

Cabled Across.

Election of a Liberal Member for East Bristol.

Conference of Dissatisfied G. T. R. Shareholders.

New Movements Undertaken by the Japanese Forces.

Great Storm on the Mediterranean Coast—How the English Woman Was Changed.

A GREAT STORM.

TOULON, March 21.—A terrific storm is raging along the Mediterranean coast.

THE LOST CRUISER.

MADRID, March 21.—It was officially announced that a boat belonging to the missing cruiser *Edna Regente* had been found on the beach near Malaga.

THE LOSS OF THE ELBE.

LONDON, March 21.—The inquest into the loss of the steamer *Elbe*, which has been in progress at Lowestoft for some time, has been indefinitely postponed.

REFUSED HIS RESIGNATION.

MADRID, March 21.—Senor De Murag, Spanish minister in Washington, cabled his resignation on March 14. The Minister of Foreign Affairs has refused to accept it.

ELECTED A LIBERAL.

LONDON, March 21.—A Parliamentary bye-election was held in East Bristol today to fill the seat left vacant by the death of Sir Joseph Weston, Liberal. W. H. Wells, Liberal, was returned.

THE LORDS.

LONDON, March 21.—In the House of Lords today Lord Ripon's bill to repeal the restrictions upon the Australian colonies in regard to the imposition of customs duties was passed to the committee stage.

DISTINGUISHED PASSENGERS.

LONDON, March 21.—Herbert Murray sailed on the *Parisian* today for Newfoundland, where he will distribute the imperial relief fund among the sufferers. The *Parisian* carried also 167 boys from Dr. Barnardo's homes. They are on their way to Manitoba and Ontario.

BATTLE OF FLOWERS.

NICE, March 21.—The mid-Lenten festival was celebrated today. In the battle of flowers. Queen Victoria and her party, who drove in from Cimiez, attracted more attention than all other visitors. The first prize for carriage decoration was given to Miss Van Buren, of New York, whose Victoria, driven tandem, had been transformed into an enormous cornucopia filled with flowers.

AT THE SEAT OF WAR.

LONDON, March 21.—A dispatch from Shanghai says Japanese vessels have been searching British and German merchantmen in the Gulf of Pechili for contraband of war.

The cruiser *Aeolus* has been ordered to lie at Taku to protect the British interests. The Japanese fleet has since retired from Taku and the Chinese have a number of junks ready to be sunk at that place in order to block the entrance to the Pei Ho River.

The Japanese have blockaded the port of Tamsui on the northwest coast of Formosa.

GRAND TRUNK AFFAIRS.

LONDON, March 21.—A conference of Grand Trunk bondholders was held today, with Mr. Gladstone presiding. It was resolved that since Sir Henry Tyler's management had brought the company into a disastrous position, and owing to the suppression of important matters which ought to have been communicated to the shareholders, confidence could no longer be placed in his management. The meeting pledged itself to endeavor to secure a change. A committee was formed to notify the shareholders and obtain their opinion for the next semi-annual meeting.

TALKING PEACE.

LONDON, March 21.—A Shanghai telegram says: The negotiations between the Chinese envoys and Japanese representatives began Tuesday, March 21. The Times correspondent at Shanghai says that many Japanese ships are reported off Shanghai, Kwang, Taku, and Chihli, and a landing is likely to be attempted shortly. The Chinese are on the alert to offer resistance. A Japanese fleet is reported to have arrived at the Pescadore Islands. Torpedoes have been placed to defend Amoy harbor.

THE NEW WOMAN.

LONDON, March 21.—In his "Notes Upon London" M. Augustin Filon claims to have discovered the New Woman in England. The English girl of today, he says, is utterly unlike the sentimental, languishing creature of the old sketches. She is dry and hard, and her form is tall and straight. The race is developing on Darwinian principles. Men are giving up marrying, or, at all events, they marry less than they did. The women, therefore, no longer seek to please the men as they did. They go out into the world and compete with the men. There are women's clubs, where every sort of subject is eagerly discussed. According to M. Filon, here is a specimen English family: The mother is the widow of a Cambridge professor, and she has four daughters, of whom the eldest is 30. The mother has very advanced political opinions, and constantly speaks in public. She lives alone. The eldest daughter, who is a journalist, occupies chambers, and is as free as any young man. She is intelligent, happy, irreproachable. The second goes in for higher studies, and teaches at Gilton. The third has founded a colony for women gardeners. The fourth is a sculptor. M. Filon finds everywhere in England a continual physical and mental activity. He is inclined, on the whole, to think that there is a good deal of good, as well as some harm, in the New Woman movement.

BRITAIN'S FOREIGN RELATIONS.

LONDON, March 21.—In the House of Commons today Ernest Schwann, Advanced Liberal, member for the north division of Manchester, asked the Government if it would co-operate with Russia and France in bringing to an end the barbarous misdeeds perpetrated in Armenia by agents of the Porte.

Sir Edwin Grey, Under Foreign Secretary, replied that the object desired would not be attained by the raising of

such questions. "Already," he added, "several representations had been made to the Porte regarding cases of hardship and ill-treatment which had been brought to the attention of British authorities."

James F. Hogan, Anti-Parnellite, member for the middle division of Tipperary, asked the Government what truth there was in the statement made in one of the last letters of the late Robert Louis Stevenson, that ex-King Matakia of Samoa, after submitting to the authorities, had been brought to Apia on board a British ship, the captain of which, pointing to the British flag, saying he would be satisfied thereunder. Notwithstanding this assurance, according to Mr. Stevenson, Matakia was sent to the Marshall Islands.

Sir Edwin Grey said that the captain of the British ship had only promised Matakia that his life would be spared, and had not taken any part in his deportation.

The latest advices from Samoa, Sir Edwin added, conveyed the information that all the deported chiefs were well treated and that arrangements had been made for their families to join them.

IN THE DEATH-PIT.

Names of the Wyoming Coal Mine Victims.

Terrific Force of the Explosion—Rescuers Have to be Rescued—38 Men Unaccounted For.

THE VICTIMS.

EVANSTON, Wyo., March 21.—Sixty-two men perished in the Red Canon mine disaster. Fifty-one of them were married men with large families. The names are as follows: James Bruce, O. B. Matby, Albert Clark, John Lester, Henry Scothern, Isaac Johnston, Wm. Graham, jun., Samuel Halston, Hugh Graham, Wm. Tellers, sen., Henry Burton, James Hutchinson, John Dexter, Wm. Weedup, Tlios. Hutchinson, Aaron Bull, Walter Miller, Gus Kosola, Matt Silta, Charles Kasola, John Lehte, John Wilkes, James Hyden, Wm. Pope, Chas. Clark, Wm. Mason, Wm. Westcott, T. Booth, John Lester, Angel Dermody, John Theby, H. A. Hybarn, Geo. Critchley, Matt Johnson, John L. Martin, Geo. David Linton, John Peaton, Marshall Langdon, Baptiste Julian, Wm. Langdon, sen., James T. Clark, William Morris, Dan Coles, John G. Martin, J. T. Clark, Geo. Hyde, John G. Locke, Willard Brown, W. H. Griesel, Samuel Clay, Fred Morgan, James Limb, Jerry Crawford, Wm. Tellers, sen., James E. Clarke, W. E. Cox, James Gernley.

About 30 of the men killed belonged to the A. O. U. W., and were insured for \$2,000 each.

THE EXPLOSION'S FORCE.

The work of recovering the bodies goes steadily on, night and day, and is attended with grave peril. The first group of miners which ventured to brave the perils of gas, fire damp and crumbling walls were overcome and had to be rescued by others.

The terrific force of the explosion, in finding vent at the mouth of the slope blew the heavily timbered shed over the mouth of the slope clear into mine.

A little boy who had come to the mine with a horse and buggy to take his grandfather, Henry Burton, home at the close of the day's work, was driven over the slope near its mouth on the public highway at the moment of the explosion. He and his horse and buggy were thrown almost perpendicularly in the air fully 25 feet, and all fell in a heap into the mouth of the slope, where the buggy was demolished. The boy was picked up unhurt.

THE MISSING MEN.

It is thought the 38 men who have not been found were gathered on the seventh level to await the coming of the last trip of the day, which was to take them up to the surface.

A few lives were saved because of the time of the explosion. The miners quit work at 6 o'clock, and it is customary for them to be near the entrance and come out when the whistle blows.

A number of men had come up and some had just left the entrance to the mine slope away from the working tunnel when the explosion occurred, thus escaping death.

The shock of the explosion was felt for miles around, and was distinctly heard at Evanston, seven miles away.

The slope penetrates the earth at an angle of about 30 degrees, and the full force of the explosion found vent at its mouth, blowing the heaviest timbers into splinters.

John Hanna, carpenter, had just come up and was talking to Cox and Bruce when they were killed. The mules that were in the mine were killed by the force of the concussion. This is the third disastrous explosion in this vicinity. In 1881 No. 2 mine, Hockett Mountain mine, exploded, killing 36 Chinese and 4 white men, and the spring of 1886 in Union Pacific mine, No. 4, 36 men were killed.

BECOMING COMMON.

Serious Shortage Charged Against A. Tilbury Ex-Treasurer.

CHATHAM, March 21.—On behalf of the township of Tilbury North this morning a writ was issued against Mr. Clement Mailloix, ex-treasurer of the township, and his sureties, for the sum of \$7,742, the amount of a shortage which specially appointed auditors claim to have discovered in the accounts. Mr. Mailloix was treasurer of the municipality during the years 1892-3-4.

The sureties are Messrs. J. B. Brissette, Antoine Mailloix, sen., Philippe Ladouceur, E. C. Janisse, Michael Dunn, Gilbert Mailloix, Antoine Chauvin, jun.

DEATH OF MRS. GANNET.

BOSTON, Mass., March 21.—Mrs. Abbie M. Gannet, essayist, poet, author and philanthropist, is dead. She was born in North Brookfield, Mass., July 8, 1845.

THE STANSTEAD ELECTION.

STANSTEAD, Que., March 21.—The election which took place in this county today to fill the seat in the Legislature rendered vacant by the elevation of Mr. F. Hackett to the Tullion Cabinet, resulted in a victory for Hon. M. F. Hackett, of Stanstead, over his opponent, W. H. Coward, of Dixville, by nearly 700 majority.

R. H. Ramsay & Son, wholesale provision and commission merchants, Toronto, assigned Thursday. The trouble was owing to real estate investments during the boom. Liabilities said to be \$25,000; assets, \$15,000.

A NEW attempt to redeem the Roman Campagna is being made by a number of Lombard farmers. They have obtained land between Rome and the Alban Hills, where they will use improved methods of irrigation and agriculture. The malaria in the Campagna, it is officially stated, has diminished greatly of late years with the increase of cultivation.

Canadian Politics.

Parliament Summoned to Meet on the 18th of April.

The Much-Talked-About "Remedial Order" Signed.

What Manitoba is Likely to Do Under the Circumstances.

Mr. Bain, M. P., Renominated for Wentworth—Result of the Halton Liberal Convention—Notes.

PARLIAMENT CALLED TOGETHER.

OTTAWA, March 21.—The Dominion Parliament has been called to meet on April 18.

THE MANITOBA TROUBLE.

This afternoon His Excellency the Governor-General and the Ministers signed the remedial order, which is the primary act for the purpose of re-establishing separate schools in the Province of Manitoba, and which were abolished by the provincial statute of 1890. The order will be forwarded at once to Lieutenant-Governor Schultz.

Of course the order of itself does not establish the schools, because, if the Province refuses, then Dominion legislation will be required.

SUMMARIZED IN A SENTENCE.

(Special to the "Advertiser.")

OTTAWA, March 21.—The remedial order on Manitoba was signed by the Governor-General this afternoon in the presence of the Council, and was mailed to Manitoba tonight. It can be completely summarized in one sentence. It allows the appeal and orders Manitoba to pass an act establishing separate schools under the control, conduct and management of the Roman Catholics, and to appeal as much of the School Act of 1890 as is consistent with this order.

It is a sweeping victory for Messrs. Oulmet, Caron, Angers, Smith and Costigan. Apparently the Quebec bishops will not take anything on trust, and therefore Parliament has been called to ratify this order. The date is April 18th.

THE REMEDIAL ORDER.

WINNIPEG, March 21.—The dispatch from Ottawa concerning the adoption of a remedial order by the Cabinet Council in the Manitoba school case created much interest in the Legislature. Members discussed it on its merits, coming to the conclusion generally that the order would result in the prolonging of the session of the Local House. If the order sent from Ottawa really required the Manitoba Parliament to adopt remedial legislation, the Local House would, after debate, define its position, and communicate the same to the Government at Ottawa. That position has been defined frequently before, and will not be swayed from now. It is that Manitoba refuses to tolerate interference with her school act, and will not suffer remedial legislation. It was reported that after submitting its reply to the Local House, the Government will ask confirmation of its action from the people by dissolving the House and going to the country on the question. Members of the Government will not talk on the matter until the order has been received from Ottawa.

HALTON LIBERALS.

MILTON, Ont., March 21.—The Halton Reform Association held a convention today. The meeting was large, thoroughly representative and very enthusiastic. Mr. John Walde was tendered the unanimous nomination. Mr. Walde stated that his time was so fully taken up with engagements that he was not prepared today to say if he could comply with the wishes of the convention or not, and asked that he be given until Tuesday next, when he would let them have his answer. This request was readily granted.

THOMAS BAIN RENOMINATED.

HAMILTON, March 21.—Over 200 delegates met at the Young Liberal Club rooms this afternoon to nominate a Reform candidate to contest the constituency of Wentworth. John Welf, vice-president of the association, occupied the chair. Thos. Bain, present member for the constituency of North Wentworth, was the unanimous choice of the convention, and he accepted the nomination.

NOTES.

The North Simcoe Conservative convention met here today to nominate a candidate for the Commons, and chose H. Lennox, of Barrie.

The North Norfolk Conservative convention is to meet at Delhi on Thursday, April 4, for the purpose of nominating a candidate.

A FEMALE BIGAMIST.

Mildred Whitmore Sent to Prison for Six Months.

ORANGEVILLE, March 21.—The bigamy case against Mildred Whitmore, which has been so much talked of here, has at length been brought to a close. Today she was found guilty and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

A unique feature of the case is that both husbands were present in court, and apparently "Mildie" is undecided as to which one she would choose when she is at liberty to make a choice.

Her defense was that when she married Harnes she was under the impression that her first husband was dead; also that she was forced to marry Harkies. She is now an inmate of the Orangeville jail.

THREE CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 21.—The three children of Lucinda Smith, colored, were burned to death last evening. The mother had left them alone in the house.

No buffet should be without a bottle of Dr. Seiger's Angostura Bitters, the South American appetizer and invigorator.

LOST AND FOUND

See the Advertiser

Articles Lost and Found are returned to their owners by a 15-word ad in the Advertiser.

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Baxter Was There.

Haldimand's Newly-Elected Member Takes His Seat.

And Wins Applause from Both Sides of the House.

Several Government Bills Passed—A Measure That May Stir Up the Druggists.

(Special to the "Advertiser.")

PARLIAMENT HOUSE, TORONTO, March 21.—Today's striking event was the introduction of Dr. Baxter, who so signally redeemed Haldimand. The introduction of a new member is always an interesting bit of ceremony, but today's was doubly interesting, not only because of the doctor's long service in the House, but also because the Conservatives applauded almost as vigorously as did the Liberals as the newly-elected member took his place.

Sir Oliver Mowat and Mr. Gibson, of Huron, stood sponsors for Dr. Baxter, and there was applause the like of which has not been heard for several years.

When this was over the House settled down to a sitting which was useful, but not entertaining. Five or six Government bills were passed through without much trouble, the Opposition making but little effort to criticize. The bills were legal measures of a more or less complicated nature, and these Sir Oliver Mowat got through. Mr. Whitmer, speaking Mr. Meredith's place as legal critic for the Opposition.

The bill which is designed to make the Ontario law with regard to settled estates analogous to the English law upon the same subject, the bill to improve women's legal position by making a wife's claim to dower more certain, and the bill to prevent convictions under municipal bylaws being quashed on certain purely technical grounds which was suggested by Sir Oliver by Chief Justice Meredith, were all passed. Curiously enough, it was the last named which met with the greatest amount of criticism from the Opposition.

The bill to improve the position of the Children's Aid Society was also passed. Hon. Mr. Gibson giving an interesting account of the work of child-saving done in the past two years.

Hon. Mr. Hardy's bill to amend the election laws in a number of particulars was also passed.

Then the House went into committee on supplies and spent the afternoon sitting in voting supplies. Some important matters came up in connection with the public works estimate. In reply to a question on which Mr. Hartly explained the present condition of the dispute as to fees between the Government and Mr. Waite, the architect of the Parliament buildings, Mr. Waite had claimed \$6,000 as still due him, and the Government had offered him \$1,500. Of this some \$40 had been drawn, leaving \$1,045 still due him. Two weeks ago Mr. Hartly said Mr. Waite's solicitor had offered to compromise by accepting the \$1,045 and a 10 per cent commission on the outside of his contract and which would amount to \$5,300 and \$2,800 commission for examining the plans. The Government had never disputed his claim to the commission, but objected to its being 10 per cent—holding 5 per cent was enough. This offer is still being considered by the architect.

Hon. Mr. Ross introduced today a bill which will cause a good deal of stir among the druggists of the province. It is to abolish the present system of passing an annual bill allowing general storekeepers to keep patent medicines and to make the permission permanent.

A SHOCKING STORY.

Terrible Treatment of a Young Girl by Her Parents.

HEPWORTH, Ont., March 21.—Information was paid yesterday before P. Anderson, J. J. against J. W. Henderson and his wife for maltreating their daughter, a child about 13 years of age. It appears from the information laid that the accused have been in the habit of tying the child and suspending her from a beam overhead, and brutally beating her with a black-snake whip and a strap with a buckle on the end.

When Constable Cruise served the summons he brought the child to the village and had her examined by Dr. Campbell, who says that in all his practice he never saw a case of such brutality. The child is one mass of bruises and partly healed and brutal scars. The examination commenced today before Police Magistrates Anderson and J. W. Watson, and will be continued tomorrow morning.

TORTURED AND ROBBED.

Barbarous Treatment of an Aged Couple by Thieves.

BRADFORD, Pa., March 21.—Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Childs, an aged couple who live near Smithport, were robbed last night after being tortured by four masked men. The thieves entered the house and demanded Mr. Childs' money. He refused to tell where it was hidden, and the robbers struck him upon the head with a club, fracturing his skull. Mrs. Childs was seized and bound and fire applied to her feet until she told where \$640 were concealed. The thieves secured the money and fled.

GORED TO DEATH.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 21.—Word has been received of the fatal goring at Culiacan, State of Sinaloa, of Ponciano Diaz, the most famous bull-fighter in Mexico, and "empressario" of the Buacrell bull ring, in this city. He was gored in the groin and badly trampled, making death certain. Demetrio Rodriguez, who was lately killed in a similar way at Durango, was an old associate of Diaz.

LIVELY TIMES IN SAN SALVADOR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 21.—The steamer *San Blas*, which arrived last night from Panama, brings confirmatory news of the uprising against President Gutierrez, the shooting of Chief of Police Vasquez, of San Salvador City, and the imprisonment of the enemies of Gutierrez. The Dario, official Government organ, gives an account of the conspiracy, and states that Vasquez was shot while trying to escape. President Gutierrez has caused 50 or 100 people to be arrested.

Steamship Arrivals.

March 21. At New York. From Bremen. Willahad. New York. Bremen. Ebbro. New York. Bremen. Pomeranian. Montreal. Glasgow.

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Total.....	129 packages

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INTERNATIONAL ENTERTAINERS—Grand Opera House, Thursday, March 23. A choice and varied programme. Miss M. T. Stevenson, soprano; Mr. G. Franklin Ward, violinist; Miss Florence M. Ward, pianist; Mr. Sam Fox, humorist. Music, song and story paths and merriment. First floor balcony 50c, gallery 25c. Open at 8 o'clock, Tuesday 29th.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—MONDAY, March 26, Gus Hills' World of Novelties. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 40c.

READINGS FROM "AS YOU LIKE IT"—Mr. John Andras. 7 rooms, Friday evening, March 24. Collection. 40c.

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LADIES' AID, QUEEN'S AVENUE Methodist Church, birthday social, Friday evening, 8 o'clock. Bring some change for superb birthday bouquets. 45c.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, The recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Last term of the season commences week of Monday, March 21. Beginners classes, Gentlemen, Monday evenings, ladies, Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock. Ladies and gentlemen, Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock. Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. All the latest dances taught in advanced class. Private tuition at any hour not occupied with classes. DAYTON & McCORMICK, members of the N. A. M. of D. Academy, 476 Richmond street. Residence, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

JUBILEE CELEBRATION OF TALBOT Street Baptist Church, March 17 to 18, 1935. Programme of service for Friday, March 22, 8 p.m.—Historical Meeting, the pastor presiding. The history of each Baptist Church in the city will be read, and letters and greetings from former members. Refreshments. All who are or ever have been members of this church are invited to speak briefly. b

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WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—must have good city references. Apply 619 Waterloo street. 45c.

NOTICE TO THE GIRLS—IF YOU WISH a situation in private home or hotel, call at O'BRIEN'S Intelligence Office, 55 Dundas street. b

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED SKIRT and waist hands also apprentices. Apply KINGSMILL'S dressmaking departments. 40c.

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LOST—ON MARCH 4—BEAVER CUFF—Finder rewarded by leaving at J. GAMMAGE & SON'S, 213 Dundas street. 47c.

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(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT (formerly with C. C. Haight, New York.) Carling Block, Richmond street. 40c.

MCBRIDE & PARSONS—ARCHITECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street, Dufferin Block. H. C. McBRIDE, F. W. PARSONS. 40c.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS and civil engineers, Albion Building, London. JOHN M. MOORE, FRED HENRY. 40c.

REMOVED—J. A. GAULD, ARCHITECT—has removed his office to 180 Dundas street, east of Richmond. 40c.

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MOUNT BRIDGES.

(Advertiser) Agent, T. Pearce, P.M.)
March 21.—An old resident of Mount Bridges, in the person of Mr. Wm. Crooks, is lying dangerously ill at his residence. Very little hope is held out for his recovery.

Mr. Edward Tuck is convalescent after a severe attack of inflammation of the lungs. Glad to see you out again, Ed.

The young people of the Methodist Church here organized an Epworth League the other evening with the following officers: President, Mrs. (Rev.) G. J. Kerr; vice-president, Mrs. George Leppitt; secretary, Mr. E. S. Stephenson; treasurer, Miss Jennie Tuck. About 25 joined the first night and there are good prospects for more. They meet every Tuesday evening.

On Sunday last Mr. Richard Veale was taken suddenly ill and his family were called in on Monday to see him, but we are pleased to hear that he is getting better. Mr. Veale is subject to these bad spells.

Mr. Willard Simpson, who had his hand so terribly lacerated in a machine at the planing mill, is progressing nicely now and hopes to soon be able to resume work.

The Baptists are holding special services here. Mr. Joseph Mitchell, of London, was here Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and did excellent service. Next Sunday the Methodist Sunday school at Mount Carmel will hold anniversary services morning and evening. Their teaming will be held on Tuesday evening.

A PROGRESSIVE CITY.

Ottawa Citizens Inquire Into the Merit of the Kent Case.

OTTAWA, March 22.—Ottawa has always been credited with possessing a progressive population, and the interest evidenced by the citizens here in the recovery from advanced Bright's disease of Mr. G. H. Kent, a well-known and esteemed resident, shows that they have well merited the character which has been given them. The statements made in the press and by Mr. Kent himself that the recovery was due to a course of Dodd's Kidney Pills have been pretty thoroughly investigated, and the results of the inquiry have conclusively proved the truth of the statements that the orders for the remedy on the local druggists have increased in an extraordinary degree.

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

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McCully, the new photographer, a pupil of Bouguereau, Paris, France, is now established in the gallery lately occupied by Bickie, where a superior display of photography will be shown. Mr. McCully, as an artist, is a specialist in posing, which is the main point of photography. See our advertisement. McCULLY & Thompson, photographers, southwest corner Dundas and Broad.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

A Protest Against the Wholesale Shooting of Birds.

It is Denounced as a Brutalizing Sport.

To the Editor of the "Advertiser":

It was with great regret that I saw in one of our local papers an item of news to the effect that it was contemplated to hold in London a monster pigeon-shooting tournament, at which between 200 and 300 of these gentle and inoffensive creatures are to be sent up from traps and brutally slaughtered for the amusement of an idle throng; and that the sum of \$1,000 is to be worse than wasted in promoting the barbarous entertainment. I had hoped that the time had passed in this growing Canada of ours for such relics of barbarism, with their brutalizing influence on young minds. They belong to precisely the same class with the bull-fights of Spain, and the cock fights and dog fights, which are now happily made illegal, for under a thin veil of encouraging skill in marksmanship the onlookers are taught to find a brutal amusement in the wholesale slaughter and dying agonies of these helpless innocents. On the boys especially it is such a spectacle must have a bad influence. It is necessary to say the influence of the brutal propensities of the boys is often lurking in a boy's nature, which is only too apt to find expression in acts of tyrannical cruelty to the weak and helpless. Indeed, we have of late heard of so many acts of cruelty to the part of mere children that it is evident there is a special need for cultivating a spirit of gentleness and humanity. But how are we to teach the boys the evil of brutality if such object lessons are to be set before them?

I am sure that the promoters of the proposed "tournament," as it is so inappropriately called, cannot have in mind consideration the effect of their so-called "sport," especially on the young and susceptible, and also the certainty with which such bad examples reproduce themselves. These are not the times for playing with edged tools, as all cruel sports are educators to a ruthless and selfishness of life and suffering, which, while beginning with the dumb animal, is soon transferred to human beings. It is clear that a wave of brutality is rising throughout Canada at present. We have no need to foster and strengthen it. Rather, as good citizens, we should stamp out everything, no matter by whom proposed, which savors of associating pleasure with the sight of the suffering and death of our sensitive fellow-creatures! It has been well said in Scripture that "the merciful man is merciful to his beast," and conversely, the unmerciful towards his fellow-man. I trust that the good citizens of London, in the interests not merely of preventing cruelty to animals, but also of preventing the cultivation of cruel tastes in boys and young men, will prevail on the promoters of this "tournament" to substitute for their living victims the time-honored and insensitive "bull's eye" of military practice.

SLAUGHTER OF THE INNOCENTS.

(A Modern Tournament.)

There was loading of guns for a "tournament."

As forth the knights to the combat with their "stern joy" we are told they feel

In "foemen worthy of their steel."

See how they stand in their martial pride

With "the enemy" ranged on the other side.

But hold! they are shooting prisoners there!

Not for the prisoners rise in air!

Only to meet, as they so say, the cruel shot, on its whizzing way.

The shot that mangles, and tears, and dooms

The gentle bird, with the snow-white plumes.

The emblem of purity through all time.

On sacred page or in poet's rhyme.

Oh, is the quarry our modern knight seeks, when he goes, in his manhood's night.

To show the cunning of his right hand.

But hold, they cry, don't you understand

That we show, since man was made to kill.

Hereby, our clemency, pluck and skill.

Our pluck, since we meet, with unflinching eye.

The gaze of our innocent enemy:

We are marksmen sure, since we can slay

A bird, when 'tis not too far away.

And our clemency no man can deny.

Since some are but wounded, and some lie

And, if four of its kin are left alive,

What right to complain has the one in five?

Oh, fire away! 'Tis a noble deed;

But methinks in the hour of our great need

We shall look for nobler knights than they

Who win their spurs by the doves they slay.

In the good old times when the gallant knight

Went forth to prove his good sword's might.

'Twas against some monster of frightful mien.

Or a knight, all mail-clad in silver sheen.

Or to rescue the weak, or redress from wrong.

Not such are the knights of our modern song.

—By Agnes Maud Machar, in volume of Toronto Humane Society.

OXFORD ASSIZES.

A Small Docket—Several Cases Disposed Of.

WOODSTOCK Ont., March 21.—The spring sittings of the High Court for the county of Oxford with a jury opened here on Tuesday before Mr. Justice Rose. There were six civil and ten criminal cases on the list.

Mr. E. R. Ball, Q.C., appears for the crown. Mr. D. R. Calder, ex-warden of the county, was chosen foreman of the grand jury.

Whaley vs. Hamilton was an action for slander brought by Thomas Whaley, laborer, of North Norwich, against James Hamilton, farmer of the same place, for defamatory remarks.

McGee vs. McCorquodale was an action for damages for breach of contract. The plaintiff is a well-digger and the defendant a farmer.

James Munro, charged with stealing a quantity of carpenter's tools from Dr. Duncan, of the village of Embro, was found guilty.

Tiernan vs. the People's Insurance Company.—The plaintiff, Rev. Father Tiernan, is one of the executors of the late Father Molphy, of Ingersoll, and the action was to recover on an insurance policy of \$1,000 issued by the company to Father Molphy in April, 1894.

The defense set up was that no premium had been paid on the policy in question. Judgment reserved.

The grand jury returned three true bills against James Munro for larceny, and also a true bill against Thomas Marshall for seduction of a girl under 16 years of age.

BAPTIST JUBILEE NOTES.

Fifth of Special Services in Talbot Street Church.

Three Able Speakers Address a Large and Sympathetic Audience.

Yesterday evening services were again held in the Talbot Street Baptist Church, being the fifth of the eight-day jubilee celebration. The place was well filled with members from all the Baptist churches in the city, who listened attentively to the interesting addresses from the ministers present, who all spoke of the great blessings that had been showered down upon the Baptists in this city during the past 50 years.

After opening exercises, which included the singing of a hymn and the offering of an earnest prayer by Rev. Ira Smith, who presided at the meeting, Rev. T. W. Charlesworth was called upon to speak. His subject was "The Advantage of the Church to the Individual." The speaker pointed out how the church has advantages for all grades of society; it rejected none. It was not a secret society, for it was made broader, yet in it was found the secret of the hidden life. It was not a nation, yet it included individuals from every nation. It was not a family, yet its ties were just as tender, only more expansive. The Baptist Church was the church organization, as described in the New Testament.

Mr. Charlesworth went on to say: "Some people despise church membership. True, we can worship the Lord without belonging to any special church organization, yet if the church is a divine institution every Christian ought to be within its fold. I met a man the other day who asked me to join a secular friendly society. He said that the members met together every week and had their intellects quickened by rubbing up against one another, and that the friendly intercourse did him good. I replied that I attended church prayer meetings and that the same results, but that not only was my intellect brightened, but my soul was also enlightened." The speaker closed his remarks by asking the people to encourage friendly intercourse between the church and the world, and to be true to the church.

Rev. D. M. Millard next addressed the meeting. The subject on which he based his remarks was "The Elements of Power in Church Life." "The people that do the Lord's will shall be strong," quoted the speaker, "but it is a question of the whole of the last 50 years, but if we have come to a true knowledge of God, we ought to have greater things during the next half century. Some great general once said that God always on the side of the heaviest battalions. If I thought that I should feel inclined to give in once, but it is not so. What we want is unity, not sectionalism. Let the four organizations of this city in future work together. The time has come, and we have reached the position when we ought to stand shoulder to shoulder to contend earnestly for the faith once for all delivered to the saints."

After the singing of a hymn, Rev. W. M. Walker addressed the assembly. He spoke on what was transient and permanent in the church of Jesus Christ. Among other interesting subjects, he compared the pyramids of Egypt, the pyramids of the church, and the pyramids of the world. He said that the pyramids of the church were built of living stones, and the pyramids of the world were built of dead stones.

WESTERN ONTARIO.

Almost a Centennial—Death of Mrs. Gould, of St. Marys, Aged 97—Young Liberal Clubs Formed.

The Erie and Huron Railway Company have put in a switch to the Waterloo glass works.

The Young Liberals of Waterloo have organized a club, the first Reform association in the county. A. B. McBride was elected president.

The Sarnia hospital committee have returned from a tour of inspection. They visited the Stratford, Guelph, Galt, and London hospitals, and secured many pointers.

The Deary House, Dundas, was offered for sale Monday, but the highest bid, \$4,500, did not come up to the required bid and the property was withdrawn.

A box car on the Erie and Huron at Chatham on Wednesday mysteriously took fire on the track near the freight house, and was with some difficulty saved from destruction.

Messrs. Cronk & Tallman, of St. Thomas, will enter an action for damages against the town of Aylmer for closing and quarantining their branch store there during the recent smallpox scare.

The young men of New Hamburg held a rousing meeting here night and organized a club with these officers: Honorary president, James Livingston, M.P.; president, Wm. Linton; secretary, Mr. Pequegnat; treasurer, Mr. Presprik.

The remains of Charles Barbour were interred in Dunganon cemetery yesterday. The deceased was 77 years of age.

Wawanesa was one of the pioneers of West his farm and retired from farming, locating in Dunganon. He was for some time troubled with an affection of the heart, to which he succumbed.

On Wednesday evening Joseph Kilpatrick, an old and highly respected resident of Ashfield township, Bruce county, was found dead, lying near his sleigh in Blake's woods, from where he marks of violence were seen.

Coroner Tennant was notified, but he did not consider an inquest necessary. Apoplexy is supposed to have been the cause of death.

In the county of Lambton 64 tavern and 5 shop licenses were issued last year, compared with 89 tavern and 44 shop licenses in 1874, a decrease of 25 in the number of tavern and 39 in the number of shop licenses.

The shop licenses in West Lambton have been issued in the last riding since 1839. During the year 1894 \$715 in fines was levied in the county for violations of the License Act, and 69 persons were committed to jail for drunkenness last year, against 105 in 1894.

John Downie, one of the oldest residents of the township of Harwich, passed away the other day at the age of 85 years.

He had a large family, eight of whom are still living—John and Daniel, in St. Louis; James and Dennis, in home; Mr. M. Dillon, of Chatham; Mrs. T. Donovan, of Harwich, and two daughters at home. Mrs. Downie died over 29 years ago. Deceased came to Chatham from Ireland in 1840, and at work in the county for some time.

The Sarnia chief of police received a letter from Scotland Yard the other day stating that a stranger had been found on March 6 in Hyde Park, London, England, with a bullet in his head. He



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died soon after. In his pocket was found a card, "R. S. Oliver, Sarnia." Mr. Oliver is a well known Sarnia contractor on a visit to England at present, and his alarmed relatives immediately telegraphed to their English friends. They were reassured by a reply saying Mr. Oliver was alive and well. The murdered stranger was evidently a fellow passenger of Mr. Oliver to whom the latter had probably given his card.

The death of Mrs. Rebecca Gould took place on Monday, March 18, at her residence in St. Marys, and removes one who was the oldest resident, her age being 97 years, 10 months and 6 days. Mrs. Gould came with her husband, Mr. James Gould, from Londonderry, Ireland, in 1846, to York township, whence they removed to the Mitchell road, Blanshard. They lived there till about nineteen years ago, when they retired from farming and bought a home in St. Marys. Mr. Gould had fourteen years ago, and Mrs. Gould had a constant and loving care of her daughters, Miss Maggie Gould and Mrs. Leary. What is very remarkable is the fact that the aged lady retained all her faculties to the last day of her life, had a good appetite, and required no special food to be prepared for her.

SENTENCE OF PONTIUS PILATE.

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The following is a correct transcript of the sentence of Pontius Pilate, the memorable judicial sentence which has ever been uttered by human lips in the annals of the world:

"Sentence pronounced by Pontius Pilate, Intendant of Lower Galilee, that Jesus of Nazareth shall suffer death by the cross. In the seventeenth year of the reign of the Emperor Tiberius, and on the 25th of March, in the most holy city of Jerusalem, during pontificate of Annas and Caiaphas, Pontius Pilate, Intendant of the Province of Lower Galilee, sitting in judgment in the presidential chair of the praetor, sentences Jesus of Nazareth to death on a cross, between two robbers, as the numerous testimonies of the people prove that (1) Jesus is a misleader; (2) he had excited the people to sedition; (3) he is an enemy to the laws; (4) he calls himself the son of God; (5) he falsely calls himself the King of Israel; (6) He went to the temple followed by a multitude carrying palms in their hands."

It likewise orders the first centurion, Quirinus Cornelius, to bring him to the place of execution, and forbid all persons, rich or poor, to prevent the execution of Jesus.

The witnesses who have signed the execution against Jesus are: (1) Daniel R. bani, a Pharisee; (2) John Zorobabel; (3) Raphael Robani; (4) Capet. Finally it orders that the said Jesus be taken out of Jerusalem through the gate of Tournes.

There seems to be no historical doubt as to the authenticity of the above document, and it is obvious that the reasons of the sentence correspond exactly with those recorded in the Gospels.

The curious document was discovered in A. D. 1280, in the city of Aquili, in the kingdom of Naples, in the course of a search for the discovery of Roman antiquities, and it remained there until it was found by the commissioners of art in the French army of Italy. Up to the time of the campaign in South Italy it was preserved in the sacristy of the Carthusians, near Naples, where it was kept in a box of ebony.

Since then the relic has been kept in the Chapel of Caserta. The Carthusians obtained by petition, leave that the plate might be kept by them as an acknowledgment of the sacrifices which they had made for the French army. The French translation was made literally by the members of the commission of art. Denon had a fac-simile of the plate engraved, which was bought by Lord Howard, on the sale of his cabinet, for \$2,500 francs.

CALLED A CANADIAN MINISTER.

DETROIT, Mich., March 21. A special meeting of the congregation of the Central Presbyterian Church was held last night to decide upon a pastor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. James S. Dickie to accept a call from Berlin, Germany. Six or seven candidates were in the field at the opening, but this number was reduced to two—Rev. Marcus Scott, of Cambridgeport, Ont., and Rev. Duncan Cameron, of Canastota, N. Y. The fight on these two candidates was decidedly warm. Mr. Scott was the candidate of the older people while Mr. Cameron was championed by the young people. Mr. Scott was finally chosen by a vote of 91 to 40. The salary was placed at \$2,000.

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NOT DISSOLUTION, BUT A SUMMER SESSION.

The men in power at Ottawa, after

shivering and shaking between two

opinions since the death of Sir John

Thompson, have finally agreed to meet

Parliament. That it was their intention

to shirk further investigation of

their conduct, and to go to the country

so soon as they could get the new

voters' lists ready, is made evident by

their tactics. Three seats in the House

of Commons have been vacant for

twelve months. They are Quebec

West and Antigonish, in Nova Scotia.

Instead of providing for elections in

these constituencies, the men in power

at Ottawa have been going "up and

down the whole creation" flogging the

partisan spirit of their followers, and

endeavouring to soothe the hundred and

one "knifing" quarrels that are known

to be in progress in their ranks. The

city of Montreal has been without a

collector of customs for three years.

Mr. R. S. White, Conservative M. P. for

Montreal, has been promised the position,

but he is kept hanging on the ragged

edge because the Administration

knows that it will lose the constituency

if it opens it. The moral seems to be

that the \$4,000 salary paid to the collector

of customs can be saved to the country,

for if the port can do without a

collector for three years, surely there

is no need for appointing one at all.

Now Parliament has been called to

meet on April 18, the latest date upon

which it has ever met, except after a

spring general election or a Cabinet

crisis. These constituencies will be un-

represented when Parliament meets be-

cause the Government has not dared

to fill them. Is it fair, is it courageous,

is it a token of the strength of the Cab-

inet now ruling?

There were two factions in the Cab-

inet—one led by Mr. Foster, who sternly

held out against holding a session be-

fore dissolution. He and his associates

compelled the flogging of the constitu-

encies into a winter election excitement,

and into unnecessary and expensive pre-

parations for a general election. He

and his associates caused the printing

of the voters' lists outside the Gov-

ernment printing office at Ottawa, at

additional expense to the taxpayers,

because they desired to force a dissolution,

and thereby avoid facing the

deficit in the receipts of the Dominion,

and the necessity of imposing addi-

tional taxation before going to the coun-

try. These high-tax leaders also gave

the advice which misled the Conserva-

tive managers in this city, causing them

to early unload Sir John Carling, at the

bidding of the P. P. A. generals in their

ranks, to select Mr. Beattie, to open

ward committee rooms, and to adopt

election tactics that only the eve of a

general election would warrant.

A very prominent Conservative, dis-

cussing the situation with his friends

some time ago, asserted that there was

but one course open to the men in power,

now that they had entered on serious

pre-election preparations, and had

led their supporters to believe that an

election was imminent, and that was

to go to the country. "Rely upon it,"

he said, "a party in power cannot afford

to play fast and loose with its

supporters in that way without injur-

ing itself."

This opinion seems to be well found-

ed. The preparations for a general

election, the misleading information sup-

plied to their supporters, the unneces-

sary washing in public of high tax party

dirty linen which has taken place in

dozens of constituencies, and the final

eleven hour "funk," will certainly

have the effect of still further empha-

sizing the weakness of the stop-gap

Premier and his associates.

Statesmen would not be guilty of con-

duct such as is here portrayed. Cour-

ageous men, with nothing to fear, would

have called Parliament together early

in February, would have faced their de-

feat, would have courted investigation

of their administration, would have given to the public their financial statement for the year ending 30th June last, which is yet suppressed, and would have by this time so promoted the public business that Parliament would be within a month or five weeks of adjournment, instead of being kept from assembling for another month. Before Sir John Thompson died he pledged himself to have Parliament called in the first week of February, if not in January. But his successors have not respected his pledge or respected the public convenience. They have been merely anxious for a way to escape from their self-brought troubles, and for issues that will divert the public mind from the great issue of bread and butter. It remains to be seen how far they will succeed. We venture the prediction that they will fail. The Liberal leaders were thoroughly prepared for either a dissolution or a session.

—Some idea of the severity of the winter in Scotland this year may be gleaned from the statement by a correspondent that no cart, vehicle or sledge passed from Glenlivet to Dufftown for 60 days during the recent storm.

A NEW SITE.

The Queen's Avenue Methodist congregation have very properly resolved to abandon the site of their burned-down church. They will choose another site on which to erect the handsome new structure which has been decided upon. It is understood that the choice has narrowed down to two corners—that known as the Hodgins property, corner of Queen's avenue and Wellington street, and the Morkin Hotel property, corner of Dufferin avenue and Wellington street. Both properties are centrally situated, and each has its advocates. Our preference would be for the last-named site. It faces the park; it is on higher ground, and it is a neighborhood which bids fair to continue residential. Toronto experience vindicates the course taken by the congregation of Queen's Avenue Church. Some of the finest churches in that city were built down town, in what has developed into the business section. The result is that their congregations have largely moved away from them, and the management are now confronted with the difficulty of reaching their members. In the steady progress of this city, the site now abandoned on Queen's avenue will be valuable for business purposes, and in giving it up with that view and choosing a site among the residences, the congregation will be building for the future, will be providing for many years a place of worship convenient to its members, and in a neighborhood that is unexceptionable.

—A correspondent asks what is the meaning of "the Governor-General in council," so often used. "Governor-General in council" is a phrase which simply means "the Dominion Government."

IS HE GOING?

A telegram to the Toronto World from Ottawa says it was currently reported there last night that Hon. J. C. Patterson, Minister of Militia, will shortly retire from the Dominion Ministry. He will be succeeded by Hon. Arthur R. Dickey, Dr. Montague becoming Secretary of State.

This news does not surprise us. It has been common rumor that as Mr. Patterson knew he could not be re-elected in West Huron, and as he must know of the disfavor with which the policy of his party is regarded in the country, he desired to retire. It is said he will take a judgeship.

—The "Advertiser" does not say goodbye to a normal school for London. We believe it will be established here in due course. What we say goodbye to is the foolish style of argument adopted by our city contemporary, with regard to the proposed institution.

FEWER MEN EMPLOYED.

There is evidence of the strongest possible character that the census returns for the Dominion were stuffed in 1891 so as to make as good a showing as possible for the high tax policy. But a correspondent directs our attention to the fact that so far as the boot and shoe making industry is concerned, even the stuffed census makes a poor showing. By the census of 1871 the number of shoemakers in Canada then was 16,171; in 1881 the census showed that the number had increased to 17,640, showing a fair increase during the low tariff decade. But the census show that by 1891 the number of shoemakers employed in Canada was reduced to 15,859, which is 300 less than the same industry employed in 1871. Our correspondent declares that today many of these shoemakers are walking the streets of Montreal looking for work. No, no; the N. P. has not made them rich.

—The Opposition in the Legislature have been complaining of draughts. Perhaps it was the breeze which blew bluff old Dr. Baxter back to the Chamber.

—Perhaps when Parliament meets the M. P. editor of the Toronto World will come across the "Moses" who he declares is not now in the Conservative party, and who, he asserts, is needed to lead his party out of their present deplorable condition.

—Some of the Ottawa correspondents have learned that the Conservative M. P. who know they will not be re-elected, and who want an easily-earned \$1,000 allowance, bull-dozed the men in power into holding another session, after having made every preparation for an election.

A GREAT MISTAKE.

During the University students' unpleasantness a trenchant article appeared in a city contemporary, of which the gist is contained in the following sentences. "The students make a stupid blunder if they imagine the public good is at all dependent upon their securing a college training. If there is one portion of the community that this country can spare better than another at the present time it is the ever-increasing class of young men who are filled with an all-consuming desire to go through life in the capacity of professional gentlemen. Canada stands in need only of men who produce wealth. As a matter of fact, over-education appears to be more of a detriment to Canada than otherwise. The cities are crowded with young men who have been educated just enough to look with odium upon industrial and agricultural occupations." All this is true, and many a young man and woman only wish to see the truth when it is so late to retrace their steps.—Canada Presbyterian.

ARE WE TO HAVE A FRUIT FAMINE?

Trim your sails, gentle of the peach-growing propensities. An expert who has been through this section on the quiet informed us yesterday that fully two-thirds of the peach buds which vegetate in February are rotten and the black core shows it. If his ideas are right, there will be no early fruits, and those coming after will be high priced.—St. Catharines Journal.

DEMAND ON MANITOBA.

The Ultimatum of the Dominion Government.

After Over Four Years Dodging It Issues a "Remedial Order."

OTTAWA, March 22.—The Cabinet met at 3 p.m. yesterday. The Ministers being present except Sir Frank Smith and Hon. Mr. Ferguson, of Prince Edward Island. His Excellency the Governor-General was also present.

THE MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

The minutes of council on which the remedial order is based, which is a lengthy document, comprising the entire history of the case, was again read over and the remedial order duly signed by his Excellency.

In the minutes of council the committee cites the judgment of the judicial committee of the Privy Council in regard to the power of the Dominion Parliament to legislate on matters of education so far as necessary to protect Protestants or minority, and proceeds:

The committee, therefore, recommends that the Dominion Legislature be requested to consider whether its action upon the decision of your Excellency in council should be permitted to be such as, while refusing to rescind a grievance which the highest court in the empire has declared to exist, may compel Parliament to give the relief of which, under the constitution, the Provincial Legislature is precluded from giving.

Thereby, according to this view, permanently divesting itself in a very large measure of its authority, and so establishing in the Province an educational system which, no matter what the circumstances of the country or the views of the people, it cannot be altered or repealed by any Legislature in Canada.

The remedial order adopted by council, based on the foregoing report, is as follows:

"Whereas, on the 21st day of November, 1892, a petition by way of appeal, under the provisions of section 22 of chapter 3 of the Acts of Parliament of Canada, passed in the 33rd year of her Majesty's reign, and entitled: 'An Act to amend and continue the Act, 32-33 Victoria, chap. 3, and to establish and provide for the Government of the Province of Manitoba' (commonly called the Manitoba Act), and confirmed by the British North America Act of 1871, was presented to his Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in council by and on behalf of the Roman Catholic minority of her Majesty's subjects in the Province of Manitoba, which petition, among other things, alleged in effect that by certain acts of the Legislature of the Province of Manitoba, passed after the union, and by an act passed by the said Legislature in the 44th year of her Majesty's reign, chap. 4, which may be cited as the 'Manitoba School Act,' and by the act amending the same, the Roman Catholic minority of her Majesty's subjects in Manitoba acquired the rights and privileges in relation to education thereby conferred upon them, including the right to build, maintain, equip, manage, conduct and support Roman Catholic schools in the manner provided in the said statutes, the right to a proportionate share of any grant made out of the public funds for the purposes of education, and the right of exemption of such members of the Roman Catholic Church as contribute to such schools from the payment of any contributions or payments to the support of any other schools.

"That subsequently, in the 53rd year of her Majesty's reign, statutes were passed by the Legislature of the Province of Manitoba relating to education, which statutes came into force on the 1st day of May, 1890, and entitled respectively: 'An Act respecting the Department of Education,' and 'An Act respecting Public Schools,' and that the effect of the two last-named statutes was to repeal the provisions of the Province of Manitoba in relation to education, and to deprive the Roman Catholic minority of the rights and privileges which it had acquired under such previous statutes as were repealed by the said statutes, and to require the said Roman Catholic minority to pay contributions or payments to the support of any other schools.

"That it might be declared that to his Excellency the Governor-General in council it seems requisite that the provisions of the statutes in force in the Province of Manitoba prior to the passage of the said acts should be re-enacted in so far as at least as may be necessary to secure to the Roman Catholics in the said Province the right to build, maintain, equip and manage, conduct and support their schools in the manner provided by the said statutes, and to require them to pay contributions or payments to the support of any other schools; or that the said acts of 1890 should be so modified or amended as to effect such purposes. And that such further or other declaration or order might be made as his Excellency the Governor-General in council should see fit under the circumstances, and that such directions might be given, provisions made, and all things done in the premises for the purpose of affording relief to the said Roman Catholic minority in the said Province as to his Excellency in council might seem meet.

"And whereas, the 24th day of February, 1895, having been appointed for the hearing of the said appeal, and the same

coming on to be heard on that day and on the 5th and 7th days of March, 1895, in the presence of counsel for the petitioners (the said Roman Catholic minority of her Majesty's subjects in the Province of Manitoba), and as well for the Province of Manitoba, upon reading the said petition and the statutes thereby referred to, and upon hearing what was alleged by counsel on both sides, his Excellency the Governor-General in council was pleased to order and adjudge, and it is hereby ordered, and adjudged, that the said appeal be, and the same is hereby allowed, in so far as it relates to rights acquired by the said Roman Catholic minority under legislation of the Province of Manitoba, and that by the two acts passed by the Legislature of the Province of Manitoba on the 1st day of May, 1890, entitled respectively, 'An Act respecting the Department of Education,' and 'An Act respecting the Public Schools,' the rights and privileges of the Roman Catholic minority of the said Province in relation to education prior to the 1st day of May, 1890, have been effected by depriving the said Roman Catholic minority of the following rights and privileges, which, previous to and until the 1st day of May, 1890, such minority had, viz.:

"(a) The right to build, maintain, equip, manage, conduct and support Roman Catholic schools in the manner provided for by the said statutes, which were repealed by the two acts of 1890 aforesaid.

"(b) The right to share proportionately in any grant made out of the public funds for the purposes of education, and

"(c) The right of exemption of such Roman Catholics as contribute to Roman Catholic schools from all payment or contribution to the support of any other schools.

"And his Excellency the Governor-General in council was further pleased to declare and decide, and it is hereby declared, that it seems requisite that the system of education embodied in the two acts of 1890 aforesaid shall be supplemented by a Provincial act or acts which will restore to the Roman Catholic minority the said rights and privileges, of which such minority has been so deprived as aforesaid, and which will modify the said acts of 1890 so far, and so far only as may be necessary to give effect to the rights and privileges in paragraphs a, b and c hereinbefore mentioned.

"Whereof the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Manitoba, for the time being, and the Legislature of the said Province, and all persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

(Signed) JOHN J. McFEE,

"Clerk of the Privy Council."

MIDDLESEX SPRING ASSIZES.

List of Cases to Come Before Mr. Justice Rose.

Many Actions for Damages—The Collier Seduction Case—Suit Against the Water Commissioners.

The spring assizes for Middlesex open on Tuesday before Mr. Justice Rose, and will probably last until the following Saturday. The docket is light, but many of the cases will prove of great interest. The list is:

Beattie vs. Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway—Action brought by a Wilton Grove (Westminster township) farmer for \$2,000 damages for alleged improper ejection from a train. Love for plaintiff, Patterson for defence.

Howe vs. O'Keefe—Action on a promissory note. Stuart for plaintiff, Folinsbee for defence.

Howe vs. Oliver—Action on a promissory note. Stuart for plaintiff, Love for defence.

Nimons vs. Water Commissioners—Brought by George Nimons, city, to recover \$3,000 for damages received by being thrown out of a rig on King street, alleged to have been caused by the tearing up of the roadway by the water-works employees. Chisholm for plaintiff, T. G. Meredith for defence.

Smith vs. Lappan—Helmuth for plaintiff, Lappan for defence.

Williams vs. Leonard—Action to recover a bolt machine, brought by A. R. Williams, of Toronto, against Leonard & Sons, London. McEvoy for plaintiff, Gibbons for defence.

Treblcock vs. Carrothers—Gibbons for plaintiff, Miller for defence.

McGuffin vs. Calvert—Action for damages. Magee, Q.C., for plaintiff.

Collier vs. Kilbourne—To recover damages for seduction. The plaintiff is Edith May Collier and the defendant Edward Kilbourne. Both parties belong to Dorchester. At a recent assizes Kilbourne was placed on trial for seducing the plaintiff, but when the case had almost reached a conclusion, Kilbourne solicited attention to the fact that the information had not been sworn out within the time allowed by the statute. On this technicality the accused was discharged, but Judge Robertson, in allowing Kilbourne his freedom, said he had, by his conduct, proven himself a dastard.

Lynn vs. East Williams Township—Action for damages for injuries received through a defective highway. Machett for plaintiff, T. G. Meredith for defence.

Forsyth vs. Croden—To recover damages for alleged false arrest. McEvoy for plaintiff, Graydon for defence.

Davidson vs. Cook—Action on an account. Stuart for plaintiff, Milne for defence.

DUFFERIN C. E. CONVENTION.

ORANGEVILLE, Ont., March 21.—The convention of the Christian Endeavor Societies of Dufferin which closed tonight was a great success, both as regards the number present and the interest shown by those in attendance. About 400 delegates were present. Addresses were given by the Revs. Brown, Orangeville; McKibbin, Shelburne; and Smith, Grand Valley, and Ellison, Mono Center. The next meeting will be held in Shelburne in October.

—W. H. Curran, of Dresden, was arrested at Chatham on Thursday on a warrant charging him with fraud in connection with his dealings with the Kingbolt cigar factory, London. The amount involved is \$10.

—The finance committee of London West has decided to take steps to collect the \$3,000 of taxes still unpaid. A meeting was held on Thursday evening, and after the collector's rolls were examined it was agreed to issue distress warrants. Many property-owners whose taxes are still due are well able to pay.

Steamers Arrived.

March 22. From Southampton to New York.

POLITICAL NOTES.

It is said that the writs for the by-elections in Vercheres, Quebec West and Antigonish will be issued at once.

John Kerr, farmer, living a few miles from Harristown, was killed on Thursday by a falling tree.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY, MARCH 22.

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- 4th—Fancy Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 12½c, on Friday, 8c each.
- 5th—One table of White Cambric Embroidery, worth 8c and 10c yard, on Friday 5c yard.
- 6th—Over 60,000 yards of New Laces will be opened out for your inspection. Our 5c line is worth 10c; the 10c line is worth double. See them.
- 7th—Ladies' White Cambric Nightgowns, regular price 50c, on Friday 38c.
- 8th—Colored Garter Elastic, regular price 7c, on Friday 3c yard.
- 9th—Fancy White Metal Belt Buckles, worth 18c, for 12½c.
- 10th—Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves, Josephine make, in colors only, worth \$1 25, for 88c.
- 11th—Ladies' Heavy Wool Hose, worth 20c, for 16c.
- 12th—Children's Plain Wool Hose, spliced, worth 18c, for 12½c.
- 13th—Books, a few left from our Xmas sale of popular authors, worth 50c, for 19c.
- 14th—9 only Large Leather-bound Albums, worth \$2 50 and \$3, your choice \$1.
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A Tale of Love And Bliss, at Last.

"Marian," she said, "Step here a moment; I want to say a word to you."
"Yes, aunt Sarah," said Marian, following her aunt into a room, not quite in the best humor in the world: for she had a dread of some further interference.
"Are you to dance with Maurice this evening?"
"Yes, I believe so, the first quadrille."
"Well, I believe I was going to say this; I don't want you to dance many quick dances, for a reason I have; that is, not a great many."
"Why aunt, what nonsense!"
"Now, my dearest girl, it is all for your own sake. Well, then, it must out. He does not like it, you know."
"What he?"
"Maurice."
"Well, aunt, I don't know that I'm bound to dance or not to dance just as Mr. Cummings may like. Papa does not mind my dancing. The people have come here to dance, and you can hardly want to make me ridiculous by sitting still." And so that word which did not appear to be very sweet, and then the amusement of the evening commenced, and Marian stood up for a quadrille with her lover. She, however, was not in the very best humor. She had, as she thought, said and done enough for one day in Maurice's favor. And she had no idea, as she declared to herself, of being lectured by aunt Sarah.

"Dearest Marian," he said to her, as the quadrille came to a close, "it is in your power to make me so happy—so perfectly happy."
"But then people have such different ideas of happiness," she replied. "They can't all see with the same eyes." And so they parted.
But during the early part of the evening she was sufficiently discreet: she did waltz with Lieut. Graham and polk with Capt. Ewing, but she did so in a tamer manner than was usual with her. She made no emulous attempts to dance down other couples. When she had done she would sit down, and then she consented to stand up for two quadrilles with two very tame gentlemen, to whom no lover could object.

"And so, Marian, your wings are regularly clipped," said Julia Davis, coming up to her.
"No more than your own," said Marian.
"If Sir Rue won't let you waltz now what will he require of you when you're married to him?"
"I am just as well able to waltz with whom I like as you are, Julia; and if you say so in that way, I shall think it's real envy."
"Ha—ha—ha; I may have envied you some of your beaux before now; I dare say I have. But I certainly do not envy your Sir Rue." And then she went off to her partner.

All this was too much for Marian's weak strength, and before long she was again whirling round with Captain Ewing. "Come Miss Leslie," said he, "let us see what we can do. Graham and Julia Davis have been saying that your waltzing days are over, but I think you can put them down. Marian, as she got up and raised her arm in order that Ewing might put his round her waist, caught Maurice's eye as he leaned against a wall, and read in it a stern rebuke. "This is too bad," she said to herself. "He shall not make a slave of me, at any rate as yet." And away she went as madly, more madly than ever, and for the rest of the evening she danced with Capt. Ewing, and with him alone.

There is an intoxication quite distinct from that which comes from strong drink. When the judgment is altogether overcome by the spirits this species of drunkenness comes on, and in this way Marian Leslie was drunk that night. For two hours she danced with Capt. Ewing, and ever and anon she kept saying to herself, "I would teach the world to know—and of all the world Mr. Cummings especially—that she might be led but not driven."

Then about 4 o'clock she went home, and as she attempted to undress herself in her own room she burst into violent tears and opened her heart to her sister—"Oh, Fanny, I do love him, I do love him so dearly! and now he will never come to me again!"
Maurice stood still, with his back against the wall, for the full two hours of Marian's exhibition, and then he said to his aunt before he left: "I hope you have now seen enough; you will hardly mention her name to me again." Miss Jack groaned from the bottom of her heart, but she said nothing. She said nothing that night to any one; but she lay awake in her bed, thinking, till it was time to rise and dress herself. "Ask Miss Marian to come to me," she said to the black girl who came to assist her. But it was not till she had sent three times that Miss Marian came.

At 3 o'clock on the following day Miss Jack arrived at her own hall door in Spanish Town. Long as the distance was she ordinarily rode it all, but on this occasion she had provided a carriage to bring her over as much of the journey as it was practicable for her to perform on wheels. As soon as she reached her own hall door she asked if Mr. Cummings was at home. "Yes," the servant said. "He was in the small book room, at the back of the house, upstairs." Silently, as if afraid of being heard, she stepped up her own stairs into her own drawing room, and very silently she was followed by a pair of feet lighter and smaller than her own.
Miss Jack was usually somewhat of a

despot in her own house, but there was nothing despot about her now as she peered into the book room. This she did with her bonnet still on, looking round the half-opened door as though she were afraid to disturb her nephew. He sat at the window looking out into the veranda which ran behind the house, so intent on his thoughts that he did not hear her.

"Maurice," she said, "can I come in?"
"Come in? Oh yes, of course," and he turned round sharply at her. "I tell you what, aunt; I am not well here, and I cannot stay out the session. I shall go back to Mount Pleasant."

"Maurice," and she walked close up to him as she spoke. "Maurice, I have brought some one with me to ask your pardon."

His face became red up to the roots of his hair as he stood looking at her without answering.

"You would grant it certainly," she continued, "if you knew how much it would be valued."

"Whom do you mean? Who is it?" he asked.

"One who loves you as well as you love her—and she cannot love you better. Come in, Marian." The poor girl crept in at the door, ashamed of what she was induced to do, but yet looking anxiously into her lover's face. "You asked her yesterday to be your wife," said Miss Jack, and she did not then know her own mind. Now she had a lesson. You will ask her once again; will you not, Maurice?"

What was he to say? How was he to refuse when the soft little hand was held out to him; when those eyes laden with tears just ventured to look into his face?

"I beg your pardon if I angered you last night," she said.

In half a minute Miss Jack had left the room, and in the space of another thirty seconds Marian had forgiven her. "I am your own now, you know," she whispered to him in the course of that long evening. "Yesterday, you know—" but the sentence was never finished.

It was in vain that Julia Davis was ill-natured and sarcastic, in vain that Ewing and Graham made joint attempts upon her constancy. From that night to the morning of her marriage—and the interval was only three months—Marian Leslie was never known to flirt.

THE END.

Nervous People

And those who are all tired out and have that tired feeling or sick headache can be relieved of all these symptoms by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives nerve, mental and bodily strength and thoroughly purifies the blood. It cures a good appetite, cures indigestion, heartburn and dyspepsia.

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Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when by the timely use of Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger averted?

This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

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Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

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Richmond, Ky., has a hypnotist club. The Siamese have great horror of odd numbers, and were never known to put 5, 7, 9 or 11 windows in a house or temple.

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Your druggist is honest if when you ask him for a bottle of Scott's Emulsion he gives you just what you ask for. He knows this is the best form in which to take Cod Liver Oil.

In several European countries butter is sold by the yard. The rolls are 2 1/2 yards in length, and are sold in sections to suit purchasers.

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STRATHROY.

("Advertiser" Agents, R. Dickinson and W. J. Watkinson.)

March 21.—On Sunday last the members of Howard Lodge, I. O. O. F., celebrated the 25th anniversary of the institution of their lodge by marching to St. John's Church, where a very instructive sermon was preached by the rector, Rev. F. G. Newton. On Monday evening an entertainment was held in the lodge room, which was filled with Oddfellows and their lady friends. The chair was occupied by Wm. Geddes, and besides a service of refreshments, the very enjoyable programme included music by the orchestra, consisting of Miss Smyth, Mr. A. McLellan and Mr. L. Meyner; solos by Misses Wright, Rapley and Saxon, and Mr. G. Proctor. The presentation of a valuable jewel to Bros. H. McCall and F. L. Harrison, Wm. Oldham and John R. Clarke; reading of manuscripts by Bro. J. T. Nichols; addresses by the veterans and the very interesting and well-attended Vokes, N. G.; and a recitation by Mr. L. Meyner. Howard Lodge, from its small beginning in 1870, has grown to a sturdy youth, and is now strong, both financially and in membership.

The West Middlesex Agricultural Society's spring show will be held on the grounds here April 24.

The C. T. U. will hold a social at Mrs. John Heard's residence on Friday evening.

The St. Andrew's Band of Hope had a very pleasant and successful entertainment on Friday evening, with Mr. W. H. Murray in the chair.

The birthday entertainment for the benefit of St. John's Church, held in the parish rooms by Mrs. Dampier and Mrs. A. S. Thompson, was a decided success, and a handsome sum was realized.

As announced, meetings under the auspices of the Strathroy Horticultural Society were held in the Farmers' Hall yesterday (Wednesday) evening, March 21. The meetings were well attended, and in a high degree instructive and profitable. The chair was occupied by the very enjoyable and well-attended object, first called on local men to open the proceedings. Mr. B. Gott gave an address on the importance and methods of spraying, and Mr. George Butcher, with some practical remarks on apple culture, followed. An experience of nearly 60 years, Mr. Fraser spoke in a humorous but instructive manner of the mistakes he had made. Then followed the two chief addresses, by Mr. H. H. H. of Arkona, on the culture of small fruit, and a Mr. A. McNeil, of Windsor, on the spraying of fruit trees. Both were full of good advice, and on a practical and successful practice, and the resulting discussions, in which a large number took part, were very interesting. At the evening meeting Messrs. McNeil, Hilborn and other speakers followed. The speakers were full of good advice, and on a practical and successful practice, and the resulting discussions, in which a large number took part, were very interesting. At the evening meeting Messrs. McNeil, Hilborn and other speakers followed.

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SARNIA.

("Advertiser" Agent, D. McMaster.)

March 21.—Our town is suffering from a coal famine at present. Our coal dealers do not seem to be able to supply the needs of our citizens in this regard.

Tenders have been called for the pulling down of the old grammar school building preparatory to erecting our hospital.

A barn belong to Joseph Giffin, of Cromwell street, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night last about 10 o'clock. This is the second time this building has been burned.

On the preparations are being made by the Sarnia Maccabees to entertain their brethren on April 10 and 12 next, the date appointed for the Ontario convention. An entertainment and banquet will be held in the Boys' Brigade hall on the evening of April 11, when speeches will be delivered by all the prominent members of the order in the United States and Canada.

Rev. Mr. Speller will preach in Wallaceburg this week helping Rev. Mr. Farmer in special meetings.

Mr. W. Kirkton, who had charge of a Great store here for a few years past, has purchased a farm near Courtright, and is going to make his home there for the future.

The ice bridge above Point Edward has given way and the river is filled with large fields of floating ice on its way to the lower lakes.

Rev. Mr. Jordan, of Strathroy, will preach in the Fourth Ward Presbyterian church on Sunday at both services, March 31.

Rev. Mr. Speller will preach the last of his special sermons on the parable of the sower in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening, March 24. None should miss it.

An old lady named Mrs. James Pringle died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Andrew Thompson, College avenue, Tuesday morning, aged 88 years and 4 months. Her funeral took place to Lakeview Cemetery on Thursday, March 21.

On Monday evening next, March 25, the Ladies' Benevolent Society will give a pound social in the Boys' Brigade hall. Admission, one pound of provisions or groceries, of value not less than 10 cents, to be distributed among the poor families in our town.

Eight dollars was realized from the benefit concert in aid of Mrs. Reardon and family.

Sarnia Tent, No. 1, K. O. T. M., will in future occupy the rooms over Wood's store, Front street, as a meeting place.

Charlie Clark advertises his elegant brick home on George street for sale.

Johnstone Lodge, K. of P., have secured Canada's popular humorist, Mr. W. E. Ramsay, to present his new entertainment in the town hall on Wednesday evening, March 27.

Mr. G. Phillips is in Toronto this week attending the session of the Grand Lodge, Sons of England Benevolent Society.

The steamer Idlewild will not run on the route between Detroit and Port Huron this year. The Greyhound and the Darius Cole will be the steamers of the Star-Cole Line, and will be put on this route about May 1.

The Ida Van Cortland Company is filing a week's engagement at the opera house, Port Huron, and is patronized by large crowds from this side.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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WELSMAN-SMITH—On Wednesday, March 13, at Fordwich, by Rev. S. C. Edmunds, of Fordwich, Mr. Harry Welzman, to Miss Emma Smith, both of London.

DIED.

MURRAY—In Westminster township, on Thursday, March 21, 1895, Robert Murray, in his 65th year.

Funeral on Saturday, at 9 o'clock, from his late residence, 3rd concession, to St. Peter's Cathedral, London. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

FORSYTH—At Muncey, March 20, Margaret, beloved wife of John Forsyth, aged 31 years.

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Minimum and maximum temperatures: Edmonton, 26°—46°; Battleford, 30°—40°; Qu'Appelle, 30°—38°; Winnipeg, 30°—44°; Pelly Sound, 2° below—32°; Toronto, 18°—28°; Kingston, 14°—30°; Montreal, 14°—30°; Quebec, 6°—34°; Halifax, 12°—38°.

TODAY'S PROBABILITIES.
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—The corporation pay roll this week amounts to \$171 01.

—The Bishop of Huron preaches in St. James' Church, South London, this evening.

—Auctioneer Jones has sold the Keller property, Belmont, to Wm. Dyer, Belmont, for \$1,880.

—Mr. Ernest Devlin, of this city, has left for the Pacific coast, where he will permanently reside.

—Last night Adjutant Smeeton, of this city, conducted a special meeting at the Salvation Army Barracks, St. Thomas.

—Mrs. Albert Knight, Cleveland, Ohio, has been called home owing to the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Noble, South London.

—Mr. David Sare, of this city, was yesterday elected second vice-president of the Ontario License Holders' Protective Association.

—The board of works did not hold its regular weekly meeting last night. There was very little business in the secretary's hands.

—Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Gartshore, and Miss E. Gartshore, of this city, and Miss M. Gartshore, of Hamilton, have left on an extended trip to the Bermuda Islands.

—Ex-Alderman Scarrow visited his father-in-law, Robt. Bredin, St. Thomas, on Wednesday. Mr. Bredin is the father of the late Engineer Bredin, C. T. R., city.

—Some boards over the roaster at Mayell's spice mill, on King street, caught fire last evening about 5:15 and necessitated the attendance of the brigade. Damage slight.

—The man who has invented a laundry machine that will turn out stiff collars with pliable button holes deserves a monument just as much as Edison.

—Marketmen desire to call the attention of the transient officer to the large number of small boys who congregate daily on the market and bask in the sun and play marbles instead of going to school.

—A patient at St. Joseph's Hospital named Morkin escaped last night and was found wandering, thinly clad and bareheaded, in the north end by a policeman. He was taken to the police station at 12:30 and afterwards returned to the hospital.

—Harry Jones and Henry Williamson, two draymen, were charged at the Police Court this morning with allowing their horses to stand unattended. They were let go with a warning. George Stone, a vagrant, was given two months in jail. A drunk was discharged.

—Building is picking up with the return of spring. Permits are issued today to Joseph Nicholson for the erection of a brick seven two-story house on Piccadilly near Colborne, and to C. H. Tune, York street, for the erection of three brick cottages (story and a half) on the west side of Richmond, between Simcoe and Horton.

—The directors of the Mechanics' Institute have decided to accept the offer of Mr. Alexander Harvey for the purchase of the building and real estate. Two offers were made—one from the Liberal-Conservative Association at \$18,000, and the other from Mr. Harvey at \$18,010. The latter was accepted, subject to ratification by the stockholders at a meeting to be held in two weeks. Mr. Harvey, it is understood, holds a mortgage on the premises.

—A Palmerston correspondent says: We have to make the sad announcement of the death of Miss Annie Sides, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas Sides, con. S. Wallace. The young lady had been visiting her aunt near London, when she took ill of inflammation, and died very suddenly last Wednesday. The remains were brought home for burial, and the funeral, which took place last Friday afternoon from her father's residence, was very largely attended. Miss Sides was a general favorite and very highly respected. She had just reached her 23rd year. Her parents and remaining members of the family have the sympathy of the entire community in their great loss.

HON. EDWARD BLAKE ILL.

Mr. S. H. Blake, Q.C., has received a letter from his brother, the Hon. Edward Blake, in Ireland, stating that he was suffering from bronchitis, of which there was almost an epidemic there at present.

LAURIER NOT COMING.

Mr. Charles S. Hyman, M.P., has received a telegram from Toronto announcing that the series of meetings for the next two weeks by the Liberal leader, Hon. W. Laurier, have been cancelled. Mr. Laurier was announced to speak in the Opera House here on Wednesday next. This step is doubtless due to the action of the Do-

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ASSESSABLE WHERE RESIDENT.

Judge Hughes has given judgment in the case of Cain vs. the Corporation of St. Thomas, an action to recover income tax. Plaintiff, who is an engineer on the M. C. R., claimed that as his employment extended from Fort Erie to Windsor, he was not liable for income tax in St. Thomas. Judge Hughes finds that the assessor is obliged to assess all property liable to taxation, including income within the municipality, and that, on the other hand, every person is obliged to give all necessary information to the assessor in regard to property and income, and, if required, a statement thereof in writing. In this case plaintiff had no place of business anywhere outside of St. Thomas, and though his employment took him through various municipalities, in the absence of such place of business, Judge Hughes decides that he was assessable at his place of residence. He being assessed as a householder and resident of St. Thomas, it was held that the income was assessable exclusively within the city under sections 33, 37 and 38 of the Consolidated Assessment Act. Judgment is therefore given for the city and its co-defendant.

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- 4th—Rock Crepons in black and cream, very fine goods, extra heavy crinkles, and worth \$1 20, price on Saturday night 70c per yard.
- 5th—9 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, 44 inches wide, worth \$1, our price on Saturday night 65c per yard.
- 6th—The new "Fiber Chamois" for lining dresses, our price on Saturday night 29c per yard.
- 7th—A big shipment of Pearl Buttons, 18, 20, 22, 24 and 26 lines, on Saturday night 5c per dozen.
- 8th—Silk Spools, on Saturday night 1c each.
- 9th—A new lot of Hand-Cut Black Jet Trimmings, on Saturday night at 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c and 15c per yard.
- 10th—Special line of Hair Cloth, on Saturday night 17c per yard.
- 11th—Dress Steels, on Saturday night 8c per set.
- 12th—Fancy Chenille Spotted Veilings in all colors, on Saturday night 8c per yard.
- 13th—Fancy Metal and Aluminum Belt Buckles, just imported from New York, at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 40c.
- 14th—Ladies' Silk Belting, navy, white, cream, cardinal and black, on Saturday night 18c per yard.
- 15th—Ladies' Fine White Hemmed Handkerchiefs, worth 10c, on Saturday night 5c each or 6 for 25c.
- 16th—Ladies' White Band Linen Collars, on Saturday night 1c each.
- 17th—Silk Tassels and Pom-Poms for fancy work, on Saturday night 20c per dozen.
- 18th—Chenille Cord, in all colors, on Saturday night 7½c per yard.
- 19th—Ladies' White Laundered Chemisettes, on Saturday night 25c.
- 20th—Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hose, on Saturday night 23c per pair.
- 21st—Linen Floss, on Saturday night 2 skeins for 5c.
- 22nd—Belding's Washing Silks and Filo Floss, on Saturday night 4c per skein, or 3 skeins for 10c.
- 23rd—Best Linen Thread, on Saturday night 8c per spool.
- 24th—Another lot of Ladies' Fine French Kid Gloves, in black and colors, on Saturday night 50c per pair.
- 25th—100 Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Capes, in all colors, worth \$2 50, on Saturday night \$1.
- 26th—A lot of Manufacturers' Samples of Capes, 93 in all, no two alike and the most stylish goods, from 90c up to \$3; these goods are worth double what we are asking for them, but as we said they are samples, and we bought at half price.
- 27th—60-Inch White Table Linen, regular price 50c, our price on Saturday night 35c per yard.
- 28th—60-Inch Turkey Red Table Linen, regular 50c goods, our price on Saturday night 35c per yard.
- 29th—Children's Blue Serge Sailor Suits with brass buttons, worth \$2, on Saturday night \$1 25.
- 30th—Very special—200 Children's and Boys' 2-Piece Suits, your choice on Saturday night \$1.
- 31st—200 dozen Gents' Silk Ties, light and dark, four-in-hands, knots and bows, worth 25c, 35c and 50c, on Saturday night 2 for 25c.
- 32nd—4-Ply English Stand Up Collars, all heights, sold all over the city at 25c, our price on Saturday night 15c, or 2 for 25c.
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