, his first wife having had eleven children and his present wife twelve.

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HORRORS AT LAKE BENNET

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Another most interesting letter has reached The Advertiser from Mr. Frank A. Herring, formerly of Fullarton otreet, this city, and this is the last he expects to write until he reaches Dawson City: The letter is as follows:

Lake Bennett, May 22. I am writing you again, as I have a few spare moments. I often wonder if my letters have been received in London. The man whom we have been trusting to receive and deliver letters has been arrested at Sheep Camp for opening the mail. Many men have been sending letters containing money to their friends, and as there is no postoffice or chance for registration, they of 2-inch pine plank, and very strong;

The war excites these Yankees. We have some hot times in our town. A paper of any kind sells for 25 cents. We do not work nearly so hard as when we were packing. I do not mind the work in the least, although a few months ago I should have considered even this extremely hard. The most dangerous and difficult part of the work now is packing, or hauling timber from the mountains to the boatyard. We climb to the mountain top, get our timber or logs, and pitch them into a gulch below, where there is several feet of snow. Then we descend. dig them out. but them on the pit, and haul or pack them to out boat-yard. I can work now with the very best of the men. An average strong man cannot stand the climbing or walking, but I am away ahead of the "average" now, and can do the work with little trouble or weariness. I have hob-nails in my leather shoes, and find them a benefit in climbing and walking. Last Sunday we did not work, but all tt-tended the funeral of a brother Mason. The poor fellow died after a few hours' intense suffering from injuries received while at work.

ACCIDENTS AND MURDERS. The other day a dog team came running full speed into camp, and on the sled was a poor fellow dead. The same day the Indians shot and killed two men for their outfits. The Northwest Wallace Mounted Police arrested, tried and gether. found the Indians guilty, and they are to be hanged on May 23. Today the ice and snow is very soft on the lake. One man fell in and two other fellows went him they fell in, and all three were drowned. It is a treat for a day to pass over without someone being

BEAUTY AND COMFORT. This is a city of tents. It is quite a pretty sight at night to see the white

Eacrett's Bazaar

Specials for Saturday and Monday:

We have a few more Screen Doors and Windows in some a grand master, a colonel of guards, of sizes and will sell the balance miral, a Highlander, a Trinity brother, of the Doors at 60c, complete a barrister, a bencher and an English with hinges and screws, which and the orders of them all. is 5c cheaper than we sold them last week. This is a positive loss to us, but we will clean them out at this price. We also have a few more Screen Windows, 36 inches wide, former price 35c; we will sell the balance at 20c. We have had a special run on our \$1 89 Chamber Sets and will sell them next week at \$150. No. 8 Copper Bottom Boilers for 80c-these are McClary's make. Preserving season is just on. Now we have a nice line of Granite Preserving Kettles which we will sell from 25c up to 85c-best goods. Gem Jars at the very lowest prices. Glass Fruit Nappies. 15c per half dozen. Tumblers, 15c per half dozen. Toilet Soaps of all kinds; 3 large cakes Castile for 5c; 3 large cakes Hyacinth, in a box, for 10c. 3 bars Laundry Soap, 5c. Sweet Home Soap 6 for 25c. Four-Ball Croquet. 75c.

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mass gleaming in the moonlight when everything is very quiet and still. I have my tent fixed up very nicely; the boys all call it the drawing-room, no dogs are allowed into it. I made a bunk of slabs and poles, then put on pine and birch bows (for a feather ped), then spread my rubber blanket, then my big soft robe, then a double blanket, then lie down, spread a blan-ket and pull one-half the robe over me. I have a lovely bed, and either smoke, sleep or read to my heart's content. It is light here nearly all the time-in fact it is never really dark. We can see to read at 11 p.m. and at

DEAD HORSES IN HEAPS.

I had a hard time today and am very tired tonight, and my feather bed feels good. I took five good dogs and pulled a load of slabs and poles into camp. For the past five days I have been watching a poor old horse trying to climb the mountain for feed, but he will never reach the top. The Northwest Mounted Police today collected 56 horses and put them on a bier and burned them. A horse dies and by morning all that is left of him is his shape. Horses' heads and feet lie all over the town, and even in our front streets. Dogs drag them home. never feed our dogs now, and they are as fat as they can be.

DANGER AHEAD. The chief talk now is the danger of the rapids, and we fear for the many hundreds of small boats. We have two large scows just finished today, 40 feet long on top, 28 feet on bottom, 10 feet 8 inches wide, and 4 feet deep, all made had to trust to man's honesty. The so I do not have the slightest fear for Northwest Mounted Police have ta- us shooting the rapids. We are sure ken hold of it, and now I feel sure you to come out on top. We have men of will get them.

rapids going with us as guides. Well, today the poor old starving horse I've been watching for days died on the mountain side, and his carcass rolled down to the foot, or

CHARITABLE MASONS. The Masons held a meeting tonight for the purpose of deciding what should be done with the graves of brother Masons who have died or been killed, at which 120 attended, and all volunteered to help in some way. A subscription was taken up, and quite a sum collected. It is to be left here as a Masonic fund for Masons who are in want or distress. The chairman of the meeting was an Englishman, and all nations were represented, even to Africa and India. I feel it a grand privilege to be able to call a brother

to one's side if in trouble or in need of

a friend at any time.

MASONIC GRAVEYARD. May 23.-Today all the Masons met at the graves of the poor unfortunate fellows, and we made a graveyard; that is, fenced in a lot 150 feet square, each man taking a post, plank, hammer or tools of some kind. Each post was marked by the giver, and all countries were represented, so now there is a graveyard, and the first one at Lake Bennett. The The

MORTALITY AMONG WOMEN. A woman died here yesterday of spinal meningitis. Ten out of every at once involved. The loss altogether twelve deaths are due to this disease. will amount to \$2.500 aid, and while trying to help Three funerals in one day this week, and all from the same cause.

Wallaceburg boys and I worked to-

ON MOUNTAIN TOPS. I have just returned from the mountain top, one two miles high. It was a glorious sight, and I enjoyed it immensely. I have gathered some plants and flowers and sent home. How I wished for my friends to be there to enjoy the beautiful sight. It seemed to strange to see plants, flowers and shrubs in bloom so beautifully, and just below us the snow and

ice covering the ground.

This is a beautiful day, and quite warm. The lake is open for a distance of 20 yards from the edge, and a number of small boats are starting: but we are not in such a hurry, and shall wait three or four days yet. Our boats are finished. We shall live, eat and sleep right on the boats, they are so large and roomy. Tomorrow is the 24th May and we are going to celebrate it right royally. Well, this is my last chance to send a letter until I reach Dawson City, which, if we have a fairly good trip, we hope to do in ten days or two weeks. With

regards, etc., I am yours, F. W. HERRING. PLENTY OF GOOD CLOTHES.

[London Daily Mail.] In the gentle art of changing clothes Fregoli is a child compared with the Prince of Wales. Among other things his royal highness is two princes, two dukes, two field marshals, an earl, a baron, eight knights, a great steward, horse, of foot and of artillery, an adgentleman. And he wears the costumes



starvation howls at the doors of thou-C sands of men who are well to do and sur-rounded by rounded by plenty. Illplenty. Ill-health, in the majority of tion, pure and means that body, brain, nerve, bone and sinew are

improperly or insufficiently nourished. Improper, insufficient nourishment is starvation When a man's head aches it is because the tissues of the brain do not receive sufficient nourishment from the blood, or receive impure and unhealthy nourishment. When a man gets nervous and sleepless, it means that the blood is not properly nour-ishing the nerves. When his skin breaks out with blotches and pimples and erup-tions, it means that the skin is being fed upon the impurities of the blood. Almost

every known disease is primarily due to improper nourishment through the blood, which is the life-stream. Dr. Pierce's which is the life-stream. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the greatest of all blood-makers and purifiers. It gives edge to the appetite, corrects all disorders of the digestion, makers the existing. of the digestion, makes the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food perfect, invigorates the liver, promotes secre-tion and excretion, and vitalizes the whole body. It makes firm, muscular flesh, but body. It makes firm, muscular nesh, but does not make corpulent people more corpulent. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of lingering coughs, bronchial, throat and kindred affections, which, if neglected, lead up to consumption. It is the best of all nerve tonics and restoratives. Kept by

all medicine dealers. all medicine dealers.

"I was taken iil in February, 1892, with headache and pain in my back," writes H. Gaddis, Esq., of 313 South J Street, Tacoma, Wash. "I called in a doctor and he came three times. He said I was bilious but I kept getting worse; I took a cough so that I could not sleep, only by being propped up in bed. My lungs hurt me, and I got so poor that I was just skin and bone. I thought I was going to die. I used two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it made me sound and well. It saved my life."

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Ray & Hawkshaw's Flour Mill at Lucan Burned.

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Belmont Has a Big Blaze-Several People Barely Escape Cremation-Church at Aughrim Burned.

THE LUCAN FIRE.

Lucan, Ont., June 17.-The most disastrous fire the town has known for years occurred this morning, between 1 and 2 o'clock, when Ray & Hawkshaw's large flour mill, together with all the contents, and about 100 cords of wood, were totally consumed. The mill was recently remodeled and refitted with new and improved machinery. The proprietors are young men, who took the business when it was almost a failure, and succeeded in establishing the most prosperous trade in its history. Two thousand bushels of wheat and that much of grain into flour ready for shipment were a total loss. The origin of the fire was in that part of the large engine room farthest from the fireplace, and the circumstances are very suspicious. There is \$4,500 insurance on the building and machinery, the interested companies being the Economical Fire, of Berlin, and the Canadian Millers' Mutual, of Hamilton.

AT BELMONT. Belmont, June 17 .- A disastrous fire occurred in this village early yesterday

About 1 o'clock the villagersl were aroused by cries of "Fire!" and E. S. Fonger's grocery was discovered in flames. The building was owned by Mr. Archie McKellar. Above the store lived family named Winegarden, and in the same building Dr. Arkell had his office and bedroom. The flames spread rapidly, and soon caught on to a shoe store occupied by O. Dean, and dwelling house, occupied by Mr. John Taylor property owned by Mr. James Campbell, which was soon a mass of flames A building belonging to W. T. Winegarden on the north side was also totally destroyed.

Mrs. Winegarden and family barely escaped with their lives, as they occupied rooms immediately above where the fire started. They lost all their effects, and barely escaped in their nightclothes. Dr. Arkell also had a narrow escape, having lost everything but his bicycle and one case of instruments. He had a small insurance of about \$150. James Campbell had his building insured for \$500; A McKellar. \$400. So far the cause of the fire is a mystery. It was by the most heroic efforts that the fire was prevented from crossing the street, which, if it had, there is no telling where it would have ended, as the Masonic Hall, a large store, and a dwelling house would be amount to \$2,500.

All the buildings were of frame, and burned fiercely. There was an east wind blowing, and the residences of W. A. Taylor, W. H. Odell, G. Watcher and A. McKellar, and the Masonic Hall were in great danger. CHURCH AT AUGHRIM DESTROY-

ED. Aughrim, June 17 .- On Friday evening, during the electrical storm, old St. John's Church, Aughrim, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground with all its contents, with e exception of a large Bible and Prayer Book. There was no insurance.

WILL SOON BE GONE

Preparation Being Made to Quit the Camp.

Shooting of the 26th, 27th and 29th-How Cheasley Broke His Arm-Lord Roberts' Bugler in the First

One day more and the four battalions of infantry now encamped on Carling's Heights will take their departure for home. The different sections will be marched off in time to arrive at the depots twenty minutes before trains are due to leave. The several corps will leave as follows:

Twenty-first, Essex Fusiliers, by C. P. R., at 11:25 a.m. Twenty-sixth, Middlesex Light Infantry-No. 1 company, by wagon to Delaware at 8:30 a.m.; No. 2 company by M. C. R., at 9:30 a.m.; No. 3 company, by C. P. R., at 11:25 a.m.; No. 4 company, by wagon, at 8:30 a.m.; No. 5 company, by C. P. R., at 7 a.m. (Adelaide street station); No. 6 company, by G. T. R., at 7:15 a.m.; No. 7 company, by G. T. R. (special), at 8:30 a. m.; No. 8 company, by G. T. R., at 7:50

a.m. (East London station). Twenty-seventh, St. Clair Borderers, by G. T. R. (special), at 8:30 a.m. Twenty-eighth, Perth Battalion, by G. T. R. (special), at 8 a.m.
Twenty-ninth, Waterloo Battalion— Nos. 1, 3 and 6 companies by G. T. R.,

at 7:15 a.m.; Nos. 2, 4 and 5 companies by C. P. R., at 8:30 a.m.. All tents and marquees will be left standing, with curtains down. Valises, pin-bags, mallets and spare pins to be neatly arranged in each tent. Blankets must be properly folded and placed in the valise, with the round part of the fold of each blanket on one side, to facilitate counting.

Before corps are marched off the on departure, all kitchen trenches, refuse pits and other holes must be filled in, all refuse buried or burned, and the ground left clean and tidy. Quartermasters must remain behind to hand in their stores. AT THE BUTTS.

The shooting of the different battalions at the ranges was not so good as expected, but this is accounted for by the heavy rains, winds and disagreeable weather in general. Scores:

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Battalion were: No. 1, 19 per cent; No. 2, 42.96; No. 3, 34.93; No. 4, 49.16; No. 5, 33.45; No. 6, 28.21.

The scores of the Twenty-eighth Battalion have not yet been compiled. Capt. W. Chapman, of No. 4 company, Twenty-seventh Battalion, won the Kingston medal, which was presented by Capt. Kingston in 1874 for the best shot in the company, to be competed for annually. His score was 64, out of NOTES.

Lieut. Kinsman, of the First Hussars, is in the hospital with an injured arm, caused by his horse rolling over

The First Hussars are not without notables. Trumpeter Wigle acted as bugler to Lord Roberts of Kandahar in the jubilee parade in London last year, and sounded the advance for the procession to move. Sergt. Gibbons, "A" squadron, was the right-hand man of the front rank of the Canadian contingent, which headed the procession. Quartermaster Whidden was also present in the front row. Mrs. T. A. Mara, Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Long, and Mr. H. Dignan were the guests of Col. H. A. L. White and Major Moscrip last evening at dinner. The board of officers appointed to examine into the cause of the breaking of Pte. Cheasley's arm, have found that a sergeant of the Twenty-first, in officer's garb, came to Sergt. Rumball, of No. 6 company of the Twenty-sixth and ordered him to turn out his section, as there was a row in the "barracks tent." The section was turned out and marched to a room in which some of the Twenty-first were assembled. Here they were placed under guard and marched into another room, one by one, on to a blanket, which was pulled from under their feet as they stepped on it. Cheasley broke his wrist in the fall, and will be laid up for four or five weeks. All the officers of the Twentyfirst will be brought before the D. O. C. Arrangements are being made for the cavalry to spend Saturday night and Sunday at Delaware.

> BLOW AT FUN. [Pittsburg Dispatch.]

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FOUNDER AND John Cameron.

London, Friday, June 17, 1898.

It is announced that the international commission will commence its sittings In Quetec city on July 1. The Canadian commissioners will in all probability be Premier Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright, and Sir Louis Davies. A pretty

A deaf man, riding a bicycle, was killed at a railway crossing in St. Thomas. The person who is deaf takes nearly as great a risk when he goes wheeling as a blind man would do. The fact is, wheeling requires that a man should be in full possession of all his senses, or he may bring disaster to trimself if not to others.

The American Hebrew takes exception to the statement that Admiral Dewey, the hero of Manila, is an Anglican because his father belonged to that communion. According to Jewish doctrine, this weekly says, the admiral is a Jew unless his mother renounced her faith before his birth. She was a Jewess, and under Jewish law and custom the child follows the religion of the mother.

"Hooley's only asset is an abiding ground floor. faith in the idiocy of his fellow-creatures, and this he declares with cheery frankness will bring him soon to the top again," writes Harold Frederic from London. And Mr. Hooley is banking on just the thing that old P. T. Barnum banked on. It's a grand game and so easy-when you have the nerve.

Is it not an injustice to P. T. Barnum to put him on an equality with from Germany \$6,493,000 worth of goods, party or compel them to remain on stock market exploiters? We are whereas Germany only took from us duty all day at the polls without restock market exploiters? We are aware that the great showman was credited with the assertion that the public dearly loved to be humbugged, and mayhap in his earlier life Phineas drew largely on their credulity. But surely no one can charge him with having in his life work assumed that the public was idiotic in its discrimination. His care to obtain the newest and the best of everything offering in his particular line for the edification and amusement of his patrons put Mr. Barnum in the list of successful merchants who count no labor too great to obtain that which their customers are likely to fancy, and who liberally idvertise their readiness to serve the public to its satisfaction.

to sneer at the Governor-General, be- part of the report of the Bureau, deal-Some uninformed persons were wont cause, they said, he had caused to be ing with the mining industry of the erected at public expense a chapel at Province in the earlier months of the Rideau Hall, in order that he might have Sunday service without mixing with the "vulgar mob." This was an be erected a pretty little place of worship adjoining Government House. But its object was not to promote exclusiveness. Lord and Lady Aberdeen are indeed catholic in their religious sentiments, for they have shown a kindly interest in every denomination that is honestly seeking to do good in the community. But the Governor-General and his Countess have been communicants in a regular Ottawa Presbyterian church ever since their arrival in Canada. The only reason for the construction of the chapel was to provide a place of worship in which the vice-regal household could conveniently assemble for daily worship, and it has admir- Iron ore 9.488 ably served its purpose. Now that he Pig iron 155,126 is about to leave Canada, the Governor-General has intimated his intention of donating the chapel, which was erected solely at his own expense, to the future Incumbents of the high office. The generous gift will no doubt be appreciated.

R Though the Opposition in the Dominion Parliament did not look kindly on the encouragement given by our Government to the new steamship line which has been established between Canada and Manchester by way of the great canal that now connects Manchester with the sea, and makes it practically an ocean port, it is apparent that the new enterprise will be conducted with energy, and it will probably remain a factor in the Anglo-Canadian trade. The line is thus referred to by the London, England,

Canadian Gazette: service, and the auspices are distinctly encouraging. The first steamer arrived in Manchester last Sunday week with a full cargo of cattle, maize and timber. She is already on her way back to Montreal, and the second steamer is due in the canal with an even larger cargo of cattle, grain, timber, fruit, and other produce of the Dominion. The first of the three vessels that are now being built on the northeast coast for the new line is not expected to be ready until August, and others will not be completed until next spring, but in the meantime the service is being maintained by two ships that have been bought, and two that have been chartered. At present there is every indication that the fleet will find full employment in bringing North American produce to Manchester, for during the summer grain is sent, for choice, by the most northerly route, and the markets committee of the corporation is working hard to promote the direct importation of live stock to the lairages at Old Trafford. The success of the new venture in competing against the other regular lines will probably depend in a great measure on the support that it may receive from exporters in the Manchester district, and this will depend in turn upon the efficiency of the service. Shippers seem prepared, however, to give it at least a fair trial, for 1.000 tons of cargo have already en engaged for shipment to Canada by the steamer that is to leave Manhester on June 8."

OR OUGHT TO BE. [Atchison Globe.] Every mother of a pretty girl is board of etrategy.

Canada and German Trade. 'As the 1st of July approaches, when the 25 per cent advantage given to Great Britain by the Canadian preferential tariff goes fully into effect, German dealers are exhibiting some degree of chagrin. They do not like our new and improved method of treating the Motherland. They would fain retain the advantages they possessed under the system which the present Government at Ottawa managed to have overturned. The Canadian preferential tariff, however, has come to stay, and our German friends may as well understand it. Canada, in putting in force a tariff giving Great Britain more friendly treatment than outsiders, has taken no unreasonable stand. Great Britain buys every dollar's worth of produce that Canada sends to her without imposing a cent of taxation on it. She protects this country's ocean trade and seaports with her navy. Her army is at our service if a foreigner were to assail us. Her unrivaled consular service is free to Canadians the world over. All this is done without to Canada. The least we can do, therefore, is to encourage commerce with the Motherland, especially when

But it has been argued that if we place our people in a position to buy more freely from Great Britain than from Germany, the foreign nation may decline to trade as freely with us. Sir Richard Cartwright shows of how little moment such a threat is. Under the old order of things, we last year bought \$1,045,000 worth of products. From this it will be seen that the German demand for Canadian products is very limited. If by any tariff exactions that they may apply to imports from the Dominion, the Germans restrict or cut down the value of products received from Canada, they will but injure their export trade to this country. It is a pretty well established fact that the country which does not import very soon finds her exports decrease.

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The Latest News About Ontario Minerals.

With commendable promptitude, Mr. Blue, Director of Mines in Ontario, has current year. The report is handsomely printed and illustrated, and its contents untruthful and ungerous criticism. It is areof such a nature as to show the great a fact that Lord Aberdeen gaused to value of our mineral resources. The chief points of interest in the volume are the mineral statistics and the special report on the West Ontario gold region by Dr. A. P. Coleman. A great and lucid statement of his views on increase in the mineral output for 1898 equality. Mr. Bryce recently spoke on is foreshadowed by the statistics which were collected for the three months ending March 31 last. Summarized by values, the yield for the first three months of 1898, and the twelve months

of 1897 are as follows: Three months Twelve months in 1898. \$ 190,244 Gold\$ 86.175 Silver 5,287 Nickel 119,910 Copper 75,369 288.128

Comparing the production by percentages, it is found that the value of the months product of 1897; of nickel, 331/4 per cent; of copper, 37% per cent; of iron ore, 2021/2 per cent; of pig iron, 54 percent: and of all metals, 43 per These rates if maintained throughout 1898 should result in nearly doubling the values of 1897.

Professor Coleman's general conclusion as to the gold mining regions of Ontario is that an important advance took place during the past year. The area known to be auriferous has been steadily extending in the older parts of the district, and the new Michipicoten region has been added to those previously known. A large number of properties are under development this year, steamship line has already begun its much larger than ever before, so that we may expect shortly to have the value of many hitherto problematic properties settled. The production of gold has scarcely advanced as rapidly as was expected, but some of the predictions made a year ago were unduly inflated. The number of mines actually producing gold has largely increased, there being now three mines on the Lake of the Woods, one on the Lower Seime, two on the Upper Seine, and one in the Wahnapitae region, whose mills are more or less steadily at work; besides the bromo-cyanide plant successfully in operation at Deloro in the Marmora region. It is admitted, however, that not a few of the gold mines produce ore of comparatively low grade, presenting the problem of how to extract the gold in a sufficiently economical manner to make the mines pay. Northwestern Ontario is particularly favored in this regard. It has splendid water powers, which will give it cheap power, even were the present ample supply of wood fuel to give out. It is probable, as Dr. Coleman points out, that where water carriage is available, the ore may profitably be taken to oustom mills, like the new one at Keewatin on Lake of the Woods, particularly during the earlier Lages of development, and thus prevent the risk of erecting stamp mills on properties the extent of whose ore deposits is yet un-

proved. The Treadwell mine, in Alaska,

treated 19,082 tons of ore tast December

at a profit, with an average product of only \$2 37 per ton. Surely, with like economy in treatment, Northwestern Ontario ore yielding not much less than There Were 21,066 Fires in \$5 per ton could be made yield a substantial profit.

Constables' Right to Vote in Elections.

The Forest Free Press thus discusses an important point which has been raised in connection with Ontario

"The Ontario lieutenant-governor in right to vote at the provincial elections. The point has been raised in connection with the Ontario election protests now before the courts the contention being that the special constables who are paid by the crown for their services at polling places had no right to vote, and the court of appeal has been asked to decide the question pefore the trials come on. Constables have always voted, and this objection has never been raised before in Can-In England it has been decided that constables paid by the crown to preserve the peace shall not be thereby deprived of their right to vote, because their services are for the public good. and are beneficial to both parties alike. It is contended by those who have raised the question that the employment of peace officers by the crown may lead to bribery. The same argument would hold good in reference to the employment of deputy returning officers and poll clerks, who are not debarred from voting. Bribery committed in this way can be punished as easily as can any other form of bribery. A great danger to the obtaining of an honest verdict at the polls would be caused by preventing constables from voting. Returning officers have all the powers of justices of the peace, and may appoint and swear in as many special constables as they may deem necessary at any polling place. Partisan returning officers or deputy returning officers (and some of them have political leanings) could legally thereby disfranchise scores of the supporters of the opposite muneration, because those who are appointed to act as special constables must do so or incur a severe penalty. Suppose in a riding of fifty divisions returning officer appointed one of the most active supporters of the opposite party to act as constable in each division, these fifty voters would be compelled to accept one of three indignities-lose their votes, serve all day as constables without pay, or incur the penalty provided for refusal to act. The returning officer would under such conditions practically control fifty votes. Under the present custom there is no control. Whatever tends to the disfranchisement of voters is contrary to the principles of representative gov-

Rene Bazin's novel, "With All Her Heart." Paul Bourget's sketches, Pierre Loti's Spanish sketches, and now Neil Munro's stirring story. "John Splendid," make a remarkable assemblage of serial, copyright attractions for a single year of the Living Age. This is a list scarcely excelled by any of the first-class magazines.

Right Hon. James Bryce, author of "The American Commonwealth," whose life of Gladstone has just been published by the Century Company, is about to put forth in the Century Magazine one of the most important utterances of his career-namely, a succinct this subject in Glasgow, and his new essay is an enlargement and rewriting of that address. Mr. Bryce is as outspoken as he is clear in what may be called a memorable "confession of faith.

"The Canadian Heroes of the War of 1812-14" is the leading article in the June number of the Canadian Magazine. Sir John G. Bourinot is the writer, and he tells with much grace and spirit the story of Brock, De Salaberry, Tecumseh, Laura Secord and the others who took a leading part in the noble defense of Canada in that famous war. Pictures of most of the heroes accompany the text. Capt. William Wood, of Quebec, tells of Canada's military weakness in an article entitled "In Case of War." Another Canadian officer writes of "Warships and War." Another timely article is that on Mr. Gladstone, with seven illustrations, including a full page reproduction of Miliais' famous painting of the deceas-ed statesman. The frontispiece is a good picture of the late D'Alton Mc-Carthy, Q.C., M.P.

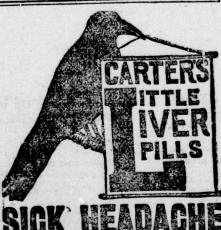
REUNTON OF BRETHREN.

[Ottawa Free Press.] The United States consul here, Mr. Turner, has received a letter from the authorities having in hand the 4th of July celebration at Ogdensburg, asking him to invite an Ottawa corps of militia to join in the festivities. The Forty-third and the Guards have already made arrangements.

READY FOR A BASE HIT. [Ottawa Citizen.]

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Ontario in 1897.

Meeting of the Ontario Mutual Underwriters, Association-Delegates Present.

A meeting of the Ontario Mutual Fire Underwriters' Association was held in the London Mutual building yesterday, with a fair atendance. The council has decided to ask the court of meeting was called to discuss the amappeal whether or not constables have endments to the assurance act, and urge upon the government the necessity for a fire inspection, similar to the fire marshal system of Massachusetts. The amendments were discussed, and on motion referred to the executive comwho were intructed to communicate with fire assurance companies and ascertain their views in the matter, and prepare the matter to be submitted to a general annual meeting, to be called in Toronto before the next meeting of the Ontario Legislature. The following delegates were present: D. C. Macdonald, London; Wm. Turnbull, Brant; P. S. Armstrong, Blanshard: C. Packet, Perth; C. M. Taylor, Waterloo: Wm. S. Russell, South Easthope; H. Buller, and J. Serson, Howard; R. S. Strong and J. N. McKendrel, The Gore; W. G. Willoby, Lambton; J. I. Hobson, Wellington; James McEwing, Pell, and Maryborough; E. J. Pierson, Nissouri: James Jackson, Usborne and Hibbert; D. Rhea and H. Black, Era-

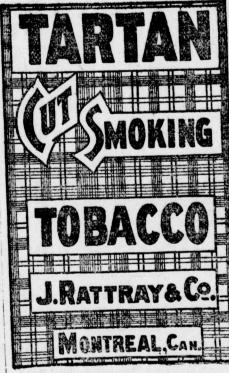
Mr. J. I. Hobson, of Guelph, president, occupied the chair, and Mr. H. Black, Rockwood, was secretary. The report of the association for 1897 showed that the companies had paid out \$583,168 62 in claims from the following causes: Lamps and lanterns 37,953 68 Defective chimneys, flues, etc. 124,827 73 Furnace and boiler 21,379 00 Children with matches 20,054 86

Electric wires Steam threshers 7.578 69 Eaghtning 53,393
Spontaneous combustion 18,313 Unknown 166,810 95 Other known causes The number of fires during the year

The meeting adjourned at 4:30.

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MARKETS TODAY

Local Market.
London, Friday, June 17.
Wheat white fall, per bu 87c to 87c
Wheat, red fall, per ba870 to 810
Wheat spring, per bu87c to 80c
Peac per bu 330 to 540
Corn. per ta 80c to 85c
Barley, per bu
Rye, per bu
Beans, per bu
The receipts were light as asual on
Friday. No change in quotations.

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Oil Markets.

PETROLIA, June 17 .- Oil opened and closed PITTSBURG, Pa., June 17 .- Oil opened 85c. St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, June 16.-Wheat, per bu,

35c; oats, 34c to 35c; peas, 55c to 60c; barley, 40c; corn. 40c; beans, 60c to 80c; elover seed, \$2.50 to 32.75. r.can Markets.

CHICAGO, June 16.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—June, 86c; July. 79c to 79½c; Sept., 70½c to 70½c; Dec., 71½c. Corn—June, 33½c; July. 33¾c; Sept., 34c. Oats—July. 24½c: Sept., 21½c. Mess pork—July. 29 72½; Sept., 89 90. Lard—July. \$5 52½; Sept., \$5 60 Cash quotations: Flour, dull and neglected. No. 2 spring wheat, 80c to 92c; No. 2 red, 88½c to 90c. No. 2 corn, 33½c to 33½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 33½c to 34c. No. 2 white, 28½c to 29c; No. 3 white, 27½c. No. 2 white, 28½c to 29c; No. 3 white, 27½c. No. 2 flaxseed, \$1 13½c. No. 2 barley, 31c to 34c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 13½c. Prime timothy seed, \$2 65. Mess pork, \$9 75 to \$9 80. Lard, \$5 80 to \$5 85. Bhort rib sides, \$5 35 to \$5 65. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 5c. Short clear sides, \$5 85 to \$6 65. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, firm; fresh, 9½c. fresh, 9½ c.

Receipts—Flour, 5,900 bbls; wheat, 15,100 bushels; corn, 546,500 bushels; oats, 281,800 bushels; rye, 3,500 bushels; barley, 9,000 Shipments—Flour, 5,500 bbls; wheat, 3,900 bushels; corn, 451,900 bushels; oats, 320,000 bushels; rye, 52,100 bushels.

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

prices are given:		ne 3.		ine		ine		6.
WHEAT-								
Red Winter	8	6	7	10	7	10	7	10
No. 1 Cal	9	0	8	4	8	4	8	4
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	9	71/2	7	91/4	9	11/2	7	5
Sept	6	41/8		.2	6	71/2	6	41/4
Dec	6	016	5	117/8	6	33/8	6	17/3
CORN-							135	
New	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	41/4
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	3	23/4	3	2	3	31/2	3	4
June	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept	3	45/8	3	45/8	3	51/2	3	61/8
Flour		9	30	0	32		30	0
Peas		3	5	21/2	5	2	5	2 3
Pork		6	52		51	3	51	3
Lard	1	3	29	6	26	6	30	0
Tallow		6	20	0	20		19	6
Bacon, light		6	31	0	31		31	0
Cheese, white	35	ő	35		35		34	6
Cheese, colored	35	6	35	0	35		34	6

Liverpool. June 17-412:30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot. dull; No. 1 Cal., no stocks;
No. 2 red western winter, 7s 6d; No. 1 red
northern spring, 7s 10d.
Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new,
3s 3½ d; do, old, nominal; May, quiet, 3s 9½ d;
July, quiet, 3s 8½ d: Sept., quiet, 3s 8½ d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 2d.
Beef—Extra India mess, 75s; prime mess,
6s 94.

Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 52s 6d. Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 528 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 530 lbs, dull,
35s 6d; long clear middles heavy, 40 to 45 lbs,
31s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm,
31s; long clear middles light, 35 to 38 lbs,
31s 6d; short rits, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 34s 6d;
clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 36s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 35s 6d.
Lard—Prime western, 30s.

Lard—Prime western, 30s. Butter—Finest United States, 78s; good, 65s. Cheese-American finest, white and colored,

Tallow—Prime city, 19s 6d. Furpentine spirits—24s 9d. Rosin—Common, 5s. Petroleum—Refined, 5%d. Linseed Oil-18s.

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Live Stock Markets.

MONTREAL, June 15.-About 550 head of butchers' cattle, 500 calves and 325 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. Butchers seemed to be out in full force, and trade was good. Prices for good beeves were slightly lower than on Monday, while the common and inferior stock were considerably lower than on that day, there being quite a number of grass-hopper cattle on the market. Prime beeves sold at 41/2c to 43/4c per lb; pretty good stock at 31/2c to 41/4c, and common to inferior beasts at 21/2c to 31/4c. Calves sold at \$1 to \$7 each, there being a good demand and fair prices paid for good veals. Sheep sold for a little less than 3c per 16, to 31/4 c do: lambs sold at \$2 50 to \$4 each, very few being over \$2 50. Fat hogs plentiful, and sell about 5c per lb; store hogs sell at \$6 to \$9 each, and

small pigs at \$1 25 to \$2 50 each. CHECAGO, June 16 .- There was a good demand for cattle today; prices were generally steady for the common grades, and stronger; choice steers, \$4 90 to \$5 35; medium, \$4 50 to \$4 671/2; beef steers, \$4 10 to \$4 45; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 95; cows and heifers, \$3 30 to \$4 75; canners, \$2 50 to \$3 25; calves, \$3 50 to \$7 25; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$4 90. Chicago packers and eastern shippers took hold of the small supply of hogs, and prices took a jump of about 10c; fair to choice, \$4 to \$4 15; packers, \$3 05 to \$3 971/2; butchers, 85 to \$4 10: light, \$3 70 to \$4: pigs, \$2 75 to \$3 85. The light supply of sheep caused a firm market; native sheep, \$3 50 to \$5 25; rams, \$2 50 to \$3 30; clipped lamios, \$4 to \$6; spring lambs, \$4 50 to \$6 50; yearlings, \$5 50. Receipts-Cattle, 8,500; hogs, 18,000;

CHICAGO, June 17.-Hogs-Fistimated receipts today, 20,000; left over, 2,943; active; 10c lower. Light, \$3 70 to \$3 95; mixed, \$3 80 to \$4; Mayy, \$3 80 to \$4 05; roughs, \$3 80 to \$3 90. Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; Aexas steers, \$3 60 to \$4 35; stockers and feeders, \$3 80 to \$4 85; beeves, to \$5 15; cows and heifers, \$2

NEW YORK, June 16.-Beeves ceipts, 1,117; no sales; feeling strady. Cables higher; live cattle, 9%c to 10%c; live sheep. 9%c to 10%c; refriserator gold. 50 do Strong, the overfers of beef. Calves—Receipts.

230; on sale, 654; market firmer; 100 unsold; veals, \$450 to \$475t extra, \$6; buttermilks, \$3 to \$350. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,290; on sale, 25 cars; prime stock in good demand and firm; good lambs, 10c to 15c higher; common and medium sheep a shade lower; 6 cars arrived late unsold; sheep, \$350 to \$485; lambs, \$575 to \$710; 1 car choice, \$525; yearlings, \$525 to \$530. Hogs—Receipts, 198; sales none; nomi-

Hogs—Receipts, 198; sales none; neminally steady, at \$4 to \$4 30. EAST BUFFALO, June 16 .- Cattle-Receipts about all consigned through. Veals and calves—Supply moderate and for the good to prime kind of fat yeals the market ruled stronger, but other grades were about steady; good tops brought \$6 to \$625, with a few fancy at \$6 50; others sold at \$5 to \$5 75. Stockers and feeders—The offerings this week were liberal, all of 60 cars, 44 of which were from Canada; market ruled slow, all of 10c to 15c lower for the best ones, but common coarse or scraggy lots were all off 25c to 40c per cwt lower, and the latter kind were slow in cleaning up; good to best stock steers, \$4 15 to \$4 50; common to fair, \$3 70 to \$4; good to best feeders, \$4 20 to \$450; fair to good, \$390 to \$410; yearlings and stock calves, \$450 to Hogs-Receipts light; fair demand for the best grades of hogs, and prices for these kinds ruled stronger, with pigs and common light lots no stronger than heretofore; good to ers' grades, \$415 to \$417; medium weights, \$417 to \$420; heavy hogs, \$420 to \$4 22; roughs, \$3 50 to \$3 70; stags, \$2 75 to \$3; pigs, \$3 25 to \$4. Sheep and lambs-Receipts are exceedingly light; market strong and firm for all offerings, especially good handy stock of either kind; native lambs, choice to sheep, choice to select-

ed wethers, \$4.75 to \$4.85; good to choice mixed sheep, \$4.50 to \$4.70; common to fair, \$4 to \$4.25; culls to common sheep, \$3 25 to \$3 85. LONDON LIVE HOG MARKET.

Paid Drovers Off Cars. Long, lean, pea-fed singers.\$5 10 per cwt Fat pea-fed singers 4 75 per cwt Light hogs 4 25 per cwt

Dairy Markets. KINGSTON, Ont., June 16 .- At the cheese board today, 2,200 boxes were boarded; sales, 150 at 71/2c; 1,500 at

BROCKVILLE, Ont., June 16.—At the cheese board today, 54 factories offered 1,453 white and 2,919 colored; all sold on board at 7½c.

BARRIE, Ont., June 16.—At the meeting of the cheese board here today, 1,151 boxes of cheese, all first half of June, were offered, and after much rivalry and spirited bidding, 300 were sold at 7 3-16c; 115 at 7\%c; 415 at Five buyers were in attendance. NEW YORK, June 16.—Butter firm; western creamery, 13½c to 17c; do, factory, 11c to 12¾c; Elgins. 17c; imitation creamery, 12c to 14½c; state dairy, 12½c to 16c; do, creamery, 13½c to 16%c. Cheese steady; large white, 6%c to 6%c; small do, 7c; larger colored. 6%c; small do, 7c to 7%c; light skims, 5%c to 5%c; part skims, 4%c to 51/4c; full skims, 2c to 21/2c. CHICAGO, June 16 .- Butter

creameries, 13c to 151/2c; dairies, 111/2c to 131/2c. The Hide Market Toronto, June 16.-Hides-The receipts continue small, there is a good demand for all coming forward, and the market is firm at 8½c for No. 1 green; cured are quoted at 91/4c. Sheepskins—The season is about over, and there are very few offering. The receipts of lambskins are increasing, and the market is firmer at 30c. Shearlings are quoted at 20c. Calfskins are steady at 10c for No. 1 and 8c for No. 2. Tallow-The demand is fair the market is steady. Local dealers are offering 31/2c for prime rendered,

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and asking 3% c to 4c.

The provincial auditor has been called on to examine East Williams township accounts, a misunderstanding have arisen between the council and the treasurer.

Theree new bridges are to be built over Mud Creek this summer, two in East Williams and one in Adelaide. The members of Howard Lodge, I. O. O. F., will decorate the graves of their deceased brothers in the cemetery at Strathroy on Tuesday even-A baby girl was born to Mrs. Cornish, of Avon, on Sunday last, June 12. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady, 16s Steps are being taken to form a company to work the alleged placer gold fields of Caradoc, near Komoka. Rev. Alex. Henderson, of Appin, has left on a trip to Scotland. He will return in August. In the meantime his pulpit at Appin will be supplied by Mr. Robertson, of North Ekfrid, and at Tait's Corners by Mr. Ross, of Glen-

AN EVENT

That Occurs But Once in a Lifetime. Is the great twelve-day piano sale now on at the Williams Piano Warerooms, 171 Dundas street, London. You will regret it if you let pass this golden opportunity to secure one of Canada's highest grade Pianos-A WILLIAMS-at a sacrifice price and on easy terms. We expect no profit during this great sale. We do it simply to further advertise and give everybody who will buy The Chance of a Lifetime. Only one Piano will be sold to each person at the great cut-price during this sale. There are many different styles and sizes to select from. Williams' Pianos are the Artists' Choice, and are the finest made. Beautiful Casings, Beautiful Tone, Beautiful Scale, Best Material, Best Construction, Best Value, are exclusive features and a free hand in making treaties of WILLIAMS PIANOS. Come quick with England and other nations. Aproand make your selection, as this wonderful sale only lasts twelve days, peginning June 11, and ending June 22. No reasonable offer refused during this

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IN FRANCE TOMORROW'S Declines to Form a

Exercised About British Naval Maneuvers.

Bouregos

Anglo-French Disputes Satisfactorily Settled-Germany Revenging Herself on Canada.

THE FRENCH CRISIS. Paris, June 17 .- M. Leon Bouregos, it is declared, has declined to accept the task of forming a coinet. Paris, June 17.—President Faure has invited M. Ribot, a former premier and minister of finance, to form a cab-inet, to succeed the Meline ministry, which resigned on Wednesday last. SETTLED!

London, June 17 .- In an interview choice Yorkers, \$4 10 to \$4 15; light to good Yorkers, \$4 05 to \$4 10; mixed pack- Daily Mail, M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, said that in the opinion of himself and other foreign office officials the settlement of the Niger dispute cleared all serious questions between France and England except that of Egypt.

SPANIARDS ALARMED. Las Palmas, Canary Islands, June 17.-Considerable excitement and comment has been caused here by the fact that prior to her departure from this port, the British second-class cruiser went through maneuvers said by the Spaniards to be unusual, in front of the bay, including practicing the landings on the south coast.

ZOLA'S APPEAL REJECTED. Paris, June 17.-The court of cessation rejected the appeal of Emile Zola, entered by the latter's counsel against the competency of the assize court of Versailles to try the libel suit brought by the members of the Esterhazy court martial against the author, and the proprietor of the Aurore, the paper which published the alleged libel.

DEATH OF A NOTED PAINTER. London, June 17 .- Sir Edward Cole Y. Burn-Jones, the painter, is dead. He was born in 1833. Some of his principal pictures are "The Merciful Knight," "The Chat d'Amour." "The Days of Creation," "King Copoeta,"
"Venus' Mirror," "The Annunciation," were sold at 7 3-16c; 115 at 71%c; 415 at 7 1-16c, and 7c refused for balance. Venus Mirror, The Annuclation, "The Golden Stairs" and "Merlin and Vivian." He was knighted in 1864. RIGHT TO EXPEL.

London, June 17 .- In the House of Commons, replying to a question relative to the power of the government of Canada to expel Spanish agents from that country, Sir Richard Webster, the attorney-general, said that under ordinary circumstances power to deal with such matters was a prerogative of the crown, and that the colonial government would not be liable to be sued for damages for expelling such persons. THE OLD STORY OF OUTRAGE. Vienna, June 17.-Further details of

ne sanguinary conflicts between the Albanians and Christians in the Kuskub part of Turkey, northwest of Sa-lonica, show that the Albanians have attacked and burned nine Christian villages, consisting of 450 houses, in the vicinity of Berano, near the Montenegrin frontier, up to yesterday. The in-habitants have fled to Montenegro, whose representative at Constantinople has made strong representations on the subject to the sultan. SIR HENRY IRVING, LL.D.

London, June 17 .- The degree of LL.D. has been conferred by Cambridge University upon Sir Henry Irving, who delivered his inauguaral address as rede lecturer at Cambridge, in which office he becomes the successor of John Ruskin, Matthew Arnold. Thomas Huxley and other prominent men of letters. Irving's subject was "The Theater in Relation to the State." He argued that the theater, being a means of spreading knowledge, its scope in respect of working upon the human character deserved encouragement by the state and muni-

GERMANY'S SPITE

Exclusion of Canadian Goods From Benefit of Treaties With England.

London, June 17.-Imports from Canada will be subject after July 31 to the scale of duties contained in the German autonomous tariff. It is semiofficially stated that measures will be adopted at the various German custom houses to prevent goods of Canadian origin from being represented as coming from any other source. The inference here is that Germany is attempting to revenge herself upon Canada for daring to upset the Anglo-German treaty, but Mr. Chamberlain is not likely to allow Canada to suffer for her imperialism. A protest will come from the British Government, if for no other reason than because what is called here the Laurier plan has been made the British policy in South Africa, and in view of future co-operation with the United States in the event of the latter entering upon colonial expansion. The Daily Mail says Britain must see that Canada does not suffer for her self-sacrifice on behalf of the em-The St. James Gazette, commeeting on the same question, affirms that the action of Germany gives Canada a free hand in making treaties pos to the suggestion the quotes from Kipling: "Daughter am I in my mother's house, but mistress in my own."

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS AGAIN. Conductor Hogg Tells the Story of His Rescue From Diabetes.

Toronto, June 13—(Special).—Mr. H. Hogg, the well-known and popular street railway conductor (No. 107), who has been cured of a very severe case of Diabetes, by Dodd's Kidney Pills, has written as follows to the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited:

"My sufferings extended over a period of three years, and grew worse every day. I could get nothing to sure the Diabetes nor to purify my blood. Finally, the dizziness so overpowered me, and I grew so emaciated and weak, that I had to quit work. "A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I laughed at him, for I had tried so many remedies, only to be disappointed, that I had lost hope.

Senator McInnes has offered to sell Dundurn Park to the Hamilton council

However, I did try Dodd's Kidney Pills, thank God. Six boxes cured me

Did you see the Fly? Yes.

BARGAINS.

Here's a list of snaps for Saturday's trade. Remember, when we say bargains, bargains they are, and if you read heedlessly don't condemn us if your neighbor gets | what you miss:

200 dozen fine Embroidered and Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, were 15c, 18c and 20c, Saturday. 9c 5c Tooth Brushes, children's size, Saturday

50 Bristle Hair Brushes, English make, Saturday 19c

15c Egyptian Cotton Vests, beautiful make and finish, Saturday.121/2c 50c and 75c fine silk and wool and all-wool Dress Goods, odd lot of dress ends, Saturday 25c

25c and 35c-One more chance at Leather Belts, all colors, Saturday 19c \$2 25, only 29 left, assorted colors,

Ladies' Fine Parasols, Saturday.\$1 00 20c fine French make Bristle Tooth Brush. Saturday 18c box fine Toilet Soap, Saturday. 9c

75c Ladies' Night Gowns, finely trimmed, Saturday 59c

AT SLAUGHTER PRICES.



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surround Manila. The foreign residents Mr. Preffer was one of the best have fled to the ships. Admiral Mon- known and wealthiest men in the tejo and Gov.-Gen. Augusti have plac- county. He was born in Union, and ed the women, the children and the was for years a farmer on con. 5, priests in the forts for safety. Gov.- Yarmouth. For the past fifteen years Gen. Augusti is reported to be willing he had lived on the St. George street to surrender to the Americans in order hill. He leaves a wife, formerly Mrs. to prevent the insurgents from cap- | Haight, and one step-daughter. turing the capital and setting it on fire and killing the Spaniards. The arch-bishop, however, is opposed to the sur-curred heard the engine whistle and render, and has overruled Augusti.

abortive. Aguinaldo was made very sick, but has completely recovered. A Spanish prisoner was caught trying to assassinate Aguinaldo. When his some parties near by got to him. plot was discovered he attempted to escape, but was shot dead. The success of the insurgents is wonderful. The Spaniards taken prisoners in the two weeks' campaign aggregate 3,000, including 2,000 soldiers of the regular Tenders His Resignation to the Synod army. Prominent among them are Gens. Garcia and Cordoba. WAR NOTES.

The New York Journal prints a Washington dispatch which says: President McKinley has determined to carry the war into Spain itself if that country does not sue for peace at the end of the Porto Rico and Santiago

A dispatch from Shanghai to the Frankfort Zeitung says it is believed there that Germany will avoid a conflict with the Americans, but that if the Philippines question arises she will expect to be considered.

The total number of officers and men the latest expedition from San Francisco is 3,540. This, with the 2,600 who are en route to Manila, will give than 6,000 well-armed, wellequipped and well-seasoned soldiers. is expected that the expedition which sailed Wednesday will arrive at Manila about July 4.

WAR TAXES

The New Revenue Bill of the United States.

Which Provides Money to Carry on the War-Condensed List of Imposts.

Tobacco12c a pound Cigars\$3 per 1,000 Cigarettes \$3 66 per 1,000 Bank checks2c stamp Manifests of express package.1c stamp Lond-distance telephone call.....1c Telegraph message

Benefit society insurance-40 per cent of first week's premium. Fire insurance-One-half of 1 per cent on each dollar insured. Lease-One year, 25c; 3 years, 50c; over 3 years, \$1. Mortgage-Under \$1,500, 25c; for each \$500 over \$1,500, 25c. Passage to foreign countries—Not exceeding \$30, \$1; not exceeding \$60,

\$3; over \$60, \$5. Patent medicine-For each 5c value. one-eighth of 1 per cent. Perfumery-For each 5c value, oneeighth of 1 per cent.

Wine1c a pint Oil and sugar—Refiners are taxed onefourth of 1 per cent on gross receipts exceeding \$250,000. Mixed flour4c a barrel Tea10c a pound

Old Men and Kidney Disease.

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Joseph Labreck Waylaid and Found Unconscious Near Charing Cross.

Windsor, Ont., June 17 .- Joseph Labreck, a farmer, living near Charing Cross, was found lying in an unconscious condition by the roadside, near his home, Tuesday night. His coat, shoes and watch were gone, and there were dark bruises on the back of his

Labreck had left home directly after supper, on foot, to go to a neighbor's house. He stayed about an hour, and started soon after dark. It is thought that he was attacked by tramps, who were seen in the vicinity yesterday morning. Efforts to find them have, so far, been fruitless.

BICYCLIST KILLED

An Old Gentleman Meets a Terrible Death Near St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Ont., June 17.-Mr. Lucius Preffer was killed yesterday afternoon. He was riding a bicycle, and when crossing the Loop Line track at the second road crossing west city was struck by a train and had both legs cut off. Mr. Preffer was a man of about 70 years of age, and was very deaf, and probably did not hear the approaching train. Physicians were summoned, but their services of Admiral Dewey's fleet completely shortly after the accident.

Mr. Preffer was one of the best Mrs. Beals, who lives near the town curred heard the engine whistle and the bell ring. She saw Mr. Preffer A Spanish spy has attempted to poison Gen. Aguinaldo, but the plot was crossing. He was struck when just in the center of the track, and was carried 100 feet. He was breathing when

BISHOP SWEATMAN

of Toronto. Toronto, June 17 .- At the Anglican synod last evening Rev. A. H. Baldwin, chairman of the widows' and orphans' fund committee, in discussing the failure of some of the parishes to contribute their share to this fund, mentioned that St. Alban's parish had contributed nothing at all. This is under the care of the bishop, and is not a regular constituted parish.

There were cries of "Order!" and the bishop told Mr. Baldwin he had no right to stand there and insult his bishop. He ordered Mr. Baldwin to withdraw his remarks. Mr. Baldwin said that if the bishop looked at the collections he would see

St. Alban's had not contributed a The bishop said St. Alban's was not a parish, and was not supposed to lodge. make collections, though it sometimes

Mr. Baldwin said he thought they ought, as Christian gentlemen, to take Andrews, Londesboro; grand vice-tempart in the collections. He did not see the poor little parish of St. Bartholomew, which contributed so well, should be held up to view when there were no collections by St. James and St. Alban's.

Bishop Sullivan of St. James, said two collections had been taken up at St. James, but too late to be included in the statement. When the general purpose committee

report came up Mr. B. Cumberland pointed out that the sum of \$1,000 would have to be taken from this fund to pay the deficiency in the bishop's salary for the current year. He objected to the practice, and thought an assessment on the parishes would be better.

The bishop rose and spoke somewhat indignantly on the subject of the non-payment of his salary; also on the lack of cordial support he had received as bishop. He closed by abruptly announcing his resignation forthwith of the office of bishop, and then adjourned the synod.

When the session resumed after re cess the bishop made a statement in connection with the matter that had come up just before resigning. He said his salary had frequently not been forthcoming, though it was small enough in any case. But he did not so much mind the matter of salary as the fact that for the past twenty years, the whole period of his bishopric, there were many in his diocese, lay and clerical, who had persistently opposed him and thwarted every pro ject he had entered on. He was utterly disheartened and weary of it. He had friends in England, and trusted to be able to secure a quiet living, there to spend the remainder of his life and provide for his family. He had his re signation written and would forward it

to the archbishop at once. matter might be talked over, and a dework, and that Dr. Chase would not almost unanimous feeling was that the risk his reputation on an unknown and bishop must, if possible, be induced to untried remedy. Every druggist in Consda sells and recommends them it was determined to take from the



general purpose fund the \$1,000 necessary to make up the bishop's salary for the past year, and to raise the amount in future by regular assessment in the parishes.

ORONHYATEKHA

Enthusiastic Welcome to the Forester Chief.

Toronto, June 17 .- Dr. Oronyatekha, supreme chief ranger of the Inde-pendent Order of Foresters, went abroad four months ago in search of He was by no means a sick man, but the administration of an enterprise so great as that of which beis the directing mind imposed a strain upon him that made rest and change a necessity. These he sought in a trip to Europe and the east. Last night the brethren of the order welcomed him back to Toronto, fully restored, and the occasion was marked by a brilliance and enthusiasm that shed luster upon the achievements of the order and proved how large a place the honored chieftain occupies in the respect and confidence of its members. The Temple was in a blaze of light from the stately and ornate portals to the tenth story.

GOOD TEMPLARS

Grand Lodge Meets in Toronto Next Week.

Peterboro, Ont., June 17 .- At yesterday morning's session of the grand lodge, I. O. G. T., the receiving of contributions to the propagation fund occupied the time. At the afternoon's meeting Toronto was chosen as the place for the next meeting of the grand

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand templar, Geo. Spence, Toronto; grand counsellor, Rev. J. W. plar, Mrs. W. L. Scott, Ottawa; grand S. J. F., F. S. Morrison, Hamilton; grand secretary, Duncan Marshall, Toronto; grand treasurer, Geo. A. Powell, Peterboro; grand auditors, J. Pearce, Ottawa; E. L. Farnham, Conrepresentative to supreme stance; representative to supreme grand lodge, J. D. Andrews and F. S. Spence, Toronto; alternates, F. Rogers, Ottawa; J. W. Andrews, boro; D. R. W. G. C. T., R. M. Storr, Ottawa: executive committee. George Spence, J. W. Andrews, Mrs. W. L. Scott, F. S. Morrison, D. Marshall, G. W. Powell, W. F. Brokenshire.

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LATE AFTERNOON MARKET REPORTS.

Montreal Stock Market MONTREAL, Ju	TO POST A BUILDING
Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific 851/4	851/4
Duluth, common 3	21/8
Quluth, preferred 7½	6
Commercial Cable, xd	177
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	
Commercial Registered Bonds	
Montreal Telegraph	177
Richelieu and Ontario1021/2	102
Montreal Street Railway 258	2571/
Mont. Street Railway, new 2531/2	253
Toronto Railway 97%	975/8
Montreal Gas Company188	187
Dell Telephone	
Bell Telephone 175 Royal Electric, xd 158 Bank of Montreal 245	1701/2
Royal Electric, xd	157%
	240
Ontario Bank	104
Molsons Bank	
Bank of Toronto	231
Merchants' Bank	1711/2
Merchants' Bank of Halifax 180	
Quebec Bank	
Union Bank	
Bank of Commerce	136
Northwest Land, pref 54	523/4
Montreal Cotton Company, xd 150	14934
Canada Colored Cotton	21074
Dominton Cotton	oi1/

Dominion Cotton.... SALES—Can. Pacific, 25 at 85½, 30 at 85½, 50 at 85½; Rich. & Ont... 50 at 102; Mont. St. Ry., 75 at 257½; Toronto Ry., 100 at 97½; Bank Toronto, 5 at 230; Merchants' Bank, 11 at 171, 10 at 172½; Mont. Cotton, 75 at 149; Dom. Cotton, 40 at 44 27 at 25 Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, June, 17. 52¾ 85 / 177¼ 105 105½ 170 102¾ .1021/2 ontreal Street Railway 97% ondon Street Railway 184 ondon Street Railway 184 ondon Electric 104% 180 10274 Dominion Savings and Invest.

Huron and Eric L. and S.

Huron and Eric, 20 per cent.

London and Canada L. and A. 75

London Loan.

London and Ontario. 80

Ontario Loan and Debenture. 73½ 165 155 107

SALES—1 p.m.—Ontario, 6 at 104%; Commerce, 1 at 137%; Northwest Land, 10 at 53%, 10 at 53; Reg. Bonds, 5,000, 1,000 at 105%. 11:30 a.m.—Ontario, 10, 7, 3 at 105; Merchants, 20 at 137%; Dominion, 25, 25 at 254; Can. Pac., 25 at 85%; Dominion, 25, 25 a Bell Tel., 25 at 1701/

New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Buttler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, June 17.

Chicago Gas.... 99% Brooklyn Transit 51% Gen. Electric.... & N..... 351/4 P. M.... N. Y. Central 11534 1161/8 997/8 237/8 199/8 t. Paul. 69% f. C. I. 23% Wabash 19 Union Pac. Pfd. 59 Union Pacific... 2318 Leather Trust... 64 Lead 34 Sugar 182% Fobacco. 114 Southern Ry. Pfd 30 Arrey Central 94 K. & T. Pfd 335/ N. P. Pfd 68% Can. Southern 51%

Toronto Produce Markets.

Toronto, June 17 .- Wheat-Dull and asier at 83c to 85c for red winter and We to 80c for white. Manitoba wheat No. 1 hard. Flour—Dull and easy; cars of straight roller in wood are quoted at \$4 25 west. Mill-feed—Eas-ler at \$12 to \$13 for shorts and \$9 50 or bran west. Rye-Dull at 55c west. Corn- Steady, at 34c to 35c for Canada yellow west and 411/2c to 42c for American Toronto. Oats—Dull; 271/2c to 28c for west. Peas—Easy at 50c to 51c west. Baled hay—Steady; cars on track here are quoted at \$8 to \$8 50. Baled straw-Steady but dull: cars on track here are quoted at \$4 to \$4 50. Eggs-Steady at 101/2c to 11c. Butter-The receipts are fair, the demand is good and the market is firm at \$121/c o 181/2c for choice dairy tubs and 11c 12c for off grades: creamery is steady at 18c for prints and 161/2c to 17c for tubs.

English Markets.

Liverpool, June 17—Closing.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10½d to
7s 11½d: No 1 Cash, firm, 8s 2½d; No. 2 red
western winter, dull, 7s 6d; spot No. 1 red
northern spring, dull, 7s 9d.

Corr—Spot American mixed new, quiet, 3s 2%d; June, nominal; July, quiet, 3s 23/d; Sept.,

2%d; June, nominal; July, quiet, 3s 2%d; Sept., quiet, 3s 4%d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter dull, 11s 9d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 4d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 51s 3d;

do, medium, western, dull, 38s 6d.

Beof—Prime mess, easy, 68s 9d; extra India

mess, easy, 75s; do, medium, western, steady,

51s 3d.

Hams—Pull; short wit 14 4 50.

Hams-Dull; short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 31s 6d. Hams—Dull; short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 31s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, steady, 28 to 30, lbs.,
29s; short ribs, steady, 20 to 24 lbs, 31s 6d: long
clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 31s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, firm,
31s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs,
no stocks; clear bellies, steady, 14 to 16 lbs, 32s 6d;
short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 31s.
Shoulders, Sugre 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 31s. Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 34s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, steady, 30s.

Butter—Finest American, 84s; good, 60s. lutter—Finest American, 648, losin—Common, steady, 58 3d Cheese—American finest white, new and old, ll, 35s 6d; do, colored, casy, 43s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, duli, 20s.

Cottonseed oil — Liverpool refined, duli,

Furpentine spirits—Steady, 25s 9d.

| Tops—At London (Pacific coast), dull, £2

American Markets.

HICAGO, June 17.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., : Dec., 70½c: July, 78c. Corn, July, 32½c; c. Oats, Sept., 21½c; July, 24½c. Pork, t., \$9 75. Lard, Sept., \$5 85. Ribs, Sept., TIFFALO June 17 .- Spring wheat-

1 northern, 95c asked, in store; 97c

track. Winter wheat-No. 2 red. 99c:

1 white, 94c. Corn-No. 2 yellow, No. 3 yellow, 36½c; No. 2 corn, No. 3 corn, 35c, on track. Oats— 2 white, 31c; No. 3 white, 30½c; mixed, 38c to 39c, on track. W YORK, June 17 .- Flour-Re-13,571 bbls; sales, 2,700 packages; ally lower to sell. Rye flour, \$3 20 Wheat-Receipts, 184,000 bu; 21,750,000 bu; options weak; July, 85c; Sept., 73 13-16c to 74c; Dec., to 764c. Rye—Weak; No. 2 west-53c, L. o. b. affect Corn—Receipts,

105,300 bu; sales, 55,000 bu; options weaker on the improved character of crop accounts; July, 36%c to 37%c; Sept., 37%c to 37%c; Dec., 38%c to 38%c. Oats—Receipts, 183,400 bu; options inactive and weak; on track, white state and western, 31½c to 37c. Butter—Receipts, 24,236 packages; steady. Cheese -Receipts, 2,500 packages; quiet; large white, 6%c to 6%c. Eggs-Receipts, 4,800 packages. Sugar-Raw quiet; refined firm. Coffee dull. Hops steady. Lead—Quiet; bullion price, \$3 70; exchange price, \$3 90 to \$3 95.

DETROIT, June 17.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 92c; No. 2 red, cash, 94c; June. 93c: July. 771/4c. TOLEDO, June 17.-Wheat-Cash, 92c; June 91c; July, 77½c; Sept., 71c. Corn—Cash and July, 33½c; Sept., 34½c. Oats-Cash, 251/2c; July, 241/20.

MILWAUKEE, June 17.-Wheat-Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, June 17.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1,278. 2. Phone 1,278.
High. Low. Close.
78½ 75½ 75
70½ 68½ 68
33 31½ 31
33½ 32½ 22
24½ 23½ 20
9 62 9 52 9 60
9 82 9 70 9 75
5 75 5 75 5 75
5 87 5 85
5 45 5 42 5 45
5 55 5 60 5 62 Sept. 70
Corn—July 32%
Sept. 233%
Oats—July... 24%
Sept. 21%
Pork—July 9 52
Sept. 9 75
Lard—July 5 75
Sept. 5 85
Ribs—July... 5 45
Sept. 5 52 Corn-July

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In a Race Against Time and Uncle Sam's War Tax.

Chicago, June 17 .- It has just been learned that the importers of Chicago lost \$40,000,000 in an exciting race against time and Uncle's Sam's war taxes, which had its finish at midnight on Monday on the Canadian bor-

A score of carloads of choice tea were to call in and try a cup. ing rushed into the States from Canada, in order to escape the new war duty, which fell due on June 13 at midnight. Only five carloads arrived on United States soil in time. The state of the late Geo. E. Barned, a former Londoner, who met a horrible death at Sandusky, Ohio, Monday night by the bursting of a steam pipe, took place at 4 o'clock on United States soil in time. The steam pipe, took place at 4 o'clock other 15 cars were stalled in British yesterday afternoon from the residence territory, a few hundred feet away as the clock struck 12. They were brought to a standstill by the peremptors. Were the clock of his grandfather, Mr. Frederick Barned, Horn street, South London. Ven. Archdeacon Davis officiated. tory orders of United States international revenue officers on the watch at

and Canada When a telegram brought the news that the race was lost, there was consternation among the local importers. The excitement was heightened by the absence of opportunity for getting the retail grocer or the public to pay the tax, as the entire consignment had been sold to dealers throughout the west, and northwest. The blow falls with full force upon a dozen tea importing firms

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

The Canadian Bisley team will sail on Saturday by the Allan Line steamer

Parisian. John Herman Wenzel, tate of Tavistock, Ont., shot himself through the heart at Detroit. He was out of work and despondent.

Mary Mooney, a three-year-old girl living on Morse street, Toronto, fell into a bonfire and was so badly burned that it is thought she will die. Three cases of smallpox and twenty

cases of measles were found among the immigrants from the steamer Pisa, via Halifax, who have arrived at Winni-Customs Officer Stunden has laid in. formation against nine of the women detected smuggling American goods in-

to Canada. None of them are Windsor After the prayer meeting at the Victoria Avenue Baptist Church, Hamilton, Wednesday night, a business meeting of the members was held, and the resignation of Rev. Mr. Barker was accepted with regret.

The body of the Hamilton man zam-Grand Rapids, N. W. T., on Aug. 31. last, while on his way to the gold fields, was found on May 5 by two Indians. The body had washed ashore at Point Brule, 160 miles below the place where the accident occurred.

Paul Lawrence, alias Ludlum, a Deroit pickpocket, who is serving a term in the Central Prison, Toronto, broke jail on Saturday, but was recaptured within half an hour. Tom Carlyle, a pickpocket with an international repu-

BASEBALL.

not been recaptured.

FLYS. St. Thomas Journal: In third place is not so bad for tail-enders. Saginaw, you can have our old position for good and all. . . And now we are ahead of the Cockneys. There is a good deal of satisfaction in that, sure. . . You are a real nice fellow, Mr. Black.

The First in the World. Merrill's System Tonic is the first medicine to combine the tonic with the reconstructive treatment in the care of diseases The blood is purified, new blood is made, the nerves, muscles and tissues of the heart, stomach, liver and kidney is toned and strengthened, and then nature is enabled to throw off the disease which has been ravishing the body. For Constipation, Catarrh and Chronic Rheumatism, System Tonic is a positive cure. Sold at 50c per pottle by

Something new in London! Cole's cut-rate drygoods store will open out at 202 Dundas street, tomorrow (Sat-

W. T. Strong, the druggist.

urday). Call in to see the bargains. b The Fly is made of the right stuff.

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, June 17-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower takes region: Light to moderate winds; fine and a little warmer.

-I. G. Green, city, was in Sarnia yesterday.

-The Y. M. C. A. subscriptions now amount to \$23,191. -Miss Nellie Ellis, of Sarnia, is visiting friends in this city.

-Mrs. Dr. Logie and children, Sarnia. have come to London to spend a week with friends.

-The Canadian Foresters' excursion to Springbank tonight promises to be very largely patronized. -The Wellington north street railway

line was blocked for an hour this morning caused by a derailed car. -A large number of persons went to Springbank last night by rowboat. The river is now high and makes boating a pleasure.

-The Y. M. C. A. directors received the sum of \$162 50 from the office staff of the McClary Company today towards the debt fund.

-The Catholic Clubs of London and St. Thomas will picule on July 21 at Port Stanley. Arrangements have been completed for a splendid outing. -By papers to hand it is seen that Mr. S. Munro, of the firm of John Marshall & Co., was registered at the "Der Kaiserhof," Berlin, Germany, on

-Noble Craig, charged with slipping away with a \$5 bill belonging to his employer, Mr. Cartlidge, a green-grocer in the market here, has been arrested

-An interesting game of ball was played on Alma street commons last night between the Pansies and Rosebuds, resulting in the score of 9 to 6 in favor of the Pansies.

-Head Master Liddicoatt's room in Springbank on Friday, June 24. A committee has been appointed to arrange for games, refreshments, etc. -On Monday, June 20, the Epworth League of the First Methodist Church will run an excursion to Springbank. The employes of Smallman & Ingram will also go down on that date. The employes of Watson & Johnston will picnic at the popular resort.

-Rev. John Morrison, formerly of Frank Street Church, has been appointed associate pastor of the First Methodist Church in London. Wheatlev Methodists regret his removal from their circuit, but hope that prosperity may attend his ways. In this wish many Strathroy people heartily join .-Strathroy Age.

-Fitzwerald, Scandrett & Co. are in troducing an extra fine brand of tea -the "Walla Galla"-and in order to demonstrate its merits, a young lady is in attendance at their store to show to the people of this city. what a really fine cup of tea is. The public is invited

Ven. Archdeacon Davis officiated.

-Robert Devine and Erwin Martin, of this city, were yesterday summoned the dividing line between this country to Toronto by the authorities to appear at the inquest to be held tonight to inquire into the claumstances surrounding the death of one Freeborn, who was drowned in Toronto Bay while returning from the island on Mar 24. The two Londoners were his companions at the time.

-The death occurred at the hospital yesterday of Mrs. John Mullins, 430 Hill street. She had been ill only since Sunday, acute inflammation be ing the cause. Besides her husband. Mrs. Mullins leaves two sons and five daughters. Of the latter three are at home, one in Peoria, Ill., and one in Sault Ste. Marie. Mrs. Mullins was a very estimable woman. She was a sisof Mr. Harry Merritt, of the city hall.

-The great musical and military concert at Queen's Park, Thursday evening, June 23, promises to eclipse anything of the kind ever attempted in this city before. All arrangements are completed and preparations are being made to accommodate one of the largest audiences London has turned out in many years. The very popular price of only 25 cents admission to hear Lieut. Dan Godfrey's British Guards, 48th Highland Pipers, Seventh Fusiliers and other military organizations in one grand concert, accompanied by musketry and artillery, is sure to attract thousands of our citizens to Queen's Park on that evening. The street railway company guarantee ample street car accommodation to and

-Thomas Kerr, who for some years has been superintendent of the London Street Railway construction, returned to this city yesterday, having had leave of absence for three months by special request of the directors of the St. Thomas Street Railway Company to ed Patterson who was drowned at undertake the general management of the construction of the St. Thomas electric road. Mr. Kerr has successfully completed the construction, and is now considering the acceptance of an offer to construct a road in Pennsylvania, which offer he has received owing to the creditable manner in which he constructed the Niagara Falls Park and

-The high school entrance examinations will be held on June 28, 29 and The order will be as follows: tation, escaped with Lawrence, and has First day-8:45, reading regulations; 9 to 11, English grammar; 11:10 to 12:40, geography; 2 to 4, English composition; 4:10 to 4:40, dictation. day--9 to 11. arithmetic; 11:10 to 12:20 drawing; 1:30 to 3, history. Third day -9 to 11. English literature; 11:10 to 11:40, writing; 1:30 to 3, physiology and temperance. Public school leaving exams (same date) order: First day-9 to 11, English grammar; 11:10 to 12:40, geography; 2 to 4, English composition. Second day-9 to 11, arithmetic and mensuration; 11:10 to 12:20, drawing; 1:30 to 3, English history; 3:10 to 5:10, book-keeping. Third day-9 to 11, algebra; 11:10 to 12:30, physiology and temperance; 2 to 4, English poetical diterature. Reading on the above days will be at such hours as suit the convenience of the examiner.

THE LIBRARY. The following additions to the public library have been made this week: Louis Waldstein, "The Sub-Conscious Self"; N. Oppenheim. "The Development of the Child"; W. H. Bennett, "A Primer of the Bible"; J. Julian. "Dictionary of Hymnology"; F. Farrar, 'Allegories": A. Thomson, "The Study of Animal Life"; E. B. Poulton, "The Celors of Animals"; M. de Manaceine,

"A Child's Garden of Verses"; M. M. P. Muir. "Heroes of Science (Chemists)" "Life and Letters of Dean Stanley, two volumes; Joseph Arch, "The Story of His Life"; P. Sabatier, "Life of St. Francis of Assisi"; W. Ward, "The

two volumes; J. Hatton, "The Tallants of Barton"; J. Hatton, "In the Lap of Fortune"; J. Hatton, "Christopher Kenrick"; S. Warner, "Nobody"; H. B. Stowe, "Dred"; J. Grant, "The Yellow TOMORROW'S HOUSE SALE.

Tomorrow, at 4 p.m., J. W. Jones, auctioneer, will expose for sale in his rooms, Dundas street, that pretty and well-equipped home, No. 567 Queen's -Mrs. James Cattermole, city, is vis-iting her son, Dr. Cattermole, Toronto. situated, and its surroundings are avenue, opposite the residence of Mr. John Labatt. The house is admirably charming. It is just the size for a man of moderate means, either to occupy or to rent, and the terms are most liberal. The house can be inspected today or tomorrow up to the hour of sale.

THE PETITIONS

Only Eighteen Ontario Protests Will Go for Trial.

All the Other Forty-Seven To Be Withdrawn.

Toronto,June 17.-At a conference this morning between counsel representing Diberal and Conservative parties, with three judges, it was arranged that of the 65 Ontario election petitions, but 18 will go for trial. This number may be increased by one or two, but it is not

The petitions that will go to trial are

Against Liberal members - North Perth, East Lambton, South Wellington, Halton, West York, East Northumberland, South Perth-7.

Against Conservative members-Center Simcoe, North Hastings, Dufferin, West Elgin, East Elgin, South

There are also to be tried cross-petitions in Dufferin. West Elgin, and South Ontario - all against defeated Liberal candidates.

TENDERS RUN HIGH

Committee Decide to Cut Them Down -Coal and Wood Contracts Let.

Tenders for the new school in the committee of the board of education. The altered plans are still a little more expensive than the \$8,000 appro-This is exclusive of architect's fee, blackboards and side-walks. A motion was carried instructing the architect to interview the lowest tenderers to see what sums they will deduct, provided the bicycle runway and other parts of the plans are dispensed with. Tenders were re-ceived also for the supply of 800 tons of select lump coal, 500 tons of hard coal, and 100 cords of wood. The contract was awarded to Campbell tract was awarded to Campbell & Chantler at \$4 80 for hard coal, \$4 65 for grate coal, \$3 40 for select lump, \$4 50 for long wood (maple), and \$5 for maple blocks. Members present: Dr. English (in the chair), Messrs. Gillean, Logan, Weldon, Wilkins, Hamilton, Martyn, McCormick, Evans and Zeigler, also Architect Matthews

SUCCESSFUL ONES

and Secretary McElheran.

Premiums Distributed at the Academy

of the Sacred Heart. An interesting ceremony took place yesterday at the Academy of the Sacred Heart, the occasion being the an- the regular army had been largely innual distribution of premiums to the pupils of that institution. The first medallion and blue ribbon was won by Miss Moran; the first green ribbon by Misses Ament and Trainer, and the pink ribbon by Misses E. and T. Blackburn, Tames, Wilson, K. and E. Pocock, Woodrow, Groves, Miller, Mulkern and Fenneck.

Miss Moran won the premium for exemplary conduct and also the gold medal for Christian doctrine donated

by the Bishop of London. Christian doctrine, in first course Miss L. Moran. Second course, premium, Miss Connolly; accessit, Miss Mc-Donnell. Second premium, Miss E. Wright; accessit, Miss N. Coles. Third course, premium, Miss L. Wilson; accessit, Miss A. Connor. Fourth course, premium, Miss A, Regan; accessit Miss Miller. Gold medals for order awarded by

Rev. M. Brady were won by Misses McDonnell and Harrold. Premium for literary success-Miss M. Noble, Miss E. Scatcherd. Premiums for punctual attendance-Misses Wright, M. and E. Traher.

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INSURGENTS

Spanish Troops at Manila 36 NECKWEAR.

The Rebels Marching on the Town-Vigorous Movement Against Havana To Be Inaugurated at Once.

REPORTED SALE OF THE PHILIP-

PINES. London, June 17 .- The Gibraltar correspondent of the Daily News is responsible for a rumor that Spain has sold the Philippines Islands to Germany, whose squadron is expected at Manila.

MARCHING ON MANILA Manila, June 15.-The zone of hostilities is a magnificent defensive country, thickly wooded, having an unlimit-ed number of natural ambuscades, and innumerable blockhouses and trenches. Any average army could easily defy twice their number. On all sides can be seen the Spanards retiring, removing the soldiers' effects and dismantling the barracks prematurely, evidently anticipating defeat as a matter of course. The soldiers are brave and desperate, and hate to retreat. But they are hopelessly incompetent and shamefully underfed. Many of them have assured the carrespondent that they have never been at target practice in their lives. Still, they are eager for an opportunity to display their valor, and are confident that the enemy is

equally unpracticed. It is officially admitted here that the shortage of food has become a serious matter, the gunboats sent into the lagoons with volunteers to search for food having returned without procuring any. The commanders of the gunboats also report that every lagoon and town

is hostile, and that their garrisons have probably been massacred. The Spanish flotilla was unable to ef-Ontario, North Waterloo, North Ren- feet a landing, in spite of prolonged firing upon the part of all the gunboats. Nobody, however, was killed. This removes the last hope of provisioning Manila. During the week all the garrisons were simultaneously overpowered or surrendered as prisoners.

latter are well treated. A majority of those who resisted were slaughtered. Later.—It has now been officially admitted that the troops have been 30 break of the Albanians at Berane, near hours without food. The insurgents the frontier of Montenegro, the gravity are maintaining every post, and are now advancing on Manila itself.

2,000,000 CARTRIDGES SEIZED. Cavite, Balucan and Battan were made prisoners. Two million rounds of cartridges were seized in the forti-The funeral of the late Geo. E. Collegiate Institute grounds were open- large garrison of Old Cavite. The present outbreak. ed last night at a meeting of No. 2 rendered, thus giving the insurgent command of the shore of the entire bay. All interior sources of supply now cut off from the Spanish forces in Manila. Everything is in readiness priation. The tenders total up to for the arrival of the American troops on the transport ships which left San Francisco June 15 and which are hourly expected. The Americans can take Manila within 24 hours after the arrival of the troops.

A GREAT FIRE. A great fire is raging north of Man-The insurgents have captured the waterworks on which the supply of the city depends. Gen. Augusti has issued orders declaring that all males above the age of 18 shall join the army and do military duty.

TO TAKE HAVANA. New York, June 17.—A dispatch from Washington (says: "President McKinley has been won over to Secretary Alger's view, and has decided upon a vigorous movement against Havana as quickly as can be arranged, despite Major-General Miles' opposition. It was for the purpose of impressing Gen. Miles with this change | and Japan. of plans and conferring with him on the manner of carrying it out that Gen. Miles was ordered to Washington from Tampa. Gen. Miles has urged that the army was not strong enough to cope with Gen. Blanco's legions, that the rainy season was setting, and the horrors of yellow fever were dwelt upon and other arguments were urged. But Secretary Alger pointed out that creased, that 200,000 volunteers were in the field impatient for action, and that a third call would still further increase the fighting strength of the United States, and if a successful blow cannot be dealt now, there is the

never be in a position to handle Blanco." A DECOY LETTER

prospect that the United States will

premium, Miss Hanavan; accessit, Leads to the Arrest of a Postoffice Employe.

The Caretaker at Guelph Charged

With Stealing. [G. N. W. Special to Advertiser.] Berlin, Ont., June 17.-The town was morning by the arrest of Ed. Lyons. caretaker of the postoffice and the cus-

toms and inland revenue offices, charged with stealing letters from the postoffice. A decoy letter which contained \$4 was found in his room. The postoffice department had been suspicious of

NO LACK OF ICE

A Steamship Passed 20 'Bergs Off Cape Race Yesterday.

Lyons for some time.

IG. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.1 Father Point June 17 -The steamship Hurona, from Shields, passed inward at midnight, and reported having passed about twenty icebergs off and to the northward of Cape Rae, about six miles off shore yesterday. She also encountered fresh winds and

lots of fog. The Liver at the Bottom.

The liver is usually at the bottom of a great many diseases. It is the liver which obstructs the bile. It is the bile which enters chemically into the composition of the digestive ferments, and also acts as a cathartic. Merrill's Sys-"Sleep: Its Physiology, Pathology, Hygiene and Psychology"; E. P. Johnson, "The White Wampum and Other Poems"; R. Garnett, "A History of Italian Literature": R. L. Stevenson, tem Tonic makes a strong, healthy, ac-

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Much Needed Rain Visits Australia.

Results of the General Elections in

Germany.

AUSTRALIANS HAPPY. Melbourne, Australia, June 17 .- Good rains have fallen in the colony, and it is estimated it has improved the value

of the wheat crop of Victoria £1,000,-GERMAN GENERAL ELECTIONS. Berlin, June 17-6;30 a.m.-One hundred and ninety results show the elec-tion to the reichstag of 7 Conservatives, 4 members of the Reichs party, 43 Centrists, 2 members of the Reform party, four National Liberals, 1 member of the Freisienne Union, 20 Socialists and 1 Independent, with second ballots necessary in 100 constituencies. Herr Bebel. who was elected at Hamburg, was defeated at Strausburg, which returned a Socialist at the last election. Count Limburg-Stirum was re-elected.

CHRISTIA'NS MASSACRED BY AL-BANIANS. Constantinople, June 17 .- The butbreak of the Albanians at Berane, near of which is comparable to the troubles preceding the Servia-Montenegro war against Turkey, in 1876, is due to re-The governors of the provinces of venge taken by some Christians upon the Albanian murderers of a Christian notable last autumn. The Albanians in

remote districts are participating in the In consequence of the repeated re-presentations of Montenegro supported by Russia, the sultan has dispatched troops to the disturbed district from Uskab. There has been continual fighting and many wounded on both sides. According to Ceitenge advices, many women and children who were fleeing towards Montenegro have been killed by

the Albanians.

WILL THEY GO? Montreal, June 17 .- Although both Lieut. Carranza and Senor du Bose deny emphatically that they have been ordered to leave Canada, a dispatch from Madrid states that the minister of foreign affairs, Duke Almodovar re

Rio has directed them to do so at once. A LIVE PRINCE IN QUEBEC. Quebec, June 17 .- Prince Victor Emmanuel of Italy, traveling incognito, under the name of Lecomte de Turin, accompanied by his secretary, Comte Carpenello, is in Quebec, and registered at the Chateau Frontenac. From here the prince goes to Lake St. John for some fishing. Thence he goes on a hunting trip to the Rockies, and will subsequently take a steamer for China

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As she stood there silent in that charmed solitude, thinking that the place and the hour were fitting for some shadowy form of the past that should appear, a slight sound made her turn and spirits of immortal loveliness!—it was no antique shade, no togaed sena-tor, no fiery Marius, no Horace Teaning against a cypress with an open, twiceread Homer in his hand, but such a oreature as would perhaps have subjected them all. A girl of 18, slim and graceful, with a heavy, disheveled crown of black hair, brilliant dark eyes, red lips smiling over small, milk-white teeth, and a fresh face and round throat of rosy white, with a delicate richness in the cheeks where a dimple nestled. The vision stood under the darkness of a cypress tree, glowing like the evening star, and waited to be spoken to.

"Come to me if you are human," Valeria exclaimed. "Whether you are human or not, come to me." The girl advanced with a half-bashful, half-confident air, laughing and alternately raising and dropping her brilliant eyes. It was as wonderful as if one of those splashes of sunlight had taken human form. It could not have taken a brighter shape, nor a prettier, simple dress, either, than the white

camicia, green skirt and corsets, and yellow handkerchief. "Speak! What are you?" Valeria repeated, looking with delight into that face as delicate as a flower and as rich

as a fruit. The girl only hung her head and laughed. She was as simple as a wildwood creature, yet not silly. She laughfrom the sweet joy of living, as a brook laughs that runs headlong down the mountain, no matter where, so that it flows and dances.

"What is your name?" was the next 'Rosa," said the girl, finding voice; and, in speaking, a sweet, faintly smiling seriousness settled upon her. In work and thought she could be earnest, you saw, when the time for work

"Of course! I might have known you could have no other name." Valeria said. "What is your mother's name?" "It was Felicita. But she is dead." She did not lose her smile in saying it. What did she know of death? Her mo-ther's last sigh had swelled the tiny sails of her newly launched life. There must have been a smile in that sigh. "Is the man at the gate your fa-

'Si, signora." "Have you brothers and sisters?"
"I have one brother, Vittorio." She spoke with an air of pride. "He is the gardener at Villa Mitella, in Rome."
"Do you live here always?"

"I live here all winter with papa and Betta. But in the summer I go up to the old palace and stay with Chiara. I once had a fever here, and now papa will not let me stay."

She spoke with quiet self-possession, was frank, clear headed and prompt. "What do y do here?" Valeria remove her eyes from asked unable that face, which took her observation innocently, and was not disconcerted by "I don't ask what your father and Betta do, but what you do."
"I live here," replied the girl slowly,

not seeming quite clear as to this re-

Ves she lived there as a peach lives on the bough, ripening in the sun; as a rose hangs on its stem, breathing out odors, and feels the breeze and the dew and the sun, and asks no questions. Valeria recollected having read that Pliny had mentioned the roses of Preneste as having been famous among the ancients for their fragrance. It was the city of beautiful roses, he said. "Your name is Rosa Prenestina," she exclaimed. "My name is Rosa Bandini," the girl

replied with a slight surprise. Valeria prepared to go away. "When do you go up to the old palace" she asked, leading her prize down the steps

"In May." The two walked down to the gate together; and when Valeria looked back from the carriage in driving away she saw Rosa hanging on her father's arm and chattering to him like a magric It was all charming. The filthy little town was set in an atmosphere of beauty and its past was a record of beauty. Cicero and Juvenal and Cato and Pliny and Plutarch and Aristotle, and who knows how many others, had praised the town as they might have praised a fair woman. Then the old myth of its origin was so pretty! Teletold by the gods to build a town where

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he should see men dencing crowned with leaves; and, meeting here conta-ding decorated with branches, he had accepted it as a sign, and founded the city. So out of the dark past the history of this town had sprung, men dancing crowned with leaves; and the fountain of their laughter hald never run dry She had heard it today in the rose-white throat of the Rosa Pre-

"Well?" asked the Signora Maria when her visitor returned.
"I am delighted. I shall come back in a fortnight. You must give me that room looking toward the east. And I have a room in the old palace where

I shall go every day."
"Brava! I knew you would like it."

CHAPTER XV. Rosa Bandini had grown up in soli-tude, with no playmates but her fa-Vittorio, and old Betta, except that, since she had been sent up to the palace in the summer, she had made the acquaintance of Chiara. Her father had never allowed her to know children and did not allow her to know girls and boys of her own age.
"Children, especial such as she would

see here, corrupt each other," he said. He and Vittorio had taught her what she knew of books, to read, write and make accounts, and Chiara had taught her housekeeping, knitting, weaving and lacemaking. Lacemaking was her chief employment. Everything in the house on which lace could be put was decorated by her busy fingers, and many a yard was put away for her bridal outfit when she should marry. The most solemn hours of her life were spent in puzzling out a new pattern with her cushion and bobbin.

It will be seen that this was a very old-fashioned little Rose. She had, however, read something by herself: for the owner of the villa had been there for a part of one distant autumn, and had left a case of books, chiefly history and poetry; and these she found, and pored over, especially the history of Palestrina. She had told her father and Vittorio all about the siege of Casalinga, that was so bravely defended by soldiers from Preneste, of the nuts that were floated down on the river to the starving inhabitants, of the rape seed they sowed over the walls showing that they meant to hold out till it should grow.

They let her talk, and said many a "Brava!" to encourage her. They knew that she had not many pleasures or interests. But she never knew it. Her joyfulness and sweetness sprang up and fell about her like a fountain, and all the world looked joyful through it. and Manitoba colleges be abolished Neither did she think that her father and replaced by a three-year universand Vittorio were bitter with the world. ity course, and that arrangements be They smiled now and then for her; and made to bring all the Presbyterian colif they were never merry, why, that leges into uniformity in this respect. was their way. Then old Betta was as gay as a cricket, and cheerful and contented about everything.

Rosa had been to the old palace the year before, and though she had very pal Caven, Dr. Cochrane, Dr. Maclittle company there, and never went Vicar, Dr. Warden, Dr. Robertson, W. anywhere, nor saw anyone, except in J. McCaughan, Dr. Moore, Dr. Torthe presence of Chiara, the custode, who was a friend of her father, she liked the Principal Grant, Dr. King, Dr. Gorwide view, and to wander through the don. Hamilton Cassels. Judge Forbes. deserted rooms and garden, and down | Geo. Hay, Hon. George W. Ross, Robt. into the beautiful church of Santa Ro-salia, that alone, of all the place, had Geo. Croil, J. McDonald, J. Charlton, been preserved in its first beauty. And M.P., Mortimer Clark and J. A. Macshe liked to go about with the tourists | Donald. who came to see the mosaic. Several times Chiara had let her open the door report on French evangelization work they looked, and listen to their strange harsh languages as they talked to each other. She had learned all the history of the mosaic, and told it off very proudly to these curious forastieri. This was her festa. And they all praised her and gazed at her, and spoke of her to each other; and sometimes they told her that she was beautiful. She knew that she was beautiful; she had heard It all her life, and it was one of the sources of her happiness. It was pleasant to see that the most serious face smiled when it looked at her.

The previous year the Danish painter had come there, and he, too, had glanced at her as he went in and out; and he was so unmistakably good, so nearly an angel, as both Chiara and Signora Maria said, that she was allowed to speak to him now and then. He usually painted in the Tempietto when the weather was fine; but when it was bad he came down to a room next that of Chiara, and she could see him at work: for the door was almost always open. Rosa would always be seated at such imes at Chiara's window, with her lace-cushion on her lap; and the painter would glance from time to time across his easel at that bright face in the gray old room, and Rosa glance over her bobbins at the fairhaired northerner who made such wonderful pictures. And if by chance their glances encountered. Rosa would hang her head and laugh, and by and bye begin to peep up again, like the simple, delicious little fool that she was. [To be Continued.]

THE ASSEMBLY

Deals With the Case of Cowan Avenue Church, Toronto.

The Church Must Move Within Two Years-Delegates to the Presbyterian Alliance.

Montreal, June 17 .- At Wednesday's session of the general assembly, the Cowan Avenue congregation came up on the report of the judicial committee, which had to deal with following circumstances. The Cowan Avenue congregation, Toronto, is an off-shoot from the Dunn Avenue Church. The former was permitted to meet in a certain building for its regular services for a term of two years, on the understanding that at the expiration of that period the congregation should build a new church not on the site on which they had been worshiping, but on some other site, farther away from the Dunn Avenue Church. The understanding referred to was departed from, and the Presbytery of Toronto permitted bending over. Then the back begins the Cowan Avenue congregation to re- to ache. No use trying to take out the main where it was. Dunn Avenue obdected. A third congregation, Fern avenue, became a factor in the concause of the trouble. flict, which church has now been established over four years. The Presbytery of Toronto and the Synod of edy for all kinds of bad backs—lame, flict, which church has now been es-Toronto and Kingston have been deal-ing with the differences between these Kidney Pills. Mr. Thos. Calladine, the parties. The judicial committee, to whom the matter has been remitted, proposed to the assembly the appointment of a commission with full assembly powers, to take the matter up. The Dunn Avenue representative opposed the appointment of a commission. On Dr. Sedgwick asking for the adoption of the resolution for the commission, it was moved in amendment by Dr. Bayne and Prof. Hart that

preferred the amendment to the mo-Numerous points of order were reported. Representatives from the Syn-ods of Toronto and Kingston, from the Presbytery of Toronto and from the churches concerned were heard. At the afternoon sederunt an interesting report was presented on the refuse all others.

instead of the matter going before a

commission it should be taken up in

open court, and a finding arrived at by

general assembly. The assembly



proposed educational requirements of students in theology. The report re-commended that the preparatory course at present existing in Knox mendation was adopted.

The following delegates were elected to the Presbyterian Alliance: Princirance (moderator), Principal Forrest,

while was considered, and after some ad dresses, was approved.

THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS. Thursday morning, after Principal Caven had handed in the report on church union, the dispute between Cowan Avenue and Dunn Avenue churches came up. Rev. Mr. Turnbull spoke for the Presbytery of Toronto in favor of Cowan Avenue Church. Dr. Somerville, for the Synod of Tororito and Kingston, supported the course of the commission in favoring that Cowan Avenue Church be allowed to stand. P. J. Glassford was followed by S. H. Bradford, of Cowan Avenue Church in support of that congregation. Rev. D. C. Hossack, pastor of Dunn Avenue Church, was the last speaker on this subject at this morning's sitting, and the most interesting statement made by him was to the effect that the matter was the result of friction in Dunn Avenue Church. The man who rented Cowan Avenue Church had resigned from Dunn Avenue Church some time before because he was asked to make a statement regarding certain matters with which his name had been connected. The whole matter was the outcome of a disaffected party within Dunn Avenue Church. It was not fair, he said, to put a friction breeding church at the door of a church which had poured out its finances to assist other churches while it carried its own debt. Mr. Hossack had not finished his speech when the assembly rose to take luncheon on board the Allan line steamship The Cowan Avenue Church trouble

was finally disposed of after a prodebate. A motion was made by Principal Forest, of Halifax, to dismiss the appeal of the Presbytery of Toronto, and to allow the Cowan Avenue Church two years to secure a new site. To this an amendment was offered to uphold the appeal and to allow the congregation to hold the present site permanently. After a warm debate the amendment was lost, and the main motion sustained, so that the congregation of Cowan Avenue will have to move from their present site within two years.

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FINE WEATHER.

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sure is still high over the lake region and the St. Lawrence Valley. The weather has been generally fine throughout Canada. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimalt,

48-64; Calgary, 44-78; Qu'Appelle, 44-78; Winnipeg, 54-82; Port Arthur, 46-54; Parry Sound, 44-68; Toronto, 44-66; Ot-

tawa, 46-74; Montreal, 52-70; Quebec, 44-66; Halifax, 44-68.

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ter at the observatory yesterday were: 72.5 above and 41.5 above.

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girls in this town don't think

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-A six-inch water main crossing

Pall Mall street at Wellington street

ke in the sewer under construction

there yesterday. The water rushed

into the trench rapidly, and some of

the men working below the pipe were

wet to the skin before they managed

to climb out. Nearly an hour elapsed

before the water was shut off and the

returning to their homes for the sum-

will be distributed: another to Lon-

don, and the third remained in To-

a reunion on June 23 and 24. Many prominent men are among the number,

-The Morpeth "Old Boys" will hold

scattered throughout Canada and the

United States, among them being Mayor Wilson, the M. P. for Kent, the

mayor of Chatham. A large attendance

is expected to talk over the good old

days of service, and the trials that have befallen the comrages since then.

-Chatham Banner: Chief Young re-

ceived a letter this morning from a

London woman, asting him to locate

her husband, who left home some time

to work. The letter states that their

young child is dying. The man's name

described as smooth-shaven, a little

above medium height, and rather

past president of the Hamilton confer-

We bespeak for Mr. Jackson a cordial

reception from this, his first charge in

At the residence of Mr. George Arm-

McIntyre, of Port Stanley, and Mr.

were present. After a dainty luncheon

was served the happy couple left for

the north, amid a shower of rice and the good wishes of their friends for

a number of friends in this city, who

-There was a large attendance of

members and visitors at the regular

communication of Kilwinning Lodge,

No. 64, A., F. and A. M., last night. Wor. Master Weber, officers and mem-

bers of King Solomon Lodge, No. 378, West London, paid a fraternal visit. W. Bro. Paul welcomed the visitors in

a suitable address, and gave the lodge

over to them. W. Bay. A. R. Galpin, P. M. of 378, then assumed the chair,

and with the assistance of the officers

of King Solomon, conferred the third

degree upon his son, in the presence of

a very large and interested assembly of

the ministry.

given as George Baker, and he is

-Attached to the Grand Trunk Rail-

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turned up almost to her forehead."

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kind. To be wise? We must look and think .- Ruskin. 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. It was with reluctance that I consented o a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any

other remedies to do me good." We can most of us sympathize, but to understand is a subtle quality. Un-selfish sympathy that forgets itself and does not obtrude, is the sweetest and rarest of all .- Anne Thackeray. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All. druggists refund the money if it fails to cure

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T. Essery, George F. Morris, W. C. Fitzgerald, Alex. Currie, John Hobbs, W. A. Bleuthner, A. G. Smythe, Jeff N. Wood, J. H. Ferguson, A. A. Campbell and many others. At the close an adjournment was made for refreshments, and a pleasant hour spent in a social way. THE C. P. R. PICNIC.

A committee of about 40, comprising two from 'every department of the C. P. R., have been elected to arrange for the annual picuic of the employes of that road. The following have been elected as the executive committee: Honorary president, T. W. Williams, Toronto; chairman, Conductor D. Menzies; secretary, John Shaw; treasurer, Thos. Collins. The committee have a good cash surplus on hand and a fine programme of sports will be ar-ranged. Woodstock and Ingersoll are mentioned as likely places, with the chances greatly in favor of the latter. MUSIC IN THE PARK.

The opening band concert of the season was given by the Seventh Band in Victoria Park last night before an immense crowd. The night was an ideal one, and the programme was excellent, and gave great satisfaction. The band was frequently applauded, -Mr. J. I. Hill, who has been spend-ng the winter in the Southern States, assed through the city yesterday.

especially in its magnificent rendition of Sousa's new march, "The Bride Elect." Much credit is due Bandmaster Pococke for the efficiency the -Guelph Mercury: Lieut.-Col. Nicoll band has attained. No attempt was was in the city today completing armade to have the people "Keep off rangements for the transport of the First Brigade of Field Artillery to the grass." Everyone strolled at will. The bicyclists were out in force and London camp on Tuesday next. The blockaded the drives at places, and brigade leaves the C. P. R. in the forewhen in motion one would have thought a large bike procession was passing. -A member of the Twenty-ninth WALL PAPER FOR INSOMNIA. Waterloo Battalion in camp here, writing to the Galt Reformer, says:

Told by a real estate agent: "I have learned of a cure for insomnia. That is, I have heard what cures one man. He was here inquiring for a house to rent. I went with him to look at several. One on the list suited him with the exception that the walls of the bedrooms were not papered. I finally agreed to paper them. Then he said that, and when we went together to look at samples I saw he was very par-

ticular, and in reply to my inquiry he said:
" 'It means a good deal to me. I must have paper on the wall that I can twist into fanciful combinations. I must have way express from the east Thursday figures in it that will count just so morning were three special coaches containing the pupils of the Deaf and much in my calculations. There must be outlines which I can form into faces that I like. If the paper does not Dumb Institute of Belleville. They are contain such figures I could never go mer holidays. One car was sent on to mer holidays. One car was sent on to to sleep; I would worry about my fail-Sarnia tunnel, from which point they ure to see what would be agreeable, certs had been disposed and that would keep me awake.'

'He had not found what he wanted

when I left him." A JUNE WEDDING. Omaha Bee: A June wedding in which there is considerable interest on account of the popularity of the bride and groom, is that of Miss Caroline H. Althaus to Mr. James R. Dewar, whose en-The marriage will take place at the home of the bride. 2.207 North Eighteenth street, on Tuesday evening, June 21. It will be a quiet affair, and no cards will be issued. Miss Althaus is an attractive young woman of this city, well and favorably known. Mr. Dewar is a naago, saying he was going to Chatham tive of London, Canada, though he has resided in Omaha for a number of years. He is connected with the executive department of the Union Pacific

Railroad, and is one of the most popular young men in the city. The World-Herald says: To accentuslovenly dressed. His age is given as ate the fact that June is a month for marrying and giving in marriage, a -Embro Courier: A change has been made in the Embro circuit by the stationing committee of the London number of other Omahans have an- that manner. It should certainly have nounced their weddings for the remaining days of the month. The announceconference. Rev. J. A. Jackson, a rement of the early marriage of Miss cent graduate of Montreal Wesleyan Althaus and Mr. James R. Dewar is College, a son of Rev. George Jackson, something of a surprise, but the many ex-president of the London conferfriends of both are bound to heartily ence, and a nephew of Rev. R. Walker, congratulate each of the well-known

ence, has been appointed for Embro. young folks. A GOOD DICTIONARY FOR THREE

CENTS. A dictionary containing the defini itions of 10,000 of the most useful and strong, Wellington street, St. Thomas, important words in the English lane on Wednesday evening, Miss Mary J. guage is published by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Brockville, Robert Loeder, of the L. E. and D. R. Ont. While it contains some adver-R., were married by Rev. R. McIntyre. tising, it is a complete dictionary,

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brethren, among whom were: R. W. COMING TO LONDON. Bros. Evans Davis, P. G. chaplain; J. Goderich Signal: The Goderich Signal: The members of S. Dewar, P. G. J. warden; W. C. Harthe Epworth League of North Street
ris, D. D. G. M.; V. W. Bros. O. J.
Methodist Church gave an "At Home"
Bridle and John Overell; W. Bros. E. to the members and friends of the

church on Tuesday last in order that a formal good-bye might be said to Rev. Joseph Edge, who after a pastorate of four years in Goderich is about to remove to London. The attendance was large, the refreshments excellent and the platform exercises first-class. Misses Campbell, Sharman, Harris, Parsons, Price and Whitman, Harris, Parsons, Price and Whit-ney and Chas. Cleworth and Ben. Rob-inson furnished the musical pro-gramme, with Mrs. R. W. Logan as accompanist, Misses Smith and God-win gave recitations, and Revs. J. A. Anderson, Godwin and the retiring pastor supplied the flow of reason on the occasion. Mr. Edge's reply to the address was an affecting although not a tearful leave-taking. He has been in Goderich for four years, and no man ever won for himself a better record. He leaves a host of friends behind him inside and outside of the North Street Church and the best North Street Church, and the best wishes of his many friends will ac-company him and his estimable partner to their new home. The chair was ably occupied during the evening by Walter C. Pridham, president of the local league, who read an address to

UNCORKED THE BOTTLE

Steamer Thames Better Off Than Cervera's Fleet.

Their Positions Have Been Similar for Some Time Past-Blockade Run Yesterday.

The latest naval news is that the steamer Thames has run the blockade. It is now moored in the river a short distance above the waterworks dam. and it is the intention of the owner to keep it there for the remainder of the season. The boat is but a semblance of its former self. All the machinery has been taken out of it, and it has practically been made into a floating pavilion, consisting of two decks, refresh-

ment booths, lockers, etc.

The blockade which had to be run has been effectual for some time past. It was instituted before the 24th of May by the water commissioners because they objected to a landing being made at the park, and the water was so low in the river that the boat could not be taken out of the winter quarters at Wonder-

Like Cervera's squadron, it was bottled up. Even after the splashboards were placed on the waterworks dam the gates were kept open and the water did not rise. The pavilion was the public if it and the public could only come together.

There was nothing wait, but while waiting for the dark clouds of difficulties to roll away clouds of another sort gathered.
The rain came, and while some people feared there would be too much rain, it is probable the fears of the proprietor of the old steamer Thames were the opposite. The river rose steadily, and on Wednesday it was high enough for the woyage.

Then was the bottle uncorked, and the vessel was towed to its present anchorage — about 40 feet above the dam. At night it is brilliantly lighted with acetylene gas and presents a striking seene. Boats will ply between the bank and the boat for the convenience

THE BAND CONCERTS

of the public.

he must select the paper. I agreed to Ald. Douglass Gives All the Money to the Seventh.

> Ald. Belton Says It Should Be Divided With the Musical Society-Enters a Protest.

At the meeting of the sewerage committee last night Ald. Belton asked certs had been disposed.

"The matter was referred to me with power," said Ald. Douglass. Ald. Belton said they had two fine

bands, and the money should be equally divided between them. Ald. Carrothers said the military band should get the money. Last year gagement has been announced recently. \$35 was paid for each concert on the understanding that 30 men were to that the chairman should shoulder the

play. On some nights only seventeen were present, and the band drew the contract yet. \$35 just the same. Ald. Douglass said he had arranged with the Seventh Band to give ten concerts for the \$300 at the committee's disposal. The bandmaster was to have one concert for himself. He (Ald. Douglass) would see that 30 men were

present every night.

Ald. Belton entered a vigorous pro- clared lost. test against the chairman's action. The Musical Society Band was a fine organization of 35 members, and it would unfortunate to throw it down in one-half the money.

Ald. Carrothers—The members of both bands play together.

Ald. Belton-No, they are two dis

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tinct bands. They should have alter- at once, the city to employ a carpenter nate concerts. Ald. Cooper charged that the Musical Society Band sometimes went to the park with 26 or 27 men, and then claimed the full \$35.
Ald. Belton'said it was not right

responsibility. He had not made a Ald. Douglass said he had practically made the agreement, unless the committee rescinded it. Ald. Belton moved to divide the

money, and was supported by Ald. Greenlees. Ald. Carrothers and Cooper voted nay, and Ald. Dreaney wanted a week's delay. The motion was de-

BOARD OF WORKS

Ald. Cooper Criticises the Pay Sheet-Too Much Spent, He Says-A Batch of Business,

At the board of works last night Ald. Cooper made the statement that in the past three or four weeks employes in the different departments were getting \$30 or \$40 per week more than

they had received in the past two The city engineer denied this. Ald. Cooper-I can point out the names of 25 or 30 men who are. The matter should be looked into. There were present: Ald. Douglass chairman), Dreaney, Cooper, Carrothers, Greenlees, Belton, Engineer Graydon and Secretary Bell.

The engineer recommended that \$115 be spent in replanking Wellington street bridge. Agreed to. The petition of T. S. Marshall, et al., for a tile sewer on Picton street, Queen's avenue to Dufferin avenue, was referred to the assessment com-

Manager Mackintosh, of the Merchans' Bank, said it was proposed to take down the iron fence around the and Queen's avenue and to fill in with value in Wasting Diseases and Con-an artificial stone walk. He asked that sumption. avenue be torn up, and the bank would pay its share of the cost of the stone The bank will be allowed the cost of a plank walk towards the work. are never without that world-renowned

Park Ranger Grant reported having tonic and regulator of the digestive orplaced 1,544 plants at Springbank.

The engineer recommended that the

West London breakwater be repaired

and do the carpenter work and the fillings to be supplied by contract. The engineer was instructed to have the work done, the cost not to exceed \$400. The survey of Beech street, West London, was laid over. Ald. Carro-thers said West London had had

enough work already. T. B. Fox, gravel contractor for wards 3 and 5, is going to Manitoba, and wants to transfer his contract to Wm. Dawes. Referred to the chairman, engineer, Ald. Carrothers and Ald. Dreaney.

The weekly pay sheet, \$735 76, was adopted. The committee then took up sewerage business

Messrs. D. Hannah and S. Screaton appeared on behalf of residents of Princess avenue between Waterloo and Colborne streets, asking that gully holes be put in there before the macadam pavement was completed. The engineer said that under the act this was impossible, as storm water could not be admitted to the new sewers. There was enough fall on this block to cause the storm water to flow to Waterloo street.

THE LONDON CASH BUYERS' UNION.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: In your report of police proceedings in last night's paper you have re-ported that C. Rosser, who was fined for being drunk, etc., came to London from Michigan to introduce the cash system, I desire you to correct this statement in your next edition. Rosser is soliciting from Toronto for the Dominion Trading Stamp Company, and has had nothing to do with the Cash Buyers' System. In justice to myself and merchants who are members of our union, this contradiction should be given prominence in today's issue, as it is liable to hurt the business very materially. Respectfully. JAS. SLATER, Jun., spectfully, JAS. SLATER, Jun., Manager London Cash Buyers' Union.

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