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WHOLE NO. 16229;

Deaths. Marriages,

DIED. McLEAN-In this city, on March 27, Annie Stanton, beloved wife of Walter G. McLean,

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 177 Clarence street, on Friday, at 2:3e p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends will please accept this intima-

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F. B. LEYS' OFFICE WILL BE AT the London Hat. Cap and Mantle Manu-facturing Company, 355 and 357 Clar-ence street, for the present. 23tf

Mortgage Sale.

At J. W. Jones' auction rooms, London, on Thursday, March 28, 1991, at 4 p.m., there will be sold by public auction p.m., there will be sold by public auction that fine residential property situate on southwest corner of Waterloo and King streets, and being part of lot No. 5 on south side of King street, east house No. 335 King street.

For further particulars see postors or apply to CRONYN & BETTS, vendors' solicitors. London Ont. 17c M13,23,27

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Tenders for the construction of TILE SEWERS on PICCADILLY STREET renr Waterloo to Maitland streets, and WELLINGTON STREET, from Sydento St. James streets, will be received as office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday, 28th March.

Plans, specifications and form of ten-der can be seen here.

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TRAIN STALLED IN NORTHERN TUNNEL

The Engineer Was Killed-Five Others Were Overcome, But Recovered.

Seattle, Wash., March 27.-The first serious accident in the new Great Northern tunnel, which was opened for traffic about three months ago took place Sunday night and resulted in the death of Engineer W. W. Bradley from suffocation from the poisonous gases in the tunnel. His fireman Jos. W. Smith, and five other trainmen were overcome, but recovered soon after getting into the open air. The train, which was eastbound, became stalled in the middle of the tunnel. The fumes of the engine filled the place and the men were forced to lie on the floor of the tunnel for safety. When the train failed to appear at the east end of the tunnel the watchers there started in with a relief engine. The body of the dead engineer was found face down in a ditch at the side of the track. The rescuers had a hard time getting to the scene owing to smoke and gas. All the men rescued are nearly recovered tonight

TRAIN DROPPED INTO CHENANGO RIVER. Binghamton, N. Y., March 27 .- Passenger train 808, on the Utica division of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, was wrecked this morning at a point a mile and a half east of Norwich. The train is said to have gone into the Chenango River. Engineer, fireman and two passengers

undermining of tracks by high water. WINDSOR'S OLDEST CONDUCTOR DEAD.

were hurt. The wreck was caused by

Windsor, Ont., March 27.-John Thorpe, the oldest railway conductor residing in Windsor, died Sunday evening, aged 78. Mr. Thorpe was in the service of the G. T. R. for 41 years, retiring five years ago. During this period he ran 1,918,800 miles, and carried over three million passengers, not one of whom was injured in any way.

At the census of 1790 New York was outranked in population by Virginia, Pennsylvania, North Carolina and Massachusetts. There are over 1,000,000 square feet of production of tomatoes for market pur-

Japanese General Declares It Must Surely Come Sooner or Later.

sumi, a general of the Japanese imperial army, accompanied by Capt. N. Kayemi and L. Matusi, passed through Pittsburg yesterday, en route to California. They have been in this country for the past three weeks securing data for the benefit of the imperial army, and intended remaining for three or more months, but were called

home. Gen. Yatsumi said: "According to the communications we have received from my government, I think that a conflict between Japan and Russia is inevitable. While a struggle."

Pittsburg, Pa., March 27 .- K. Yat- 1 I have not been notified officially, I think that the object of my superiors in calling me home is for the purpose of making preparations for a war

with Russia.
"Japan and Russia are bound to come together sooner or later as a result of the contention over Corea. This fact seems to have become more evident since the outbreak of hostili-ties in China, and if such an engagement must occur, Japan is better equipped at present and will doubtless hasten a termination of this standing dispute. Russia's ultimate intention is to seize Corea, but we

shall never give up the land without GEN. FRENCH'S

His Men Killed, Wounded or Captured 1,200 Boers on the Way to Vryheid,

LATE VICTORY!

Besides Securing Seven Cannon, 1,800 Wagons and 226,000 Head of Horses and Other Live Stock---Encounters at Widely Separated Points Reported Daily --- Bubonic Plague Spreading.

encounters at widely separated points contemplates resigning. "It is an open secret," says the Daily Express, "that Sir Alfred Milner has long chafed at yesterday at Tarkastad and Henningfontein, both in Cape Colony. The casualties were few.

A commando, numbering two hundred, under Commandant Fourie, has been dispatched to Thabanchu.

According to reports received here the hills above Dewetsdorp, just reoccupied by Gen. Bruce Hamilton, were the scene of a fight lasting sev

eral hours vesterday. BUBONIC PLAGUE SPREADS.

The bubonic plague situation is assuming a graver aspect. The proportion of European victims of the disease is increasing. Among those attacked vesterday were three soldiers belonging to different corps. A native employed in the navy died at

Simonstown. Eight other colored cases and two of Europeans are reported from there, and one native has died.

The threatening attitude of the Ma-lays respecting the bubonic plague regulation causes the local authirities much uneasiness. Two Malays died of the disease vesterday, and three fresh cases were officially reported. In addition there are six fresh European cases. A soldier in the Queen's Regiment has been isolated under suspi Two Kaffirs succumbed to the plague yesterday.

FRENCH'S CAPTURES. Vryheid, dated Monday, says: French, with Dartnal's and Pulloner's columns, arrived here today, having killed and wounded 1,200 Boers. He has also taken seven cannon, rifles, 1,800 wagons and 226,000 head of horses, cattle and sheep. The dispatch from Vryheid is regarded as giving the total of Gen.

French's captures throughout his operations. FAILURE OF KITCHENER'S

POLICY. The Pretoria and Bloemfontein correspondents of the Times send long dispatches claiming that Lord Kitchpolicy and operations have failed to achieve the results hoped for, and pointing out that the British public must be prepared to return to the original policy of occupying towns and studding the country with military posts as the only means of affecting complete pacification. This process, the correspondents say, will occupy much time and necessitate a constant supply of fresh troops. The strain on both officers and men has been and will be immense, and arrangements must be made to send absolutely fresh troops to the front in order to enable the others to be sent home. "Until this aspect of the case is grasped by the authorities," say the advices to the Times, "there is a possibility of the war lasting for years. It is quite useless to renew peace negotiations. Nothing approaching 'terms,' as the word is generally understood, would be politic or even possible with the Boers.'

MILNER WANTS A FREE HAND. The Daily Express prints a rumor that Sir Alfred Milner is dissatisfied with his qualified authority and has asked the government to give him "either a free hand or no hand." Mr. There are over 1,000,000 square rective glass surface in Great Britain exclusively devoted to the cultivation and that it would not be advisable to disassociate the authority of Sir Alfred associate the authority of Lord Kitchener, Milner from that of Lord Kitchener,

Cape Town, March 27 .- Indecisive | and the rumor goes that Sir Alfred

Daily Mail wires the substance of an interview with Mr. Kruger, whom his terday to submit to their varieties of the substance of an interview with Mr. Kruger, whom his terday to submit to their varieties 8 is The Amsterdam correspondent of the mind." Gen. Delarey had been, Mr. Kruger thought, exaggerated in the reports. The old guerilla game would continue until England had been forced into

making peace overtures. The Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Express says he understands that Mr. Kruger has advised Acting President Schalkburger to formulate peace terms.

COLONIALS CAPTURED.

The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Express reports the capture by 100 Boers of 130 colonials in a rocky defile near Richmond last Thursday He asserts that the colonials lost 13 men before they surrendered, adding that they were all liberated after having been stripped of their accoutre-

DEWET'S WHEREABOUTS. It is reported from Bloemfontein that Gen. Dewet is again in the Orange Ri-

ver Colony. Careful inquiry among the Dutch residents at Pretoria has convinced London Standard correspondent that the Boers still on commando do not belong to the lower class, as is generally believed, but that the greater portion of them are the better class of farm-

CANADIAN ORDER OF CHOSEN FRIENDS

London March 27.-A dispatch from Hold Their Fourteenth Annual Session at Hamilton-Statistical Facts.

> Hamilton, March 27.-The fourteenth annual session of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends opened in Association Hall yesterday, with 500 delegates in attendance from all parts of the Dominion. The officers' reports show the growth of the order since it was organized in Hamilton in March, 1887. Last year was the most prosperous in its history. Twelve new councils were instituted and 3,227 new members added. The total insurance carried by the 22,000 members is about \$23,000,000, and since its inception \$900,000 has been paid in death claims and \$50,000 on sick and funeral benefits.

Rev. H. J. Allen, Napanee, grand councilor, in his report, refers with satisfaction to the splendid growth of the order, its healthy financial condition, and compliments the grand re-corder and grand medical adviser on their work.
Grand Recorder Montague's report

contains a table showing the increase

of surplus funds since the beginning of the order. In 1887 it was \$800 in debt: 1888, \$2,500 in debt: 1889, \$1,643 89 surplus; 1895, \$100,734 surplus; and 1900, \$214,254 47 surplus. Grand Treasurer Broadfoot's report gives in detail the receipts and disbursements of the various departments for the year, all of which goes to show

order is in a sound condition financially. The report of Dr. Wolverton, Hamilton, grand medical adviser, shows that during the year 3,227 applications for membership were approved and 255 rejected. The total number of deaths was 141, about 30 per cent higher than the previous year, owing to influenza and grip. The total amount paid for death claims was \$17,000. The total claims for sick

benefit was 544.

be \$230,628 60, and total liabilities, \$22, 008 22. The grand organizer visited 70 coun cils during the year, the expense on organization being \$9,028 67. He reviews the work done by himself and assistants during the year; calls at-tention to the growth in the sick bene-fit department, and to the great work eing done in Manitoba and the North-

MANCHURIAN CONVENTION

Not Yet Signed by Chinese Authorities,

And the Time Set by Russia Has Now Expired

Intimation That the Imperial Court WITHOUT ANY Will Move to Pekin

Pekin, March 27.-The Chinese had not signed the Manchurian agreemen last night when the time expired.

London, March 27 .- The officials o the Japanese embassy confirm the report that an imperial decree has been issued by the court at Sian Fu through Liu Kun Yi, the viceroy of Nankin, ordering that the Manchurian convention should not be signed March 26, the date fixed by Russia. An intimation of this decree has been telegraphed to the various governments concerned. The Shanghai correspondent of the

Times, wiring yesterday, says: "I am informed on the best authority that the Chinese court has instructed Li Hung Chang to inform the ministers of the powers that China has refused to sign the Manchurian convention, and has also notified all viceroys to the same ef It is further asserted that the court

seriously contemplates a removal of the capital from Pekin. DE GIERS OBSTINATE. M. De Giers has emphatically declined, says Dr. Morrison, wiring to the

sion of the period for signing and fur-ther amending the Manchurian conven-Count Von Buelow stated in the reichstag that the Anglo-German agreement does not apply to Manchu-

Times from Pekin, to grant an exten-

A NEW PHASE. Washington, March 26 .. - While attention has been centered upon the having Lord Kitchener at his elbow to crisis connected with the Manchurian agreement, a new and important phase of the Chinese question has been presented by the action of the Gen. Babington's victory over ernments whether articles 8 and 9 of the Chinese protocol shall be carried out by the military authorities of all the powers interested in China, or only by those powers who are continuing to take part in the application

of these articles. These two sections appear to involve territorial affairs, and it may be that if their determination is left only with such powers as continue their military forces in China. The United States Government may be quietly, but effectually deprived of all voice in the set tlement of so much of the Chinese suestion as relates to the determinaforces to be continued there in th future by powers. It is also possible that this decision by the powers excluding the United States from partic pation in the discussion on this import ant point might be extended to put us

out of China altogether. ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED

STATES. London, March 27.-The Morning Post, in the course of a sarcastic editorial dealing with the memorandum of the United States Government on the Manchurian convention, says: The only thing that can bring the

powers together in support of China against Russia is the initiative of the British Government of which, however, there is no sign.' The Daily chronicle, discussing the same subject, says: "The United States Government objects, yet de-

clines to fight. It is not a very dignified attitude, but it is at least clearly defined and intelligible." "Owing to the South African com-plications the British Government apparently does not see its way to re peat the tour de force of Fashoda and as made up its mind to swallow the

snub as best it may." MEDICINAL SPRINGS DESTROYED Berkley Springs, W. Va., March 26 .-The fine medicinal springs, set aside over a century ago for the use of the public by Lord Fairfax, was dynamited by unknown persons Sunday morning. The controversy over the leasing of the springs to outsiders has caused ill-feeling, and the work of the vandal is attributed to this.

THE GALT TRAGEDY. Galt, Ont., March 27.-A coroner's inquest to determine, if possible, the cause of the mysterious death of Mrs. Cowan, convened at 2 o'clock yester day afternoon. The jurors viewed the remains. A post-mortem examination was decided on and an adjournment made until 1:30 Friday afternoon.

CROOKED TREASURER SEN-TENCED. Buffalo, March 27 .- John E. Tipton formerly secretary and treasurer of the Switchmen's Union, who pleaded guilty a few days ago to one of number of indictments charging him with stealing \$900 of the union's money, was sentenced to serve one year and nine months in Auburn

CHANGE IN CHICAGO JOURNALS Chicago, March 27.-The Chicago Record, which was established twenty years ago in connection with the Chi cago Daily News, has been sold to the Times-Herald, which, on Thursday morning, will become the Record Herald. Frank B. Noyes, publisher of the Washington Star and president of the Associated Press, has acquired an interest in the Record-Herald. will be its publisher, H. H. Kohlsaat The report of the finance committee devoting his entire time to the edi shows the total value of the assets to ial conduct of the Record-Herald. devoting his entire time to the editor-

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OPPOSITION

The University Bill Given Its

Second Reading.

Railway Bill Affecting London Passed the Committee-Sugar Beet Bill Amended.

Toronto, March 27 .- The government's bill to provide aid for the University of Toronto provoked a spirited debate in the legislature yesterday on the occasion of its second reading. Hon. Mr. Harcourt explained the bill in a speech which, while delivered in his usual eloquent manner, was a concise, business.

like statement of the situation. Mr. Whitney followed, taking the ground that the government had not gone far enough in its measure of relief, and declaring that even now the opposition would back them in giving all the senate asked for, and would allow the government to take credit for

the step. The premier replied in a clear and argumentative speech, in which he set forth the advantages which will accrue from the bill, such as the relief of the university from deficits and the splen encouragement the expanded science department will offer for the development of our industrial resources

The bill was read a scond time out division SUCCESSION DUTIES ACT.

The premier introduced a bill to amend the succession duties act. This provides that only bona fide debts are to be deducted in ascertaining the value of an estate; adds to the preferred class of beneficiaries grandchildren and other lineal decendants, adopted children and children to whom the deceased has stood for ten years in the acknowledged position of parent. It makes it clear that all estates in Ontario which are taxable

taxed, whether the deceased has been a resident of the province or not. INOPERATIVE STATUTES. The attorney-general introduced a bill to repeal the various imperial statutes, either obsolete or spent, or otherwise inoperative. Mr. Gibson men-tioned a number of ancient statutes, dating back as far as Edward I., which

were still in force in Ontario, though SHOPS REGULATIONS. Hon. Mr. Dryden introduced an amendment to the shops regulations act. This provides that owners of shows shall bear the onus of providing sanitary safeguards; makes it quite clear that employes in bakeshops shall not be compelled to work more than twelve hours a day, and enacts that employ-

ing barbers shall not have the power

compel their workmen to work on

Sundays. BEET SUGAR BILL. Hon. Mr. Dryden's resolution setting apart \$225,000 for the encouragement of the beet-root sugar industry was adopted, and the bill providing the manner in which the money is to be applied was discussed at some length in committee. The bill was amended so as to provide that for the first and second years a bonus of one-half a cent per pound on refined sugar will be paid to the factories, and during the third year one-quarter

asked if the government was satisfied that the sum provided was sufficient for the purpose the government had in view Mr. Pattullo said the measure was one feature of the government's policy of which he was not greatly enamored. He would like an assurance that the sum mentioned was as far as the government intended to go. The premier said that so far as the

Provincial Government were concerned

the measure went as far as they thought would be needed, and as far

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During the discussion Mr. Whitney

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TRAIN STALLED IN NORTHERN TUNNEL

The Engineer Was Killed-Five Others Were Overcome, But Recovered,

Seattle, Wash., March 27 .- The first serious accident in the new Great Northern tunnel, which was opened for traffic about three months took place Sunday night and resulted in the death of Engineer W. W. Bradley from suffocation from the poisonous gases in the tunnel. His fireman, Jos. W. Smith, and five other trainmen were overcome, but recovered soon after getting into the open air. The train, which was eastbound, be came stalled in the middle of the tunnel. The fumes of the engine filled the place and the men were forced to lie on the floor of the tunnel for safety. When the train failed to appear at the east end of the tunnel rescuers had a hard time getting to

the watchers there started in with a relief engine. The body of the dead engineer was found face down in a ditch at the side of the track. The the scene owing to smoke and gas. All the men rescued are nearly recovered tonight. TRAIN DROPPED INTO CHENANGO RIVER. Binghamton, N. Y., March 27.—Passenger train 808, on the Utica division of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, was wrecked this morning

at a point a mile and a half east of Norwich. The train is said to have gone into the Chenango River. Engineer, fireman and two passengers were hurt. The wreck was caused by

WINDSOR'S OLDEST CONDUCTOR DEAD. Windsor, Ont., March 27.-John Thorpe, the oldest railway conductor residing in Windsor, died Sunday evening, aged 78. Mr. Thorpe was in the service of the G. T. R. for 41 years,

At the census of 1790 New York was outranked in population by Virginia, Pennsylvania, North Carolina and

RUSSO-JAP WAR!

Japanese General Declares It Must Surely Come west Territories. Sooner or Later.

data for the benefit of the imperial army, and intended remaining for three or more months, but were called

"According to the communications we have received from my government, I think that a conflict between

Pittsburg, Pa., March 27.-K. Yat- I have not been notified officially, I umi, a general of the Japanese im-

"Japan and Russia are bound come together sooner or later as a result of the contention over Corea. This fact seems to have become more evident since the outbreak of hostili-ties in China, and if such an engagement must occur, Japan is better equipped at present and will doubtless hasten a termination of this long standing dispute. Russia's ultimate intention is to seize Corea, but we shall never give up the land without

pose of making preparations for a way

MANCHURIAN CONVENTION

Not Yet Signed by Chinese Authorities,

be \$230,628 60, and total liabilities, \$22,-008 22.

The grand organizer visited 70 coun-

cils during the year, the expense on organization being \$9,028 67. He re-

views the work done by himself and assistants during the year; calls at-

tention to the growth in the sick bene-

fit department, and to the great work

being done in Manitoba and the North-

And the Time Set by Russia Has Now Expired

Intimation That the Imperial Court Will Move to Pekin

Pekin, March 27.-The Chinese had not signed the Manchurian agreement last night when the time expired.

London, March 27 .- The officials of the Japanese embassy confirm the report that an imperial decree has been issued by the court at Sian Fu through Liu Kun Yi, the viceroy of Nankin, ordering that the Manchurian convention should not be signed March 26, the date fixed by Russia. An intimation of this decree has been telegraphed to the var-

ious governments concerned. The Shanghai correspondent of the Times, wiring yesterday, says: "I am informed on the best authority that the Chinese court has instructed Li Hung Chang to inform the ministers of the powers that China has refused to sign sion of its second reading. Hon. Mr. the Manchurian convention, and has Harcourt ex 'oined the bill in a speech also notified all viceroys to the same ef-

It is further asserted that the court seriously contemplates a removal of the capital from Pekin.

DE GIERS OBSTINATE. M. De Giers has emphatically declined, says Dr. Morrison, wiring to the Times from Pekin, to grant an extension of the period for signing and further amending the Manchurian conven-

Count Von Buelow stated in the reichstag that the Anglo-German agreement does not apply to Manchu-

A NEW PHASE. crisis connected with the Manchurian The bill was read a scond time with-The Amsterdam correspondent of the phase of the Chinese question has The Amsterdam correspondent of an Daily Mail wires the substance of an interview with Mr. Kruger, whom his terday to submit to their various government of their various government. been presented by the action of the

only by those powers who are tinuing to take part in the application of these articles. These two sections appear to involve

territorial affairs, and it may be that if their determination is left only with such powers as continue their military orces in China. The United States COLONIALS CAPTURED.

The Cape Town correspondent of the tuaily deprived of all voice in the set-Daily Express reports the capture by 100 Boers of 130 colonials in a rocky suestion as relates to the determina defile near Richmond last Thursday. tion of the strength of the military He asserts that the colonials lost 13 forces to be continued there in the before they surrendered, adding future by powers. It is also possible that this decision by the powers ex cluding the United States from partic pation in the discussion on this import-

ant point might be extended to put us out of China altogether. ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED

London, March 27.-The Morning Post, in the course of a sarcastic editorial dealing with the memorandum of the United States Government on the Manchurian convention, says: "The only thing that can bring the

powers together in support of China against Russia is the initiative of the British Government of which, however, there is no sign.' The Daily chronicle, discussing the same subject, says: "The United States Government objects, yet declines to fight. It is not a very digni-

fied attitude, but it is at least clearly defined and intelligible." "Owing to the South African com-plications the British Government apparently does not see its way to repeat the tour de force of Fashoda and as made up its mind to swallow the snub as best it may."

MEDICINAL SPRINGS DESTROYED Berkley Springs, W. Va., March 26.-The fine medicinal springs, set aside over a century ago for the use of the public by Lord Fairfax, was dynamited by unknown persons Sunday morning. The controversy over the leasing of the springs to outsiders has caused ill-feeling, and the work of the vandal is attributed to this. THE GALT TRAGEDY.

Galt, Ont., March 27.-A coroner's inquest to determine, if possible, the cause of the mysterious death of Mrs. Cowan, convened at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The jurors viewed th remains. A post-mortem examination was decided on and an adjournment made until 1:30 Friday afternoon CROOKED TREASURER SEN-

TENCED. Buffalo, March 27 .- John E. Tipton, formerly secretary and treasurer of the Switchmen's Union, who pleaded guilty a few days ago to one of a number of indictments charging him with stealing \$900 of the union's was sentenced to serve one

year and nine months in Auburn CHANGE IN CHICAGO JOURNALS. Chicago, March 27.-The Chicago Record, which was established twenty years ago in connection with the Chicago Daily News, has been sold to the Times-Herald, which, on Thurs day morning, will become the Record-Herald. Frank B. Noyes, publisher of the Washington Star and president of the Associated Press, has acquired an will be its publisher, H. H. Kohlsaat

devoting his entire time to the editor-

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WITHOUT ANY OPPOSITION

University Bill Given Its Second Reading.

Railway Bill Affecting London Passed the Committee-Sugar Beet Bill Amended.

Toronto, March 27 .- The government's bill to provide aid for the University of Toronto provoked a spirited debate in the legislature vesterday on the occasion of its second reading. Hon. Mr. which, while delivered in his usual eloquent manner, was a concise, business.

like statement of the situation. Mr. Whitney followed, taking the ground that the government had not gone far enough in its measure of relief, and declaring that even now the opposition would back them in giving all the senate asked for, and would

allow the government to take credit for the step. The premier replied in a clear and argumentative speech, in which he set forth the advantages which will accrue rom the bill, such as the relief of the university from deficits and the splendid encouragement the expanded Washington, March 26 .. - While at- science department will offer for the detention has been centered upon the velopment of our industrial resources.

> The premier introduced a bill to amsuccession duties act. provides that only bona fide debts are to be deducted in ascertaining the value of an estate; adds to the preferred class of beneficiaries grandchildren and other lineal decendants, adopted children and children to whom the deceased has stood for ten years in the acknowledged position of parent. It makes it clear that all estates in Ontario which are taxable shall be taxed, whether the deceased has been a resident of the province or not.

INOPERATIVE STATUTES. The attorney-general introduced a bill to repeal the various imperial statutes, either obsolete or spent, or otherwise inoperative. Mr. Gibson mentioned a number of ancient statutes. dating back as far as Edward I., which were still in force in Ontario, though

inoperative. SHOPS REGULATIONS. Hon. Mr. Dryden introduced an amendment to the shops regulations act. This provides that owners of shops shall bear the onus of providing sani-tary safeguards; makes it quite clear that employes in bakeshops shall not be compelled to work more than twelve hours a day, and enacts that employing barbers shall not have the power

to compel their workmen to work on Sundays.

BEET SUGAR BILL. Hon. Mr. Dryden's resolution setting apart \$225,000 for the encouragement of the beet-root sugar industry was adopted, and the bill providing for the manner in which the money is to be applied was discussed at some length in committee. The bill was amended so as to provide that for the first and second years a bonus of one-half a cent per pound on refined sugar will be paid to the factories,

and during the third year one-quarter of a cent. During the discussion Mr. Whitney asked if the government was satisfied that the sum provided was sufficient for the purpose the government had

in view Mr. Pattullo said the measure was one feature of the government's policy of which he was not greatly enamored. He would like an assurance that the sum mentioned was as far as the government intended to go. The premier said that so far as the Provincial Government were concerned the measure went as far as they

thought would be needed, and as far

(Continued on Page 6.)

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retiring five years ago. During this period he ran 1,918,800 miles, and carried over three million passengers, not one of whom was injured in any way.

sumi, a general of the Japanese imperial army, accompanied by Capt. N. Kayemi and L. Matusi, passed through Pittsburg yesterday, en route to California. They have been in this country for the past three weeks securing

home. Gen. Yatsumi said:

GEN. FRENCH'S

His Men Killed, Wounded or Captured 1,200 Boers on the Way to Vryheid,

LATE VICTORY!

Besides Securing Seven Cannon, 1,800 Wagons and 226,000 Head of Horses and Other Live Stock---Encounters at Widely Separated Points Reported Daily --- Bubonic Plague Spreading.

are reported daily. Fighting took place secret," says the Daily Express, "that Sir Alfred Milner has long chafed at yesterday at Tarkastad and Henning- check or modify his proposals." fontein, both in Cape Colony. The

casualties were few.

A commando, numbering two hundred, under Commandant Fourie, has here the hills above Dewetsdorp, just

reoccupied by Gen. Bruce Hamilton, were the scene of a fight lasting several hours yesterday.

BUBONIC PLAGUE SPREADS. The bubonic plague situation is assuming a graver aspect. The proportion of European victims of the disease is increasing. Among those attacked yesterday were three soldiers belonging to different corps. A na-

tive employed in the navy died at Simonstown. Eight other colored cases and two of Europeans are reported from there, and one native has died. The threatening attitude of the Ma-

lays respecting the bubonic plague regulation causes the local authirities much uneasiness. Two Malays died of the disease yesterday, and three fresh cases were officially reported. In addition there are six fresh European cases. A soldier in the Queen's Regiment has been isolated under suspicion. Two Kaffirs succumbed to the

plague yesterday. FRENCH'S CAPTURES. London March 27.-A dispatch from Vryheid, dated Monday, says: French, with Dartnal's and Pulloner's columns, arrived here today, having killed and wounded 1,200 Boers. He has also taken seven cannon, rifles, 1,800 wagons and 226,000 head of

horses, cattle and sheep. dispatch from Vryheid is regarded as giving the total of Gen. French's captures throughout his

POLICY.

The Pretoria and Bloemfontein correspondents of the Times send long dispatches claiming that Lord Kitchener's policy and operations have failed to achieve the results hoped for, and pointing out that the British public must be prepared to return to the original policy of occupying towns and studding the country with mili-tary posts as the only means of affecting complete pacification. This process, the correspondents say, will occupy much time and necessitate a constant supply of fresh troops. The strain on both officers and men has been and will be immense, and arrangements must be made to send absolutely fresh troops to the front in order to enable the others to be sent ome. "Until this aspect of the case is grasped by the authorities," say the advices to the Times, "there is a possibility of the war lasting for years. It is quite useless to renew peace ne-gotiations. Nothing approaching

derstood, would be politic or even possible with the Boers." MILNER WANTS A FREE HAND. The Daily Express prints a rumor that Sir Alfred Milner is dissatisfied with his qualified authority and has Massachusetts.

There are over 1,000,000 square feet of glass surface in Great Britain exclusively devoted to the cultivation and production of tomatoes for market purposes.

With his qualined authority and has asked the government to give him total amount paid for death claims was \$17,000. The total claims for sick benefit was \$17,000. The total claims for sick benefit was \$44.

The report of the finance committee shows the total value of the associate of the Record-Herald.

terms,' as the word is generally un-

Cape Town, March 27 .- Indecisive | and the rumor goes that Sir Alfred encounters at widely separated points contemplates resigning. "It is an open

> mind." Gen. Babington's victory over Gen. Delarey had been, Mr. Kruger thought, exaggerated in the reports. Out by the military authorities of all the powers interested in China, or The old guerilla game would continue until England had been forced into making peace overtures. The Amsterdam correspondent of the

Daily Express says he understands that Mr. Kruger has advised Acting President Schalkburger to formulate peace terms. COLONIALS CAPTURED.

that they were all liberated after having been stripped of their accoutre-DEWET'S WHEREABOUTS.

It is reported from Bloemfontein that Gen. Dewet is again in the Orange Ri Careful inquiry among the Dutch residents at Pretoria has convinced a London Standard correspondent that the Boers still on commando do not belong to the lower class, as is generally believed, but that the greater portion

CANADIAN ORDER OF CHOSEN FRIENDS

Hold Their Fourteenth Annual Session at

of them are the better class of farm-

Hamilton-Statistical Facts. Hamilton, March 27.-The fourteenth annual session of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends opened in Association Hall yesterday, with 500 delegates in attendance from all parts of the Dominion. The officers' reports show the growth of the order since it was organized in Hamilton in March, 1887. Last year was the most prosperous in its history. Twelve new councils were instituted and 3,227 new members added. The total insurance carried by the

22,000 members is about \$23,000,000, and since its inception \$900,000 has been paid in death claims and \$50,000 on sick and funeral benefits. Rev. H. J. Allen, Napanee, grand councilor, in his report, refers with satisfaction to the splendid growth of the order, its healthy financial condition, and compliments the grand re-

corder and grand medical adviser on

Grand Recorder Montague's report

contains a table showing the increase

of surplus funds since the beginning of the order. In 1887 it was \$800 in debt; 1888, \$2,500 in debt; 1889, \$1,643 89 surplus: 1895, \$100,734 surplus; and 1900. \$214,254 47 surplus. Grand Treasurer Broadfoot's report gives in detail the receipts and disursements of the various departments for the year, all of which goes to show that the order is in a sound condition

financially.

The report of Dr. Wolverton, Hamilton, grand medical adviser, shows that during the year 3,227 applications for membership were approved and 255 rejected. The total number of deaths was 141, about 30 per cent higher than the previous year, owing to influenza and grip. The

DEAD MAN MADE TO

H. H. Cook's Very Fishy Tale to the Senate.

"Damaging" Documentary Evidence Consists Entirely of Copied Letters.

Conversations With a Dead Man Which the Senators Are Asked to Accept Without Question.

Ottawa, March 26 .- The senate committee appointed to investigate the charges made by H. H. Cook, to the effect that he could have had a senatorship if he paid \$10,000 for it, met at in his letter, and requesting Cameron 11 o'clock today. The room in which the meeting was held was crowded. Mr. whom the charges were made. Mr. J. A. Ritchie, K. C., for the opposition, and Mr. A. H. Marsh, K. C., private counsel for Mr. Cook. Mr. Cook was accompanled by his son-in-law, Mr. C. MacDon-

After the routing proceedings Sir Alphonse Pelletier moved that the evidence be taken by the committee. The first witness called was H. H. Cook, who was sworn and examined by Mr. Ritchie. Mr. Cook said that he was a claimant for a position in the senate as far back as 1896. He continued pressing his claim, until Sir Oliver Mowat's resignation. He said that in 1896 he had conversations with ministers of the crown in regard to getting the appointment. The first conversation he had had was on Aug. 21, after the death of Sir David MacPherson. He then saw Sir Oliver Mowat and Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright. The conversation with Mowat was not very pointed. Mr. Cook said that he did not obtain from Mowat his consent to support him. Sir Richard Cartwright had received Mr. Cook very kindly, and said that he was willing to support him, not for the first vacancy, but for the second. "There was another gentleman who had precedence over me, but Sir Richard said that he would support me for the next vacancy, which would come very soon, as Senator Ferguson was dying, and Mr. Cox and I would go to suade Cameron that he should get the the senate together. Sir Richard did not use the name of

Cox, but Cook said that it was Cox he | we had on the suggestion. "But the Mr. Ritchie asked what reasons Sir

Richard gave for preferring another for the first appointment.

Mr. Cook said that the other gentleman had more recent claims. He (Cox) had spent money in the elections, but

Sir Mackenzie Bowell said that investigations before a parliamentary committee were not so restricted as the

What they wanted was the

Mr. Blake-That is all that we reuire. We don't want any restriction. Mr. Cook — I said to Cartwright, "I know the party, although you won't tell me, and I know that he has assisted you with money." Then I was willing to withdraw. That is all that

took place between us. Cook went on to say that as soon as Ferguson died he again pressed his claims for a senatorship. He had an interview with the late M. C. Cameron who represented West Huron and af terwards was lieutenant-governor the Northwest Territories He had as Interview with Cameron the same day as he had with Sir Richard. On Aug. 24

Mr. Cameron had written him. COOK HAD ONLY COPIES OF THE LETTERS.

Mr. Ritchie explained here that Mr. Cameron had his letters returned from Mr. Cook and that Mr. Cook had kept which he wanted to put in. Mr. Blake said that it should first be shown that an effort was made to secure the original. If they failed in that, then the copies might be used. Then there was the case of agency. It had not been shown that Mr. Cameron was

would connect the agency and he proposed going on in the way he started.

Mr. Dandurand Would it not be fairer to produce the originals? If you fail to connect them an injustice will be done.

Mr. Ritchie put in a copy of the letter, which was dated Aug. 24, 1896. It reads: "Have seen friend mentioned in the subject of our conversation, and will have another interview today; meantime keep quiet."

(Signer) M. C. Cameron.

On Aug. 26, 1896, Mr. Cook wrote

this, stating that he would see him in the following week. On the 27th of August, 1896, Mr. Cameron wrote to Mr. Cook, giving him the names of some of the applicants for senator-ships, and saying that Cox was the most formidable. He (Cameron) had conversation with Sir Richard Cartwright. He called on Mowat four times, but did not see him. He was to go again on the following day to see him. "In the meantime," wrote Cameron, "if you can pull any string quietly, do it.

On the 29th of August there was letter from Cameron to Cook stat-ing that Cartwright was strong for "There is one way," Cameron. Cameron, "it can be got sure. I will see you about this on my way west." There was a foot note to the letter 'Peruse and return." On the 31st of August, 1896, Cook replied to Cameron, saying that he would like to what suggestion was contained

to telegraph him. Mr. Cameron did telegraph, say-ing that he would see Cook on his Cook was on hand in good time. Sir | way back to Ottawa from the west. Mackenzie Bowell presided. Hon. S. H. Cameron, in another letter to Cook, Said that Mowat was speaking to his friend Young. He stuck to him, said Cameron, like a "burr." On the 1st of October, 1896, Cameron telegraphed to Cook to meet him at the Union depot, Toronto. Cook did so.

THIS IS RICH. Mr. Cook explained that he met Cameron on his way west, and that he went along with him to the hotel, while Cameron was taking his breakfast. Cameron, he said, pulled from his pocket a letter which was not opened. He (Cameron) took the table knife and opened it in Cook's pres-This letter, Cameron said, ence. from Cartwright. He got it when leaving Ottawa. "I read the letter," said Cook, "and I handed it back to him. The letter said that Cook must do something. That something I understood to mean the senatorship Cameron said that it meant his paying \$10,000. I got indignant and said that I had served the party long enough to get a senatorship, and I would not give one red cent for it or

and the signature and knew that it was from Sir Richard Cartwright." Cook then went on to explain that when Cameron was on his way back to Ottawa, he (Cook) and his solicitor S. Biggs, met him at the Rossin House. senatorship without paying for it. Mr. Cameron referred to the conversation

result was," added Cook, "that I de-

any other position. I saw the writing

clined to purchase it.' Mr. Cook said that the next time he was pressing for a senatorship was on Sept. 30, 1897. At that time he got a letter from Cameron, stating, "You had the cards in your hands mever went on the stump. That was and you refused to play them, and Mr. Cook's impression.

Mr. Blake—I don't think impressions cluded by saying that he (Cameron), should go. It would be better to get the while admitting Cook deserved it would not do anything more in the matter. Mr. Cook told the committee that he understood "the cards" meant the \$10,000.

Cook had another interview later with Cartwright, when he told him about Cameron.

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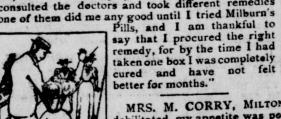


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NINE MEN WERE TERRIBLY MAIMED

By an Explosion in a Pennsylvania Mine-Man and Woman Killed by Trains.

Connellsville, Pa., March 27.-A special train, composed of a box car and a fast engine, brought into Connellsville the most frightful host of groaning, blackened and unrecognizable men ever hauled into this town. They were the victims of a terrific mine explosion at the Gates mine of the Eureka Fuel Company, in the new Klondike coke field in this (Fayette) county. The mine has been worked only a few months. It is too early to hazard a guess at the cause which led to the accumulating of enough gas to make such a fatal

In the morning 28 men reported for duty and went into the pit. Of this number 16 were caught in the awful grip of the scorching breath of the fire damp, and singed and blackened. As soon after the explosion as possible a force of men was put to the rescue. One by one the burned bodies were brought up. Nine still lived, and these were brought to Connellsville and put in the Cottage State Hospital. The wounded were terrible looking jects. Some had lost their eyes, and others their ears and fingers. It is almost certain that three or four the wounded will die. All the injured

TWO PERSONS FATALLY INJURED Toronto, March 27. -- The body of Mrs. Annie Eaton, a widow residing train on the Niagara Falls branch had with her grown-up children at 123 Annette street, Toronto Junction, was found within a few feet of the railway tracks at the Rice avenue crossing last night, bearing wounds that showed she had been struck by

Peter Donnelly, aged 50, a traveling peddler, while walking on the railway tracks near Mimico last night, in com-pany with his wife, was overtaken by a train, which threw him over the fence. breaking his left leg and injuring his head. He was brought to the city and placed in St. Michael's Hospital, His recovery is doubtful. His wife escaped

News at a Glance.

offered the attorney-generalship of the United States. The Chatham Binder Twine Com-

pany has been incorporated with a

capital of \$125,000. Project on foot to unite all coal operators of Illinois under one manage-ment, with capitalization of \$75,000,000. The courts have ordered the Phila-delphia Record sold at public auction, to satisfy claims aggregating \$2,000,000 The Northwest Assembly has been

formally called to convene for the transaction of business on Thursday, J. J. Hill and his friends are again said to be after the Canadian Pacific

and to have already absorbed a good deal of its stock. Three of the leading members of the Lake Carriers' Association Toledo have with rawn and have signed the

longshoremen's scale. Mr. Bennett's opponent in West Calgary (Mr. Stuart) and Mr. Campbell, who opposed Mr. Lake in Grenfell, will both lose their deposits.

As the result of legislation just pass ed by the Quebec Legislature, treal will have a new power and light company with a capital of \$25,000,000. It is understood at Ottawa that Col. Hubel Foster, quartermaster-general of the Dominion, has been recalled by the imperial authorities to join his regiment, the Royal Engineers.

Cen. Catlin, a retired army officer in Manila, says that the insurgents have never been so relentlessly pursued as at present, and that the guerilla warfare which they are maintaining cannot be kept up for more than a year longer. Col. Steele will not return to South Africa with the constabulary. He will enjoy a six weeks' furlough before returning to assume the important command given by the imperial govern-

A committee of representative citizens of Toronto decided at a meeting held on Monday to make an appeal for \$30,000 to erect a memorial organ and bronze statue of Queen Victoria in Massey Hall. The organ will, it is understood, cost \$40,000.

Travel to the Yukon is rapidly increasing with the advancement spring. The steamer Victoria, which started for Skagway Tuesday, was crowded with both freight and passengers, and many intending passengers could not secure berths.

The World says that Nihilists and Russian Anarchists in New York have started an agitation to aid the Russian students and political agitators. From now on public meetings will be held all over the city. Money will be sent to agents in St. Petersburg to be distributed where it will do the most

LOOKS LIKE A MURDER. Galt, March 27.-What looks like a case of diabolical murder came to light here yesterday morning. Mrs. Cowan, relict of Wm. Cowan, who, since the death of her husband about five years ago, had been living alone, was found dead in a one-story frame house on Pollock avenue, which, with nouse on Pollock avenue, which, with several other houses and other property of considerable value, had been left her by her husband. The body was sitting in a chair, with the head thrown back, the mouth wide open and the forehead covered with blood. The condition of the body and the blood-bespattered table, couch, bed and walls indicate a foul murder. walls, indicate a foul murder. Mrs. Cowan was about 65 years of age. An inquest is being held.

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ANOTHER ALLEGED KIDNAPPING CASE

Rochester Lad Said to Have Been Stolen and Spirited Over to Canada.

Rochester, N. Y., March 27 .- A wa rant was placed in the hands of Di-rector of Detectives Hayden yester-day for the arrest of Edwin Fuller charging the latter with kidnapping the 14-year-old son of Thomas D. Wild, a prominent tailor of this city, on March 15 last. Two weeks previous to March 15 Fuller arrived in the city and leased an office in the Granite Buildng. He announced himself as a pro moter of the Great Merchants' Exposition and Midway Fair, which he proposed to hold at Fitzhugh Hall during the week of March 9-16. A vaudeville show was to be one of the features of the fair. Fuller, the night before the close of the show, suddenly disappeared. On that night Wild was seen with Fuller on the Erie station. Young Wild had not been seen since he disappeared until this morning, when, after having been kept a prisoner in Canada for ten days, he returned home and told a story of adventures such as seldom fall to the lot of boys of his age.

To Director Hayden at police head-quarters Thomas Wild said Fuller first noticed him one day when he was playing a piano at an auction store. Later he met the boy near the corner of Main and St. Paul streets, and asked him to take a walk to see a man who had a lot of dogs and horses. Fuller promised to buy some soda water. The boy consented, and, after stopping at different drug stores, where soda water was indulged in, the pair reached Union station, where a freight believes it was drugged. Fuller carried the lad into the caboose of the freight train and laid him on a bunk. This is the last the boy can remember till they reached Niagara Falls. From there Fuller kept the boy so closel; guarded that he could not escape. They walked across Suspension bridge to Clifton, and from there proceeded on foot to St. Catharines, where Fuller took rooms for the night. He kept telling the boy to call him "Papa," but this young Wild refused to do. After leaving St. Catharines Fuller he playing the violin, while Wild ac-companied him on a plano. At Hamilton Fuller shaved off his mustache, cut his hair and otherwise altered his appearance. Wild says he was continually trying to get away, and when they reached Toronto, he had managed to save out of the little Fuller gave him \$2 10. When in the afternoon they put up at No. 248 Richmond street Fuller went out a few minutes, and Wild started for home. In Toronto Fuller went by the name of Edward Ferguson. He also called himself Thomas Scott, Fulton, and several other aliases at different towns they were in.

THE MOVEMENT TO NORTHERN ONTARIO.

Toronto, March 27.-The report of the Ontario crown lands department shows that there are now 168 townships open for settlement, and that during 1900 there were 965 homestead entries, covering 132,665 acres, compared with 633 entries and 85,194 acres in 1899. In addition, 140 persons in 1900 purchased 4,524 acres, compared with 59 persons and 2,379 acres in 1899. The movement is chiefly into Northern where recent exploration shows that there is a large area of excellent farming land.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP. Toronto, March 27.—The city council seems determined to do something toward acquiring the gas company's plant. At the council meeting Monday two resolutions were presented looking to the purchase of the works, and were set down for consideration at next meeting. The first was for \$3,762,500, which is the actual value of the company's capital stock-\$1,-730,000 at the current stock exchange quotation of 215. The motion pointed out that according to the gas company's last audit the assets totaled \$3,500,000, including \$1,100,000 cash in its various accounts. The second resolution named the price as \$3,012,720, which is the value of the company's assets stated in a balance sheet submitted to the shareholders at the meeting on October 1, 1900.

The proportion of divorces to mar-riages in Rhode Island is about 1 to 8.

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The disbelievers who have smiled at the notion of a live toad being found

in a lump of coal will be shocked by an event which has just happened at Rugby, says the London Daily Mail. The oft-derided toad has appeared from the midst of the ruins of the oft-discredited lump of coal. The exhumed hermit is, morover, now alive and is destined to be handed down to posterity in a hermetically sealed glass This historic toad was introduced

to modern society through the instrumentality of a small poker, wielded in a utilitarian spirit by Mr. Clarke of Heureux Villa, Bath street, Rugby. The happy event occurred, not Heureux Vila, as might be imagined, but in Mr. Clarke's office, in North street, Rugby, where, on Saturday morning last, three large lumps of Baddesley coal had been placed in the grate to encourage a dispirited

Mr. Clarke took up the small poker, He smote one of those lumps of Warwickshire coal. It fell in pieces Among them sat a good-sized toad of inky blackness. So Mr. Clarke informed a representative of the Daily Mail. If he had added that the toad winked, never so slightly, the scien-tific critic might have concluded that that toad was a joker. The toad did not wink, for the very good reason that it apparently had no eyes. It has since developed them. Stranger still t has no mouth.

Mr. Clarke fortunately rescued the toad from its peril, and dropped it into a pail of water, where it revived. It is now able to crawl. Before it is consigned to its new tomb it is hoped

THE POLITICIAN'S HABIT. What did Scummins say when yo told him of our scheme to make him alderman?" asked the political leader. "It took him clean off his legs," the faithful henchman. "He wanted time to think about it." "In a quandary, was he?" "No, he was in a saloon."

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pret, of Paincourt, died on the 20th inst.

Joseph Archer while logging in Stan-

lev, had the misfortune to have his arm

D. Stewart's brick house, on the Lon-

Rev. Father Dupret, of Pain Court,

James Springsteen, formerly of Cedar

Springs, has taken possession of the

Mrs. Joseph Young, of Yarmouth Cen-

ter, tripped on a piece of carpet, and in

falling fractured her leg near the thigh.

It is the intention of the L. E. & D.

R. R. Company to establish a route to

bring anthracite coal into Western

Miss Christina C. Hughes, daughter of

Judge Hughes, died at her home in St.

Thomas, on the 19th inst., after a few

The Imperial government has award-

ed Capt. J. M. Ross a gratuity of three

months' pay for the wounds received in

Kent county, died on the 20th inst,

age of 84 years.

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IS RUSSIA FOR WAR?

Sensational Report Sent to a New York Paper.

Appointment of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Ex-Premier Whiteway Gazetted.

Protest Against Cruelty of the Cossacks—Interesting Questions Asked and Answered in the British House of Commons.

New York, March 27 .- A dispatch to the World from Constantinople says: Advices from Odessa, the Black Sea port of Russia, says that extraordinary preparations for war are being The naval dock yards are pushing work on the Black Sea fleet, while thousands of soldiers are being dispatched in haste to various points of strategic importance. The garrisons in all the cities are being doubled domiciliary visits are made continually with many arrests. There is a real war fever abroad, and the general impression seems to be that there will be a conflict in the far east with Japan and possibly an Euro-

RUSSIAN DISTURBANCES.

Berlin, March 27 .- The Vorwaerts sian demonstration of March 17, from a number of eye-witnesses, confirming the statement that those who participated in the demonstrations, included leading members of all classes, even army officers, who were aroused by the police and administrative lawssness. The Vorwaerts also publishes a protest against the cruelty displayed by the Cossacks under Lieut.-Gen. Kleighel, prefect of the St. Pet-ersburg police, bearing the signatures of the elite of Russian literature, including men like M. Nikolaj Michajlovic, the sociologist, M. Lesgast, the anatomist, and M. Kareeff, the historian, as well as a second protest of a similar character. The Vorwaerts also publishes a letter of thanks from Count Leo Tolstoi for the sympathy shown him by Germans of high and communication by the Russian Orthodox Church.

THE NAVAL WAR CODE. London, March 26 .- In the House of Commons, Lord Cranborne, under secretary of the foreign office, replying today to a question of Sir John Colomb, Conservative, author of objection to publishing the rules of its Defense of Great and Greater Britain,' and a retired captain of the Royal Marine Artillery, said he would ask Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador at Washington, whether the United States Government had any objection to publishing the rules of its naval war code relating to submarine and telegraphic cables.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, government leader, in reply to another question, said no prospect of the United States, Great Britain and the contigovernments negotiating prevent foreigners speculating in grain or gamblers from manipulating the price of grain. The Indian secretary, Lord George

Hamilton, said the government had no intention of again considering proposals for the free coinage of silver in The coinage last year was sixteen crores, nearly as much as the highest free coinage year, 1877-78 Mr. Gerald Balfour, president of the board, declared no steps had been taken to call an international bimetallic conference.

THE DREIBUND.

Berlin, March 27 .- The insistence o the French newspapers that Italy is contemplating withdrawing from the Dreibund owing to the obligations imposed by that alliance being the cause of Italy's financial difficulties, called out an inspired statement in the semi-official North German Gazette, to the effect that the allies never imposed upon Italy any suggestions in regard to the employment of the Italian army. The Dreibund allows the complete freedom of the three allies in regard to fixing the strength of their land and sea forces. The North emphasize the fact, in view of the legend designedly propagated in sev-

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eral quarters that the financial difficul-ties of Italy are connected with the obligations imposed by the Dreibund. No such obligations exist.

MADE PRIVY COUNCILORS. London, March 27 .- The Gazette announces the appointments of the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, and Sir William Whiteway, former Premier of Newfoundland, to

PASSION PLAY PROFIT. Berlin, March 27 .- The surplus proceeds of the "Passion Play" at Ober-ammergau last year, amounting to \$57,000, have been awarded for communal purposes, including sewering and water supply and for conserving the stage. Preparations for the presentation in 1910 will begin this year. CABLE NOTES.

It is reported from Beira, Portuguese East Africa, that a rich gold strike ese East Africa, that a rich gold strike has been made on the ground of the Mozambique Company, at Macequece. At Intischau, Corea, collisions have occurred between the people and missionary students, according to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, and several students have been killed or wounded.

Several suspected Anarchists, disguised as monks, were arrested, while the procession escorting the Duke and

the procession escorting the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York was passing through the streets of Malta

The ship owners and master dockers' committee has refused arbitration, owing to the allegation that the strikers had intimated they would not abide by the decision unless it should be favorable to them.

De Witte, the Russian finance minister, it is said, will eventually become chancellor of Russia, and will doubtless be created a prince.

Russian exiles on the Island of Sag-halin complain that the government officials force the women exiles to marry without giving them any choice who the husbands shall be. The German wire nail trust sells nails at home for \$2.70 a hundred pounds, but sells them abroad for \$151. The foreign sales are at a loss, and the trust is now asking for increased duties, so that they can make up their foreign losses out of the pockets of the German consumers.

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cession duties will be paid without distantly related to Hugh and John Mefurther litigation. They amount to \$15,- | Kerrall, of Chatham, and Edward Mc-

Joseph Dean, of Stratford, aged 14 | inst., by cutting his throat with a razor.

W. W. Hawkshaw, of the Commercial Hotel, Exeter, was recently presented with a handsome gold-headed cane and an address, expressing regret at his de-The house of George Nichols, section

foreman of the M. C. R., at Payne's Major Rothwell is circulating a petition

government to grant a charter permit-The citizens of Bruce county are tak- this death. He leaves a widow, five sons ing up a subscription to erect a monu-

ment to Gordon Cummings, the only volunteer from that county, who was killed in South Africa. don road, near Hensall, was burned down Miss Ethel Thompson, of Widder, and Mr. W. H. Grinell, of Toronto, were Ing to St. Thomas, having purchased a united in marriage by Rev. H. Currie,

of Thedford, on Wednesday last, at the home of the bride's father. Professor McConache, who is an old Oxford boy, formerly living at Currie's, by a surgical operation restored the plicity in the robbery. An augur used sight of Valentine Batz, of Buffalo, who to bore the door was found near where

had been totally blind for 28 years. There are good prospects for a heavy yield of peaches in the Essex fruit belt this year. The young trees are well loaded with buds, having withstood the

is likewise good. G. R. Dolan, B.A., who for a short time filled the position of classical master in the Dutton high school, left to complete his course at the School of Pedagogy, Hamilton. Miss E. McNaughton, M. A.,

of Cornwall, will take his place. Joseph Alcock, of Windsor, whom Miss the earliest possible moment. Headquar-Prince accused of stealing her live stock and farm implements, was acquitted on the 19th inst., it being shown that Miss Prince paid Mr. Alcock his wages with the articles mentioned.

Thirty-five of the Windsor veterans of 1866-70 have organized under the name of ization. Advisory committee: H. J. the Windsor Veterans' Association. The officers are: President Capt. George Cheyne, Vice-President Miles Cowan, Secretary-Treasurer, Capt. Alex. Black. Chatham Banner-News: The Chatham Manufacturing Company shipped a car of wagons to Nova Scotia. They are shipping to all points in the Northwest. Their latest reports from the Northwest say that the people there will experience and to be paid in four equal payments,

an early spring this year. Chatham Banner-News: Rev. John Gillies has been transferred by conference from Hannibal, Mo., to Unionville Putnam county, Mo. Mr. Gillies is a former Kent county citizen, whose school days were spent in Orford township, in being a Granger, having represented where he has many warm friends.

Miss Janet McKerrall, an old resident

of the Scotch Settlement, Kent county.

died on the 21st inst. in the 98th year

of her age. She was born in Argyll.

Scotland, but has lived in Chatham

Kerrall, Harwich.

years, attempted suicide on the 22nd at the home of her son, John Curtis, of Middlemarch, of Mrs. Mary Ann Curtis, He had become despondent through ill- relict of Sylvester Curtis, in the 87th year of her age. Deceased had lived in the county for about 60 years. She was a member of the Methodist Church, and highly respected. Mrs. Curtis leaves four children-John and Mary, Middlemarch; Mrs. A. Cummings, Union, and

Mrs. J. Fletcher, Owosso, Mich. The Rev. Dr. Angus McColl, inspector of public schools for the city of Chat-Mills, was destroyed by fire on the 19th ham, died on Monday last, after several inst. The loss is estimated at about weeks illness. Deceased was born in Argyllshire, Scotland, in 1818. He was ordained to the pastorate of the Presbythrough Windsor asking the Dominion terian Church in Chatham in 1848. About 46 years ago he was apointed inspector ting another line of ferry boats between of public schools in Chatham, which duty he performed until a few weeks prior to

Corscallen Bros.' hardware store, Dresden, was visited by thieves on the night of the 19th inst. The safe was unharmed, but they succeeded in securing several boxes of knives and forks and razors, and several revolvers, etc. No clue. The Chatham police were notified of the Dresden robbery. Richard Davis, a ticket-of-leave man, and a man by the name of Traxler are suspected of com-

Traxler's wagon stood. St. Thomas Journal: "The contract for grading of the second track on the Canada Southern Division of the M. C. R., between Ruscomb Station and winter well. The outlook for other fruit | Comber, has been let to W. E. Tench & Co., of Buffalo. One hundred and fifty teams and 100 men will be put on the line at once. The firm has just finished building the Lockport and Alcott R. R., New York, and the Sheffield and Tionesta R. R. in the oil regions in Pensylvania. They have shipped their outfit to Comber, and will commence operations at

> ters have been established at Comber. A movement to establish a cold storage plant, with headquarters at Wallacetown, was started on the 18th inst. "The Farmers' Corporation" was the name decided upon for the new organ-Rapelje, secretary; J. E. Gow, manager; J. Tiford, H. Drumgold, A. J. McGugan. The object of the association is to establish cold storage, and for other purposes. The articles of the association give the company's capital stock as \$1,000, divided in shares of one dollar each, the whole of which shall be issued from subscription to the Canadian public. one quarter on allotment of shares balance when and as required.

> ings in Canada and the States, and travel

has broadened his views and enlarged

his experience. He came into the house

as an Independent, sits unwillingly on

the Conservative side, speaks when the

tewnship for about 50 years. She is spirit moves him, and votes just as he

Clinton New Era: Mr. Jabel Robinson who represents West Elgin, is a good deal of a free lance, and causes much merriment at times. He prides himself this body at many of its annual meet-

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London, Wednesday, March 27.

The H. H. Cook Charges. No Liberal need be disturbed over the charges made by Mr. H. H. Cook

Senatorial Committee, which began its sessions at Ottawa on Tuesday forenoon. The charge, it will be remembered, was that Mr. Cook

amination, a considerable part of the was narrowed at the outset. The than one, namely, Sir Richard Cartwright, was connected with the by Mr. Cook, so that the does not take a very wide even with regard to the Cartwright, the endeavor to do so rests

one sentence that savors of anything corrupt. It is well known that Sir Richard was, during the period of this correspondence, thoroughly friendly to Mr. Cook's appointment to the and that nothing in the shape of mercenary inducements was needed to Sir Richard's friendliness. For that friendliness verily Sir Rich-

Richard denies Mr. Cook's be accepted by the public. The same of Mr. W. T. R. Preston, who money to him. It may appear, Hon. S. H. Blake is through the cross-examination of Mr. Cook, now in progress, that any suggestions of an improper character, if any such were made, came not from Sir ations of The Advertiser. It does not Richard Cartwright, not even from the late Lieutenant-Governor Cameron, but from Mr. Cook himself.

Toe the Mark. If the Canadian tariff does not im-

pose sufficiently high taxes on the Conservatives who have participated in the budget debate more than insinuate, why do not their leaders have the courage to point out the articles on which they wish to add to the tax? This perpetual wail about it being necessary to prevent the Canadian with the Opposition outcry in many

to any appreciable extent. Since the death of Sir John Macdonald the old Conservative party has had a sad time of it, trying platforms on which to stand, and finding all equally unattractive and rickety.

Military vs. Civil Responsibility.

Mr. Labouchere, M.P., gets off some good things. In a speech on the complaint of Lord Wolseley, late commander-in-chief, that he did not have litem for infants, lunatics, etc., in each enough of power in managing the War Office, the member for Northampton said that Lord Wolseley was | right that one man should be sole guarlike a stray dog wandering about the War Office, and occasionally thrown a dispatch to read, just as a dog was thrown a bone to sharpen his teeth on. This is no doubt a smart saving, but it that. does not describe accurately the real condition of affairs. Lord Wolselev. like some other managers of soldiers that we have heard of, undertook to regard himself as the entire machine. and to resent the interference of the responsible Secretary of State for War. But it was clearly established by the discussion that took place in of State is and must continue to be the head of the military organization mander-in-chief, is responsible to Parliament, and Parliament is responsible to the people who pay the bill. The commander is the superintendent of the forces. He is the organizer, the administrator, and he has charge of the discipline of the force; but he is food supplies. They have been coman officer acting under the Secretary pelled to subsist on half rations or no of State for War, and to be an efficient chief of staff he must cordially co-operate with the parliamentary heavy outpost duties. As an instance forcibly, if the theory that the com- i may be mentioned that some columns mander-in-chief is to be predominant, marched over 800 miles last month, laid to heart by more than one gen- accomplished heartily and willingly. eral of the Canadian militia-notably Gen. Hutton-they would have saved grumbler of them all, yet he works for the Government of the day a great miserably small pay. If his numbers deal of trouble, and themselves some | are to be increased, or even kept up, he must be better paid.

Association Building-The Free Press' Reference to It.

It is difficult to reply to such an art ele as that which appeared in the Free Christian Association. It apparently

cold water on the proposal. Nothing was further from our intenion. At the outset we stated the obect was a very worthy one, and we we approved of the article in the Free | ter granted and the railway built. Press, which we thought wrong in two

The Free Press seemed to think it helped the cause of the young women We pointed out that this was unnecessary, that both were worthy objects and both should be helped. We claimed that the sentiment at the bottom of the Old Boys' excursion was familiar words, "Should Auld Aequaintince Be Forgot." Surely not. Surely we who still have a fondness for their old

sat me on the tence, John, That lies as in old time, The same half-panel in the path And thought how, o'er the bars of life, Our playmates had passed on, And left me counting on the spot The faces that were gone.'

If the visits of the Old Boys and their thoughts of home stir up in them the proper sentiment, they will do much good and while this is so it is surely not necessary to follow the line taken by the Free Press. Surely the young women do not grudge the Old Boys

their celebrations. We took exception to the statement of the Free Press that the time had come when the erection of a building for the young women should be assumed as a municipal duty and responsibility. We said the Free Press was on thin ice. So it is. When responsibility, and when did it become a municipal duty? The Free Press | tide ought to be stemmed and that a building for the young women, the celebration of the Old Boys. It knows it was wrong when it asserted any such is charged by Mr. Cook with having municipal duty. It knows it was wrong when it asserted that The Advertiser was throwing cold water on the proposal and antagonizing an ami-

It is difficult to pick out all the errors in the Free Press and its misrepresent-We distinctly favored the proposal to erect a building for the young women, but we did not agree with the arguments of the Free Press, and reading the Free Press we would be justified in concluding that if it had read our article, it was, with very little understanding. We heartily approve of the building for the Young Women's Christian Association, and hope the Free Press will in future criticise fairly.

Law Reform.

The bill introduced by the Attorney-General will not increase the jurisdicconsumer from paying too little for tion of the Division Courts, and we what he buys is in strange contrast think this will be approved by everyone familiar with the transaction of the parts of the country at last election, business of these courts. that the tariff had not been reduced

It increases the jurisdiction of the County Courts in some directions considerably, and there is not so much objection to this, although we would have left it also alone. While it adds business to the County Court which necessarily belongs to the county, and while the business of the Surrogate Courts, which, like the County Courts, are local, is increasing annually, and while each of these courts has a practice of its own, no provision is made for the appointment of a guardian ad county. This is an omission which cannot be remedied too soon. It is not dian of infants from Ottawa to Windsor and from Lake Erie to the North Pole. We do not believe in combines. and least of all in such a combine as

Roughing It On the Veldt.

The British soldiers who have recently been operating in South Africa have, as a result of the style of campaigning which it was necessary to pursue, been subjected to even greater hardships than fell to the lot of the House of Lords that the Secretary | the Canadian soldiers who aided in the earlier part of the war. A correspondent informs us that lately the of the country. He, and not the com- | campaigners have been often drenched day after day and night after night, by thunderstorms, from which the common tent gave them little or no protection, when they were not on the move. They have often been many miles away from their baggage and rations at all, while always making long and weary marches, and doing head. As Lord Spencer put it most of the enormous distances covered, it and not the Secretary of State for seldem doing less than 25 miles a day, War, were to prevail, it would be im- All the commanders report that the possible to carry on the business of work undertaken under so many difthe country. If this view had been ficulties and disadvantages has been

Tommy Atkins is the mildest

This electric railway from London to

Burwell.

ject vigorously. Mr. W. E. Stevens, Mr. Case and Mr. Moore, now residents of in the enterprise and anxious that the with deliberation misrepresents The charter should be granted. We believe Advertiser and accuses it of throwing a liberal policy should be the one adopted by the Government. There will yet be many electric railways traversing our highways, and as the times move we should move with them. Lonhoped would be successful. It does not | don is a railway center, and its policy should be to be also an electric railsuccess of the young women that | way center. We hope to see the char-

The Battle of the Options.

In educational circles there is althings are dead and done with they create no controversies. There is always the old "battle of the books," that is the battle between ancients and the same as that contained in the old moderns. There are always some ents, and are prepared to let the real can welcome gladly all the Old Boys ancients go to Jericho, or some other place equally remote, and there are never wanting able men to remind us past have still a living power and a kindly influence. This battle will, we suppose, continue with varying fortunes, and while it may be that "science" and the moderns seem in many places to be getting the best of it, we trust that they will not push their victories too far, as it is not good to

There is, however, another conflict.

which is to some extent another form of the same battle. It is maintained by many able thinkers that the matter of options has been carried too One American writer says it looks as if it was going down as far mathematical turn of mind has calculated that in some universities you can take your arts degree in two thousand different ways. In some quarters this tendency is still growing, but in others it is felt that the a certain common standard should be student is allowed to specialize. The "Specialist" who has not got a good all-round training cannot understand his own subject thoroughly. The great body of organized knowledge is a whole, and before a man devotes himself to one special thread he should know something about the structure

of the whole fabric. There is, we think, much in this kind of argument. It is nainful when skill in a small sphere creates the impression of being illiterate. There is a sense, not only of roughness, but of disproportion, want of harmony. A German writer has likened the optional system to a man ordering his dinner from a French bill of fare, when he does not understand the language; he might get plenty of soup and sweets, and miss the solid food. The moral seems to be that options should not come in too soon, and that when they do come in, they should not be arranged so that the student seeking the line of least resistance can pick up a lot of disconnected frag-

Phenomenal Railway Development.

In 1855, the Illinois Central Railway, with its 771 miles, including branches, was the longest railway line in the world! Now we have a Canadian line over four times that length, stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific, with many branch lines hundreds of miles long! And still we have immense tracts of fertile territory, far removed from railways, that in due course must be provided for, as they will all be settled by a prosperous people, whom it will pay the older settled portions to have close communication with for the purposes of trade and commerce.

There is a bill before the State Legislature at Albany to incorporate another company, with a capital of \$5,000,000, to develop electrical power from Niagara. It will be a rival of the Cataract Electric Company. Yet the enormous power on the Canada side is allowed year after year to go to waste, owing to the supineness and incapacity-or worse-of the Ross

Government.-Free Press. What does the Free Press mean?

The Ottawa Commonwealth puts forth a strong plea for the suppression of the trashy Sunday editions of the American "Yellow Journals." These hideously inartistic sheets take the place, especially in the minds of the young, of good reading, and the inevitable result will be a general deterioration in the standards of life in the coming generations, unless something is done to retard the traffic in these periodicals.

A Logical Policy.

[St. Thomas Journal.] The Liberal policy is logical. It has moved in the direction of free trade within the empire. British goods are now admitted at one-third less than the ordinary tariff on the same class of goods from other countries. We must have a revenue, and the Liberals believe that protection should be incidental to a revenue tariff as is the case with the present tariff. The direction of the present voluntary preference is towards that point where we might hope to obtain a preference from Britain. A time may come when we can remove the tariff wall entirely against Britain, but it is not vet. All we can do is move that way, which

Glimpses from Press Gallery.

Ottawa, March 26, 1901. Good speaking has for centurie has always been proud of its great orators-its Gladstones, its Brights Beaconsfields--irrespective of party; and in the old land, with every incoming Legislature, there is no small interest in watching for the first signs of oratorical or debating ability in the new men. It is the same i the Parliament of Canada. Without

just now mentioning names, it is prob ably within the facts to say the pre ent House is a promising one as the speaking ability of its new mem pers on both sides. One notices this more in the unpre meditated and unreported speeches is more likely to be heard than in th House. The set speeches are prepared

for the House, whereas in committee the speaker is apt to be full of his subject, thinks little of himself or of his sentences, and aims solely to carr his point. Many a man is effective and influential as a speaker in committee, who would make only a moderate showing in "a big speech" in the House. All the same, the ability to make a speech, manifesting both oratorical finish and power, has never failed to be appreciated in all civilized Parliaments.

The other day, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, himself the parliamentary orator not now in Parliament, who had impressed him in days gone by as orators. Among these, he gave prominence to the names of Blake. Chap-Huntingdon and Macdougall. These men varied much. Edward Blake, the intellectual giant, whose style is that of Edmund Burke: Chapleau, the French-Canadian, eloquent and rhetorical to a degree; William Macdougall, whose periods in his palmy days could hardly be excelled; and Hon. L. S. Huntingdon, whose great speech in preferring the charges connected with the Pacific Scandal, is spoken of to this day. Among the old habitues, I find the palm for attractiveness of utterance, combined with a master of smoothly-flowing sentences and liquid English; had a fine presence and eloquent gestures: the most musical voice ever heard in Parliament; always an impressive speaker whose ideas were presented in the most attractive manner possible. In a speech in which he made a reply to Sir Francis Hincks, while defending his views on the zollverein between Canada and the United States, he re-

ferred to the early connection of Sir

Francis with the politics of Canada.

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Space forbids mentioning the many prominent features of this display. The French Novelties, the English and American Models, the great range of Untrimmed Hats, the rich profusion of Flowers and Foliage, the Ornaments, Ribbons, Materials and Trimmings, all combine to make it a veritable fairyland. It is yours to enjoy during these opening days.

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was to him a reminiscence rather proved effective. It was suggestman had been many years away to realize the great changes that had taken place in his absence. He seemed to think that the events of today were to be joined on to those which had happened when he was in the country before; all that had intervened was unknown to him. He was like Rip Van Winkle, in Sleepy Hollow, who slept for a generation, and then awaked, and reached for his

had long been dead. To come back to the present House one of the younger of the new members recently received from Principal Grant, of Queen's University, a note of friendly advice and commendation, which I kindly interest which never loses sight of a student after he leaves college, and there are few shrewder critics and advisers. The principal's advice to the younger member contained the following pointers: "Don't be afraid of speaking in the House. Speak often, but briefly, till you get familiarized with the chamber, the audience, the atmosphere; and never speak without having something to say; and when it is said, always with good temper, sit down." Were these golden words hung up before the eyes of every speaker, and by no means of parliamentarians alone, it would mean a considerable diminution in the burden of human happiness.

From reference to parliamentary speeches, it is an easy transition to those who report them or make comment from the Press Gallery. The annual dinner of the Gallery took place in the Senate Restaurant on Saturday night. It has grown to be, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier, one of the guests, described it. the most pleasant little banquet of the year, and invitations to it are coveted. Not partisanship, but comradeship, is its object, and perhaps no ant personal relations even among opthe Opposition, the Minister of Justice, the Speakers of the two Houses, Nichothers, there would not be likely to be lack of bright talk. One of the amusing features of the evening was the unheralded appearance of a representa-

than a reality. The honorable gentle- ed the axe should be passed on to the Speaker of the House of Commons to

from the country, and did not seem employ it on long-winded members. One is reminded of Dr. Johnson's gun, which had been eaten up by the rust; and he called for his dog, which

had the privilege of being allowed to made these famous reports largely read. Principal Grant is noted for the out of his own imagination (though

appearances pretty well; but I took care that the Whig dogs should not have the best of it." reunion does more, indirectly, to allay Mr. Pitt was highly praised; wherepolitical animosity and promote pleas- upon Dr. Johnson said, quietly, "that posing members of the House. With street." Two splendid speeches atspeakers like the Premier, the leader of tributed to Lord Chesterfield were olas Flood Davin, D. C. Fraser, and found out that one of them was like Cicero."

During the evening, generous recog- Likely To Be Established by the Imperia nition was given by the parliamentary speakers to the services rendered by the Gallery in giving forth the members' speeches in presentable shape.

days of Sir Robert Walpole's Administration. About 160 years ago, Johnson reported the debates in the British Parliament, under the name of "The Senate of Lilliput," with feigned names, but not so far off as not to be recognized. Parliament then kept the press in a kind of mysterious awe, which made these devices necessary. The debates appeared in the Gentleman's Magazine of that day. Now here is the remarkable thing. Johnson always with a general ground work of accuracy), and without having himself been present at all! As the facts have now become known, Cane, the publisher of the Gentleman's Magazine, had interest with the doorkeeper of the House. He and the persons employed under him, gained admittance, they brought away the subject of discussion, the names of the speakers, the side they took, and the order in which they rose, together with notes of the arguments advanced in the course of debate. The whole was afterwards communicated to Johnson, and he composed the speeches. Johnson, as we know, was a good hater, though on the whole a grand and sturdy character. Being praised for the impartiality of his reports, in dealing out reason and eloquence with an equal hand to both parties, "That is not quite true," said Johnson; "I saved

Of an important debate towards the end of Sir Robert Walpole's administration, in a party where Johnson was present, one of the printed speeches of speech I wrote in a garret in Exeter written entirely by Johnson; "and the best of it was," said Johnson, "they Demosthenes, and the other like

unheralded appearance of a representation of Mrs. Carrie Nation. "She," or her representative, came in, axe in hand, and marching up the central aisle between the guests to the president's table, presented him with the axe wherewith to smash any person who should speak longer ity over every known remedy. than five minutes. The hint sell it.

IMPERIAL REMOUNT STATIONS IN CANADA

Government. Ont., March 27 .-- Hon. George W. Ross, premier of Ontario, has received a letter from Lord Strathcona, dated at London, March famous parliamentary reports, in the 14, which shows that the British Government has at last seriously taken up the question of establishing permanent remount stations in Canada. Lord Strathcona says: "As the result of my interview and correspondence with Right Hon, W. S. St. John Brodrick, secretary of state for war, the army remount department are forthwith sending an officer to Can-ada to purchase horses. The officer ada to purchase horses. selected is Lieut.-Col. Dent, who has visited Canada on similar missions previously, and he will sail by the Tutonic on the 20th inst. I am informed that he will purchase in the first place 500 horses for cavalry purposes, and 500 cobs for the use of also visit the Northwest, as well as other parts of Canada. Col. Dent will, believe, also look into the questio of establishing two or three remount depots in different parts of the Do-

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AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-Mr. E. H. Grenfell, McClary's popular traveler, is ill with inflammation. -Mr. J. L. Johnson leaves today on a business trip to Ottawa, Montreal and Halifax.

-A building permit has been issued to Mrs. Wright for a \$2,000 brick resi-

-The Parnell-Dean Steam Baking Company have added the town of Thedford to their long list of agencies. -Rev. R. D. Hamilton lectures tonight in Wellington Street Methodist Church on "How to Make the Most of

-Census Commissioner Gillson, of East Middlesex, has his enumerators at Somerset Hall today, instructing them

-J. K. Little, of Lambeth, census commissioner for South Middlesex, is instructing his staff of enumerators at the county buildings today. -Commissioner Grant and Assessors

Toll and Andrus are preparing a scale upon which to assess land according to the new method of valuing property. -Last night's rainstorm began just ins and forced the men to stay in the armories, as the rain poured through the roof of the drill shed.

-On Monday evening last Bro. J Foreman, of Lambeth Lodge, D.D. G.M., A. O. U. W., paid his official visit to Allsa Craig Lodge, No. 201, A. O. U. W., at which a very pleasant

and profitable meeting was held. -The late Mrs. Mary Meechan, who died on Sunday at the family residence, lot 8, con. 5, London township, was buried today at the Gore Cemetery. The services at the house and the grave were conducted by Rev. S. J. Allin.

-Sergt. Lionel Moore, formerly of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I., has been appointed squadron sergeant-major and orderly room clerk pro tem. of the Baden-Powell Constabulary, ranking with a color-sergeant in the permanent force.

-Wr. J. W. Bengough, of Toronto, the well-known cartoonist, will be one of a number of popular entertainers who will take part in the concert to be given in the Collegiate Institute, Friday evening, under the auspices of

-Mr. A. D. Jones, clerk of the Horton Street Baptist Church, is in receipt of a letter from the Governor-General, acknowledging, on behalf of His Majesty King Edward VII., the kind expression of sympathy sent by the congregation on the occasion of Queen Victoria's death.

-Mrs. Robert Michael, of Detroit, Mich., passed quietly away Monday night, after a short illness. the only surviving sister of Mrs. M. Hawley, of this city. Besides husband she leaves a sorrowing famlly of one son, Mr. W. Michael, of the customs house, Detroit, and a daughter, Mrs. Frank Dumas, of Cleveland.

-Texas Sievers, the big left-hand twirler of last season's Detroit and London Baseball Clubs, has been in Victoria Hospital for a week or more, suffering from a bad attack of la grippe. His friends will be glad to learn that he has recovered sufficient ly to leave the hospital, and will re turn to his home in Detroit.

LONDON ARTIST'S WORK.

Cleveland Plaindealer: Florence Carlyle, a grandniece of Thomas Carlyle, is exhibiting paintings from her own brush in Philadelphia. She is a pupil of Juliana, it is stated, and is at present living in Woodstock, Can-ada. Her work is, in the whole, con-

POLICE COURT. In the absence of Police Magistrate Love Ald. Cronyn occupied the bench at the police court this morning. His duties were light, only two cases being on the blotter. That of Hartwell Alfred, charged by his wife, Bessie Alfred, with threatening her life, was further adjourned for one week. One

LECTURE AND CONCERT

The lecture and choir concert given last night at St. James' Presbyterian Church, by Rev. Dr. Sowerby, of the Talbet Street Baptist Church, and the choir of St. James' Church, was attended by a good audience. The lecture was "A Pilgrim, or, Our Trip Through the World," and was interesting and entertaining throughout only a preacher, but is quite able to its kind in Switzerland, where the law Dr. Sowerby has shown that he is not amuse and instruct as a lecturer. Special music was provided by the choir and friends from outside choirs. Pleasing solos were rendered by Miss E. McLeod, Miss Pauline Mowat, Mr. 18 kind in Switzerland, and its kind in

Stockwell and Mr. Sparling. musical programme was under the rectorship of Mr. F. G. Simpson.

MRS. LINFOOT'S FUNERAL. The remains of the late Mrs. Sarah Linfoot, whose drath occurred en Sunday, were buried this afternoon at Woodland Cemetery, the funeral being attended by many of the deceased lady's friends. Rev. Walter Moffat Discovery of a Mine Beneath conducted impressive funeral services at the family residence, 398 Horton street, and the pall-bearers were im-mediate relatives. The surviving members of the family are Mr. George Linfoot, Mrs. John Dawson, Mrs. C. C. Young and Miss Rose, all of this city. Mr. David Girwin, of this city, is a

CLARA MATHES STOCK COMPANY This company is very fortunate in securing the new and powerful military drama, "South Africa, or the Heroes of 1900," which will be put on tonight. An interesting episode of the Boer war in the Transvaal, it is not of the blood and thunder order, but a charming story of love and heroism, with a bright comedy vein running throughout, with the bands playing, troops marching, and colors flying, is both thrilling and inspiring. The Can-adian contingent are well represented, which makes the play specially interesting to our people. It will be produced with special scenic effects with the entire company in the caste, and a large corps of auxiliaries, making the production an elaborate one. The officers and commandants of Wolseley barracks will occupy the boxes at the performance of "South Africa" to-

W. A. M. A. The regular annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Association of the Diocese of Huron was begun at Cronyn Hall this afternoon, and will be continued tomorrow and Thursday. This morning the delegates attended devotional exercises and the adminstration of the sacrament at St. Faul's Cathedral, Bishop Baldwin preaching from Romans, viii., 29, and Romans,

At this afternoon's session, beginning at 3 o'clock, two papers were read, one it is by Mrs. Sage on "Christian Unity" and bles. one by Mrs. Craig on "The Power of Prayer."

A public meeting will be held from 7:30 to 9:30 this evening, when an address will be given by Miss Trent, a missionary from Japan.

Tomorrow the board of management meet at 9:30 for an hour. At 10:30 the general session will be resumed, when the report of the board of management and reports of secretaries and treasurers will be received. The president's address will be delivered and election of officers and delegates to the triennial meeting will take place. At 2:30 p.m, an address will be delivered by Mrs. (Rev.) Whittaker, on Northwest work, followed by a general conference of of-ficers and delegates. At 8 p.m. a missionary meeting will be addressed by Rev. G. B. Sage and Rev. C. E. Whit-

THE ALABAMA TORNADO

Visited Every Hamlet in Jefferson County-Many Persons Killed or Badly Injured.

Birmingham, Ala., March 26.-Detailed reports show that vesterday's ornado visited practically every hamlet in Jefferson county after passing through this city. Although no complete list of the dead and injured has been compiled, eighteen persons are known to have been killed and between 30 and 40 badly injured. Following were the points visited by the storm: Birmingham, Pratt City, Bessemer, Irondale, Brighton, North Birmingham, Trussville, Weems, Woodlawn and Avondale.

At Irondale three were killed and twenty houses were destroyed. At Brighton the schoolhouse was demolished and two girls severely in-

At Pratt City, the Methodist Church, the High School building, the commissariate of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company and a number of negro shacks were demolished.

The villages of Trussville and Weems are reported destroyed. Scores of houses were damaged in North Birmingham, Woodlawn and Avondale, but no loss of life is re-

ported there. Today's efforts in the storm-stricken section of Birmingham were directed toward giving relief to those who lost everything. Troops guarded the de vasted district last night.

PAINTERS AND PAPER-HANGERS.

Here is a Message From a Tradesman to His Fellow Workmen All Over Canada.

Picton, Ont., May 25.-Richard Kelly, of Picton, is a well-known painter and paperhanger. Mr. Kelly equests the publication of the fol-

"I wish this to catch the eye of every painter and paperhanger in Canada. We all of us suffer from Kidney Disease. There seems to be something about our work which brings it on. have found a cure, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure the worst case of Kidney Trouble that any of us have ever had. I suffered for three years. My

back was dreadful.
"Inflammation of the kidneys followed, and I went to bed. The first box of Dodd's Kidney Pills helped me. Four boxes cured me. They are the painter's and paperhanger's best friend. Everybody in Picton knows me, and the people can youch for what I say of my own case."

THE GASCOGNE IN A GALE. New York, March 26 .- After being battered by fierce seas and tossed about by terrific gales, the French line steamer La Gascogne arrived today from Havre two days overdue. On the morning of the 21st, the wind came out of the northwest and soon became violent. The gales lasted throughout four days, and several times the steamer was obliged to turn tail and run before the fury of the blast. Lifeboats were smashed, skylights and ventilators shattered and the rafts damaged beyond repair.

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THE CZAR'S PERILOUS POSITION!

His Palace.

Nicholas a Constant Prey to Nervous ness and Anxiety—A Gloomy

Outlook.

London, March 26.-A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Paris states on the highest authority that a mine has been discovered beneath the palace of Emperor Nicholas at Tzarskoe-Selo, seventeen miles south of St. Petersburg. Several notabilities, the dispatch further says, are implicated in the plot against his majesty. The Russian press was not permitted to mention the affair.

London, March 26.-A dispatch from St. Petersburg to Reuter's Telegram Company says that in consequence of what is believed to be the czar's ex-pressed wish, the minister of the interfor has published instructions for the authorities of the towns and provinces recommending preventive measures against disturbances as being more effective than severe repression after disturbances have broken out.

The Birmingham Post, which is close-ly in touch with Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, says news received in high quar-ters in London indicates the czar is in very nervous state owing to the cor ditions of the political horizon It is said that he fears the result of the policy of his ministers in the far east, while the student troubles and threats against his life, of which there are more than have been published, have completely unnerved his majesty. His medical advisers have strongly counseled a yacht-ing cruise, but the czar has refused to follow their advice. Those behind the scenes in Russia take a very grave view of the present agitation, and think

CHAMBERLAIN'S LIBEL SUIT. London, March 26.-Mr. Arthur Chamberlain, in his libel suit against the Star and Morning Leader, has been settled for £200. All imputations were withdrawn. After the verdict in the case of Arthur Chamberlain, Neville Chamberlain's libel suit against the same paper was settled for similar

IRISH OBSTRUCTION. London, March 26. -- The House of Commons sat until 4:45 a.m. discussing votes. The Irish members indulged in obstruction. ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY

HOUSES BURNED. Constantinople, March 26.-The village near Monastir, which it was an-nounced yesterday had been burned, is named Kruprik. One hundred and seventy houses in the place are reported to have been destroyed by the marauders, and a number of the inhabitants, made up of Mussulmans and Bulgarians, are said to have been killed.

The well-known Arab shiekh, Hamid Ed Din, again has raised the standard of revolt against Turkish rule in one of the principal divisions of Arabia.

PASSED AWAY

Rev. Angus McColl, for 46 Years Public School Inepector

Chatham, Ont., March 26.-Yesterday Rev. Angus McColl died here, aged 83. Dr. McColl was the first Presbyterian minister in Chatham, and for 46 years was inspector of the Chatham public He was the oldest resident of Chatham, and well known throughout the western district.

Rev. Dr. Angus McColl was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, in 1818, and in the same year the family emigrated to this country. He was an accomplished scholar, and in early life was licensed to preach. His first church was in Chatham, where he was ordained to the pastorate of a congregation in 1848.

He was pastor of the Free Church (the old Adelaide street congregation). He preached regularly in the Cale donia settlement, Chatham township, then the home of the McVicars, the McKerralls, the McKays, and a score and on horseback through Kent and fers to the christening of the young Essex, at the call of the people, baptising their children, administering VII. The Church says: "The young the sacrament and extending comfort Prince has been christened, and re

to the bereaved. On April 2, 1896, Queen's University, Kingston, conferred the honorary de-gree of Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. Angus McColl. He was one of the first students of that institution, which opened its doors March 7, 1842. was appointed to the inspectorship of public schools in Chatham about 46 years ago, and performed his duties in this capacity up to the time of his death. Dr. McColl's religious views never changed. He was brought up and educated a Presbyterian and his opinions were what is known as orthodox faith. He was married in 1849

to Alice, the youngest daughter of John Ross, of Toronto. Deceased leaves besides his widow. five sons and two daughters. The sons are Angus R., chief justice of British Columbia, Victoria, B. C.; John R., James, Richard and Hugh. The daughters are Misses Gertrude and

CANADIAN SOCIETY OF NEW YORK.

New York, March 26.-The Canadian Society of New York, held its annual dinner and election last night. The officers elected were: President, P. H. Bartindale (re-elected): first vice-president, W. Johnson Quinn; second vice-president, Dr. E. R. L. Gould; third vice-president, Samuel Adams; fourth vice-president, E. E. Urquhart; secretary, Henry C. Hunter; treasurer, W. S. Champ; executive committee, Mark Shaw, S. J. Gibson, A. Oliver, T. E. Merett, A. J. McDougall; F. W. McLaughlin, and Dr. E. R. Se-

A secret society, it is announced, is being formed in some of the big cities to fight the trusts.

THE PUBLIC should bear in mind that Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has nothing in common with the impure, deteriorating class of so-called medicinal oils. It is eminently pure and really efficacious—relieving pain and lameness, stiffness of the joints and muscles, and sores or hurts, besides being an excellent specific for rheumatism, coughs and bronchial complaints.

BAYLEY'S 174

Two grand specials-a particularly fine lot, in new and taking colorings, we're selling at 50c and 75c. New Black Dress Materials, too, great moneysavers, at 25c, 50c and 75c. Fine fabrics in very stylish de-

Wonderful Bargains.

These stores shall be known for their great bargains. Listen!

75c-Ladies' Fine Print Wrappers, well made, good colors and periect fitting, for 75c; worth \$1 25.

At \$1 25-Ladies' handsome Mercerized Surah Sateen | years. Skirts, with deep flounce and two small fine ruffles, wide and splendidly made, at \$1 25; worth \$1 75.

At 25c-Only 3 pieces-Pure Irish Table Linen in pretty designs, at 25c; regular 35c.

At 25c-Boys' and Girls' "Can't-Wear-'Em-Out" Pure Cashmere Hose, double heel and toe, 6-fold knee, all sizes up to 81/2, at 25c; worth 35c and 40c. Mothers, see our Hose for boys and girls.

CORSETS.

No such styles and quality for your money anywhere. Don't be fooled into paying ridiculous inches thick. prices.

At 50c-Our new Erect Formspecial all this week. Every pair warranted; money back if not satisfactory. You'll pay a dollar at other stores.

better one at \$1, perfect in form and finish. \$1 50 other



OLD LANDMARK GONE

Tearing Down of the Canada Company Building on East King Street. Toronto, Reveals Some Interesting Documents.

Toronto in the early 30's was an interesting burg of less than 10,000 people. Then there were no brick buildings, no street cars, no public institutions; nothing but small houses and stores, adequate for the then primeval people, but wonderfully deficient in the appointments that go to make up the homes and business places of the inhabitants of the Queen City in the first year of the twentieth

century. The oldest brick building in Toront is being torn down at the corner of King and Frederick streets, to make way for a six-story structure, 136 feet, for Adams Bros., harness manufacturers.

The difficulty the contractor, Mr. Fylie, is experiencing in taking down the walls testifies to the thorough manner in which the builder accomplished the work. The walls at the base were 22 inches thick, and at the top 18 inches. This substantial structure was erected in 1807, the brick used in its construction being imported from England.

NOW EDWARD VII. In one of the old dingy rooms of this first Toronto brick building Mr. Fylie found a number of old news-McKerralls, the McKays, and a score papers and documents, some of the of stalwart Scotch families. Dr. Mc- latter bearing the date of 1804. One Coll was besides for a score of years of the most interesting of the papers a veritable Presbyterian bishop of the is The Church, an ecclesiastical paper, western peninsula, traveling on foot of the date March 19, 1842, which re-Prince of Wales, now King Edward VII. The Church says: "The young ceived the names Albert Edward, after his father and grandfather. Should he live to be King, which God Grant,

he will be Edward VII." THE QUEEN'S GRATITUDE. The British parliament was opened on Feb. 3 of that year by the Queen in person, and the speech from the throne reached Canada by frigate, and was published in full in The Church six weeks after it was delivered. The opening paragraph of the speech refers to the advent of the future King

in the following terms: "I cannot meet you in parliament assembled without making a public acknowledgment of my gratitude to Almighty God on account of the birth of the Prince, my son, an event which has completed the measure of my domestic happiness, and has been hailed with every manifestation of affectionate attachment to my person and government by my faithful and loyal peo-

TROUBLE WITH CHINA THEN. The Queen then refers to the presence of "My good brother and ally, the King of Prussia," who was sponsor at the christening of the baby Prince. She had concluded with the Emperor of Russia, the King of the French, the King of Prussia, and the Emperor of Austria, a treaty for the effectual suppression of the slave trade; and a treaty with the same powers and Turkey for the se-curity of the Turkish empire and the maintenance of the general tranquil-The Queen stated that she was unable to announce peaceful relations

SOME OLD NEWSPAPERS. The Royal Standard was a paper published every evening, at the of The Albion, southeast corner of the market buildings, and in its issue of Nov. 11, 1836, the fall race meeting over Simcoe Chase Course is announc-

ed. The stakes advertised are as high as £10. The Montreal Gazette, of Oct. 20, 1836, conveys information that the new directory of Teronto shows a population of 9,652, and laments that Mon-treal, with a population of 30,000, does not support a directory. The Gazette announces that the Welland Canal will be kept open until closed by ice, except from locks 12 to 30, where a transhipment must take place after Nev. 1, and teams will be in readiness to carry the cargoes of vessels over the intervening section.

BROKE THE BLOCKADE!

Snow Plows Bore Their Through Great Drifts.

Trains Once More Running on the Teeswater Branch of the Canadian Pacific.

Toronto, March 26.-The snow block ade on the Orangeville and Teeswater branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway has been raised, and trains are now running through all right. The fight the Canadian Pacific officials had up there with the snow last week was the worst they have experienced for

DRIFT TWO MILES LONG. Between Arthur and Teeswater there was a drift about two miles long, but the worst spot was just this side of Kenilworth, where a drift three-quarters of a mile long and ten feet deep successfully resisted the efforts of four snowplows and nine engines till fin-ally a rotary had to be sent to their assistance, which, after boring slow-ly from Thursday night, reached Teeswater shortly after 6 o'clock Sunday morning. One great trouble was that the heavy snowfalls in the early part of the season had filled the cuttings except just where the tracks were cleared, and last Tuesday's storm tumbled the snow over on these, and with a slight rain and a frost that followed it was exceedingly hard to work through.

FROZEN SOLID. The snow west of Mount Forest was like ice, and the wedge plow threw out

cakes several feet long by over six Near Harriston, at what is called Paye's Crossing, the signal man had a dog kennel on one side of the track. The snowplow ran off at this point and went right over the doghouse, and the first intimation had that anything was wrong underneath was from the yelping. They dug out the dog safe and sound, however.

HAD TO ROUGH IT. Travelers between Teeswater and Orangeville had to rough it while the blockade lasted. Between Arthur and Kenilworth about a car load of drummers was picked up. The railroad company put them all up at the hotels till the accommodation was exhausted, and those who were left out slept in the cars. There was plenty to eat modation was rough, as the trainmen who had to sleep in the cab of a dead engine could testify.

Happenings of the Hour.

Hon. Charles S. May, Lieutenant-Governor of Michigan from 1863 to 1865, and an eminent member of the Michigan bar, died Monday at his home, Island View, Gull Lake, Mich., any other way than it could be taken of heart failure, aged 71.

Mich., reputed to be wealthy, and one the government did not contemplate of the best known and respected residents of Barrien county, was found the lands of the Boers. dead in a storehouse, in rear of his residence, where he had ended his life Miss May Paul, 28 years old, who

suddenly left her home in Toronto, on March 16, was located in Buffalo Sunday. She again disappeared, but was again found. It is supposed that she was suffering from temporary mental aberration, due to the grip.

A San Francisco telegram says: Mme. Sembrich may never sing public again. Her physicians have advised the famous soprano to retire to her home in Dresden for a rest. Manager Graff has disbanded the company, and the entire organization will return to New York.

JEALOUSY, MURDER, SUICIDE. Los Angeles, Cal., March 26.-Clar-Los Angeles, Cal., March 26.—Clar-ence Crawford, a farmhand, last night life imprisonment. Likewise upon conmortally wounded Ralph Mulherron, killed C. S. Stratton, a prosperous rancher, attempted to kill Mrs. Stratton to be life imprisonment or a term of 30 ton, and then committed suicide by shooting. Crawford is supposed to have become temporarily deranged through a violent infatuation for Mrs.

AN EASY WAY

To Keep Well.

It is easy to keep well if we would only observe each day a few simple rules of health. The all important thing is to keep the stomach right and to do this it is not necessary to diet or to follow a set rule or bill of fare. Such pampering simply makes a capricious appe-tite and a feeling that certain favorite articles of food must be avoided. Prof. Wiechold gives pretty good advice on this subject. He says: 68 years old, and have never had a serious illness, and at the same time my life has been largely an indoor one. but I early discovered that the to keep healthy was to keep a healthy stomach, not by eating bran crackers or dieting of any sort; on the contrary. I always eat what my appetite craves, but for the past eight years I have made it a daily practice to take one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal, and I attribute my robust health for a man of my to the regular daily use of Stu-

art's Tablets. My physician first advised me to use them because he said they were perfectly harmless and were not a secret patent medicine, but contained only the natural digestives, peptones and diastase, and after using them a few weeks I have never ceased to thank him for his advice.

I honestly believe the habit of taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after meals is the real health habit, because their use brings health to the sick and ailing and preserves health to the well and strong." Men and women past 50 years of

age need a safe digestive after meals to insure a perfect digestion and to ward off disease, and the safest, best known and most widely used is Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

into popular favor.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia and for a weak stomach a 50 cent, package will often do fifty dollars' worth of good.

IN THE CENTER OF AFRICA the fame of Pain-Killer has spread. The natives use it to cure cuts, wounds and sprains, as well as bowel complaints. Avoid substitutes; there's only one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. Z cents and 50 cents.

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SIEGERT'S Angustura Bitters.—Advt.

A. SCREATON & CO.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26 and 27,

GREAT SALE OF MANUFACTURERS' SAMPLES OF CARPETS AND RUGS.

| 400 samples, Union and Wool Carpets | e and 40c |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| 300 Hearth Rugs and Halll Strips 750 | to \$5 00 |
| 200 Kensington Squares, all sizes\$2 00 | n \$25 00 |
| 200 Rensington Squares, an sizes | 400 |
| 100 Door Mats at | e1 00 |
| 2.6x5 Japanese Rug | 61 50 |
| 3x6 Japanese Rug | \$1 50 |
| 3x9 Japanese Rug | \$2 90 |
| 3x12 Japanese Rug | \$3 50 |
| 4x7 Japanese Rug | \$2 50 |
| 6x9 Japanese Rug | \$5 00 |
| 9x12 Japanese Rug | \$8 50 |
| 2x6 Reversible Smyrna Rugs | \$1 00 |
| 2.6x6 Reversible Smyrna Rugs | \$1 50 |
| 8x7.6 Reversible Smyrna Rugs | \$2 50 |
| 0-0 Commo Commo | \$7 50 |
| 9x9 Smyrna Squares | er 00 |
| 9x9 All-Wool Squares | \$5 00 |
| The Above are the Greatest Snaps Ever Offered to City and Cutsi | ie Euyers. |

A. SCREATON & CO.

THE CASUALTY LIST GROWING

Showing Renewal of Active Operations in South Africa

Since the Peace Negotiations Failed-Confiscation of Boer Lands No Part of British Policy.

London, March 26 .- The official casualty list issued last evening indicates a renewal of active operations since the failure of the negotiations between Lord Kitchener and Gen. Botha. At had been still further fed by the Hartebeestfontein, March 22 and 23, two | melted snows of the northern disofficers were killed and three wounded, and four men killed, and twenty wounded. There also seems to have a repetition of the floods which have been heavy fighting at a place near

Gredgedacht, March 18. The Pretoria correspondent of the months must pass before Boer resist-

ance can be crushed. The Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Express says he understands that Mr. Kruger has advised Acting President Schalkburger to formulate peace The Daily Mail continues its cam-

paign editorially, and by the publica-tion of letters, denouncing the peace proposals of the government, which it describes as "verging upon betrayal." It is virtually certain that the govern ment will decline to hear Messrs. Mer riman and Sauer at the bar of the House of Commons, on the ground, being ex-ministers, they have no locus

Mr. Chamberlain, in reply to a question regarding settling soldiers in South Africa, said that the government had no intention of expropriating the lands from owners or of taking land in in England. Mr. Balfour, reinforcing W. J. Gilbert, former mayor of Niles, the colonial secretary's statement, said

AGAINST CAPITAL PUNISHMENT!

The New York Legislature Votes to Abolish Exhaustion or Low Vitality-

the Death Penalty. Albany, N. Y., March 26 .- A bill abolishing capital punishment passed the assembly this morning by a vote of 94 to 26. It fixes the punishment for murder in the first degree at life imprisonment, and in the second degree at not less than 30 years' imprisonment. The bill, however, provides that in case of conviction for murder in the first degree the jury shall recommend whether

vears. SAFE-BLOWERS GET \$15,000. Columbus, Ohio, March 26.-A dispatch from Somerset, Perry county, states that six masked men blew the safe in the local bank and secured \$15,000 in money and a large amount of bonds. The robbers escaped.

RAILWAY EARNINGS. Montreal, March 25 .- Following are the official returns of traffic on the ending March 21, 1901, as compared with the corresponding period last year: 1901, \$543,183; 1900, \$500,291; in-

crease, \$36,892. Montreal, March 25.-The traffic returns on the Canadian Pacific Railfor the week ending March 21, 1901, amounted to \$575,000, as compar ed with \$529,000 for the corresponding

week of last year. HER PICTURE. He took her picture in a chair, With books and works of art around; The proof, she said, was more than fair, But then no atmosphere was found

He took her picture on a rock A stream and rustic bridge behind; It gave her nerves a frightful shock. He took her picture in the sand,

A nymph disporting by the shore; Phe scene, she cried, was nice and grand, It only lacked the ocean's roar. He took her picture by a wheel

A Grecian maid, who spins and nods; Alas! she thought it should reveal The early lights of ancient gods. took her picture by flashlight, Where smoke and smell will often linger; ler joy was boundless, out of sight, It showed the gem upon her finger!

PILE TERRORS SWEPT AWAY-Dr. Agnew's Ointment stands at the head as a rellever, healer, and sure cure for Piles in all forms. One application will give comfort in a few minutes, and three to six days' application according to directions will cure chronic cases. It relieves all itching and burning skin diseases in a day. 35 cents. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.—79.

Montreal's death rate in 1900 was 25.47. There were 7,351 deaths.

HAD LA GRIPPE—Mr. A. Nickerson, Farmer, Dutton, writes: "Last winter I had La Grippe and it left me with a service pain in the small of my back and hip that used to catch me whenever I tried to climb a fence. This lasted for about two months, when I bought a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and used it both internally and externally, morning and evening, for three days, at the itching and burning skin diseases in a day. 35 cents. For sale by C. Mc-Callum & Co.—79.

POSSIBILITY OF A FLOOD

Thames Rising Speedily and Springbank Flood Gates May Have To Be Opened.

A serious flood which would again nundate London West and cause great inconvenience and loss to the residents of that portion of the city is quite within the possibilities of the next few days. The exceptionally many hours. Yesterday the stream tricts, and is high enough to cause anxiety to those who would suffer by visited London in past years. The ice is not coming down so thickly as was the case Monday and Sunday, but intermingled with it are many large logs, stumps and pieces of brushwood, showing that the waters in their rising have encroached upon the lowlying lands along the river's course.

No damage has yet been done in the city, the only results so far of the freshet being the flooding of the low stretches of land along the river bank. The Erie Flats, including the lower portion of the London Bowling Club's green, are covered with water, as are the flats near Hunt Bros', mill. flats near Saunby's mill are also flooded, the water there rising eighteen inches in six hours. The water at Saunby's dam is about eight feet above low water level. At the foot of Dundas street the height of the water can best be judged by its proximity to the Sulphur Springs bath house where the water laps the bottom of gineer at Springbank reports that the water is running 51/2 feet over the dam, an increase of 11/2 feet this morn-

Pneumonia

Catching Cold-La Grippe-Pneumonia - These Are th Steps Which Many Are Forlowing.

The ravages of pneumonia are felt all over the land. This year more than in any preceding one this ugly disease is prevalent. Doctors say that the prevalence of this destroyer of life is the direct result of an epidemic form of la grippe, and ordinary pneumonia is never so vicious as la grippe pneu-La grippe usually attacks persons of

low vitality and develops into dysentery, nervous disorders or more frequently into pneumonia. During the prevalence of la grippe people are advised to treat seriously everything in the form of a cold. By the prompt use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine la grippe can always Anyone who has witnessed the dread. ful results of la grippe developing into pneumonia or other serious lung trouble knows the importance of acting promptly when the first symptoms

of cold become apparent. It is truly

wonderful how thoroughly efficient Dr.

Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpen-

tine has proven in the treatment of la

grippe and heavy chest colds. It not only affords relief to the cough and in-

flamed air passages, but actually cures the disease and drives the pains and aches from the bones. La grippe is too serious a foe to trifle with, and pneumonia is most frequently fatal. It is better to guard against these by the use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. Scores of thousands of people are ready to in-dorse it as the most effective throat and lung treatment which medical science affords. Be sure you get what you ask for. It costs no more than ordinary cough mixtures: 25 cents a bottle; family size, three times as much, for 60 cents. All dealers, or Ed-

manson, Bates & Co., Toronto. George T. Bliss, the well-known re-tired banker, is dead at his home on Fifth avenue, New York. Mr. Bliss was a son of George Bliss, of the banking house of Morton, Co. and was 49 years old.

IMITATIONS ABOUND, but insist upon getting the genuine, "The D. & L."
Menthol Plaster. "The D. & L." has stood the test of years. It cures. Its imitations are impotent. "The D. & L." is made by the well-known Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

Montreal's death rate in 1900 was

It's Always Good!

THERE is one thing you can always depend upon and that is the quality of Carling's Ale.

It's always bright, sound and ready for use. Your dealer sells it.

F. H. BUTLER, STOCK BROKER

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK STOCKS. New York. March 26.
Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker,
lasonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

| Saturday's | The Ac | vertise | er. | |
|-----------------------------------------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| Close. | Open. | High. | Low. | 2 p.m. |
| Anaconda 4734 | 47 | 47 | 461/8 | 461/8 |
| Amal. Copper1013 | 101% | | 9914 | 991/2 |
| Atcheson 605/2 | 601/4 | 6034 | 691/8 | 5938 |
| Atcheson Pfd 94 | 94 | 94 | | 931/8 |
| B. & O 911/2 | 911/4 | 9146 | 8954 | 891/2 |
| Brooklyn Tran 81% | 8116 | 811/2 | | 79% |
| Brooklyn Tran 813/3 C. B. & Q 1631/8 | 16314 | 1651/2 | 1631/2 | 1651/3 |
| C. C. C 82 | 81 | 8134 | 80 1/2 | 81 |
| G. F. I 513/ | | 51 1/2 | | 503/4 |
| C. F. I 51% Gen. Blectric 217% | | | | |
| Jersey Central | | | | |
| K.& T. Pfd 56% | 5634 | 5734 | 5614 | 5658 |
| L. & N 991/2 | 995% | 100 | 991 | 995/8 |
| Manhattan 12334 | 124 | 1241/8 | 1221/2 | 123 |
| Metropolitan St. 163 | 163 | 1633/8 | 160 14 | 1621/2 |
| Mo. P100¾ | 100% | 1021% | 10033 | 10038 |
| N. Y. Central 146% | | 1463/ | 14514 | 14552 |
| Norfolk and W 511/2 | 511/8 | 511/8 | 4914 | 503% |
| Northern Pacific 86% | 8678 | 99 | 8614 | 88 |
| Ont.and Western 341/4 | 341/4 | 343% | 333% | 335/8 |
| Pacific Mail 36 | 351/4 | 351/4 | 313/ | 343/ |
| Pennsylvania 154 1/4 | 154 | 1541/4 | | 153 |
| People's Gas105 | 1043/ | 105% | 1041/8 | 104 1/2 |
| B. I | 1281/4 | 128% | 1261/3 | 12714 |
| Reading 7333 | 731/4 | 733/4 | 72 | 721/2 |
| St. Paul 1483% | 14816 | 148% | 14714 | 147% |
| Southern Ry. Pfd 78% | 79 | 79 | 78 | 781/2 |
| outhern Pacific 45 | | 4614 | 451/ | 4516 |
| T. C. I 651/4 | 551/2 | | 55 | 55% |
| U. Pacific 917 | 913/9 | 92 | 5036 | |
| W. U 8834 | 89 | 8914 | 8834 | 883/4 |
| TRUSTS- | | | | |
| Lead 15% | | | | |
| Leather 74% | 7514 | 7534 | 75% | 751/4 |
| Leather Com 195 | 1234 | 131/2 | 125% | 1236 |
| Leather Com 121/4 Sugar 141/4 | 14034 | 141% | 13934 | 140% |
| Federal Steel 4834 | 4814 | | 48 | 48 |
| Rubber 20 | /4 | | | |
| Steel and Wire 42% | 427% | 427/8 | 42 | 4234 |
| Tin Plate | /0 | | | |
| | | | | 1357% |

J. M. YOUNG -STOCK BROKER-

New York and Chloago stocks bought and PLE PROME 707.

| THE LOCAL MARKET. |
|-----------------------------------|
| A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT |
| London, Wednesday, March 27. |
| Wheat, white, per bu |
| Wheat, red, per bu |
| Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 661/2 |
| Oats, per bu |
| Peas, per bu54c to 66 |
| Corn, per bu 44c to 45 |
| Barley, per bu42c to 44 |
| Rye, per bu to . |
| Buckwheat, per bu to . |
| Beans, per bu\$1 15 to \$1 4 |
| |

WEEKLY REVIEW. Wheat brought \$1 08 to \$1 10, mostly the latter: the supply was only fair, and the demand steady.

Oats were steady all week at 86c to 90c, and the demand and supply both Barley very scarce; 80c was paid for feeding and 90c to \$1 for seed.

No rye or buckwheat offered. Beans sold at \$1 to \$1 25 per bu. Corn-One load sold at 85c for feed. Peas were scarce; feeding samples sold for 90c and seed from \$1.10 to

Clover Seed-Very little coming in; \$7 to \$7 25 was paid for it. Timothy Seed—Some few small lots of very poor offered and sold from \$1 to \$2 a bushel.

to \$9; supply was much larger the last few days. Straw was quiet and unchanged. Live hogs sold at \$6 on Monday, and

were in good demand. Dressed hogs brought \$8 for choice. Quotations: GRAIN.

| | @ \$1 | |
|----------------------------------|-------|----|
| | 0 1 | |
| Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 1 08 | 0 1 | 10 |
| Oats, per 100 lbs 86 6 | W . | 90 |
| Peas, per 100 lbs 90 @ | 1 | 10 |
| | @ | 85 |
| Barley, per 100 lbs 80 @ | 0 | 90 |
| | | |
| Buckwheat, per 100 lbs | 1 | |
| Beans, per 100 lbs 1 00 | 1 | 25 |
| HOGS. | | |
| Hogs. light, 100 lbs 600 | 9 6 | 00 |
| Hogs, heavy, 100 lbs 400 | | |

Pigs, young, per pair... 350 Bows, per 100 lbs... Dressed, 100 lbs, selects. 825 Dressed, 100 lbs, heavy... 775 light, per 100 lbs... lingers, per 100 lbs. HAY AND SEEDS.

For Housekeepers. PROVISIONS.

Eggs, single dozen..... Butter, lb, large rolls or Butter, pound rolls, retail .. WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES. Eggs, store lots, dozen.... Butter, lb rolls, baskets... POULTRY.



Tenderloin Bouillon

Hens, per pair. VEGETABLES. Carrots Parsnips
Savory and Sage, per doz.
Parsley, per doz.
Artichokes, per bag.
Vegetable oysters, doz... FRUIT. Beef, per lb 4 50 Beef, per Ib
Beef, carcass
Mutton, quarters, per Ib.
Lamb, quarters
Veal, quarters
Calfskins, green
Lambette Lambskins
Wool, washed, per ib....
Hides, No. 1, per ib....
Hides, No. 2, per ib...
Hides, No. 3, per ib...
Wool, unwashed, per ib...
Tallow, rendered, per ib... Lambskins

New Zealand Oats. The heaviest yielder gown Get our prices. HAMILTON'S, 373 Talbot St.

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, March 26.—Baled hay—Firm, owing to smaller supply. Choice timothy, on track here, \$11; two-ton lots, delivered, \$11 50 to \$11 75. Straw—Firmer. Car lots of straw, on track here, \$6.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., March 26 .- Oil opened

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 26.-Oil closed OIL CITY, Pa., March 26.—Credit balances, \$1 30; certificates, no bid. ENGLISH MARKETS. The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case

| WHEAT- | Mar. 22. | | Mar. 23. | | Mar. 25. | | Mar. 26. | |
|---------------------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|-------|----------|-------|
| Red Winter | 6 | 11/2 | 6 | 11/2 | 6 | 114 | 6 | 11/2 |
| No. 1 Nor. Spring | | 41/2 | 6 | 456 | | | | |
| Walla | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 6 | 11/2 |
| No. 1 Cal | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 6 | | 6 | 4 |
| March | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | |
| May | 6 | 03/ | | 034 | | | | |
| July | 6 | 056 | | 034 | 6 | 03/2 | | 036 |
| CORN- | 1 | | 0 | 073 | | 078 | 0 | פֿלנט |
| New | 3 | 11 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 11 |
| Old | . 4 | OV | 1 4 | 01/4 | 4 | 01/4 | 4 | 01/4 |
| Jan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| March | | 0 | 0 | ő | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| May | | | | 974 | | 101/4 | | 1934 |
| July | | | 3 | 95% | | 97/2 | | 101/8 |
| Sept | | | | 103% | | 10% | | 1034 |
| Flour | 19 | 3 | 19 | 3 | 19 | 3 | 19 | |
| Peas | 5 | | 5 | 716 | | | ő | |
| Perk, prime mess. | 63 | 0 | 63 | 0 | 63 | 0 | 63 | |
| Lard | | | 39 | 9 | 41 | 0 | 41 | 9 |
| Tallow | 24 | | 24 | | 24 | 3 | 24 | 3 |
| Bacon, light | 41 | 0 | 41 | | 43 | | 43 | 6 |
| Cheese, white | | | 48 | 0 | 48 | 0 | 48 | 0 |
| Cheese colored | 18 | 0 | 48 | | 48 | 0 | 18 | 0 |
| Liverpe | ool | , M | ar | ch i | 26- | -Clos | sin | g. |
| Wheat-Spot | firi | n; | N | 0. 1 | . (| Calif | or | nia, |
| 6s 31/2d; No. 2 red | di | west | eri | 1 Wi | nte | er, t | 3 | 13d; |
| No. 1 northern | SPI | ring | . 6 | S 33 | 40 | ; 1 | uti | ires |

14% dull; May, 6s %d; July, 6s 1/2d. dull; May, 6s %d; July, 6s ½d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed new,
3s 11d; American mixed old, 4s ½d; futures quiet; May, 3s 10¼d; July, 3s 10¾d;
Sept., 3s 10¾d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 7¼d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady,
8s 6d

Hops (at London)—Steady.

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Beef—Easy; extra India mess, 61s 3d.

Pork—Steady; prime mess western, 63s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, strong,

41s 9d; prime western, in tierces, strong, Als 9d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, strong, 47s 3d; short ribs, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 43s 3d; long clear middles, light, 20 to 34 lbs, strong, 43s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, strong, 42s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, strong, 49s 3d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 47s.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, strong, Should States, 30s; good United States, 50s; good United States, 68s.

Cheese—Dull; American finest white

and colored, 48s. Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm, Tallow-Prime city dull, 42s 6d; Austraian (in London) dull, 26s. Turpentine spirits—Quiet, 27s. Rosin-Common steady, 4s 6d

Petroleum—Refined steady, 7%d. Linseed oil—Dull, 25s 9d Receipts of wheat during the past three days were 120,000 centals, all American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 72,300 centals. Weather

AMERICAN MARKETS.

BUFFALO, March 26.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, old, 86c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 78c; No. 1 white, 77c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 46c; No. 3 yellow, 45½c; No. 2 corn, 45½c; No. 3 corn, 45c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 31½c to 31½c; No. 3 white, 30c to 30½c; No. 2 mixed 28c on track. on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 31½c to 31½c, No. 3 white, 30c to 31½c, No. 2 mixed, 28c, on track.

DETROIT, March 26.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 78½c; May, 80½c; July, 78½c.

TOLEDO, O. March 26.—Wheat—Cash, 78½c; May, 80½c; Corn—May, 78c.

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NEW YORK, March 26.—Flour—Receipts, 31.392 bbls; sales, 3.450 pkgs; state and western market had little feature beyond its nominal steadiness, trade being small. Rye flour—Dull; fair to good, 32 80 to 33 15; choice to fancy, 33 20 to 33 40; Wheat—Receipts, 146,700 bu; sales, 575,600 bu; option market was dull and easier, in sympathy with corn; small outside trade and local realizing; May, 80 3-16c to 80 7-16c; July, 80%c to 80 7-16c; Lyly, 80%c to 80 7-16c; Lyly, 80%c to 80 7-16c; Lyly, 80%c to 80 7-16c; Sept., 79%c to 75%c. Rye—Steady; state, 50c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., affoat. Corn—Receipts, 132,600 bu; sales, 85,000 bu; options opened steady but eased off under weak late cables and less active speculative demand; May, 47 7-16c to 47%c; July, 47¼c; Sept., 47%c; to 47½c. Oats—Receipts, 142,800 bu; options steady with corn; on track. white state and western, 32c to 36c. Butter—Receipts, 10,188 pkgs; firm; fresh state dairy, 15c to 21c; fresh creamery, 166 to 22c; creamery extras, 22c; do, seconds, 19c to 20½c; state dairy firsts, 19c to 20c.

Other thinds, 15c to 16c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,823 pkgs; firm; fancy large colored and white, 11c to 11½c; fancy small white, 12c to 12½c; fancy small white, 12c to 12c corns, 1100 to 570 lbs, 315; to 325; do, off-colors and heifers, 13 50 to 325; do, off-colors and heifers, 13 50 to 33 50, do, off-colors and heifers, 13 50 to 33 50, do, off-colors and heifers, 13 50 to 33 50. ed, 28c, on track. of very poor offered and sold from \$1 DETROIT, March 26.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 78%c; No. 2 red, cash, 78%c; Hay opened at \$10 and closed at \$8 March, 78%c; May, 80%c; July, 78%c.

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mark, 131/2c to 14c; western, at mark, 131/4c to 131/2c; southern, at mark, 123/2c to 131/4c. Sugar-Raw firmer; fair refining, 31/2c to 317-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 41-31c; molasses sugar, 39-52c to 35 18c; refined firm. Coffee—Dull and weak; No. 7 Rio, 57/2c to 7c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Coffee

CHICAGO, March 26 .- Moderate activ CHICAGO, March 26.—Moderate activity in corn was in contrast to the quietness of other markets on 'change today. The tone of the cereals was easier, corn closing 1/3c to 1/3c, wheat 1/3c to 3/3c, and oats 1/3c lower. Provisions were steady. closing unchanged to 71/2c higher. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 85 cars; corn, 155 cars; oats, 125 cars; hogs, 27,000 head.

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The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2. April, 74%c; May, 75%c to 75%c. Corn—No. 2. May, 42%c to 42%c; July, 42%c. Oats—No. 2. May, 25c; July, 24%c. Oats—No. 2. May, 25c; July, 24%c. Pork—May, \$15 70; July, \$15 12%c. Lard—May, \$8 07%; July, \$8 02%; Sept., \$7 87%.

Cash quotations: Flour steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 67c to 75c; No. 2 red, 74%c to 75%c. No. 2 corn, 41%c; No. 2 yellow, 41%c. No. 2 oats, 26c; No. 2 white, 28%c to 29%c; No. 3 white, 27%c to 29%c; No. 3 white, 27%c to 28%c. No. 2 vyellow, 41%c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$155; No. 1 northwestern, \$156. Prime timothy seed, \$1 10. Pork, \$155 to \$15 80. Lard, \$8 10 to \$8 15. Short ribs, \$7 95 to \$15. Dry salted shoulders, 6%c to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$8 25 to \$8 37%c. Clover, \$10 75 to \$10 85. Eggs quiet; fresh, 12%d. Receipts—Flour, 40,000 bbls; wheat, 188,000 bu; corn, 266,000 bu; oats, 290,000 bu; rye, 130,000 bu; barley, 40,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 33,000 bbls; wheat, 72,000 bu; corn, 154,000 bu; oats, 400,000 bu; rye, 3,000 bu; barley, 3,000 bu. CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. CHICAGO, March 26, Following are the fluctuations on the Chicag Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butlet broker, offices Masonic Temple. Phone 512.

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75%
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8 02 WOOL MARKET.

LONDON, March 26.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 11,078 bales. The offerings were of good quality, and purchasing was general. America bought good greasy at top prices, paying from 9d to 1s 4¾d. Scoureds were bought freely by France and Germany. Cross-breds were in good demand at steady prices. Cape of Good Hope and Natal were taken by the home trade and the continent. Following are the sales: New South Wales, 500 bales; greasy, 4d to 5½d. Queensland, 300 bales; greasy, 4d to 1s 5d; greasy, nil. Victoria, 500 bales; scoured, 10½d to 1s 5d; greasy, nil. Victoria, 500 bales; scoured, 5¼d to 1s 3d; greasy, 6d to 6½d. South Australia, 400 bales; greasy, 5¼d to 8½d. New Zealand, 3,000 bales; scoured, 6d to 1s 2d; greasy, 3d to 8½d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 1,200 bales; greasy, 4½d to 6¾d. Buenos Ayres, 100 bales; greasy, 4½d to 6¾d. Buenos Ayres, 100 bales; greasy, 4½d to 6¾d. THE DAIRY MARKETS. LONDON, March 26 .- The offerings at

THE DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK, March 26.—Butter—Market firm; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; factory, 9c to 14½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18½c; state dairy, fresh, 15c to 21c. Cheese—Market firm; fancy large colored and white, 11c to 11½c; fancy small colored, 12½c; fancy small white, 12c to 12½c. CHICAGO, March 26.—Butter—Market quiet; creameries, 15c to 21c; dairies, 11c to 18c. Cheese—Market fair and active, 10½c to 11¾c.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. NEW YORK, March 26.—Beeves—Receipts, 6,222; no trading; feeling steady; Liverpool and London cables quote live cattle higher, at 12c to 13½c per lb; refrigerator beef higher, at 9½c to 9½c per lb; exports today, 750 cattle and 3,100 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 25, feelters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 25; feeling unchanged; common to choice veals sold at \$4 to \$7; barnyard calves nominal. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 400; market steady; no sheep on sale; poor lambs slow, at \$6 15. Hogs—Receipts, 2,256; nominally lower, at \$6 to \$6 30. CHICAGO, March 26 .- Cattle-Steady to

CHICAGO, March 26.—Cattle—Steady to strong; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 75; cows, \$2 70 to \$4 40; heifers, \$2 75 to \$4 60; canners, \$2 to \$2 65; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 60; calves, \$4 25 to \$5 75; Texas fed steers, \$4 80 to \$5. Hogs—Top, \$6 20; mixed and butchers, \$5 90 to \$6 12½; good to choice, \$6 05 to \$6 20; rough heavy, \$5 90 to \$6; light, \$5 65 to \$6 07½; bulk of sales at \$6 to \$6 07½. Sheep—Strong; good to choice wethers, \$4 80 to \$5; fair to choice mixed, \$4 50 to \$4\$5; western sheep, \$4 80 to \$5; yearlings, \$4 80 to \$5 10; native lambs, \$4 80 to \$5 50. EAST BUFFALO, March 26.-Cattle-

EAST BUFFALO, March 26.—Cattlesteady; calves in light supply and slow; quotable at \$6.50 to \$6.75. Sheep and lambs—Offerings light; fair demand and steady on basis of yesterday's close; choice to extra light lambs, \$5.75 to \$5.90; good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.75; sheep, choice to extra, \$5 to \$5.25. Hogs—Supply light, only 18 loads; market opened somewhat slow, but on the close the feeling was a little stronger; heavy, \$6.10 to \$6.20; mixed, \$6.10 to \$6.15; Yorkers, \$6.05 to \$6.10; pigs, \$5.90 to \$5.95; roughs, \$5.25 to \$60; stags, \$4.25 to \$4.75. TORONTO, March 26.-A heavy run at

colors and heifers, \$1.75 to \$2.25; feeding bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.50; light stock bulls, \$1.50 THE PLAINEST FACE

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OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, March 26.—Here and at Liverpool cattle is selling higher at from 12c to 13%c per lb, dressed weight; sheep keep steady at 12%c to 13c; lambs, 14%c per lb; refrigerator beef is higher at 9%c to 9%c per lb.

WEATHER BULLETIN. Highest and Lowest Temperatures at

Prominent Points. London, March 27-8 a.m. TEMPERATURE. WEATHER Calgary

COLDER-FINE TOMORROW. Forecasts-Fresh northerly to north vesterly winds; fair and a little cold-

WEATHER NOTES. The disturbance which has been causing the wet weather in Ontario and Quebec has now reached the New England States, and clearing conditions are generally indicated, as well as lower temperatures, and sharp freezing weather will occur tonight.

WITHOUT ANY OPPOSITION

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as they intended to go. They desired simply to give the industry a start. It was a costly business starting a beetroot sugar factory, and \$500,000 at least was needed. He assumed, from the recent speech of the Hon. Mr. Fielding, that the Dominion Government did not intend to give bounties for beet-root sugar; should they do so the Provincial Government could reconsider the question.

Several members of the opposition contended that the inducements to the farmer were not sufficiently generous to warrant them in growing beets to any considerable extent.

Hon. Mr. Davis thought that the clause providing that factories must for the first year pay \$4 a ton for beets and after that \$4 and a percentage on the amount of saccharine matter over 12 per cent was a very fair inducement to the farmer. The bill was reported with slight

amendments. In the railway committee yesterday the bill to incorporate the new Ontario Colonization Railway, Georgian Bay to Lake Abitibi, thence to the Albany River, was withdrawn Detroit, March 27.—The demand for beans is brisk and the market holds firm; cash, \$1 87 bid, \$1 90 asked; April, \$1 83 bid; May, \$1 80 bid.

The bill extending by three years the time for completion of the Strathroy and Western Railway also passed. THE NEW ELECTRIC RAILWAY. The railway committee of the legislature passed the bill incorporating the London, Aylmer and North Shore Electric Railway. The company proposes to run a single or double track line from London southeast to Port Burwell.

CENSORSHIP OF PLAYS. The legislature committee granted what is practically a censorship of plays by the adoption of a clause pro-viding that the chief of police or some officer specially designated shall have the right to enter theaters where an im-moral play is going on and arrest the performers. The new clause is designed chiefly for the conditions in the low class theaters of Toronto, where disgraceful performances are frequently given, and where the police, under decisions given some time ago, have no right to penetrate without a warrant properly made out. The new clause took the form at first of granting permission to any policeman to settle the question of the morality of a show off-hand, but the attorney-general thought this was going too far, and also pointed out that it would be too drastic a remedy to leave the interests of theater managers in the hands of any policeman who hap-

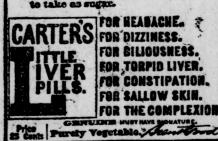
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MR. PATERSON ON THE BUDGET.

An Able Refutation of the Opposition's Unreasonable Charges.

Progress of Canada Under the Present Liberal Government Has Been Not Only Rapid, But Substantial.

Ottawa, March 26 .- One more day will probably see the conclusion of the budget debate. Tomorrow is private members' day, and the division on the budget is expected on Thursday. Today Messrs. Hackett (Prince Edward Island), Monk, Dobell, Paterson and Sproule spoke. Mr. Turgeon adjourned the debate half an hour after midnight.

BILLS INTRODUCED Mr. Dyment introduced a bill respecting the Ontario, Hudson Bay and Western Railway Company.

Mr. Northrup introduced a bill to amend the Dominion elections act of 1900, making it an offense to induce any persons nominated for parliament to retire by means of the offer of money.

THE BUDGET DEBATE The budget debate was resumed by Mr. Hackett (P. E. I.), who expressed his appreciation for the courtesy shown by the premier in allowing the adjournment of the debate last night at

Mr. R. R. Dobell said he was content to face the country with the declaration of the finance minister, that the country was never more prosper our or in a better financial condition. Replying to the criticism of the government, that it had not looked ahead and was not taking sufficient care of the future, Mr. Dobell said the finance minister had looked forward a year and provided for a surplus of \$6,000,000 and he thought very few cared to provide for farther ahead than twelve months. He strongly supported the preferential tariff, as calculated to strengthen the trade relations of the empire, and he hoped the government would have the assistance of the opposition in working out the difficult

problems of interimperial trade.

Mr. Monk delivered a lengthy speech in which he endeavored to show that a wide divergence of opinion existed amongst the government supporters on the tariff question. The government's policy, he insisted, was in direct violation to all the promises made by it when its members sat on the opposition benches. The preferential tariff he referred to as a bounty to the man-ufacturers of Manchester, Sheffield, Birmingham and other cities, and it was a question whether this immense degree of favor to people who gave no favor to us in return was justified in this young country. He criticised the methods of the finance minister and the management of Intercolonial Railway, the system of immigration, and the government's policy in regard to the improvement of the St. Lawrence route.

MR. PATERSON.

Mr. Wm. Paterson, minister of customs,

first referred to the opposition's statement that the tariff policy of the government was indefinite. The government's tariff in operation when parliament dissolved and they went to the country, and the and they went to the country, and the country said it was the right policy. The opposition policy, as set forth in the amendment, was the same old policy they adopted 25 years ago. Here was a party in this progressive country of Canada, that was advancing by leaps and bounds, that found the height of their ambition in a policy 25 years old, discredited and worn out, and cast off by the people of the country. During the last election Mr. Foster had offered to lead any straying Liberals to the old Tory wigwam of 1878. He asked if there was any Liberal dissatisfied with his party for any little thing, who wanted Mr. for any little thing, who wanted Mr. Foster to lead him to that old wigwam. Mr. Foster might dwell in it, the Tory party might, but the country and the Liberal party would not. No; the Liberal government had moved forward, the Liberal party had moved with them, and left the Conservative party. The the Liberal party had moved with them, and left the Conservative party. The Liberal motto was "Onward, forward." Progress was the word that was wanted in this country. Mr. Paterson pointed out the lack of agreement among the Conservatives. Mr. Osler had declared that the bonusing of railways must stop, but another member had declared they were bound in duty to go on bonusing railways, especially in the Province of Nova Scotia. They asked what the Liberal tariff policy was: it was a revenue eral tariff policy was; it was a revenue tariff, now in force, coupled with a pref-erence in favor of Great Britain. It was possible to compare the two policies in their results. The Conservative policy had been in operation for eighteen years; the policy of the Liberal party for four years. In these four years the foreign trade of Canada increased by \$140,000,000 or by \$30,000,000 more than the foreign trade of Canada increased in all the rade of Canada increased in all the years from Confederation down to 1896. Last year the increase in the total foreign trade was within a few millions of being as great as the increase during the whole eighteen years of the Conservative policy. In the whole eighteen years it increased only \$66,000,000, and in one year, last ye ar, it increased \$59,000,000. The export of Canadian produce produce from 1896 to 1900 exceeded the exports for the previous four years by ports for the previous four years by years, and the result of which was ai"Turn back the hand of time, back to a policy that had been tried for eighteen years, and the result of which was al stagnation in The position of the Opposition upon the question of a preferential tariff Mr. Paterson described as, "We will send over our last dollar and our last man to

preserve the integrity of the empire, but don't send your wollen goods in here; our loyalty can't stand that." (Laugh-Mr. Paterson deprecated the raising of Mr. Paterson deprecated the raising of the race and creed cry, and quoted from the Wiarton Canadian, showing that in North Bruce the electors had been told that Mr. Costigan, a member of the Lib-eral Government, had brought up the resolution asking for an amendment to the coronation oath; that the Liberal Government was composed of a majority of French ministers, that the French majority was voting away Ontario's money for the benefit of Quebec, and that the payment of a bounty on beet sugar was opposed by the majority from Quebec. These statements were characterized as lies by Mr. Paterson.

DR. SPROULE. Dr. Sproule, who spoke until long afte midnight, laid special stress on the ad midnight, laid special stress on the advantages that a preference in the English market would confer on Canada. Among other things he said that the statement that Canadian farmers had an advantage of 5 per cent on products over American farmers in the English market would be one of the strongest arguments that could be advanced to induce American farmers to migrate to midnight the strongest arguments. can farmers to emigrate to Canada.

Mr. McCreary interrupted to say that there are now three special trains a weel from Calgary to Edmonton to immigrants from the United convey immigrants from the United States. Mr. Turgeon (Liberal, Gloucester) ad-journed the debate.

BASEBALL.

Scheibeck, the former Londoner, who played with the Montreal Eastern Leaguers last season, is now in training at Detroit. According to him the Montreal manager might have had the Canadan Leaguers, Cooper, Sievera, Jones

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Fort Wayne, Ind., March 27.-The Inter-State Baseball League disbanded ter-State last night. last night. A new organization, to be called the Western Association, was launched, and it was announced that the new association would be protected by the National League. Franchises were awarded to Louisville, Indianapolis, Toledo, Grand Rapids, Dayton, Fort Wayne, Marion, and Columbus, Ohio.

Officers of Chosen Friends.

EVENING SESSION. In the evening the proposition prevent holding caucuses with grand council meetings and to exclude hotelkeepers from membership in the order were voted down. The election of officers resulted as The election of onicers resulted as follows: Grand past councilor, Rev. H. J. Allen, Napanee; grand councilor, W. J. McCormick, Belleville; grand recorder, W. F. Montague, Hamilton: grand treasurer, S. A. Broadfoot, Guelph; grand prelate, Rev. C. John-son, Tweed; first grand representa-tive, Alex. Morrison, Pembroke; second grand representative, T. G. Davey, London; third grand representative, J Frost, Owen Sound; fourth grand rep-

In the spring the young man's fancy, Lightly, in a modest way, Turns to thoughts of summer garments On the first bright, balmy day; But if he is long on wisdom He will not at once get gay, But will hang on to his fla

resentative, W. F. Miller, Hamilton. The other officers, including grand marshal, grand warden, grand guide

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CHAPTER III

Clifton Vining went out from the home of his old nurse with a strange conflict of emotions within his breast.

The adventures of the previous night had made a deep impression on his mind. It seemed a strange combination of circumstances which had conspired to make him instrumental in saving the life of this young and beautiful girl. Had he been five minutes later in mak-

Had he been five minutes later in making his appearance in Houston street, that precious life would doubtless have been sacrificed, that lovely form would how be lifeless and floating upon the turbid waters of the East River.

How strange it was, he thought, that he should have been turned adrift from his own home just at that time, to meet another human being, thrust forth upon the streets, and that their destinies should cross each other in such a pecular manner!

What will come of it, I wonder?" he what will come of it, I wonder?" he muttered as he walked slowly uptown, feeling strangely changed, as if something had suddenly added dignity and age to his life. "The girl certainly has the loveliest face I have ever seen; she the loveliest face I have ever seen; she is evidently a lady, too; her manner and anguage indicate her to be such. With what dignity she regarded me when she told me that I seemed like a true man, but, having been so badly used, she had lost faith in every human being! She must be a good, pure girl—she impressed me as such by her every word and look, and her confidence in me has somehow made me desire to turn over a new leaf in my own life. What tovely, innocent eyes she has! and how innocent eyes she has! and how they searched me as if they would read my inmert thoughts! Somehow it makes a fellow wish to be worth of the respect and confidence of such a girl. There's Annie, too, and she just about worships her graceless brother; I—I believe I will try to show the governor that there is something worth saving in ma after all."

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Just as Clifton reached this point in his reflections, he turned into Broadway, and, feeling that there was no time like and, reeling that there was no time like the present, he resolved that he would at once put to the test his fate regarding getting into business.

He straightened himself with a new consetten of importance buttoned his sensation of importance, buttoned his overcost trimly about his figure, drew on his gioves, and then turned his steps toward the office of a well-known broker and a man who had long been upon the most friendly terms with his own family.

asked to see Mr. Norwood, and was

sently.

He did not have long to wait, for Mr. Norwood soon made his appearance, and greeted the young man most cordially. tated his case to him in a frank, straightforward manner, told him of the trouble which he had with his father the previous evening, and asked him if he would give him employ-ment, since he had decided to make a

start for himself.

Mr. Norwood listened to his story with kind attention, but with a twinkle of amusement in his eyes, for he did not imagine the trouble so serious as represented; then, after a moment of thoughtful silence, he remarked: presented; then, after a moment of thoughtful silence, he remarked:
"It seems to me, Vining, if you feel that you have been in the wrong, and wish to get established in some good business, that you could not do better than to go into your father's office, as he wishes you to do. It would be the easiest way to smooth over this difficulty, reestablish his confidence in you, and show him that you mean to be a man, while he could do more to help you on in the world than any one else."

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Clifton's face fell a trifle at this advice. and for a moment he was silent. At length he lifted his head proudly, while

length he lifted his head proudly, while a flush dyed his face crimson.

"While I am willing to concede that I have not done as I ought, in some respects," he said, with a hardening of the lines about his handsome mouth, "I also feel that my father has not treated me with the consideration that is my due; he is not in sympathy with me, he does not believe in me, and we should only continue to irritate each other; while the position which he would give me would only be a nominal one, and I want to get into real work, where I shall feel that I am really earning what I receive. I want to show him, too, that I have some backbone—that I am capable of taking care of myself, and do not merely mean to play at business. Besides, I believe that, as a rule, relatives do not get along together in business as well get along together in business as we

"There is some truth in that, I admit," said Mr. Norwood, with a smile: then added: "I like your spirit, Vining, and yet, at the same time, I feel that you are not quite doing your father justice. Still feeling as you do, perhaps you would work better in some other office; and I think that I have just the position for you."

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Clifton looked up eagerly.

'Thank you," he said gratefully, and his companion felt that he was thoroughly in earnest, while he wondered what had given rise to this new departure, for Clifton Vining had hitherto been known chiefly as a society man—as a genial, care-free fellow, who was getting to be a trifle fast, but whose sins were politely winked at because of his being the only son of a millionaire.

Mr. Norwood himself had been inclined to judge him very leniently, because, being the father of a beautiful daughter,

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it had long been his secret desire to marry her to the son of his wealthy friend, and so he now reasoned that if he could help the young man over this critical period of his life he might be able to achieve his fond hopes the more readily. Therefore he determined to make a place for him, secure his confidence and gratitude, and thus lead him on toward the desired end.

"But," he sald, smiling, in response to Clifton's eager acknowledgment of his kindness, "I shall expect that you will stick to the business and do your best, for I am particular about there being no drones in my hive, from principle, as well as on account of the example to others, and the economy of the matter." "I am thoroughly in earnest, Mr. Norwood, I assure you," Clifton responded, gravely, and with rising color, as he recalled the look he had seen in a certain pair of blue eyes the night before. "Perhaps you may think mine has been rather a spasmodic conversion, knowing as you must what my life has been, and, to tell the truth, I can hardly account for the change myself; but truly, I do feel imbued with the spirit of work, and I promise you, on my honor, that I will do the best I can for your interests, as well as for my own."

"That sounds business-like, I am sure, and I will take you at your word." Mr. Norwood returned, while he regarded the young man with unusual interest. "When would you like to come to me?"

Clifton flushed again, then said, with a forced laugh:

Mr. Norwood, I have just eight dollars

Clifton flushed again, then said, with a forced laugh:

Mr. Norwood, I have just eight dollars in my pocket, and that money really belongs to my sister. So you can understand how a fellow of my tastes and habits must feel with only that small sum between him and starvation. Accordingly, if you are agreeable, I should like to take off my coat and begin work this minute."

minute."
"Whew! I shall begin to think that you have some of your father's business proclivities after all." his companion reproclivities after all," his companion responded, laughing at his eagerness; "but I like you all the better for your energy, so off with your coat and I'll set you a task without further delay, your salary to be the same as I have been paying for the same work during the last year," and he named the sum.

Clifton had not expected to be treated quite like an old employe in this respect, and, feeling much gratified, he removed his gloves and coat, and was soon absorbed in looking over his employer's correspondence and taking his first instructions as a private secretary.

Let us go back to Abby Knapp's tidy

kitchen to see what is occurring there.

John Knapp had had his morning meal
at 6 o'clock, and went immediately out his day's work. to his day's work.

Later, as we know. Clifton Vining was served his breakfast, and after his departure the thrifty housewife cleared her table, washed her dishes and put her room in order, thinking that she would allow her strange visitor to sleep as long as she wished. as she wished.
"Poor child! it was a hard night she

had, and she needs a good rest to set her up again," she murmured, as she went softly about her work, so as not went softly about her work, so as not to disturb her.

It was nearly 9 o'clock when the door between Abby's simple parlor and kitchen was opened, and the young stranger appeared on the threshold with a timid, appealing look in her innocent blue eyes which went directly to the heart of the kind-hearted hostess.

"Good-morning, miss," she said, in a hearty, cheery tone, and involuntarily assuming the manner of speech of an interior, for she instinctively recognized

ferior, for she instinctively recognized the lady in the fair girl. "I hope you had a good sleep. I'm sure you look as bright as a new dollar," she concluded, as she as a new donar, she consided, as she noticed the lovely that that glowed in the girl's cheeks, and how heatly she had dressed her hair, which shone like a coil of gold at the back of her small, tinely-shaped head, while her dress had been carefully brushed and made to look as tidy as possible

dy as possible. "I feel nicely rested, thank you," the girl responded. "I have not slept as well for many weeks." she concluded, with a long-drawn sigh.
"Well, 'tis a good bed, if I do say it,"
Abby remarked, in a gratified tone. "But
I imagine you're beginning to be hungry
by this time; sit right down here, and I'll
Caughey." have your breakfast ready in no time. I haven't had mine yet. I thought it, would be more social if we ate together—if you don't mind my sitting down with

you," she concluded, darting a covert glance at her guest, who had taken the chair indicated. "Certainly not; I shall be very glad not to have to eat alone," she cordially re-turned, and smiling pleasantly at Abby in a way that at once made the woman

her staunch friend.
[To be Continued.] BOTHWELL CENSUS ENUMERA-

Sarnia, March 27 .- Following is a list of the enumerators of the census of 1901 for the Bothwell district, No. 45: Both well-Alex. Duncan. Camden-Geo. Forshee. Steve Sturgis, A. J. C. Shaw, Barney Featherstone, Ira Law. Chatham-P. J. Newkirk, Wm. Wells, Wm. Ball, Aaron Lane, George Oliver, Isaac Lit-tle, Alfred Fry, Isaac Arnold, Albert Nickle, Dan McNaughton. Dawn Westley Martin, Milvin Harret, John Skinner, Eugene Walker, Chas. Stevens, John Morden, Richard Perry, Wm White, John Brown, D'Arcy Maguire, Elton Zavitz, John Morden, Dresden-Thomas King, William McGuire, I. B. Webster. Sombra and Walpole-E. J. Henry, M. L. O'Leary, Wm. Brad-shaw, Alex. Maitland, Peter Grant, Robert Babcock. Thamesville Village— John Howatt. Wallaceburg Town—A. McCarron, St. Andrew's ward; H. J. McDougall, St. George's ward; Capt. James McCollum, St. James' ward. Zone township-P. J. McAnally, Philip Fancev. George Gordon,



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BASEBALL HOW TO BAT.

Arthur Irwin says: "The reason 99 amateurs out of 100 are not able to bat is due solely to incorrect form. Either they take a position too far back of the plate or too far forward, step up to meet the ball too soon or too late, or swing at an angle at the sphere. They lack nothing in quickness of eye or accuracy of judgment, but they cannot control the ball at all with the bat. The position of the bat should be taken a foot behind the plate. The hitter should stand straight, with both feet together, erect and alert. As the pitcher draws back his arm to de-liver the ball, the better should stan liver the ball the batter should step quickly and firmly and draw his shoulders back to increase his swing at the ball. As he sizes up the course of the ball he should swing easily forward with his weight behind the blow, meeting the ball squarely and controlling its direction by the wrist."

THE ONE-SIDED GAME. A Chicago fan says: "I don't care what leagues the teams I go to see belong to, nor whether they belong to any league or both, so long as they play good, fast baseball and are evenly matched, so that the result of the game is in doubt. Of course there is a difference in the playing of a team that costs \$50,000 a year and one that costs \$10,000, but I would rather see a game between two amateur clubs that were equally matched than be-tween two high-priced aggregations of stars, one of which outclassed the other from the start.

AMERICAN LEAGUE TEAMS. Philadelphia, March 27.-Although no general announcement of the makeup of the American League teams was made at the meeting just closed, the managers themselves did not hesitate to acknowledge the men that had already been signed by them. The following list, gleaned from the individual managers, with the exception of the Philadelphia club, will give a fair idea of how the teams stand at pres-

Philadelphia-Pitchers, Fraser, Willis, Milligan, Philips, Kellum; catchers, Smith, Powers, Hayden; first base, Casham; second base, Lajoie; third base, Lave Cross; shortstop, Fultz; outfielders, Davis, Geier.

Baltimore — Pitchers, McGinnity, Howell, Yerkes, Pfeister, Nops, Schmidt, Bresnahan; catchers, Robinson, Latimer: third base, Foutz; second base, Reitz; third base, McGraw shortstop, Keister; outfielders, Sheckard, Brodie, Snodgrass, Collins; substitute infielder, Robo.

Boston—Pitchers, Dineen, Young;

catchers, Criger, Schreckongost, Mc-Clean; first base, Freeman; second base, Parent or Ferris; third base, Collins; shortstop, Perin; outfielders, Stahl, Hemphill. Washington-Pitchers, Carrick, Pat-

ten, Gear, Phyle, Lee; catchers, Clarke, McMann; basemen, Everett, Quinn, Coughlin; shortstop, Clingman; outfielders, Gettman, O'Brien, Farrell, Dungan.

fielders, Genins, Pickering, Mc-Detroit-Pitchers, J. Yeager, R. Miller, Silver, Frick, Cronin; catchers, Buelow, Shaw, McCallister; first base,

Dillon; second base, Lordhead; third base, Casey; shortstop, Eiberfield; out-fielders, Jones, Barrett, Nance, Holmes Milwaukee-Pitchers, Garvin, Reidy, Husting, Dowling, Sparks; catchers. Conner, Maloney, Leahy; first base, Anderson; second base, Gilbert; third base, J. Burke; shortstop, Conroy;

outfielders, Hallman, Waldron, Friel, Duffy. Chicago-Pitchers, Griffith, Katoll, Paterson, Fisher, Scopec, Denzer, catchers, J. Sullivan, W. Sullivan, Johnson; first base, Isbell; second base, Padden; third base, Brain, Hartmay; shortstop, Wallace, Shagart; outfielders, Hendrick, Hay, Jones and

McCarthy A Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE. The Y. M. C. A. is to have a baseball league of its own, with several teams and an organization for outside games. At a meeting of enthusiasts in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last evening, this much was decided, and an executive committee, consisting of Messrs. Corcoran, Peel, Ferguson, Black, Benson, Taylor and Mc-Bride, was appointed to further the

THE RIFLE. GRAND AMERICAN HANDICAP.

New York, March 25 .- When, in the days of Natty Bumpo, the hero of Cooper's Deerslayer stories, he used to roam the up-State forests, flocks of wild pigeons on their migratory excursions at times numbered away up into the millions; they darkened the skies like an eclipse, and the whirr of their countless wings made a sound like a warring of the elements. These birds were as free as the air. The largest flock since those ploneer days is now down at Interstate Park, Queens, L. I., where there are 15,000 tame pigeons, captives, awaiting slaughter at the hands of the most famous wing shots in the country. Very few of the 15,000 birds will escape a swift and sure death a few feet from the traps. Some may go scot free, but others, merely "winged," will flutter out of bounds, to be brought down by the "pot hunters," who hover around the outskirts of the park. It is safe to say that not one per cent. of the immense flock will escape.

The birds are sent to Interstate Park from all parts of the United States, and are selected stock. None are accepted that are not hardy, strong and healthy and good flyers. Every attention is paid to their welfare at the park. They have clean, wholesome and roomy quarters, in which they are well fed and watered, and they have plenty of space in

which to exercise their wings.

This immense flock has been gathered in readiness for the Grand American handicap at live birds, which takes place at Interstate Park April 1 to 5. All the crack wing shots in the country have entered, among them the winners of last year's Grand American Handicap, H. D. Bates, of St. Thomas, Ont. Last year's entries numbered 210.

STRONG CANADIAN TEAM. The Canadian team to compete at the rifle meet to be held at Sea Girt N. J., will be: Capt. Hutchinson, Ottawa; Capt. Davidson, Quebec; Col. Sergt. Skedden and Sergt. Hayhurst Hamilton; Sergt. Broadhurst, Privates Drysdale and Peddie, Montreal; Sergt. Corrigan, Cornwall; Sergt. McVittle and Private Armstrong, Toronto.

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LACROSSE.

CHANGES IN LACROSSE. Montreal, March 27 .- When the lacrosse sub-committee, which has in hand the revision of the bylaws and rules of the game, meets, it will have a good many suggestions to consider, which, if passed and adopted by the

of suggestion is from Mr. Bramley, of the Montreal club, who would like to see the game played in quarter-hour periods, goals changed each quarter and no delay when a goal is scored. Mr. Bramley has another scheme, too. It is brought forward with a view to shorten the delays in a match He will also throw out at the meeting a suggestion that substitutes should be kept ready at the dressingroom, and if a man is hurt so that it will require a delay of some time, put on the substitute and let the game go on until the other man is ready. Mr. Bramley is strongly of the opinion that some scheme must be devised to reduce the number, and length of the delays that occur now.

HOCKEY.

The London hockey team went to Ingersoll this afternoon, where they will play the last game of the season. ATHLETICS.

ENGLISHMEN WILL ACCEPT CHALLENGE.

London, March 27.-Indications point to Oxford and Cambridge's acceptance of the challenge by Yale and Harvard for a series of regular track games The English team in that case will consists of the firsts and seconds in the events to be decided Friday at the inter-university contest. The presidents and treasurers of the Oxford and Cambridge athletic unions will confer Saturday and decide on the nature of the answer to the challenge. Cambridge men all expressed themselves keenly desirous of going to the United States, though they were rather

prefer to have the contest in Septem ber, instead of July.

Mr. Seagram confirms the story sent out the other day from New Orleans, that he had signed Jockey Vittitoe.

outfielders, Gettman, O'Brien, Farreli, Dungan.
Cleveland—Pitchers, Baker, Mc-Cleveland—Pitchers, Moore, Scott; catchers, Yeager, Cross; first base, LaChance; second base, Beck: third base, Bradley; shortstop, Flood; outfielders, Genins, Pickering, Mecenter-board, and balanced steel rud- any horse carrying his colors from win-In other words, every horse he starts will try to win, without reference to the chances of its stable companions.

AT LITTLE ROCK. Little Rock, Ark., March 27.—Following are the results of yesterday's racing: First race, 6 furlongs—Belle of the Glen Eva Wilson 2, Charlie Daniels 3

Second race, half mile-Debenture 1 league, would make a big difference in the game from the grand stand and from the field.

The latest announcement in the way of suggestion is from Mr. Bramley. 3. Time, 1:18. Fifth race, 13-16 miles, selling—Chubb 1, Dan Rice 2, George B. Cox 3. Time, Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Pillar-dist 1, All's Well 2, Corialis 3. Time, 1:18

A MEETING AT DETROIT. The Detroit Driving Club has decided to hold a fall meeting the week following the Grand Circuit trotting meeting at Cincinnati. Sept. 23 to 27. This arrangement will make an endless chain in this year's Grand Circuit meeting, and will fill up the week which would otherwise have remained open between the Cincinnati and Terre Haute meetings. Opening on July 15, the horses can race continuously, going as far east as Bos ton, and then returning westward for th

LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP. London, March 27.—At the Lincoln spring meeting yesterday, the Lincolnshire handicap of 1,000 sovereigns was won by Capt. E. C. Ball's Little Eva.

HORSE WORTH \$20,000. Louisville, Ky., March 27.—Garry Hermann, the favorite in the Kentucky and American Derbies, was sold yesterday by Charles Head Smith, of Chicago, to Capt. Sam S. Brown, of Pittsburg, for

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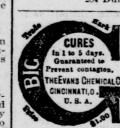
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cept on Monday, at 5:30 p.m. The Local Express will leave Montreal daily, except Sunday, at 7:40 a.m., due to arrive at Levis at 1:05 at 4:20 p.m., daily, except Sunday, due to arrive at Montreal at 10:00 p.m. Through sleeping and dining cars on the Maritime Express.

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Mr. Charles Stiltz, first concession, Caradoc, had a very large sow butchered by William J. Marsh on Wednesday, March 20, that dressed 653 pounds.

BRYANSTON. Bryanston, March 25.-The roads are

almost impassable now, as the sleighing Parties have been all the rage around, but are nearly over, as the spring is

Miss Florence Lyons is visiting Mrs. W. B. Wood at present. Rev. J. Noble has been on the sick list for the last few weeks. Mr. Joe. Whimp is now back to Bryan-

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Powell. daughter on March 17. Mr. and Mrs. McFails attended concert in the city on Friday night last

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Meteorological.

Toronto, March 26, 8 p.m.-Rain has allen heavily in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys and is now setting in over the Maritime Provinces. In the Northwest Territories and Manioba the weather has remained fine, and clearing and colder conditions are ow indicated for Ontario.

Minimum and maximum tempera-Victoria, 42-48; Kamloops, 36 tures: —50; Calgary, 22—40; Qu'Appelle, 8—26; Winnipeg, 6—28; Port Arthur, 14—28; Parry Sound, 36—42; Toronto, 38—43; Ottawa, 34—36; Montreal, 34—40; Quebec, 30—38; Halifax, 26—44. Local temperature-The highest and west readings of the thermometer at he observatory on Tuesday, March

6, were 56 and 36 above. Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at 6:09 a.m. and sets at 6:38 p.m. The moon rose at 10:35 a.m. and sets at

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This Day in London Thirty-Three Years Ago.

[From the Advertiser Files of March 27, 1868. The Strathroy Age has passed out of the hands of Mr. G. W. Ross and back to the management of its found-

er, Mr. Wm. F. Luxton. The London Brigade has received orders from Ottawa to hold itself in readiness for active service against

the Fenians. The 53rd Regiment was inspected this morning on the court house square.

The band of the 60th Rifles will play (weather permitting) in the barracks quare on Saturday. Wheat is selling on the market at

\$1 60 to \$1 65 a bushel. Hoop skirts, new, stylish and cheap, are selling retail at wholesale prices, eccording to an advertisement.

A LOCAL BUDGET.

Would you know the baby's skies? Baby's skies are mamma's eyes. Mamma's eyes and smile together Make the baby's pleasant weather. Mamma keep your eyes from tears, Keep your heart from foolish fears, your lips from dull complaining, the baby think 'tls raining.

—M. C. Bartlett, in St. Nicholas.

-Mrs. Pringle. Waterloo street, is isiting in Toronto. -Rev. Father Egan conducted ser-

ices at Alvinston on Sunday. -Mr. Chas. Lutton, of Bruce street, is removing to Belmont, to resume stock farming.

-Mr. I. N. Wheeler, of Shedden, is removing to London to engage in manufacturing.

-Prof. Eam Smith, the local hypnotist, will give an exhibition at Lambeth tomorrow night. -Dr. Tennant is in Toronto attending the examination of students for the

veterinary profession. -Stratford Beacon: The Misses Mansbridge, of London, are the guests of Mrs. Will Richards, St. Marys. -Chatham Planet: Mrs. Symington

of this city, lies at the point of death in the General Hospital, London, Ont, Mrs. Symington is suffering from cancer of the stomach.

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WE GIVE TRADING STAMPS 183 Dundas Street. ********

Munson, was down town yesterday for the first time in two weeks, owing to

-Stratford Beacon: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heriott, of King street east, London, spent Sunday with relatives in Stratford.

-Miss Jessie Nairn and Miss H. Martin, of Aylmer, and Mrs. Kerr, of California, are the guests of their niece, Mrs. E. Lowe, Simcoe street.

-Mr. Ed. Mann, of St. Thomas, on Monday attended the festivities in connection with the 82nd birthday of his mother, Mrs. Mann, South London. -Brantford Courier: Mr. W. H. Freeborn, of London, has arrived in the city to take charge of Allen's brickyard, and will reside on Elgin

-The total receipts at the anniversary services at St. James' Presbyterian Church on Sunday were \$563, which was \$163 more than the board of managers asked for.

-The breaking of the bonnet of the throttle valve on the engine at the Bennet Furnishing Company's factory caused the establishment to shut down yesterday afternoon.

-Winnipeg Tribune: Mr. A. S. Binns, buyer for R. J. Whitla & Co., Limited, left yesterday for Europe. Mrs. Binns accompanies her husband as far as London, Ont. -Rev. George Mackenzie, of Strat-ford, began a two weeks' series of

special services at the First Congregational Church last evening. Rev. Mr. Oakley, the pastor, is assisting. -Mr. Alex. McKellar, late storekeeper at the Penetanguishene Reforma toy, and a former resident of Lobo, has been appointed jailer at Sault Ste.

Marie, to succeed Mr. Dawson, who has resigned. gentleman to the conduct of a number of boys who congregate nightly at the corner of York and Maitland streets. and considerably annoy the residents in that locality.

-Miss Ruby Macleod, A. T. C. M., of of Ingersoll, graduate of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, and pupil of Mr. W. H. Hewlett, of this city, has been appointed organist of the Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Woodstock.

-A well attended meeting of the London Golf Club was held yesterday morning, when it was decided to carry on the club for the ensuing year. Those wishing to rejoin or to become new members are requested to send their names to Miss Bethune, 500 Dufferin

-Tuesday evening being the regular meeting night of the St. George's Literary Society, West London, a most enjoyable time was spent. Their paper, the St. George's Herald, one of the most interesting and original journals, was read by the editors, Miss H. Smith and Mr. J. Houghton. -Mr. W. H. Hewlett will give the

last of the series of organ recitals for never be discouraged. the season in Dundas Street Center Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon next. Mr. George Fox, the tal-ented young Canadian violinist, and Miss Beatrice McDonald, contralto, of this city, will be the assisting soloists.

-At the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women, all the reports of the affiliated societies were not submitted owing to lack of time. Another man, W. Burleigh; secretary, A. S. meeting will be held shortly, when all reports will be asked for and other business relative to the coming annual meeting in May will be transact

-Mr. David L. Hardey, of the East who has been connected with the McCormick Manufacturing Company for many years, will leave shortly for New York, where he has accepted a postion in a large establishment. Mr. Hardey was for some time a member of the Centennial Methodist Church choir, and took an active in terest in the affairs of the church.

-Lovers of etchings will find some pieces of unusual merit on exhibition in Colerick's window. They are the work of a rising young Toronto artist Mr. John Innes, and constitute a series entitled "The Education of The work is admirably Broncho." done and will appeal especially to ad-

-Mrs. J. Fulton Cummings left today for New York to rejoin her huswhence they taks steamer for England. Mr. Cummings has large business interests in the United States and in England, and he is at present superintending the construction of an electric railroad in London, England Mrs. Cummings will be accompanied to England by her mother, Mrs. Geo. Nixon, of Hyde Park, who will remain there for a few months on a visit.

-St. Thomas Times: The regular monthly meeting of the Society of Alma's Daughters was held Monday afternoon, March 5, in the reception room of Alma College. The constitu-tion and bylaws submitted by the committee, with a few changes, were Since the last meeting Mrs. Hiscott and Miss Webster, of London, and I am much stronger now, and can ride

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Rev. Father Doherty addressed a large gathering of men at St. Peter's as a brilliant speaker and close reasonon the subject of penance, covering the truths in Scripture, tradition and the fathers. The different parts of penance were explained in lucid manner The services will be continued each night this week.

WOOKEY-HOOPER. and Miss E. J. Hooper, eldest daughter of James Hooper, King's printer (for-

merly of this city), is announced to take place at the bride's home, 454 Mayfair avenue, on Tuesday, April 9, at 8 p.m. PLEASING CONCERT.

A pleasant time was provided for the inmates of the Home for Incurables last per register, and she uses it with exevening by the young people of the Hill Street Methodist Church, who kindly entertained them with a programme ing three of Abt's little German songs, and Simpson: solo, Mr. Parker: Scotch song, Miss Tagg; the Hill Street Male Quartet; autoharp and mouth organ selections. Mr. Bartleman. At the close, by request, Mr. Bartleman, Miss Long and the male quartet added a welcome him. His rendition of the

number each.

SUCCESS IN LIFE. A fair crowd attended the concert and lecture that was given last night at the Wellington Street Methodist able in their simplicity and sweetness. Church, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Mr. Phelps, Miss Fowler and diss Noble gave the musical numbers, and the lecture, upon the subject, "How D. Hamilton, was indeed interesting. To e successful, he said, we must have high ideals. We should find our own programme was: place, have self-knowledge and know to what we are best suited. We should cultivate judgment and learn to weigh Their things carefully. The substance of the one of remainder of his lecture was an injunction to keep your eyes open, paddle your own canoe, be independent, think for yourself, be masters of the situation, get married, get religion, and

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL. At a meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, held last night, Mr. J. R. Gray was elected to succeed Mr. Wm. Mc-Gerry, corresponding secretary, who Fantasie Caprice. has resigned. The Labor Day committee elected the following officers: Chair-Johnston: treasurer, Ed Hayden, and the Industrial Banner board elected Mr. Emery chairman, Mr. Burleigh treasur er, and J. R. Gray advertising agent and secretary of the board. The municipal committee was given power to support, to the best of their ability, the resolution before the council in favor of submitting the question of the extension of the L. and P. S. R. lease to the vote of the ratepayers. Communication

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Well. People who do not know how to select the right kind of food to sustain them become ill, and some sort of disease will

show forth. It is worth one's while to know of these facts. done and will appeal especially to admirers of the horse. Mr. Innes is a son of Dean Innes, of this city.

A young woman at Grindstone City, Mich., Mrs. A. P. Sage, began to run down while she was at school, She finally broke down completely and was taken seriously ill with a number of different troubles. The stomach trouble was the most serious one. Her heart also troubled her so she had to sit up other portion. At the trial counsel for

as high in bed as possible.
She says: "In the morning I would be so weak I could hardly move. I was kept on the simplest foods, principally After some months I seemed to get a little better, then I got worse, so that I finally was brought to the point of death from non-assimilation of

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I think what a help it was to become to

me. I became greatly interested when I read the description on the box, that the food was pre-digested and in the shape of grape-sugar. "I had been unable to digest anything starchy at all, but I began on Grape-Nuts, and it was so grateful to the taste, and soothed my stomach so well that I have been using it ever since,

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We were received from F. B. Leys, M.P.P.. and the Ontario Government re scrap iron assessment, stating that it was the intention of the government to adopt the report of the assessment commission, and abolish the scrap iron assessment this session. The council wants two more factory inspectors appointed for the western district, to be residents of London. The secretary of the council was instructed to see if rates could be obtained for running an excursion to the Pan-American Exposiexcursion to the Pan-American Exposi-tion at Buffalo.

COURT MAGNOLIA'S CONCERT.

The seventh annual supper and concert of Court Magnolia, No. 8,089, A. O. F., were given last night, and the large number of members and friends who were present were well pleased with the entertainment, of which the musical portion was as follows: Chairman's address, Bro. F. Rossiter; piano selection, Miss Edith Whitton; song (selected), Bro. S. M. Stewart; recitation, Bro. Mc-Nabb; mouth organ selection, Bro. C. Hawe; quartet, Messrs. Richie, Moyers, Smith, Burrill; aeolian quartet, bill of fare and soldiers' chorus; song, Miss Inwood; recitation, Miss Sophie Jacobson; song (comic), Bro. W. Smith; intermission; comic song, Mr. E. Lansdale; recitation, Miss Loftus, reading, Bro. A. Love Miss. tus; reading, Bro. A. Joyes; solo, Mr. Birr; song (comic), Bro. W. Smith; recitation, Bro. Geo. Wright; mouth organ selection, Mr. Slater; whistling solo, Mr. Ruse. The following com-

mittee were in charge of the arrange-ments: K. Gale, R. Whitton, C. Hall,

C. Bailey and J. Fleming. AT THE OPERA HOUSE. The Clara Mathes Company last night played "South Africa" at the London Opera House to an appreciative audience. The play is based on incidents of the present Boer war, and it received effective treatment at the upon that of Monday night. A company of about 30 soldiers from Wolseley Barracks took part in the prestage. The specialties during the bal-

MR. POCOCKE'S CONCERT.

A representative and critical audience last night enjoyed the concert The Winnipeg Telegram says: The given under the direction of Mr. marriage of Mr. Edward G. Wookey Roselle Pococke by Mr. J. D. A. Tripp, the concert pianist, of Toronto, and Miss Emily Heintzman, one of Toronto's sopranos, whose musical gifts are destined to win for herself a prominent place in the ranks of Canadian vocalists. Her voice is a beautiful soprano, especially effective in the upfirst three numbers placed her at once en rapport with her hearers, they beher encores in English, were greatly appreciated. Mr. Tripp's reputation as a pianist is national, and London's Schumann, Rubenstein and Moszkowski numbers was especially enjoyable. Mr. Pococke's abilities as a violinist are too well-known to need comment His encores were very enjoy-In playing "Annie Laurie," one of his strings broke, and Mr. Pococke's skill was admirably demonstrated by his rendition of the number on the three

Italian Concerto, 1st movement "In Thuringer Wald"
"Leibchens Reichtum" Concerto, 2nd and 3rd movements.... Mendelssohr 'Last Rose of Summer' Mr. Pococke. Mr. Tripp.
"Valse Legende"...
"When Love is Kind"...
Miss Heintzman. Mr. Pococke Barcarole in G minor. Concert Waltz.....
"A Dream of Love" Moszkowski Mr. Tripp.

LEGAL DECISIONS IN WESTERN CASES

One in the Supreme Court and the Other in the High Court of Ontario.

The first case taken up by the supreme court at Ottawa on Monday was that of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Co. vs. Scott, an appeal from the court of appeal for Ontario. The plaintiff respondent was a brakeman on the railway, and sues for damages for injuries received while on duty, caused, as he claims, by negligence of the other servants of the company in checking too suddenly the part of the train he was on when it was detached from the the railway applied for non-suit. The trial judge at first refused, stating that he thought no case was made out for plaintiff, but he did not think he should stop the case. However, on counse pressing for a ruling and undertaking all responsibility, a non-suit was or dered. The non-suit was set aside by the divisional court, whose judgment was affirmed by the court of appeal Judgment was reserved, the judges in timeting that they were agreed that the appeal should be dismissed, but would render formal judgment to that effect.
At Toronto on Monday, before Chief Justice Meredith and Falconbridge, the suit of Anderson vs. Anderson was reviewed. Judgment (H.) on appeal by plaintiffs, E. L. and D. W. from the judgment at the trial dismissing the action without costs as against the co-plaintiffs, and with costs against the appellants, who reside in Texas, U. S. A., and were not ready to proceed a bicycle and take long walks, and have gained very considerably in weight, all tings on December 4, 1960, at Stratford. Notice for trial had been given for No**POSITIVE PROOF**



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vember 19 by defendants, and on No-take stock in the company at par value vember 22 the plaintiffs, the adminis-to the amount of \$75,000 to \$125,000. They hands of the company, whose work was pronounced by those who had seen both performances to have greatly improved chambers directing the appellant to chambers directing the appellant to the amount of \$15,000 to \$125,000 to the capital have already over \$75,000 of the capital subscribed.

I have already over \$75,000 of the capital subscribed.

I have already over \$75,000 to \$125,000 to \$12 indemnify or give security to their co-plaintiffs, the administrators, against the costs of the action. Owing, it is sentation of the South African scenes of the action. Owing, it is government of the vicinity of alleged, to this order, and the sickness growing sugar beets in the vicinity of a material witness, the plaintiffs, London this year, providing about 40 of the play. Attractive specialties were given between the acts by Miss Emma Mathes, Frank M. Sawyer, Mr. George Olmi and Mr. George L. Castleberry. The clog dance turn of the latter is one of the best ever seen on a London stage. The specialties during the belong the play of a material witness, the plaintiffs, appellants, were not ready to proceed. Held, after a comparison of the narratives of what took place at the trial and before the master, that if the growing beets. The citizens of London intend giving farmers in the county of stage. The specialties during the belong the play of th judge had left to him the disposition of ance of the week will include illustrated the motion to postpone that he would 75 prizes, from \$1 to \$15, for the beets songs, for which some specially fine have potponed the trial. The court not that have the highest percentage of Cathedral last night and impressed all as a brilliant speaker and close reasonas a brilliant speaker and close reasonHonor" was given before a large autheir endeavors to get what they bedience. The bill for tonight is "Hazel kirke," one of the sweetest and most imposition of costs to be paid forthwith amount of sugar best seed they meet to be their rights, either by the limposition of costs to be paid forthwith amount of sugar best seed they meet to be the sugar best seed they meet to be the same to be seed they meet seed they meet to be the sugar best seed they meet to be the sugar best seed they meet to be sugar best seed to be sugar best seed they meet to be sugar best seed to be sugar heart-touching plays of the nineteenth or by increasing the amount of indem-century. Order made setting aside the judgment and granting a new trial-Costs of day and appeal to be in the beets as the twelve samples I had action to plaintiffs (administrators) and grown last year, that averaged over 14 to the defendant in any event. E. Sydney Smith, K. C., and J. O. Dromgole (London) for defendant.

GOOD PROFIT IN RAISING SUGAR BEETS

What Other Sections Have Done-The Best Paying Crop That a Farmer Can Culti-

rate-Interesting Figures. that included instrumentals by Miss Reed; recitations by Misses E. Long and Simpson; solo, Mr. Parker; Scotch numbers, in French and German, and Newmarket 31 farmers report as to the live type to the solon of the country. At Newmarket 31 farmers report as to the live type to the power of observation in the Newmarket, 31 farmers report as to the | tivate the power of observation in the cost of growing beets, the average being \$25 80 per acre; 36 farmers report as large numbr of our common wild birds, but mainly to enlist their interest in bemusical public will always be glad to to yield, the average being 33,850 pounds half of those birds especially useful to per acre, which, at \$4 per ton, would the farmer. The record shows the amount to \$67 70, leaving a profit of \$41 90 per acre, after paying all exon Jan. 31, 1900; on Feb. 17, 1899, and penses. A fair-sized factory should use | Feb. 15, 1898. The prairie lark, how-50,000 tons of beets a year; that would ever, appeared earlier than March 2 in give the farmers who supplied the beets

a net profit of \$125,500. to Make the Most of Life," by Rev. R. | accompanist was Miss Nelda Heintz- as to the yield per acre, the average befit of \$45 09 per acre, or a profit of \$123,-000 on 50,000 tons of sugar beets.

have formed a beet sugar joint stock capital of over \$250,000, and they are endeavoring to build a sugar factory this are concerned, the useful birds and year. The farmers in that county grow about 600 acres of sugar beets. A por tion of these were shipped to Michigan, and they claim that after paying freight and 80 cents a ton duty, the beets were their best paying crop. The secretary of the Wlarton beet sugar company writes me that about 15 tons per acre was a fair average crop, and that farmers should realize from \$30 to

\$60 an acre clear profit. Last year, 9,000 tons of sugar beets were raised on the Canadian side of the St. Clair River, and shipped to Marine City, Mich., and farmers say that after paying freight and duty, the beets paid better than any other crop they raised.

Wallaceburg citizens offer to give a troit and Cleveland lines are figuring site for a beet sugar factory free of cost, a cash bonus of \$25,000, and to next Monday, April 1.

I have doubts as to our citizens hav-

Middlesex over \$300, divided into about that have the highest percentage of sugar and purity. Those who intend to compete for prizes or grow beets un-I will supply it at 20 cents a pound. If we can establish the fact this year that we can grow as good a quality of sugar beets as the twelve samples I had per cent sugar and over 83 per cent of purity, no doubt but a beet sugar factory costing over \$500,000 will be erected in the city of London next year.

H. C. GREEN. London, March 27, 1901.

Coming of the Birds.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: During the last four years we have been keeping a record of the first appearance of the spring birds, having the record hung up in our schoolroom The Ontario Government has been where we can consult it at any time. This work has been done with the asboys, to give them a knowledge of a most localities this year. Next come very close together the robin, songsparrow, and the bluebird, on March 17: At Aylmer, 28 farmers report as to on March 23, in 1900; on March 11, 1899; rendition of the number on the three cost per acre for growing beets, the average being \$28 35 per acre; 45 report is the bronze grackle, the killdeer ploaccompanist was Miss Nelda Heintz-man, and Mr. Fred Evans acted in the same capacity for Mr. Pococke. The would be \$73 44 per acre, leaving a pro-li, in 1899, and March 9, in 1898. Hawks, red-shouldered blackbirds and canaries come in short order, followed closely The town of Wiarton, in the county by the phoebe, which appeared this of Bruce, and farmers in that vicinity, year on March 23. We have a list of about fifty birds, most of which are company, and now have a subscribed now pretty well known by the boys. It is safe to say that so far as our boys

> their nests are pretty safe. Yours truly, JOHN C. ROBSON. Byron, March 25, 1901.

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THIN ICE. Detroit, Mich., March 26 .- Lake St Clair is still covered with ice, but it is liable to break away at any time. The river has been free from ice almost every day this week. The De-



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across the floor. I tried two doctors MRS. JAS. MACKMULLEN, Norwich, but found little or no relief, but after Ont., writes: "I was terribly troubled using BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS I was

"My face was covered with pimples, and I was so weak I could not walk

Jan. 28, 190 May 30, 1900.

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