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LONDON, CANADA, MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1901.

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IRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

MARRIED.

SMITH-ELLIS-On Jan. 2, 1901, at Glenrowen, the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. Quance, of Siloam, Frederick A. Smith to Della R., daughter of W. Ellis, all of London township.

DIED.

MACDONALD-At Lakefield, Ont., on Saturday, Jan. 12, 1901, D. C. Macdonald, aged 65 years.

Funeral, private, from his son's residence, 316 Wharncliffe road, West London, Monday, Jan. 14, at 2:30 p.m., to Woodland Cemetery. SAMPEY-On Jan. 14, at his late resi-

dence, 128 Albert street, Geo. E. Sampey, aged 54 years and 7 months. The funeral will take place to Wood-land Cemetery, on Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m; services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

EDWARDS-On Saturday evening, Jan. 12, 1901, Sarah Crandell, beloved wife of Harry Edwards, J.P., aged 83 years. Funeral will leave family residence, corner Egerton and Muir streets, on Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 1 p.m. and proceed to Egerton Street Baptist Mission for service, thence to Baptist Church Cemetery at Nilestown for interment. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

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GRAND CONCERT IN ST. GEORGE'S school house, West London, on Monday, Jan. 14, latest war views, moving pictures, and illustrated songs; also J. Birmingham and J. O'Neil. Children, 15c; adults, 25c. 66u

TUNISIAN ARRIVED HALIFAX 3 yesterday afternoon; detained 33 hours off Halifax in, snow storm; leaves Port-land Saturday, Jan. 19, for Liverpool. Montreal, Jan. 14. Wire to F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Adver-

ATLANTIC TRANSPORT LINE-DI-RECT ships New York to London, Eng-land; saloon rate, New York to Lon-don, England, \$40 upwards, according to vessel and berth. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. zxv

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SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICES every night this week at Dundas Cen-ter Church, commencing at 8 o'clock. Special singing. Bright services. All are invited.

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WANTED-A GENERAL SERVANT-Apply to Mrs. W. F. Greene, 123 Wort-ley road. 67c

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WANTED-50 GENERAL GIRLS AND cooks for London, St. Thomas and Woodstock; big wages. Mrs. Lockhart's Employment Office, European Hotel. Dundas street. 'Phone 964.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE.

prunes his trees. He needs, to do it conveniently, a Waggoner Extension Ladder or a Lindenwood Extension Step-Ladder. Write for catalogue (free), or call at factory, 405-409 York street. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, London, Ont.

SALE - CHEAP, SIX-HORSE-POWER engine; 10-horse-power boiler Apply 352 Wellington street. 57n-xvz

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REOPENING OF PEEL'S TECHNICAL School or Art on Monday evening, Jan. 14, at studio, 494-495 Richmond street. Tuition in all branches of mechanical and art drawing, with modeling and lettering. John R. Peel, graduate of the Government School of Art. 63n

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TO LET-THE CENTRAL RESTAU-RANT-Nos. 4 and 5, north side Mar-ket Square; possession Feb. 1. Inquire Cronyn & Betts, Huron and Erie Build-ing, 442 Richmond street. 66n

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CHINESE ENVOY TO GERMANY.

Prince Chun's Appointment Gives Satisfaction.

Viceroys of Southern Provinces Are Paying Indomnities for Mission Property Destroyed.

Pekin, Jan. 13.—Prince Chun, brother man legation today. His appointment | ments must be our watchword." as Chinese envoy to Germany to make. apologies for the murder of Baron Von phase ends and the bandit phase be-Ketteler has been approved. It is pro- gins." bable that Prince Su will accompany

PAYING INDEMNITIES.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 14.—The Chinese viceroys of the southern provinces are paying American, English and French indemnities for destroyed mission property. The French have received \$275,-000 for the burning of Catholic missions in the Canto prefecture. claims are being paid with money raised by special assessments on rich gen-try and by the leasing of gambling monopolies Captain Chou, who participated in the Chu Chou massacres, has been sen-

tenced to death. SIGNED THE NOTE. Pekin, Sunday, Jan. 13.-The joint note of the powers has finally been signed by the Chinese peace commissioners. Prince Ching signed yesterday and Li Hung Chang, who is better, signed it today.

FLAT DENIALS. The foreign office declares that the report of the cession of the new Chawn Shan Hai Kuan railroad to Russia by Lord Salisbury is unfounded. It points out that Great Britain has no power to cede it, as the railroad is Chinese property. Moreover, it is stipulated that it shall not be Moreover, mortgaged to any foreign government or company. There have been reports that Russian agents are endeavoring to buy out the British interests, but the British government is not connected therewith. Representations great of have been made to Russia in behalf of the English bondholders, as the action alties. of Russian officials is considered to have exceeded the military requirements, and the question of compensation will come up when the line is restored to its owners. A convention on this subject is now under discus-

M. De Giers, the Russian minister to China, denies the current report that Russia is endeavoring to make a special agreement with China irrespective of other powers. I do not believe that Russia has any intention of keeping Manchuria.

The Russians say they will formally turn over the railroad to the Germans immediately. M. De Giers objects to the British attitude in refusing to permit the Rus-

sians to distribute rice and wheat to destitute Chinese in the British sec-CALL TO MISSIONARIES.

New York, Jan. 12. - Robert E. Speer, one of the secretaries of the Presbyterian board of foreign mis-sions, received a cablegram today from the Rev. George F. Fitch, who is at Shanghai. The message consisted simply of the code word "Forward," which, being interpreted, means that all missionaries destined for work in the Central China Presby-terian mission, should start for China at once. This includes both missionaries home on furlough and also some who go to a foreign land for the first time.

A THOUSAND BOXERS KILLED. A French force is reported to have defeated a body of Boxers west of Pao Ting Fu, killing a thousand. TARGET PRACTICE.

Shanghai, Jan. 13. — The Italian consul at Shanghai, in explaining the presence of Italian warships at San-Mun Bay, says they went there for target practice. It is again reported here that the allies are preparing to enter the Province of Shan Si.

THE INVADERS BEATEN BACK! Their Hair

British Subject Who Acted as Peace Commissioner Flogged and Shot.

Absurd Estimate of the Boers' Strength--- Excellent Work of Howard's Scouts---Canadians Chased Boers Five Miles, Taking Prisoners.

London, Jan. 14.-The war office has | Presidest Kruger is seriously ill and received this dispatch from Lord

"Pretoria, Sunday, Jan. 13.-About 1.400 Boers crossed the line, attacking both Zurfontein and Kaalifontein stations, but were driven off. They are being pursued by a cavalry brigade." Lord Kitchener reports also several skirmishes at different points, with

trifling British losses, and adds: "Three agents of the peace commissioners were taken as prisoners to Dewet's laager, near Lindley, Jan. 10. One who was a British subject, was flogged, and then shot. The other two burghers were flogged by Dewet's or-

STRONG INDIGNATION EX-

PRESSED. The brief report of the fate of the three members of the peace commit-tee who were sent to see Gen. Dewet excites the deepest indignation on all sides. Some papers express the hope that Lord Kitchener has been misled by false Kaffir reports, but it is generally felt that he would not have reported the matter to the war office without undoubted evidence. The Daily Mail heads the report with the word "Murder," and declaims

against any further attempt to coax the enemy into submission. has placed himself outside the pale of humanity," says the Daily Mail, "and of the emperor, paid a visit to the Ger- not proclamations, but large reinforce-

> All the papers appeal strongly to the government to hurry forward reinforcements, since it is evident that the Boer leaders have now become

desperate, and attempts at conciliation are useless.

THE BOER ATTACKS. Details of the attacks upon Kaal-fontein and Zurfontein stations show that there were only small garrisons of about 130 men at each station. The British had excellent trenches, which enabled them to withstand the attacks until the Boers, having ascertained that reinforcements were com-

ing to the garrison, reired. At Zurfontein a party of Boers in khaki succeeded in capturing a British patrol of eight men, whom they subsequently liberated.

A Pretoria dispatch, dated Saturday, Jan. 12, says: "Last night the Boers cut the wires between Irene and Olifantsfontein stations. Early this morning 800 Boers under Commandant Beyer, invested Kaalfontein station. A hot rifle fire and shell fire with two field pieces and a Maxim was mainained for six hours. An armored train and reinforcements were sent from Pretoria, but before they had arrival on the scene the garrison had driven off the Boers, who retired with a transport train half a mile long. The Boers blew up the line half a mile beyoud Kaalfontein, compelling the mail train to return here. It is supposed their object was to obtain supplies, a great quantity of which are stored at Kaalfontein. The British had no casu-

DARING RAIDERS.

Pretoria, Jan. 12.—The Boers have been making some daring raids in attempts to seize cattle near the British outposts along the eastern line. Gens. Babington and Gordon are having skirmishes daily with the Boers south of the Magaliesburg. These are believed to number about 1,000.

Commander-in-Chief. Botha is reported to be organizing a series of attacks in the east, at which those at Belfast and other places on Monday night and Tuesday morning were the

THE BOERS' STRENGTH. Veteran officers who have followed the war closely, laugh at the absurd estimates of the strength of the Boers still in the field, 8.000 with Botha, 4.000 with Delarey, 3.000 with Dewet, 5.000 in Gridualand, 5.000 in Cape Colony. and 5,000 scattered here and there. As there are 17,000 Boer prisoners and at least 8,000 and possibly 10.000 have died from wounds and disease, these estimates make up an aggregate which is utterly irreconcilable with the

census. EXCELLENT WORK OF CAN-ADIANS.

London, Jan. 13.-A special dispatch from Pretoria, Dated Jan. 11, and describing the fight of Jan. 9, near Commando Nek, dwells upon the excellent work of Howard's Scouts, a new corps composed of Canadians who remained in South Africa and re-enlisted. scouts chased the retreating Boers distance of five miles, harlassing their rear and taking some prisoners. of Delarey's horses with wallets con-

in great danger. He had practically

recovered from his illness Jan. 9, when

his physicians ceased issuing bulletins regarding hi health. London Daily Mailetaoin etaoin m m The Pretoria correspondent of the London Daily Mail announces the return to Pretoria of Mr. Pretorius, a former president of the late South African Republic, from a futile endeavor to pursuade the Boer leaders

to surrender. The Chamber of Mines, at Cape Town, has finally arranged with the military authorities for the formation of a guard for the protection of the mines. A thousand men will shortly leave the coast towns for Johannes-burg for this purpose. Fifteen men

will be detailed to each mine. Sir Alfred Milner writes to a correspondent in England: "It would be useless for me to notice the wholesale lies that are spread about concerning me. If I attempted to do so I would have no time for anything else." BOER HOPES.

London, Jan. 4.—The Daily Telegraph publishes a three-column dispatch from its correspondent at Brussels, giving a coonversation with Dr. Leyds and Mr. Abram Fischer The general purport of the statement of the Boer representatives is that "Great Britain is still under false impressions concerning the war, as she always has been," and that "the Boers are fully resolved to continue the struggle and are as hopeful now as they were a year ago of preserving their independence."

Home-Coming Canadians.

WARMLY WELCOMED. Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 14.-The town ham on Sunday. was aroused to a state of enthusiasm again Saturday night upon the arrival of Trooper Thomson from South Af-

rica. He was met at the C. P. R. station by a large crowd of citizens. From there he was conveyed to the town hall, where an address and a gold watch was presented to him by the mayor. The hall was packed to the doors and the enthusiasm was intense Trooper George Thomson participated in over 40 engagements, and was con-

sidered one of the best men of the

regiment. SERGT. COLTER. Sergt. Chas. Colter, who returned to his home in Petrolia Saturday, got a tremendous reception. The train on which he arrived was met by upwards of 2,000 people. Sergt. Colter was carried through the town to his residence, headed by the brass band. The Petrolia Cadets and carriages followed. The town was gaily decorated. Sergt. Colter was presented with an address and a solid gold watch and chain.

AT PARIS. E. Hume and A. Flannigan, members of the second contingent, were given a grand reception. They were met at the station by the mayor and council, the Paris band and an immense crowd of people, who with flags and other decorations, escorted them to their homes. At night a torch-light procession, with fireworks, paraded in honor of the event. The men will be sented with gold watches.

AT WINDSOR. Trooper Edward Allen, of Windsor, and the Kingsville soldiers from the South African war did not arrive in Windsor in time for the thanksgiving service at St. Andrew's Church. Allen stopped over in Toronto for the reception to the returning soldiers, and will arrive in Windsor today (Monday). The Essex Fusiliers will turn out to receive him and the Kingsville boys who accompany him. Alten writes his father, Customs Collector Allen, that he has traveled over 3,000 miles on

horseback during his absence. participated in all the battles under Lord Roberts. AT HAMILTON.

About twenty-five of the Hamilton artillerymen who went to South Africa arrived home Saturday afternoon, and were right royally received by fellow-citizens. Thousands gathered on and around the platform, and the cheering was deafening. The warriors were met by the Fourth Field Battery, 13th Battalion and band, and were escorted to sleighs. A procession was formed, which marched to the drill hall. Here Mayor Teetzel, mayor-elect; Major Hendrie, Major McLaren and others made brief addresses of welcome. In the evening the returned artillerymen were banqueted, and later on will be presented with gold watches, suitably inscribed. Among the Hamilton men who failed to return were James Porteous, who lost one of his feet, and was invalided to England; W. H. Hammil, invalided to England; John Mc-Nab, enteric fever, in Pretoria hospital: E. Hudson, fever, Pretoria hospital; A. Goodbrand, fever, Pretoria hospital; Corp. Anderson, killed, and W. E. Mc-Donald, who joined the South African Scouts.

BRANTFORD'S SEVEN. of Delarey's horses with wallets containing the commandant's papers strapped to his back, and 500 cattle were also captured.

NOT CONFIRMED.

London, Jan. 12.—Nothing is known here to confirm the Paris report, published in the United States, that exme and escort addresses of

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welcome were delivered by Mayor Cock-shutt, Mayor-elect D. B. Wood and other prominent citizens, after which the boys were escorted to their respective homes.

GUNNER GRIFFIN. At Kemptville hundreds of enthusiastic citizens assembled at the depot to welcome home Gunner T. N. Griffin. Reeve Ferguson read an address of welcome, the band played "Home, Sweet Home," and the warmest of handshakes were extended the returned soldier.

EIGHTEEN AT ST. KITTS. EIGHTEEN AT ST. KITTS.

Eighteen of the South African heroes arrived home on Saturday and were given an enthusiatic reception. Lieut.-Col. Gregory, of the Second Dragoons, met them at Toronto, and escorted them home. Their names are McGustar, Hallett, Van, Every, Clendenning, Loosemore, McCall, Harper, O'Neill, Green, Martin, Edwards, Gare, St. Catharines; Bennett, Chippewa; Baldwin, Oakland; England, Stamford, Taylor, Guelph; Palmer, Speck, Niagara Falls and Greenfield.

PRIVATE SEMPLE.

PRIVATE SEMPLE.

A monster procession took place and Tottenham to celebrate the return of Pte. W. C. Semple, of the second Canadian contingent. The town was gaily decorated, and a procession of 50 teams, including a handsome four-in-hand, in which the hero was placed, drove to his home and then back to the square, where he was presented with a magnificent gold watch and a purse, in all over \$300. The town went wild. A patriotic concert in the evening was largely attended.

News at a Glance.

Mr. John Bowes' store and dwelling and Weaver Bros.', store, at Elora, were destroyed by fire Friday. Miss Georgie Jamieson, M. A.,

Napanee, has been appointed assistant

tutor in languages in Queen's College, The Lord's Day Alliance has sucprosecuted two vendor who sold Detroit Sunday papers in Chat-

chain to Corporal Robert Watson, of the first contingent, took place recently at Port Dalhousie. Toronto's total fire loss last year was \$184,384, with insurance of \$994,985. The department kept within its appropri-

The presentation of a gold watch and

ation of \$190,193, and has a surplus of \$4,218. The outbuildings of James Barret, undertaker and furniture dealer, Vankleek Hill, were burned Friday night with all the contents. A valuable hearse was destroyed, with baby car-riages and a large stock of furniture

and coffins. Loss estimated at \$4,000

MURDERER ELECTROCUTED. New York, Jan. 14.—Wm. Neufeld was electrocuted at Sing Sing Prison today He murdered his mother's cousin, Mrs. Annie Kromman, in her apartments, at 266 West 35th street, this city, on Aug. 7, 1899. His execution occurred at 6:01 7, 1899. His execut a.m. this morning.

GRAND TRUNK WESTERN OFFIC. ERS. Detroit, Mich., Jan. 14.—The Grand Trunk Western Railway, elected George B. Reeve, general manager of the system; Arthur Dixon, Chicago; Deforest Skinner, Valparaiso, Ind., A. Wright, Alma, Mich., and W. J. Spicer, of Detroit, directors of the new corporation, to succeed the Chicago and Grand Trunk, in the management of the Grand Trunk lines west of the river.

lines west of the river. THE RUSH TO NEW ONTARIO. Toronto, Jan. 14.—From applications received by the director of colonization, it is evident that a considerable settlement will take place in the region of Lake Temiskaming and other parts of Nipissing during the coming spring. The number of letters and applications received by Mr. Southworth is increasing all the time, and has quadrupled in the last twelve months, and doubled within

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

four months.

Jan. 12-13.	Reported at.	From
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LOOKING OVER THE OLD WORLD

Cabled Comment on Current Topics---Complete Bewilderment Regarding South Africa---But Britishers Have Not Lost Their Grit--- Work Cut Out for the Cabinet --- The Chinese Problem --- Brilliant Affair at Chatsworth.

bilitating season, is followed this bilitating season, is followed this is provisioned for a long period and morning by one of the densest and isolated. Other important posts are blackest fogs ever known in London. garrisoned in a similar way, and the From Westminster Bridge there is only the blackness of night, and in the streets there is neither color nor poetry in the fog, and naught but stern, dismal prose. All the street lamps trees walking. This fog, which is as dense indoors as without, and as depressing as a wet blanket wrapped tightly around London, symbolizes English ignorance of what is going on.

COMPLETE BEWILDERMENT. is this bewilderment that men have reported by Mr. Brodrick. lost their courage and nerve, and are well nigh persuaded that an army of over 200,000 veterans, in complete possession of the two Dutch states, has been held up by scattered bands of raiders, and that Cape Town is protected only by the guns of the fleet from capture by Hertzog with seven hundred followers and a pair of Max-ims. There is no clearness of vision or sense of proportion, or sobriety of

HAVE NOT LOST THEIR GRIT. The situation in South Africa is a mystery of great darkness, and the outcries of timoreus journals for the dispatch of 30,000 reinforcements and the warnings of pro-Boer sympathiz-ers that peace must be made while there is time, are like the excited the warnings of pro-Boer sympathiz-through which the continental must through which the continental must trun to the open ports, and if Germany there is time, are like the excited also increases her holdings on the shricks of the wagoners and cab drivers in today's fog. The public is prone to over-estimate the dangers of the situation in Cape Colony, where Hertzog and this desperadoes in reality are pushing south at a safe distance from the British lines, with something of the swaggering air of Falstaff and his followers. The British have not lost their grit, but are determined that the war shall end in the complete subjugation of the Boers. The weary, homesick soldiers in the Transvaal have repulsed every attack with their old-time vigilance and valor, and the English people depressed as they may be lish people, depressed as they may be at times, have the same inflexible temper. The white man's burden is not yet too heavy to be borne.

UNFOUNDED ALARM. The meagre dispatches received from South Africa show that the Lindley affair was confined to Lord Roberts' bodyguard and tend to strengthen the conclusion that the current feeling of alarm is not well founded. The strategy of the guerillas is not followed easily; but it has apparently failed in

two points. The main lines of British communication have not been broken by the series of sympathetic and well planned night attacks, and the invasion of Cape Colony has not been followed by a rebellion of the Cape Dutch, whose sympathies are now divided between the Boers and their own pockets. OUT.

Gen. Kitchener, by establishing laagers when the unarmed Boers can be adequately protected, and by concentrating the British forces on the lines of communication after clearing the intervening spaces of horses and cattle, foodstuffs and arms, has forced the commandos to alter their tactics and take the offensive against fortified ! posts in the Transvaal. He is also releasing his mounted force for continuous service against Dewet, Delarey and Botha. He has not allowed his general plan of campaign to be thrown into disorder by the small parties of raiders moving southward into the disaffected districts of Clan William and Piquetburg, and while was transformed into a veritable grotto the danger of insurrection is not yet of beauty. Miss Muriel Wilson was averted the loyalists of Cape Colony seem fully prepared to defend them-selves against insignificant forces. DESERVES CREDIT.

Gen. Kitchener deserves credit for adhering tenaciously to his own scheme of operations and in allowing the districts in the south to take care of themselves, just as Lord Roberts, in advancing to Pretoria, was indifferent to what was going on on his eastern flank. Military men assert that the lines of communication have been shortened, and that many posts have been supplied with provisions for six home. She performed the duties with months and released from dependence particular grace and was dressed in upon the railway and convoys. Koom- white and gold gauze. The Countess

London, Jan. 13.—The single week of wintry weather, after a mild and de-wintry weather, after a mild and de-such as Machadodorp and Belfast, but line sof communication are compactly arranged.

FRIDAY'S CABINET MEETING. The cabinet meeting next Friday will be the first sign of revival of the sense of ministerial responsibility since are lighted. Wagoners lead their the adjournment of parliament. Lord horses, hansoms and omnibuses crawl Salisbury, Mr. Chamberlain, Lord foot by foot, and men are seen as the midwinter holidays in the country, and while their secretaries are with them to answer letters little work is done. Several questions will come up at the cabinet meeting. Lord Kitchener's demand for a 20,000 additional After fifteen months of arduous and mounted force will be brought up vearisome campaigning so complete afresh, with Elari Roberts' advice as

> Lord Lansdowne will have the last hitches in the Chinese tangle to unravel, and the text of the United States Senate amendments to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty to submit to the judgment of his colleagues. It is not likely that he will refer to the Duke of Norfolk's attack upon the Italian' monarchy and nation, as it was simply an evidence of the individual loyalty to the Vatican of the powerful nobleman, who has been a minister of the

THE CHINA SETTLEMENT. which is satisfactory in Berlin, will be sanctioned by the foreign office, If Russia persists in holding territories mainland, England will acquiesce. Already Americans are rated by the weekly journals for their simplicity in supposing that Russia would stand by professions which were at variance with her ambitious and settled poli-cies. The fate of the canal treaty still hangs in the balance. There is a hopeful feeling at the American em-

German political circles opine that the Chinese problem is still a long way off from a definite solution, as the question of damages will occupy much time in Pekin. Nobody at Berlin be-lieves that Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee or the German troops will be withdrawn by March. The opinion ruther inclines to another year elapsing before that happens, although it is well-known that Russia strongly desires Von Waldersee's retirement and that of the German troops. An official of the German foreign office states that those who are thoroughly acquainted with the Chinese hold that while they are most crafty, still when the note is signed they will consider themselves bound. The foreign office also hopefully considers the dowthe Boers and their own pockets. ager empress' case, remembering that KITCHENER'S PLANS WORKING she showed Prince Henry of Prussia unusual courtesies. It believes that while the downger empress is still more or less under anti-foreign influences. she will eventually change her attitude

> court, probably at the end of March or the beginning of April. BRILLIANT AFFAIR AT CHATS-

> and return to Pekin with the whole

WORTH. The visit of the Prince of Wales to the Duke and Duchess of Deconshire at chatsworth was one of the most briliant affairs of the kind ever known Earls and countesses and other mem bers of the nobility elbowed each other in the spacious halls. The women were magnificently dressed, wearing their family diamonds. The private was transformed into a veritable grotto generally conceded to be the handsomest of the performers, who, with the taste so often curiously noticed in English amateurs, elected to play "The Pantomime Rehearsal," a burlesque of the shortcomings of amateurs them-

ASTOR'S BIG PARTY.

William Waldorf Astor entertained a big party at Cliveden Thursday. A few Americans were invited, and no very great ladies were present. This is the first time Miss Astor has taken up the position of mistress of her father's home. She performed the duties with

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conducive to constipation and itching piles. More clergymen have indorsed Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and Ointment than probably any remedies on the market. The following extracts are from letters of leading ministers of the Gospel, who speak for the benefit of fellow-sufferers. For more particulars regarding these surprising cures write to these parties. They will gladly make known to you the

virtues of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Rev. S. A. Duprau, Methodist minister, Consecon, Ont., writes: "Dr. Chase's Ointment saved me from a very dangerous and painful operation, and thoroughly cured me of a very severe and aggravated form of itching. bleeding piles. The large lumps and abscesses have entirely disappeared." pill a dose, 25 cents a box. Dr. Rev. J. J. Johnston, evangelist, Wi-Chase's Cintment, 60 cents a box, at arton, Ont., writes: "I believe Dr. all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & arton, Ont., writes: "I believe Dr. all dealers, Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to be an Co., Toronto.

The daily habits of ministers are | A1 preparation for constipation and liver troubles. I speak from experi-

> Rev. J. A. Baldwin, Baptist minister, Arkona, Ont., writes: "For over twenty years I was a great sufferer from itching, protruding piles. I underwent three very painful surgical operations, all without obtaining any permanent relief. Dr. Chase's Oint-ment has cured me, and I believe it will cure any case of piles."

Rev. Chas. Fish, 192 Dunn avenue, Toronto, states that Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him of eczema on the head and hands, from which he had been a great sufferer for ten years, and from which even specialists on skin diseases could give him no re-

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates &

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He says: "The patient was a man who had suffered to my knowledge, for years with dyspepsia. Everything he ate seemed to sour and create gases in the stomach. He had pains like rheu-matism in the back, shoulder blades and limbs, fullness and distress after eating, poor appetite and loss of flesh; the heart became affected, causing palpitation and sleeplessness at night

"I gave him powerful nerve tonics, and blood remedies, but to no purpose. As an experiment, I finally bought a 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at a drug store, and gave them to him. Almost immediate relief was given, and after he had used four boxes be well as the land used four boxes. he was to all appearances fully cured. "There was no more acidity or sour, watery risings, no bloating after meals the appetite was vigorous and he had gained between 10 and 12 pounds in

weight of solid healthy flesh. 'Although Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are advertised and sold in drug stores, yet I consider them a most valuof remedies, as they are perfectly harm-less and can be given to children or invalids or in any condition of the stomach, with perfect safety, being harmless

"Without any question they are the safest, most effective cure for indigestion, biliousness, constipation and all derangements of the stomach, however

and containing nothing but fruit and

vegetable essences, pure pepsin and

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of Arran, resplendent in black velvet and diamonds, chaperoned her pretty young daughter, Miss Stopford, who was dressed in pink, and Miss Ruby Spencer Churchill, daughter of Lord Edward Churchill, the Duke of Marlborough's uncle.

ARISTOCRATIC SWIMMERS. Aristocratic swimming circles in England are suffering from a sensation and a grievance. Ladies have taken up this form of sport keenly, and championships for women are being instituted all over the country. An amateur swimming association has caused a thunderclap by sending out the announcement that in future female competitors will only be allowed to wear black or dark blue costumes. The reasons given are the danger to the skin from the shades of red which are so popular. But the action was really prompted by several of the fashionable swimmers appearing in such light shades of pink that the spec-tators were startled out of all interest in the contest.

DEATH'S DOINGS. There died in London this week, in poverty, a character once well known in New York, London and Paris, Henry A. De Lille, who married Olive Logan years ago. He was connected with several New York newspapers. While in London he greatly aided in a confidential capacity Napoleon III. One of his sons was formerly consul at Sheffield, and he was made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor by Na-poleon. Poverty and illness made his Poverty and illness made his closing days tragic.

Another death this week was that of James Defoe, the last male descendant of the author of "Robinson Crusoe." He was 82 years old and a pauper.

THE FOG IN LONDON IS COSTLY

Expense in One Day as Much as \$500,000.

Prussian Diet Asked to Appropriate 389,000,000 Marks for a Canal-Cause of the Russie Wreck-A Happy King.

A DEAR DITCH.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—The canal bill has been introduced in the Prussian Diet. The sum required for carrying out the project explained by Count Von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, a few days ago is 389,000,000 marks.

LONDON'S COSTLY FOGS. London, Jan. 14.-It is estimated that the dense pall of smoke and fog, such as overhung London today, costs the city from \$250,000 to \$500,000 daily in the matter of bills for gas and electricity. The embargo on railway traffic and other expenses makes up a

GIVING A CHILD LIQUOR. London, Jan. 14.—A new point in cruelty has been raised in a test case before the Wolverhampton magis-A laborer was charged with "ill-treating a five-year-old child by giving him intoxicating liquor." He had given the child drinks in two publie houses. He was sentenced to a month's imprisonment.

A HAPPY KING. Nisch, Servia, Jan. 14.-The National Assembly was opened Saturday by King Alexander. In the speech from the throne his majesty declared his marriage has set the seal on his life's happiness. He emphasized the split with his father, the former King Milan, saying Milan had left the country for ever, therefore he hoped for better service from the present ministry than

HOSPITAL SHIP MAINE'S LAST TRIP.

London, Jan. 14.-The Hospital ship Maine is due at Southampton from Ohina with 280 sick and wounded sol-



THE WEATHER TODAY-Cloudy; milder.

This STORE CLOSES at 7 p.m. Saturdays. Endeaver to make your purchases before that hour.

Nicest Jackets at Lowest Prices.

The cold weather came late, but it is here. Because it came late we find a number of our coziest garments unsold. They should have gone out before this, and would have if the weather had not stood in their way. But what's the use of repining? It's for you to step up and thank the weather, for all of these Jackets have been placed out at bargain prices. The nicest Jackets you have seen at the lowest prices you have heard. If you are well supplied we are sorry that you must let this chance pass-but tell your friends about it. In the lot are \$3.25 Jackets at \$2.25; \$5.00 Jackets at \$3.50; \$6.50 Jackets at \$4.25; \$7.75 Jackets for \$4.50; \$12.50 Jackets for \$6.75; \$18.00 Jackets for \$9.00. You see there isn't any profit in them for us. You couldn't buy them cheaper if you went to Germany and bought a hundred.

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Regular 85c Check goods, in blue and white, black and white, gray and white, and green and white, elegant

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Cozy Bed Covering, Cheap

Feed a cold they say. If every bed in the land had proper coverings the occupants would not have so many colds to feed. It's a well-known fact that many colds are contracted right in bed, not out in the yard. Here are some that you should have at prices you can afford.

Special All-Wool Unshrinkable Blankets, 5 to 9 pounds in weight, fast colored borders. Prices Special Union Blankets, extra large size, 66x86, big enough to hang over or tack in. Very

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\$5 00, \$6 00 and \$6 75

Size 6x6, extra large and very choice, at......\$8 50

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

diers on board. This is probably the last voyage she will make under the auspices of the American Women's Committee

THE HOLY DOOR CLOSED.

Rome, Jan. 14.-The pope's majordomo, accompanied by the pontifical dignitaries, performed Saturday the ceremony of closing the Holy Door. A casket containing medals bearing the portrait of the pope was placed neath the door, together with many souvenirs sent by individuals and Catholic societies.

CAUSE OF THE RUSSIE WRECK. Marseilles, Jan. 14.—Capt. Jouve, of the wrecked steamer Russie, confirms the statement that the grounding of his vessel was due to confusing the Faraman and Clamier lights. The Clamier light gives three white flashes separated by red. The Faraman light gives two white flashes during storms. The Faraman light uses oil instead of electricity. The oil makes a light which looks like red in a fog.

In connection with the wreck of the Russie, questions will be asked in the chambers regarding the insufficiency of the French life-saving apparatus. Subscriptions have been opened for The first subscription

the benefit of the fishermen who rescued the passengers and crew of the reached 11,000 francs. It is also pro-

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The Dominion Savings and Investment Society beg to announce that they have removed to their former offices in the Temple Building, northwest corner of King NATHANIEL MILLS, and Richmond streets.

London, Jan. 12, 1901.

Manager.

posed that they should receive the de-coraton of the Legion of Honor. Several passengers have made complaints as to the conduct of the crew of the Russie. The Marseilles correspondent of the Echo de Paris says there were revolting scenes and riotous orgies while the ship was in peril. The officers had to threaten to use their revolvers on some of the sailors before they would olbey orders.

SWALLOWED HIS TEETH

And Did Not Know It Till He Was Examined by a Doctor.

Corry, Pa., Jan. 14.-Supposed to be dying from laryngitis, doctors removed false teeth from the throat of Andrew Burlingame, aged about 63 years, and they now expect him to live. About a week ago Burlingame be-came ill, and rapidly become worse, and no hopes were held out for his recovery. During the first day of his sickness the old man remarked that his false teeth, the upper set, were gone, and he must have left them in the barn. Search was made, but no trace of the teeth could be found.

Today Burlingame said that he felt a lump in his throat, and felt certain that his teeth were there. To humor him physicians were summoned, and an examination made, and there lay the teeth lodged firmly in his throat When the teeth were removed he at once felt better. It is the first case ever heard of where any one survived a week with false teeth in the throat.

Thousands Sent Into Exile Every year a large number of poor

sufferers whose lungs are sore and wrecked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medi-cine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottle free at W. T. Strong & Co.'s. PAce 50c and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

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MIGHTY GUSHER!

An Oil Well In Texas Flows Fifteen Thousand Barrels a Day.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 14.-J. M. Guffey has made the most important oil discovery in the past ten years. Thursday noon he drilled in a mighty gusher in Southeastern Texas, located on a 3,-800-acre tract, 18 miles from Sabine Pass, on the Sabine River, and 14 miles from Port Arthur, Jefferson county. The well is flowing at a rate estimated at 15,000 barrels a day. The oil was reached at a depth of less than 10,000 feet. Mr. Guffey stated that he thought 15,000 barrels a day would be a conservative estimate of what the well is producing, and thought it would reach 20,000, which would make it the largest in the world.

The best that money can buy should be your aim in choosing a medicine, and this is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures when others fail.

Winter tourist travel is very heavy to South California over all the roads, and the hotels in Los Angeles and other resorts are crowded. IT IS A LIVER PILL.-Many of

the ailments that man has to contend with have their origin in a disordered liver, which is a delicate organ, pezuliarly susceptible to the disturbances that come from irregular habits or lack of care in eating and drinking. This accounts for the great many liver regulators now pressed on the attention of sufferers. Of these there is none superior to Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Their operation though gentle is effective, and the most delicate can use them.

The other day a naval Victoria Cross. together with a mutiny medal, with a bar for Lucknow, was sold in Londor for \$525.

BICKLE'S ANTI-CONSUMPTIVE SYRUP stands at the head of the list for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It acts like magic in breaking up a cold. A cough is soon subdued, tight-ness of the chest is relieved, even the worst case of consumption is relieved while in recent cases it may be said never to fail. It is a medicine pre-pared from the active principles or virtues of several medicinal herbs, and can be depended upon for all pulmon-try complaints.

Launceston in Tasmania has its electric lighting system derived from a medicine to remove all kinds of corns, tric lighting system derived from a and warts, and only costs the small river that forms one of the city boun-

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AYBE you need some Table Linens, Dress Goods; Curtains, in lace or chenille; Silks, Linings, Gloves, Hosiery, Embroidery, Lawns, Muslins, Ladies' White Underwear, etc., etc. Whichever it may be, you'll find it at the Three Busy Stores at its beit, and substantially lower than in most stores. If you want to start the new century right, you need our 20th \$ century prices to do it with. This will be a great saving to start with. The more you buy here the more you save.

Fine Dress Goods at Reduced Prices.

Plaid Homespun Dress Goods. in wool, regular 65c, for 39c nearly 50 per cent less than the

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60-inch Bleached Table Linen, regular 50c, for 35c yard.

Special line of Bleached Table Linen, 60 inches wide, worth 65c. for 47c yard. Special line of large size Huck Towels, hemmed ends, regular 20c. This line we are selling two

20 pieces of Linen Glass Toweling in large and small checks, regular price 7c, ours, 5c yard.
Fine Bleached Embroidery Bleached Linen, 29c, 39c, 50c yard.

Curtain Department. Special line of Lace Curtains, 100 pairs, 3 yards, taped, 43 inches ie, regular 75c, special for Jan-

Cream Madras Muslin, a job, 7c and 10c yard. Curtain Sorim, 5c yard. Art Muslins, 5c, 7c, 10c yard.

Curtain Pole and Window Shade Department.

Curtain Poles, oak and mahogany with trimmings for 25c. Shades, in cream and green pa-per, roller, complete, 15c each. Cream and Green Plain Oil-Fin-

ish Shades, roller complete, 29c, Cream and Green Shades, with lace, roller, complete, 50c each.

Millinery Department.

When a season approaches its end, you know what we do with our remaining Hats. Those that are left over from this season we are selling at less than half their former price. See our east window for bargains in Trimmed Hats' - all one price, 39c

Fur Department. The brunt of winter is yet to come. Provide against it, and save money besides. Furs less than half-price.

Two only, Caperines, worth \$9, for \$3 97 each. Four only, Blue Gray Opossum

Ruffs, worth \$8, our price \$4 97 Four only, Black Coney Storm

Collars, \$1 each. Two only, Mink Muffs, worth

HEAVY SNOW STORM

Blockades Electric and Country Roads in the East.

Malone, N. Y., Jan. 12.-A' heavy snowstorm prevaile throughout Northern New York. About a foot of snow has fallen in the last twelve hours. Cornwall, Jan. 12.—A heavy snow-storm prevails here. The electric road is blocked completely. Railway trains

are all late.
Ottawa, Jan. 12.—A heavy snowstorm has prevailed here since last
night, and reports received this morning show that the storm is general throughout the Ottawa Valley. From mix to twelve inches of the "beautiful" has fallen, and the result is the almost complete blocking of the country roads in certain section, while trains are all running more or less behind time. The weather is mild.

WAR ON FAITH HEALERS

New York Doctors Propose to Bar Them From Practice.

New York, Jan. 14.-The board of censors of the Medical Society of the county of New York has addressed a circular letter to members calling attention to the fact that there are many persons practicing medicine in open de-flance of the law providing that be-fore one may practice medicine in this state a certificate of proficiency shall be obtained from the board of regents of the university of the state. This is granted only after a satisfactory examination. The purpose of the soclety to begin an active crusade

announced. C. S. Andrews, who has been re-tained as counsel, said: "There is one kind of a quack we cannot touch, and yet who does more harm than all the other illegal practitioners put together. I refer to the Christian Science heal-Through their religious professions they have a chientele of patients which it would be impossible for an ordinary quack to obtain. The court of appeals has practically decided that the practice of the art of healing consists of the prescribing of medicine. purely technical definition puts the faith healer charlatans beyond the



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pale of the law. We are now taking steps to have the law changed so that can be prosecuted along with the venders of patent nostrums and elec-

The Hospital for Sick Children.

"Dear Sir,—Many of the readers of your valuable paper will be asked to contribute towards the maintenance and endowment of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, and I desire to give a few words of advice to Sunday school officers in regard to the final disposition of their gifts. These contributions should be given either towards the \$19,000 debt or towards the ordinary expense of maintenance. No Stinday school should ever consent to have its money used for the endowment of a cot or cots. The hospital trustees have appealed to Sunday schools to co-operate in a scheme for the endowment of cots under the name 'The Ontario Sunday Schools Cot.' It takes \$2,000 to endow a cot sufficiently to secure the right to name it, and \$5,000 additional is required in order to satisfy the trustees that the cot is independently endowed. Fraternal specieties and other organizations. "Dear Sir,-Many of the readers in order to satisfy the trustees that the cot is independently endowed. Fraternal societies and other organizations have responded to the appeal for endowment. Let me ask our Sunday school officers whether God will, or will not be pleased, if they hand over to the money lenders the money with which they have been entrusted, knowing that only the interest of their gifts will be used to provide for sick children. That is what the endowment scheme means. I believe that such an appropriation of his gifts is not only faithless but sinful. "God may justify a dying man in trying to perpetuate his name by means of money bequeathed to endow a cot, but the Sunday school, unlike the man, is an undying organization, which will be able to contribute annually toward the

an undying organization, which will be able to contribute annually toward the needy. The hospital trustees should have faith in the perpetuity of Sunday schools and believe that Christians of the future will be as sympathetic and liberal as those of past generations. The debt upon the hospital should be paid and the annual cost of maintenance liberally sustained, but no hospital should ever be independently endowed. It will be said that the endowment of the sick children's hospital exists in name only, because the money is used to pay debt and cost of maintenance and that no money is actually out on interest as enand cost of maintenance and that no money is actually out on interest as endowment. But it is no credit to the trustees that such is the case, and as soon as they can pay off the debt they will begin to pay back to the endowment fund all the money now borrowed from it. Therefore, it is only a question of time until the money sent by our Sunday schools will be put out on interest as endowment, because Sunday schools have consented to have their gifts recorded as endowment.

schools have consented to have their gifts recorded as endowment.

"Let us keep the hospital dependent upon the annual contribution of a people whom the trustees will deem it wise to please. By so doing this worthy hospital will be saved from becoming a place where the helpless and unfortunate are, under the fair name of charity, kept for the benefit of medical students and having as little freedom to correspond with friends as a criminal in a common jail. W. J. WADDELL.

"Elimville, Jan. 2, 1901."

[Brooklyn Life.] One of the churches in a little western town is so fortunate as to have a young woman as its pastor. She was called to the door of the parsonage one day, and saw there a much-em-barrassed young farmer of the German

"Yes," replied the fair pastor.
"Vell-m-I-I vant to kit merrit." "To get married? Very well, I can marry you," said the ministress, encouragingly.

"Oh, but I got a girl alreaty," was the disconcerting reply.

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The Chairman and Board of Health-Gentlemen, I herewith submit my semi-annual report upon the inspection of herds, dairies and market milk for the half-year ending Dec. 1. As heretofore, the herds, byres and dairies classed according to merit, A, B and C, and the milk 1, 2 and 3. One vendor whose percentage was 3.75, protested. and was given 3.60 by the public anallyst. The average percentage of all the market milk, exclusive of that with cream added, was a fraction over

The quality of milk supplied the city is still good. The average percentage of 213 samples of market milk examined during the year, exclusive of 23 samples examined for private persons, was over 4 per cent. The samples were cleaner than in former years, and to this and the good quality may be attributed the small number of deaths of infants from derangement

of the digestive organs. Nine thousand quarts are sold daily in the city. Two samples had been watered, one had cream added, and one byer was unfit for dairy purposes by reason of uncleanliness. One hundred and forty persons are em-

ployed in supplying the city with milk. Henry Hawkins, Westminster-Unfit by reason of unclean premises.

Kaines Bros., Westminster township-A; supply A. Pack. Isaac Saul, Nissouri township—A; sells to W. T. Saul. Wm. J. Saul, London township-A: sells to W. T. Saul.

W. J. Walker, Westminster-A; 1. James Routledge, Lambeth-A; sells to W. S. Evans. Firman White, Lambeth-A; sells to W. S. Evans. E. Wilson, Westminster-A; no

sample obtained. Henry Mossop, London township-Riddle, Westminster-A; George

supplies A. Cathro. John Griffith, Westminster-A; sells to A. McMurray. Wm. Bell, London township-A: supplies A. E. Hourd. Marshall, London township-A.

P. F. McClary, Nilestown-A, 2; supplies Victoria Hospital. C. H. Sumper, Westminster-A, 2 Kettlewell & McAipine, Westminster

John Rogers, Adelaide street-B. 1. James Carroll & Son, Westminster-James Walker, North London-B, 1. Smith Bros., Westminster-B. 1; buy from D. Ferguson.

Job Cox, London township-B, 1. Thomas Legg, London township-B. Samuel Robb, London Township-B.

Daniel Ferguson, Westminster-B, 1; sells to Smith Bros. John Bowden. Westminster-B;

sells to W. D. Miller. Wm. Stevenson, Nilestown-B: supplies J. O'Brien. John Courtice, Westminster-B. 1.

Robert Brown, Westminster—B; sells to W. D. Miller. William Morden, London township Elmore Routledge, Lambeth-B: sells to J. W. Jarvis.

W. D. Miller-1; buys from R. Brown and John Bawden. J. H. Woodlie-1; buys from Jacob

Mrs. Hackett, London township-B,

H. Brownlie-1; buys from J. Purvis S. Evans-1; buys from J. Routledge and T. White. Levi Crouse. Westminster-B; supplies W. McKerlie. Wm. Phoenix-1; supplied by James Byers.

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A. Windrim—1. W. Wilkinson, London township—B, 1. William Cooper-1. Robert Berry-1. John Blanshard, Lobo township-B; supplies James Blanshard. John Moore-1.

John Armour-1. William Gleedale, London township-B; sells to T. Beattie. James Byres, London township-B; supplies Wm. Phoenix.

Miss Redding, Grey street-B, 1. Charles Stewart-1. Webb Bros., London township-B, 1 Alfred Johnson-1; supplied by W. G. Brown Rowlston Bros.-1; supplied by John

John Rowlston, London township-B; ells to Rowlston Bros. Mrs. Lawrence, West London—B, 1, Joseph Blaney—1; cream added.
Mrs. Crow, Philip street—1.
Charles McMurray, Westminster—B;

no sample. John Kay, Westminster - B: sup-William Player, Westminster-B. 1.

to W. Woodlie.

Joseph O'Brien-1; supplied by Wm

Joseph Barter, London township—B; sells to J. McLeod. T. J. Neeley, London township—B, 1. William Routledge, Lambeth—1. Charles McEvoy—1; buys from W.

sells to A. Johnson.
G. H. Summers, London township Henry Webb, North London-B; no

sample. A. Catnach, Adelaide street—B, 1.
A. Hogg, London township—B; sells James Yeo, Westminster - B; no

Joseph Purvis, London township—B,1.
Mrs. Blair, Westminster—B; sells to
Joseph McLeod.
W. A. Sage, Nilestown—B, 1.
Joseph McLeod, London township—
B, 1; buys also from J. Barter and

Mrs. Blair. John Wilkinson, London township-B; supplies W. W. Wilkinson.

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upplies W. C. O'Brien. Charles Dyer, London township-B, 1. J. C. O'Brien - 1; supplied by N. Sage. Nilestown William O'Brien - 1; supplied by

John O'Brien. Spettigue Bros., Westminster—B, 1. Samuel Robb, London townsip—B, C. W. Hourd, Westminster—B, 2; protested sample, 2. Wilkinson, North London-B, 2.

J. M. Gilbank, East London—B, 2. William, Patton, London township-A. Higg, London township-B, 2. Robert Judd, Ballymote-B. 2.

Charles O'Hagan, London township-T. Beattie, London township—B, 2. John Clark, London township—B, 2. Mrs. G. Heard, Adelaide street-B, 2 Henry Horn, Hyde Park—B, 2. Thomas Davidson, London township

B, 2; partly watered. Tanton, London township-B. 2. Mrs. Freeman, North London-B, 2. James Malloch, Colborne street-B, 2 Thomas Hill, South London-B. 2. C. E. Wright, Cathcart street—B, 2. Mrs. A. B. Nichol—2.

R. McCullagh—2. W. W. Wilkinson — 2; buys from John Wilkinson. G. Tupholm-2; buys from A. Cope-

Charles O'Brien-2. P. McLaughlin — 2; buys from W. Beattie and T. Walker. E. Poile—2; buys from John Kay. James Blanshard—2; supplied John Blanshard, Lobo township. James Shaw-2

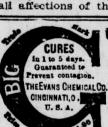
A. E. Hourd-2; supplied by Wm. Bell. W. T. Saul-2; buys from Isaac and W. J. Saul. H. M. Odell, Westminster-C, 1.

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What light does this throw on a greater simplicity and less expensiveness of ordinary life? It is generally recognized that people eat a great deal more than the exigencies of good health demand. A greater simplicity as regards both quality and quantity of diet, and we would have fewer dyspeptics.

Suggestions For Consideration by the Ontario Government.

11. The passing of an act making the law relating to loan corporations similar to the act passed by the Dominion

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lend up to 10 per cent on their own. The powers conferred by the Ontario Parliament are set forth in section 17. R. S. O., chapter 205. They may lend on the security of real estate, or of the public securities of Canada, or of any province, or terminating debentures of any municipality or school or building society, or terminating debentures or debenture stock of any company, in which trustees may by law invest.

The other sub-sections direct what powers may be exercised with reference to these securities, and they may hold real estate of the annual value of \$20 -000. It will be seen that the powers conferred by the Dominion act are wider than those conferred by the provincial act, and we think they should be similar. It is not wise to have two sets of laws for the same purpose. As the Dominion act relates to the whole of Canada, and their act is wider than the provincial, it would be better to

Evolution.

If there has been one word more prominent than another during the nineteenth century it is the word "evolution." It has played a great part in all realms of thought, and has even been regarded by some as the supreme, unique and final word in the explanation of the would and the life of man. We cannot now attempt to sketch the various theories of evolution as applied to the world of nature and the life of man. We simply have to admit now that this word represents the idea which in the course of the nineteenth century has come to dominate varied spheres of thought. The New York Sun, dealing with" "The Passing Century and Its History in Great Subjects," naturally placed "evolution" the first in the series, and it did well in securing for this article Alfred Russel Wallace, who, in his own way, propounded the theory of the origin of species by the process of natural selection about the same time that Darwin brought his great discovery before the world. Mr. Wal-

sults. But we may note its spirit and its characteristic features. This statement with which he begins shows the view that is taken of the evolution theory by the great body of scientists: "Among the great and fertile conceptions which have either augmented or become firmly established during the nineteenth century, the theory of evolution, if not the greatest of them all, will certainly take its place in the front rank. As a partial explanation (for no complete explanation is possible to finite intelligence) of the pinenomena of nature, it illuminates every department of science, from the study of the most remote cosmic phenomena organisms revealed by the most powerful microscopes; while upon the great problem of the mode of the origin of the various forms of lifelong considered insoluble—it throws so clear a light, that to many biologists it seems to afford as complete a solution in principle as we can expect to

Dr. Wallace then goes on to point out "the nature and limits of evolution." It does not deal with the infinite past or the remote future, but explains the existing conditions of things by showing that it has been derived from some pre-existing conditions through the action of known forces and laws, so we can never make any approach to the absolute beginning of things. "Yet the explanations that the theory of evolution gives are none the less real and none the less important, especially when we compare its teachings with the wild guesses of the total ignorance of the thinkers of earlier ages." The essayist then goes back to the early philosophers to trace the rise and progress of the idea of evolution, and shows that in the poetry of Lucretius there was a strange mixture of philosophic insight and baseless speculation. Indeed, it is one good thing in this comprehensive article, that the distinguished naturalist recognized that the long previous wrestling of thoughtful men prepared the way for the nineteenth century statement and solution of the great problem. After the long space of what we popularly called "the dark ages," Dr. Wallace finds the first real steps towards evolution in the works of the great astronomers, Kepler, Newton and Laplace. The next point considered is the ev-

olution of the earth's crust. Although

Pythagoras (500 B. C.) believed that sea and land must often have changed places, and a few other observers at different epochs came to the same conclusion, yet till quite recent times the earth was generally supposed to have been always very much what it is now; people spoke of the "eternal hills," and the great mountain ranges. The mighty ravines and precipices, as The principal difference between the | well as the deep seas and oceans, were Creator. One of the most earnest students in the latter half of the eighteenth century was Dr. Hutton, of Edinburgh, who published a great work on "The Theory of the Earth," which and stumbled over the chairs in the was not sufficiently appreciated at the time. After this came the work of the eminent naturalists and geologists, Cuvier, Lyell and Buffon. At the beginning of the nineteenth century Lamarck propounded a general system of evolution for the whole animal world. Those who read the scientific literature of that period may learn with regard to Lamarck-how wide was his knowledge, how ingenious his explanations, and in his many important points he interpreted the views both of Lyell and Danwin. But he was half a century in advance of his age. and his alleged causes of modification, changed conditions, use and disuse, habit and effort, were wholly insufficient to account for the vast phenomena presented by the innumerable minute adaptations of living organisms to their conditions of life." Dr. Wallace at this point shows that Darwin's work was more special. It consisted of the observation of a great variety of facts and the setting forth of a theory to explain those facts, and remembering how small was the effect which had been produced by Buffon, Goethe, Lamarck, the author of "The Vestiges of Creation" and the earlier writings of Herbert Spencer, we can re-

> The general principles of evolution were accepted by many scientific men before Darwin, and in 1852 Herbert Spencer had published a masterly essay on the "Development of Hypothesis," but the exact method of evolution was left untouched. So that the publication of Darwin's theory of The Origin of Species by Means of Natural Selection," marks a definite epoch in the history of this great idea. "The struggle for existence" and "The survival of the fittest" have since that time not only been technical phrases of science, but have passed into popular literature and common speech. This writer thinks that the investigations and experiments made since Darwin's death have tended to confirm the development hypothesis as to its main and essential features. Natural selection has thus supplied that motive power of change and adaptation that was wanting in all earlier attempts at explanation and this has led to its very general acceptance, both by naturalists and the great majority if thinkers and men of science." He then closes this able review with the following clear statement. The brief fire.

alize the marvelous work that he ac-

complished."

sketch now given: "The brief sketch now given of the progress of human thought on the questions of the fact and the mode of the evolution of the material universe indicates how great has been the progress during the nineteenth as compared with all preceding centuries.

"Although the philosophical writers

lace's article of eight columns cannot very well be summarized, as it is an historical sketch and summary of results. But we may note its spirit and till the actual facts had been ascertained by the whole body of workers who, during the last five centuries, have penetrated ever more and more deeply into nature's mysteries and laws. By their labors we became possessed of such a body of carefully observed facts that, toward the end of the last century such thinkers as Laplace and Hutton were enabled to give us the first rudiments. enabled to give us the first rudiments of theories of evolution as applied to the solar system and the earth's crust, both of which have been greatly developed and rendered more secure dur-

ing the century now passing away."
"In like manner Buffon and Goethe may be said to have started the idea of organic evolution, more systematically treated a little later by Lamarck, but still without any discovery of laws adequate to produce the results we see then languished till, after twenty years of observation and research, Charles Darwin produced a work which at once satisfied many thinkers that the long desired clue had been discovered. Its acceptance by almost the whole scientific world soon followed; it threw new light on almost every branch of re-search, and it will probably take its place, in the opinion in future generations, as the crowning achievement of

NUMBERS CRUSHED TO DEATH

Cry of "Fire" Causes a Fatal Panic

Among 800 People Who Were Attending a Hebrew Play in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Seven people were crushed to death and as many more seriously injured in a panic which followed a man's cry of "Fire" Saturday afternoon in West Twelfth street Turner Hall. About 800 people were in the place, gathered to witness the performance of a play entitled "The Greenhorn." The following were killed and injured:

THE VICTIMS.

Rebecca Lidsley, Annie Goldber (aged 7), Regina Millenbach (aged 4), Annie Salomon (aged 37), George Shaffer Mrs. Samuel Mendelsohn, Birdie Xidmann.

Missing-Samuel Mendelsohn and two children. The play was in Yeddish. The audience, comprising for the most part wo-men and children, were all Hebrews. The hall stands in the center of a district densely populated by Jews. The play was nearly over, when the ery which caused the panic was raised, and within five seconds after it rang through the hall the entire audience was converted into a frantic mob, every member of which was fighting for the safety which lay beyond the doors of

the building. A WILD RUSH.

hall is frequently used for dances, and when a theatrical performance is given chairs are set for the spectators. As soon as thew ild rush towards doors began, chairs were knocked down in every direction, the aisles disappeared, and the excited people ran, climbed way towards the doors.

TRAMPLED TO DEATH.

Around the upper part of the hall extends a balcony, which is open only at one end. Here were seated 150 women and children, and the women at the further end of the balcony, away from the stairway, seeing that the rush toward the exit was blocked, began at once to throw the little ones over the railing to the floor ten feet below. The children fell into the midst of the maddened throng and were at once trampled under foot. It is known that three of the dead were children who were thrown from the balcony and were trampled by the crowd, with not a chance for their lives.

Following the children, many of the women sprang from the balcony upon the crowd below, and others swinging over hung by their hands before they dropped. The railing of the balcony broken through in half a dozen places by the pressure brought to bear against it by the maddened crowd. On the main floor the crush was much worse than in the balcony. The main exits from the hall, and the only ones known to a majority of those who frequent the place, are two doors in the south end of the main auditorium, that open upon winding stairs, which, eight down, unite into one broader flight, leading to the main floor. FRANTIC MASS OF MEN AND WO-

MEN. Around these two doors, a frantic mass of screaming men, women and children was packed, all struggling fiercely to force their way down the At the landing where the two flights of stairs winding down from the main hall unite, a woman stumbled and fell. In an instant a score of people were down and before the rush was

over, four lives had been crushed out in space four feet by six feet long Within five minutes after the beginning of the panic it was all over, and the police and firemen who came hurrying to the scene of the disaster were called upon to do nothing beyond car rying away the dead and injured, and keeping back the thousands of people who tried to force their way into the

FOUGHT WITH THE POLICE. As soon as the news of the panic had spread through the district, which emed but a very few minutes, all the Hebrews from that part of the city rushed to the place, bent on learning the names of the dead and wounded. Men and women fought desperately with the officers in their efforts to enter the building and learn if any of their loved ones were among the dead. The crowd was so great, so excited, and so unmanageable, that several calls were sent for additional officers and firemer before it could be restrained. The alarm of fire was false, there having been no blaze at the time. The furnace in the building is somewhat defective, and at times allows sparks to pass up through the registers. It was the sight of these rising into the room that frightened the man who raised the cry of

The hall has several times been the scene of panics, and it is only a few months since that a number of children were hurt in a rush for the doors which occurred during a juvenile party that

was given in the place. THREE ARE MISSING. It was found a most difficult task to secure the names of the dead and in-

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fured. Many of the latter were taken to their homes before the police were aware of their names. Mrs. Mendelsohn and two children are still missing.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CENTURY FUND

Amount Actually Subscribed, \$1,130,000-More Needed to Make Up the \$600,000 for General Church Work.

Toronto, Jan. 12.-The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada some time ago resolved to put forth an effort to raise a century fund of one million dollars, the period named for the closing of the effort being May 1, 1901.

The committee to which the matter was entrusted met a few days ago to consider reports regarding the work to the 31st of December, 1900. The amount actually subscribed to this date was \$1.130,000. The congregations reporting estimated that over and above the subscriptions already ceived, another \$100,000 would be got from them, making a total of \$1,230,-000. In addition a large number of congregations have still to report. For various reasons the work in these has not yet been completed, and in some however, before the close of the effort on May 1 next every congregation in the church will have done its share of the work. The present indications are that the total will reach \$1,350,000. the scheme of the General Assembly \$600,000 of the \$1,000,000 was to be for the missionary and educational work of the church, and \$400,000 for church indebtedness

When the total will exceed the \$1,-000,000 by \$350,000, it will require vigorous effort during the next six month to make up the \$600,000 for the general work of the church. To aid in this the committee took steps at their meeting a few days ago. They have sent out a statement to the session of every congregation throughout the church, urging that the canvass be untiringly prosecuted to a completion and also asking congregations which have largely devoted their subscriptions to the removal of debt, to consider the propriety of increasing the proportion given to the common fund, which at the present time only amounts to about \$500,000. The General Assembly aimed at 60 per cent of all that was raised being given to the common fund. In congregations so largely burdened with debt as to seriously embarrass it was desirable that the greater proportion of their giving should be devoted to the reduction of their own debt. It is interesting to observe the spirit manifested by a large number of congregations. though themselves not free from debt, yet they generously concluded that as their debt did not embarrass them, and as they had not contemplated at this particular time putting forth an effort to reduce it, they would give their whole contribution to the century fund to the missionary work of the church. These are congregations deserving of special honor.

The century fund committee is generally congratulated in that four months before the close of the effort

it is able to report that very considerably in excess of the \$1,000,000 has already been obtained. It is hoped that the \$600,000 for the educational and missionary work of the church may all be got within the next three

EASTERN DAIRYMEN

Express an Opinion in Favor of the Babcock Test-Quality of Milk To Be Made a Basis of Value.

Smith's Falls, Jan. 12.-The concluding sessions of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's convention were given up mainly to the reception of reports from visability of paying for milk supplied cheese factories according to quality -equality to be determined by the Babcock test.

Instructor Publow reported finding 36 samples of doctored milk out of 5,275 examined, Instructor Bentley 21 out of 5,000, Inspector Zufelt reported \$780 in fines imposed in 65 factories in his district for adulteration, Inspector Lowery found 38 skimmed or watered samples out of 8,211 examined. were fair sample reports. At the same time there was general unanimity in reporting an improvement in condi-

There was quite a general expression of opinion in favor of applying the Babcock test as the basis on which not yet been completed, and in some payment should be made for milk, cases not yet commenced. It is hoped, | A. A. Wright, M.P., went so far as to say legislative authority should secured to enforce the adoption of this system in all cases, and the applause that followed was the most vigorous heard during the convention.

There was quite a general expression of opinion that instructors should visit all factories and that a straight salary should be paid for this work. At present instructors go only where they are asked to go by factory owners.

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John, N. B., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from asthma for nearly ten years. Many months, night after night, I have been so bad that sleep was impossible, and at times I thought I would choke. I doctored with the best doctors in St. 900,000 boxes of matches. John, but my trouble became worse each year. About a year ago I purchased three bottle of Clarke's Kola Compound; then I took three more, and since completing the treatment with this remedy have not had a single

attack. I take great pleasure in re-

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and the latter pay a fee for the service rendered. Some expressed the opinion that, in addition to the instructors, inspectors should be appointed by the government to look after those adulterate milk

JEFFERSON-McDONALD

William, Son of the Famous "Joe" Jefferson, to Wed an Actress.

Matoon, Ill., Jan. 14.-William Jefferson, son of Joseph Jefferson, the actor, who plays in the cast with his father, is to wed Miss Christie McDonald in June. Such is the admission of the groomelect's half-brother, Thomas Jefferson. The engagement is only known to a few intimate friends. William Jefferson, and his father are spending the winter at the latter's cottage at Palm Beach, Fla., where they will remain until April. Miss McDonald is starring with Pete Daly's "Hodge Podge." Thomas Jefferson says the story that

there was parental objection to the match is untrue. "My knowledge of the engagement," he said, "came Will's mother. He informed her of it and said he was arranging to have the wedding come off in June. Father is very favorably inclined to the young While I have never seen her, I understand that she is a very clever and gifted girl. Ever since they became acquainted, last summer a year ago. we felt that their attachment was a permanent one.

ROBERT MANTELL AND WIFE ILL. Toledo, Jan. 14.-Robert Mantell and wife are both quite ill. Mrs. Mantell was taken to the Toledo hospital on Saturday, and Mr. Mantell is confined to his room at the Boody House. Their engagements for some time have been canceled. They were playing "The Free

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AROUND THE CITY.

From Saturday's Last Edition.

-Mr. William McKerracher, principal of Hyde Park school, is in the city today.

-Mr. Wm. Wanless is ill, but it is hoped that he will be in better shape in a few days.

-At the Brantford poultry show, just closed. Southcott & Bartlett, of this city, won on four entries of Buff Wyandottes, two firsts and two seconds.

-Mr. Allan Magee, of this city, is announced as having successfully passed the examination of the second year at the University of Toronto. -Mr. J. F. Morehead, formerly of this city, but now of San Francisco,

Cal., passed through the city last terests of the California Wine Asso-

-Mr.F. W. Turner, one of our South African heroes, has returned from a visit to Bothwell, where he got a hearty welcome. The Bothwell peo-ple say he can hold his own as a lecthier on the war.

X concert programme of much merit has been prapared for an enter-that all members will take the opportainment in the school room of St. tunity of hearing her tell of the work George's Churth on Monday evening. Several of the pest local singers will take part. Illustrated songs, moving pictures and war views will also be

-Rev. James Nichol, who has been chosen as paster of the Wallaceburg Presbyterian Church, is a son of Mr. James Nichol, of 820 Queen's avenue. The reverend gentleman has but recently graduated from Yale University, and this will be his first regular charge. His many London friends be-speak a bright future for him.

TWO MORE HOME.

Troopers Donaghue and Mills, of the returned Canadian Mounted Infantry contingent, reached this city this morning by G. T. R. at II o'clock.

Fred Pinney, of 216 Wellington street, won the handsome couch donated as a prize by Manager Lancaster, of the Westminster rink, with No. 800, at the rink last eventing. On Feb. 1 the next drawing will take place for a bookcase and secretary.

BACK FROM THE VELDT.

Fred Madge, of Calgary, N. W. T., a member of the Strathcona Horse, and who has been serving with that famous troop in South Africa, arrived here at 3 a.m. today, and is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. Burden, Tecumseh avenue, South London. Mr. Madge, who was formerly a resident of London, intends staying here for a few weeks to renew old acquaintances.,

AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT. As treesurer of the Children's Pavilion of Victoria Hospital, Miss Graydon begs to acknowledge the following donations recently received: Mrs. Charles Leonard \$5, Mrs. J. A. Hunt \$1, Mrs. E. B. Smith \$2, Miss Wilson \$1, Mrs. Frank Leonard \$1, Miss Lougheed 50

cents, Miss Mitchell 50 cents, Miss Edith Foster 50 cents, a friend 25 cents, Mrs. Mathewson 26 cents; collected by Mrs. W. T. Edge, \$10; collected by Miss McCracken, \$2 25.

OFFICIAL CHANGES.

Mr. T. A. McMahen, of the firm of McMahen & Granger, wholesale drygoods merchants, has been appointed a director of the Canadian Savings and Loan Company, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Col: Lewis. Mr. McMahen has had considerable experience in the loan company business and will be a very valu. able acquisition to the board. Mr. J. W. Jones, who has been on the ditorate of the company ever since its incorporation, in 1875, has been elected vice-president.

Nelson Blackwell and Edward Fountain appeared at the police court again this morning to receive sentence for the burglary of Christopher McRae's house on Lyle street, to which they had pleaded guilty. They were not sentenced, however, as Alfred Prodgers, a suspect in the same case, had just been placed under arrest. Prod-gers elected trial before the police magistrate, pleaded not guilty, asked time to prepare for trial. He was remanded till Friday next, and Blackwell and Fountain were remanded till the same day, that all might be disposed of together.
One drunk was discharged

DEATH OF MR. WM. T. GOUGH. By the death of Mr. William T. Gough, of con. 6, London township, after a brief illness with pneumonia, another of the township's esteemed and respected residents has passed away. Mr. Gough came to Canada with his parents, from Cleveland, at the age of 5 years, and for 60 years has been a resident of the townshp and vicinity. He was a Methodist and an attendant of Siloam Church. He leaves one son, Richard T. Gough, and one daughter, Mrs. Dunn, of Nissouri; also two brothers, Richard, of London town-ship, and John, of Michigan.

THEIR ANNUAL TREAT.

Parents and friends of the scholars of the Maitland Street Baptist Church were present last evening in large numbers at their Christmas entertain-

ment. It was of a very enjoyable character. The pastor, Rev. C. S., G. IS CHINA TO Boone was chairman and had charge of a lengthy programme. Choruses were sung by the classes of Miss Butcher and Mrs. Mills, assisted by Mrs. Leslie and Mr. E. Smith; selections by the London South quartet; regitations, Misses Bella Dwyer, Edna Crowfoot, Minnie Tanton, Masters Geo. Seldon and G. Crowfoot; selections by Sunday school orchestra; quartet, by members of the choir: graphophone Sunday school orchestra; quartet, by members of the choir; graphophone selections by Mr. Floyd, diallogue, by Misses Gertie Freeman, Lucy and Emman Tanton; sword drill by ten girls. All acquitted themselves creditably and were warmly appliauded. The accompaniments were played by Misses M. Conservator and Justic Pursell. Misses M. Conway and Lizzie Russell. Each of the scholars were presented with a bag of candy and nuts, the en-tertainment concluding with the Na-

tional Anthem. DOINGS OF THE Y. W. C. A. The regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held in their rooms, 296 Dundas street, Wednesday, the 9th inst, the president in the chair. The secretary reported a total attendance of 1,038 members during the month, 802 having visited the building during the day, 524 at the lunch hour, and 236 in the evening. Meetings were held in the rooms by the W. C. A., the Aberdeen Association and Red Cross Society, and by the Brethren on Monday. The usual monthly business meeting was held on the first Saturday evening of the month. On the first and third Saturday evenings, the Shakespeare Club met for the study of "The Merchant The students' Bible class was held on the first, second and third Tuesday afternoons, and the "I Will Club" on the same evenings, the fourth Tuesday being Christmas day no meet-

ings were held. The educational and sewing classes met each Thursday evening, except in Christmas week. Miss Wyatt provided entertainment for the members and their friends on Saturday evening, by showing them how to make pretty and inexpensive Christmas boxes. Instead of the usual monthly reception, a grab bag and party was indulged in the

Saturday evening before Christmas, and caused much merriment. The first public lecture arranged for by the society for the season 1900-1901 was given by Prof. Clark, of Toronto, in Cronyn Hall, on Dec. 22, when a night en route to Boston, in the in- large and appreciative audience listened to his talented lecture on the 'Idyls of the King." The association circle of King's Daughters provided a quilt for one family, and Christmas baskets for nine.

Miss Little, the general secretary of the Dominion society, will visit London next week, by appointment of the general society, when it is hoped and its various methods.

Death of D. C. Macdonald.

London Mutual Fire Insurance Company, died Saturday morning at ed that the county take steps to rem-Springfield, near Peterboro, where he had gone in November last in an atfailing.

Mr. Macdonald was born in the county of Northumberland in 1835. He attended school at Niagara and Port Robinson. After studying law for some time he passed as a solicitor in 1861, but surance, and in 1879 succeeded his father as man-ager of the London Mutual, which the latter had founded in 1859. Mr. Macdonald took a prominent part in municipal matters for some years. For six years he served as a member of the city council. In 1875 he was appointed by the council to the position of mayor, and was elected by vote to the same position in 1876. Mr. Macdonald was a past master of King Solomon's Lodge (Masonic), and was also a member of Fidelity Lodge, No. 5, A. O. U. W. He attended St. George's Episcopalian Church, West London. In his early years he was active in military affairs, and had a medal for his services at the Fenian raid. His death will be sincerely regretted, especially in business circles, where he was best known.
Mr. Macdonald was twice married. His wife and child, and one son by his first wife, Mr. Cameron Macdonald, survive him. The funeral will be held on Monday.

JUDICIOUS REFORM

London Likely to Get Large Mail Boxes-Change of Money Order Rules.

While in conversation with an Advertiser representative some weeks ago, Postmaster Browne suggested that the public be warned against leaving papers and parcels on the tops of postal boxes. Soon afterwards it was announced that Toronto had been given several large receptacles for such articles. When spoken to about these, Mr. Browne said that he was hoping to get a number for this city. It is expected now that the department will send several here. If so, they will be placed at corners where the most business centers and where, in the opinion of the carriers who should best know, they are most needed. For instance, at the corner of Richmond and Ridout streets, Richmond and Dundas, Wellington and Dundas, Maitland and Dundas, York and Richmond, Richmond and Piccadilly. The boxes are about the size of barrels, and have hooded tops to protect their contents. Those who have noticed the way that the people allow their mail matter to lie about, will appreciate the value of the innovation.

Another change in the postal service that will be quite welcome relates to the money order department. Heretofore, it has been necessary to keep back all payments until the arrival of the ad e sheet. It was quite possible for this to be delayed, though not on account of the department's carelessness or negligence. For instance, an order might be bought late, when there is an extra rush of business in the postoffice. Consequently the advice might not go as quickly as the The delay to the recipient thus caused will be done away with in fu-ture, and all orders of \$20 or less that are presented by responsible people, the money will be paid immediately.

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BE CARVED UP?

Lord Salisbury's Alleged Concession to Russia

Creates a Stir in Financial and Political Circles—The London Chronicle's Criticism.

London, Jan. 12 .- The Daily Chronicle states the following important

statement: "From a trustworthy source we learn that Lord Salisbury has agreed to cede to Russia the railway from Niu Chwang to Shann Hai Kwan. It is not known what compensation will be

received for the concession.

Leading financiers, versed in China affairs, who were interviewed, appeared to think that if the news was cor-rect it indicated that Lord Salisbury recognized the impossibility of prevent-ing the partition of China and that Russia would get the north and Great Britain the Yang Tse Valley.

The original prospectus of the rail-way company stipulated that the bondholders mainly British, could be bought out at any time at the state of

bought out at any time at the sate of £120 per £100 bond.

The Daily Chronicle, in an editorial on the subject, taunts Lord Salisbury with having made another "gfaceful concession" because Great Britain's en-

tanglements deprive her of the strength to back up her diplomacy.

GRAND JURY'S PRESENTMENT

And the Judge's Reply Thereto at the Assizes.

Winterbottom Case Not Yet Finished-Court Adjourned Till Today.

The grand jury of the Middlesex winter assizes brought in their presentment Saturday. They had visited the jail and found everything neat and clean, 16 males and 3 temale prisoners are being confined there. They recommended that four insane prisoners be removed to the asylum. They visited Victoria Hospital, where they found 90 patients. They congratulated the city on the possession of such a well-equipped and well-man-aged institution. They disapproved of the present location of the boilers, as in case of explosion the results would be extremely disastrous, and they re-commended more adequate means for the removal of patients in case of fire, Mr. D. C. Macdonald, manager of the In the matter of the ventilation of the courthouse, they strongly recommend-

edy the deficient ventilation.

They noted with alarm the manner in which the poultry-raising industry tempt to regain his health. For the was being jeopardized by the system past six months or more he had been of petty thieving prevalent throughout the county, and they recommended that the punishment be made more se-

The presentment closed with a congratulatory reference to the fact that the supremacy of the British instituns in South Africa

In reply, Mr. Justice Robertson said that it was an unfortunate and dreadful thing that so many persons in Ontario were afflicted with insanity, so many that the asylum accommodation is now overtaxed, and the province is facing the problem of supplying more asylums. In the matter of the petty thieving complained of, the judge said no doubt the government would give ample consideration to the jury's recommendation. He referred again' strongly to the matter of courthouse ventilation, saying that the judge, from his elevated position in the courtroom experienced the very quintessence of the foulness of the air. He censured the penurious spirit that seemed to pervade the county council, and said it was a disgraceful thing if the wealthy county of Middlesex allowed the present state of things to exist until the law would be set in motion and the county indicted for maintaining a common nuisance, had already been done in the counties of Oxford, Wentworth, Perth and others. The judge then thanked the jury for the manner in which they had performed their duties and discharged

them. THE WINTERBOTTOM CASE.

The suit of Miss Mary Winterbottom, of this cty, against the police com-missioners, to recover \$2,000 damages for injuries received by being run over the police patrol wagon on May 16, if last year, was taken up.

Eleven witnesses were he day, the first being the plaintiff, Miss Winterbottom. She had no recollection whatever of the accident. Her injuries consisted of a sprained wrist, wrenched back, bruises on the body and cuts on the head. She did not get out of her home until the end of July, and is unable to go to work yet. Henry B. Ashplant, A. Hobbs, Hume B. Elliott, Robert Hobbs, W. J. Portwood, Chas. H. Glines and John Waters, all eye-witnesses of the accident, gave their versions of what they had seen. All agreed that the patrol wagon was going at a fast rate of speed, and that in turning into Carling street from Richmond street, it swerved onto the south side of Carling street, on which side Miss Winterbottom was riding.

Dr. English and Dr. Moore, medical attendants of the plaintiff, gave evidence as to her injuries and testified that she would not be able to work

Chief Williams was called to produce certain minutes of the board of police commissioners and certain regulations made by himself governing the running of the patrol wagon. On the resumption of the case on Saturday, the stand was again taken by Chief Williams, who produced certain documentary evidence. He was the last witness called for the plaintiff.

Mr. Meredith then argued for nonsuit, but the judge decided that the plaintiff had made out a case and the defense began.

Drs. Waugh and Eccles gave medical testimony, and evidence was given by Driver Walsh, P. C.'s Woolway, Robertson, Johnston and others. Court adjourned at 2 p.m. to allow the jurors to go home for Sunday.

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BRAVERY TO BE RECOGNIZED

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Who Rescued the Passengers and Crew of the Stranded Steamer Russie.

Paris, Jan. 12 .- A movement is or foot to recompense the brave sailors of Faraman, who time after time risked their lives in the endeavor to rescue the passengers and crew of the Russie. The minister of marine has asked for particulars regarding their acts of bravery, and in response to the proposal to several senators, the men will be decorated. Subscriptions are flowing in to the newspapers.

HIGH CHURCH UNION.

Close bonds will be formed between the Ritualists in the Church of Engand and the High Church section of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States. To foster this union, it the present visit to the United States of the Duke of Newcastle. He is being assisted in his efforts by two noted London churchmen, A. Clifton Kelway, editor of the Church Review, and the Rev. Harry Wilson, vicar of St. Augustine Church. CABLE NOTES.

According to advices from Berlin, the health of Dowager Empress Frederica is causing anxiety again. The liabilities of the sixteen stock exchange firms which recently failed aggregated £2,000,000, in one case the figures reaching £900.000.

READING STREET CAR STRIKE OVER

The Employes and Company Officials Agree to Abide by Arbitration-The Men Get What They Ask.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 12.—The United Traction Company and its striking employes came to an agreement to arbitrate all their differences and 820 motormen and conductors return to work. Not a car on the company's 50 miles of track had run since last Tuesday. The board of arbitration granted nearly every demand made by the

WANT MORE PAY. Toronto, Jan. 12.- The National Association of Marine Engineers have served notices on their employers they will expect a 10 per cent increase of wages next season. The employers are asked to reply as soon as possible. THE CONFERENCE CONTINUED. Toronto, Jan. 12.-The conference between the employing printers and the representatives of the organizations of the various trades associated with them was continued yesterday after-noon and evening. So far no arrange-

A LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson, Cameron, states: "I was confined to my bed with Inflammation of the Lungs, and was given up by the physicians. A neighbor advised me to try DR. THO-MAS' ECLECTRIC OIL, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on his advice, I procured the medicine, and less than a half-bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to

ment has been arrived at.

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VARIOUS DIRECTIONS

New York. City and State Report Many Thousand Cases-Outbreaks of Smallpox. Chatham, Ont., Jan. 12.-Hundreds of

people here are suffering from the grip, influenza or some mild species of pneu-Syracuse, N.Y., Jan. 12.—An epidemic of the grip is raging, and physicians are busy day and night.

IN BUFFALO. Buffalo, Jan. 12.—A severe epidemic of grip prevails in this city and several thousand people are suffering from the various forms of the disease. The epidemic has been in progress since Christmas but its oxistence are received. Christmas, but its existence as an epidemic was admitted only this afternoon by Health Commissioner Wende In many instances, the disease manifests itself in a new way for Buffalo. The grip poison produces gastric com-plications, resulting in violent nausea, that has continued in a number of cases for 48 hours. Thus far there have

IN NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 12.-Bellevue Hospital today was full to overflowing with patients suffering from grip and pneu-monia. The number was so great that many patients had to sleep on the floor last night. As fast as could be, patients were removed to the city and met-ropolitan hospitals; and these instituons also became congested. Estimates from a large number of physicians indicate that probably there

been six deaths due to the complica-

SMALL-POX OUTBREAKS. Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12.-Dr. Curtis, of the state board of health, reports that several additional cases of small-pox have been discovered. The spread of disease in this section of the state is attributed to Schenectady, where there have been 20 to 25 cases of a pronounced type within the city limits, and about 12 in neighboring towns, including Rotterdam, Niskayuna and

are more than 500,000 cases of the grip

Toronto, Jan. 12.—Dr. Bryce, secretary of the provincial board of health, speaking of the outbreaks of smallpox in many parts of the United States, said yesterday he greatly feared that from time to time we might expect cases in this province. During the past two months, according to the American health reports, there had been 800 cases in Winona, Wis., of which 400 still existed. During the same period there were 250 cases in Indiana, 100 of which were new in December. There were also 100 cases in Colorado last month. The workhouse in Cleveland has been quarantined on account of small-pox, and those committed have to be kept in the jail meantime. There is also epidemic in the lumber camps of Michigan, while similar reports come from Missouri and Kansas. During the last week of December, 23,700 persons were vaccinated in New York

THE EMIGRATION OF ASIATICS

Question of Provincial Restriction Likely To Be Tested in the Courts.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.]

Ottawa, Jan. 12.-It is very probable that a test case will be submitted to the courts, so as to decide the question of jurisdiction arising out of the Chinese and Japanese immigration act of the Province of British Columbia, which is modeled on the Natal act.
It is generally conceded that the province cannot interfere with the Chinese, since the Dominion has already legislated on this subject, and in all cases where the Dominion and provinces have concurrent powers, the latter cannot override the former. But as to the Japanese, that is another matter, since the Dominion has not acted. The general belief, however, is that the whole question is one which the Dominion could handle best. This is one of the subjects which Premier Dunsmuir and Attorney-Gen-

eral Eberts of British Columbia, who are now here, will discuss with the premier and minister of justice. The granting of a charter to the Northern Rallway, to reach the coal fields of the Crow's Nest Pass, a direct line between the Kootenays and the Pacific coast, the extension of the railway to the north end of Vancouver Island, and some scheme for joint action on the part of the Dominion and province to develop the mineral resources, will also come up for consid-

W. W. Stuart, of Jumpingpold, has been appointed homestead inspector in place of J. R. Thompson, who was retired.

An order in council has been passed appointing Chris. Foley, of Rossland, a member of the Chinese commission, in the place of Ralph Smith, who resigned to run for the Dominion Parlia-

RUN DOWN BY A STREET CAR. About 10 o'clock this morning as a farmer was driving into the city with his team, the rig was struck street car at the corner of the Hamilton road and Rectory street. Both horses were so badly injured that they had to be killed. It appears that the car was backing up at the "Y," and the farmer alleges that he heard no bell, and was not aware of his danger un-til the accident took place. Officials of the street railway company say they heard nothing of the accident.

NEW COMMITTEES

Aldermen Say No Slate Has Been Prepared - How They Will Most Likely Go.

Aldermen-elect about the city will not acknowledge that any definite slate of committees has been prepared. There seems to be little doubt about chairmen. The division will most like-

ly be as follows: No. 1 Committee-Ald. Greenless (chairman), Ald. Cronyn, Beattie and Garratt. No. 2 Committee-Ald. Winnett

(chairman), Aid. Campbell, Parnell and Olmsted. 3 Committee—Ald. Stevely chairman), Ald. Gerry, Cooper and Jolly.

Amusements.

"THE TIDE OF LIFE." The Detroit Journal of last Monday has this to say of that comical melo-drama, "The Tide of Life," which plays at London Opera House next

Tuesday Edward Weitzel's "Tide of Life" received a presentation in Whitney's yesterday afternoon. The theater was filled with an audience that found much to commend in the play and who evinced their pleasure in the heroine and their displeasure in villain in a way that could have left nothing misunderstood to these important personages in the piece. The Tide of Life" is immeasurably portant superior to the popular-priced attractions usually seen in Whitney's, and the general good favor of its reception makes reasonable the conclusion that the patrons of the house are quite as competent to judge between good and bad as the best trained play reviewer.

BOWLING.

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES Chicago, Jan. 12.-The Double Century Bowling Club won the five-handchampionship which was finished yesterday in the women's bowling tournament, by a score of 148 points, with a score of 1,876 made the first day of meet. Second place went to the Modern Bowling Club, with 1,728 points. The Crescents finished up the contest today, secured third place, with the score of 1,698.

In the three-handed contest, the center team scored 1,207 points; the three turkeys, 1,195, and the star trio, This class will be continued to-

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 12.-Local bowlers claim the world's record on regulation alleys, believed to have been held for the past five years by a Chicago man. It has been broken here by the performance of Capt. Willingham, who last night secured 27 out of a possible 30 points in a game of ten

A KNOCK-OUT.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 12.—Tom Tracey, of Australia, knocked out Dick Case, of Seattle, in the ninth round of a fast contest. Case met his finish in a heavy left swing on the jaw.

AT BINGHAMTON.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 12.-An epidemic of the grip has been raging here for the past week, and instead of showing signs of abatement it appears to be increasing rapidly. It is estimated that from 600 to 1,000 persons are confined to their homes with the disease, and the city hospital is crowded with victims.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

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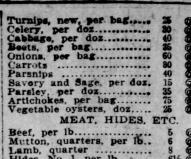
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Eggs, single dozen	22	a	25	
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Butter, pound rolls, retail	21	@	23	
Butter, creamery	24	@	25	
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WHOLESALE DEALER	S' F	RIC	ES.	
Eggs, store lots, doz	18	@	19	
Butter, lb rolls, baskets	19	0000	20	
Butter, crock	18	@	20	
Butter, store lots	17	0	18	
Butter, creamery, per lb	23	0	23	
POULTRY.				
Turkeys, per lb	8	@	9	
Geese, per lb	5	(4)	6	
Ducks, per pair	50	8	75	
Chielrana non nair	40	(10)	60	

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VEGETABLES. Potatoes, per bag.



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Beef, per lb.
Mutton, quarters, per lb.
Lamb, quarter
Hides, No. 1, per lb.
Hides, No. 2, per lb.
Hides, No. 3, per lb.
Calfskins, green
Lambskins
Wool, washed, per lb.
Wool, washed, per lb.
Tanow, rendered, per lb.
Tallow, rough

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ST. THOMAS MARKET. St. Thomas, Jan. 12.—Wheat, per bu; 63c; oats, per bu, 25c; peas, per bu, 40c to 45c; barley, per bu, 35c to 45c; rye, 60c; old corn, 45c; new corn, 36c; flax-seed, per cwt., \$2.

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TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET Toronto, Jan. 12.-Wheat-Red and white, 65c bid, middle freights, with 66c asked. Goose, 63½c bid, middle freights; spring, 68½c east; Manitoba No. 1 hard, 96c, grinding in transit; No. 2 hard is quoted at 94c, and No. 3 hard at 82c grinding in transit; ½c to 1c less is quoted for all rail, North Bay. Flour steady; 90 per cent patents in barrels, middle freights, were bought today for export; choice brands, 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is quoted at \$4 20 for Hungarian patents, and \$3 80 for strong bakers, in car lots, bags in-cluded, Toronto. Millfeed steady; cars of shorts are quoted at \$13 50, and bran firmer at \$13, north and west. Barley quiet; No. 2 is quoted at 39½c and No. 3 extra, 38½c, middle freights. Buck-wheat steady at 49c, middle freights. Rye steady at 48c, middle freights. Corn steady at 36c for Canada yellow west; No. 3 American yellow, 44½c, Toronto. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 27c, middle freights. Peas steady at 611/2c, middle freights. Peas steady at 61½c, middle freights, and 60½c, north and west. Butter quiet; 18c to 20c for pound dairy rolls; 18c to 19c for large rolls; 15c to 17c for low grade rolls and 13c to 15c for tubs; creamery steady at 22c to 23c and solids 20c to 22c. Eggs dull; fresh later good demand at 28c dull; fresh laid, good demand at 28c for case lots; selected held are worth 20c to 21c; ordinary, 16c to 18d; smalls, 12c to 14c, and splits, 9c. Dressed hogs—

Offerings light; cars here, \$7 75 to \$8, and \$7 50 bid. TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, Jan. 14.—Baled hay—The receipts are moderate and the market is steady. No. 1 is quoted at \$10 to \$10 50 per ton, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$9 50 per ton, car lots on track here. Baled straw—Offerings very light and demand good. Quotations range from \$5 to \$6 per ton for car lots on track here.

THE OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Jan. 12 .- Oil closed at Pittsburg, Jan. 14.-Oil opened at \$1 25.

OIL CITY, Jan. 12.—Credit balances, \$1 25; certificates, nominally, \$1 27. 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-	J	an. 9.		an. 10.		an.		an, 2.
Red Winter	6	834	6	214	6	25%	6	214
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	5	6	5	6	5	6	5
Walla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. 1 Cal	6	8	6	516	6	51%	8	514
Feb	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
March	6	25%	6	25%	6	2%	6	2
May	8	25/8	6	21/4	6	234	46	23/
CORN-							11	
New	4	014	4	0	4	0	4	0
Old	4	1%	4	134	4	1%	1 4	14
Nov	0	0	0	0	0	0	ō	0
Dec	0	0	O	ŏ	0	0	0	ŏ
Jan	3	1166	8	1116	3	11	3	11
March	3	10	3	103%		101/	3	10
May	3	95%	3	974	3	95%	3	934
Flour	20	3	20	3	20	3	20	3
Peas	5	614	5	634	5	634	5	6%
Pork, prime mess	72	0	72	0	68	•	68	0
Lard	38	3	37		37	9	37	9
Tallow	25		25	9	25	9	25	9
Bacon, light	12		42	6	43	0	43	ō
Cheese, white	5%		62		52	Ö	52	ŏ
	53	0	53	Ö	53	ŏ	53	0

Hops-At London, Pacific coast, steady,

Hops—At London, Pacific coast, steady, £2 5s to £3 5s.

Beef—Extra Indian mess, dull, 66s
Pork—Prime mess western, dull 68s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 6s.
Lard—Firm, American refined in pails, 39s 6d; prime western in tierces, 37s 6d.
Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 45s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 43s 9d; long middle light, 28 to 34 lbs, 43s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 49s 3d; long clear middles heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 41s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 48s.
Shoulders—Firm, 34s 6d.
Butter—Steady; finest United States, 82s 6d; choice steady; American finest white, 52s; American finest colored, 53s.
Tallow—Steady; prime city, 25s 9d; Australian in London, 27s 9d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, steady, 21s 9d.

steady, 21s 9d.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 28s 3d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 9d.
Linseed oil—Steady, 31s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined, quiet, 7s.

SUGAR. London, Jan. 12.-Beet sugar, Jan., 9s

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Flour—Receipts, 17,170 bbls; sales, 2,400 pkgs; state and western market ruled wholly nominal and mostly for the top grades; Minnesota patents, \$4 10 to \$4 35; wire straights, \$4 25 to \$4 60. Rye flour, dull; fair to good



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\$2.80 to \$3.15; choice to fancy, \$3.15 to \$3.60. Wheat, receipts, 22,500 bus; sales, 1,100,000 bus; options market had a steady opening, but very quickly yielded to cable news, liberal northwest receipts, liquidation and talk of heavy world's shipments; May, \$1.3c to \$2½c. Rye, steady, state, 53c c. l. f., New York car lots; No. 2 western, 53½c, f. o. b., afloat. Corn, receipts, 71,175 bu; sales, 30,000 bu; options market was dull and barely steady on account of lower cables, the drop in wheat and improved weather west; May, 44½c to 44.3-16c. Oats, receipts, 47,600 bu; options dull and barely steady. Lard, steady. Butter, receipts, 2,851 pkgs, market easy; state dairy, 15c to 20c; oreamery, 16c to 22c; June creamery, 15c to 20½c; factory, 11c to 14c; imitation creamery, 14c to 17c. Cheese, receipts, 1,127 pkgs, market firm; fancy large fall made, 11½c to 12c. Eggs, receipts, 3,740 pkgs; market easy; state and Pennsylvania, 21c to 23c; western averaged packed at market, 20½c; western loss off, 21c. Sugar, raw firm; refined steady. Coffee, dull; No. 7 Rio, 7½c; nominal. Lead, dull. Barley, steady; barley malt, dull. Barley, steady. Wooldull.

BUFFALO, Jan 12.—Spring wheat—No. LIGHT RAIN. LATE LOCAL ITEMS DEATH OF MRS. SQUIRES.

BUFFALO, Jan. 12.-Spring wheat-No. 1 hard, 88c; No. 1 northern, 84c to 85c. Winter wheat, No. 2 red, 77c; No. 1 white, 76½c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 42c; No. 3 yellow, 41½c; No. 2 corn, 41½c; No. 2 corn, 41c, on track. Oats, No. 3 white, 20%c; No. 3 white, 30c; No. 2 mixed, 28c, on track

DETROIT, Jan. 12—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 81c; No. 2 red cash and Jan., 80½c; May, 82½c.

TOLEDO, Jan. 12.—Wheat—Cash, 79¼c; May, 82¼c; July, 80¾c. Corn, May, 43½c. Oats, May, 26c.

Oats, May, 25c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Wheat was quiet and weak early today, but rallied on bullish flour news and closed firm; May ½c. higher. Corn closed ½c, oats a shade and provisions a shade to 5c lower. Local receipts were 87 cars, one of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 331 cars, against 310 last week and 354 a year ago. Primary receipts aggregated 653,000 bushels, compared with 431,000 bushels the corresponding day last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 143,000 bushels. Estimated receipts Monday: Wheat, 100 cars; corn, 550 cars; oats, 230 cars, hogs, 40,000 head. The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Jan., 74%c; Feb., 37c; May, 77%c. Corn—Jan., 36%c; Feb., 37c; May, 77%c. Corn—Jan., 38%c; May, 24%c; to 25c. Mess Pork—Jan., \$14 25; May, \$14. Lard—Jan., \$7 32½; March, \$7 35; May, \$7 45. Ribs—Jan., \$7; May, \$7 10. Cash quotations: Flour, quiet; winter patents, \$3 70 to \$3 90; straights, \$3 20 to \$3 50; bakers, \$2 20 to \$3 56; clears, \$2 80 to \$3 40; spring specials, \$4 40 to \$450; patents, \$3 60 to \$3 80; straights, \$3 20 to \$3 50; bakers, \$2 20 to \$2 70. No. 3 spring wheat, 69c to 70c; No. 2 red, 76c to 78c. No. 2 corn, 37c to 37¼c; No. 2 yeilow, 37c to 37¼c. No. 2 oats, 24c; No. 2 white, 26%c to 27½c; No. 3 white, 26%c to 27½c; No. 3 spring time timothy seed, \$4 70. Mess Pork, per barrel, \$14 to \$14 26. Lard, \$7 30 to \$7 32½. Short rib sides, \$6 90 to \$7 20. Shoulders, 6½c to 6½c. Short clear sides, \$7.25 to \$7 35. Clover, \$10 75. Eggs, weak, fresh, 18c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 29,000 bbls; wheat, 97,000 bu; corn, 150,000 bu; oats, 220,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 63,000 bu.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Jan. 12—Beans are easy and CHICAGO, Jan. 12.-Wheat was quiet

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Jan. 12.—Beans are easy and unchanged. Sellers are in the majority. January, \$2 10; February, \$2 10; March, \$2 10, all asked.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. CHICAGO, Jan. 12.

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	May		7776	77 1/8	777
	Corn-Jan		86 5/8	361/8	364
8	May		885%	3834	885
	Oats-Jan		25		11
	May	. 25	25	24 36	243
	Pork-Jan				
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NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Butter, easy; creamery, 16c to 22c; factory, 11c to 14c; June creamery, 15c to 20½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 17c; state dairy, 15c to 20c. Cheese, firm; fancy large, fall made, 11½c to 11½c; do, small, 11½c to 12c. CHICAGO, Jan. 12—Butter, weak; creamerles, 14c to 21c; dairies, 12c to 18c; Cheese dull, 10½c to 10½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; good to prime steers, \$5 30 to \$6; poor to medium, \$3 60 to \$5 20; stockers and feeders, steady to firm, \$2 851 to \$4 40; cows, \$2 65 to \$4 15; heifers, \$2 75 to \$4 40; canners, \$2 to \$2 60; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 25; calves, \$4 to \$6 35; Texas fed steers, \$4 10 to \$4 85; Texas grass steers, \$3 35 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 50. Hogs—Receipts 27,000; good to choice, heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 35; rough, heavy, \$6 to \$5 10; light, \$5 05 to \$5 20; bulk of sales, \$5 25 to \$5 35. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; good to choice wethers, \$3 85 to \$4 80; fair to choice, mixed, \$3 50 to \$5 85; western sheep, \$3 85 to \$4 75; Texas sheep, \$2 50 to \$3 65; native lambs, \$5 to \$5 35. Receipts and shipments for week ending today and last week: Receipts—Cattle, 57,000; hogs, 217,000; sheep, 65,600. Shipments—Cattle, 46,200; hogs, 143,600; sheep, 51,700.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Re-LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Receipts—Cattle, 132 cars; sheep and lambs, 30 cars; hogs, 70 cars. Shipments—Cattle, 132 cars; sheep and lambs, 20 cars; hogs, 26 cars. Cattle—Moderate demand; genue weak but with cooler cars. Cattle—Moderate demand; general feeling weak, but with cooler weather the prospects were steady for next week. Calves—Steady on the basis of 8c; offerings moderate. Sheep and lambs—40 loads on sale; choice to extra lambs, \$5.85 to \$6; good to choice, \$5.65 to \$5.85; common to fair, \$4.50 to \$5.0; sheep, choice to extra \$4.75 to \$5.50 code to \$5 \$5; common to fair, \$4 50 to \$5 50; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 75 to \$5; good to choice, \$4 50 to \$4 75. Hogs—Total offerings, \$5 loads; market opened slow, at \$5 35 for heavy and mixed, and \$5 35 to \$5 37½ for Yorkers; pigs, \$5 25 to \$5 35; roughs, \$4 75 to \$4 90; stags, \$4 to \$4 35; closed weak and lower, basis on best hogs being \$5 30, and on pigs, \$5 20.

East York Conservatives have decided not to make a nomination for the Local Legislature until Jan. 25. W. M. Maclean, M.P., fayors the plan of having the programme of the opposition in parliament mapped out and controlled by a committee of the party, rather than leaving all to the leader.

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ADKINS, THE JEWELER. EAST LONDON.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—10 a.m.—Weather probabilities for the next twenty-four hours for the lower lakes region: Southerly and southwesterly winds; milder; light local rains this evening. Tuesday — Fair and mild.

The death occurred in London township, on Thursday last, of Mrs. Annie S. Squires, at the age of 56 years. Death was due to paralysis. The interment will take place at St. Marys immediately after the arrival of a daughter of the deceased lady from North Carolina.

DECLARED INSANE.

Miss Rebecca Egett, of London township, and James Erwin, of Belmont, appeared on Saturday before Judge Edward Elliott, charged with being insane. Drs. Macanthur and Waugh testified as to the mental unsoundness of both patients. They were both declared insane, and were ordered to be removed to the asylum.

DAIRYMEN'S CONVENTION. The Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario will meet in convention here tomorrow and continue in session four days. The opening meeting be held in the Opera House at 1:30 in the afternoon, and promises to be very largely attended. The evening meeting tomorrow will be held in the Auditorium, as "The Tide of Life" company is appearing at the Opera House. Many prominent speakers will address the meeting.

DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT. The death occurred on Saturday of one of the oldest residents of London in

the person of Mrs. Edwards, wife of Squire Henry Edwards, J.P. Deceased, who was very highly esteemed, had reached the advanced age of 83 years. She had been ailing for some weeks, but was only confined to her bed two or three days prior to her death. The funeral will take place tomorrow after-noon from the family residence, corner of Egerton and Muir streets, and proceed to the Egerton Street Baptist Mission, where a service will be held, thence to the Baptist Church Cemetery

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One of London's most deserving charitable institutions, the Home for Incurables, which was established some years ago by the ladies in connection ing the closing year of the century, been was sent to my husband by Lenana, considerably enlarged and improved. the Masai chief." The home, which is situated on Dundas street, is now large and attractive, and capable of accommodating twice the number that could have been taken in formerly. Everything has been done in order to surround the helpless ones with the brightest and sunniest environ-Twelve new rooms have been added, including a men's ward. Many particularly attractive, and will be for the accommodation of those incurables who have no home, but are possessed of a little money. At present there are 29 patients in the home; but when all the rooms have been prepared for the reception of occupiers,40 will be accommodated. About one-half of those in the home are paypatients. The new wing, together with some improvements to the old one, cost upwards of \$5,000. Mrs. Merchant, president of the W. C. A., and Mrs. Perrin, treasurer, with other leading ladies of the city, have worked hard to bring to a successful issue this good work. Dr. G. B. Campbell kindly gives his services, and takes a deep interest in all matters pertaining to the work. Mrs. Groshaw, the superintendent, is specially fitted for the very trying position she has to fill. Her cheerful disposition and tact contribute in no small degree to the success in managing the home, where three-fourths of the patients are entirely helpless.

PERMANENTLY DISABLED.

Three Doctors' Verdict on Robert Bond Five Years Ago, Yet He Lives Today.

Mount Brydges, Ont., Jan. 14.-Five years ago the Provincial Provident Institution, of St. Thomas, paid a total disability claim to Mr. Robert Bond, of this place. Mr. Bond had Bright's Disease. The doctors had given him up and three physicians examined him for the institution and pronounced him "totally and permanently disabled and incurable."

He commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and soon regained his health and strength. He is quite well today and the old gentleman enjoys nothing better than telling about it. "I owe my life to Dodd's Kidsays: ney Pills. I never would have had the pleasure of seeing the old century out and the new one in but for this wonderful remedy. It's five years ago now since they all said I couldn't live a month. Yet here I am."

Coming and Going.

D. B. Kennedy, of Clinton, spent Tuesday in this city. -Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald, of

this city, visited in Lucan this week. visited at her home in Lucan this Miss Cora Atkinson, of this city, Mrs. Clark, of Ottawa, is visiting

her sister, Mrs. H. C. McBride, Craig street, South London. Mrs. Harkness and Mrs. Allen, Belmont, are the guests of Miss Rob-ertson, 502 Simcoe street.

Miss Hattie Dear is the guest of Miss Tiny Edwards, Ailsa Craig. Miss Craig is visiting at the home of Mr. J. K. Morris, Blenheim.

Miss Lil Brophy, Talbot street, left yesterday for a visit to Detroit. Miss Lela Crookshanks, of Blenheim, is attending Hellmuth Ladies' College

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Lion-Hunting by a Lady.

In Pearson's Weekly Mrs. Hinde tells how, during a year spent in Africa, she greatly longed to see a wild lion, and how at last, shortly before her departure from that country, she saw in a few weeks 30 or 40 of these sav-age animals, and was successful in killing one herself. She was with her husband on the Athi River. The plains were covered with short grass. At half-past five in the afternoon they climbed into a tree, sent their men and horses back to the camp, had an ex-cellent dinner and then began their respective watches, Mrs. Hind says:

"As the night draws on the grasses rustle beneath the stealthy footsteps of jackals, and suddenly one hears the weird cry of a hyena, which is tekan up on all sides. Later come the antelope and zebras, and the rushing sound of a herd galloping past, and last of all the grunt, which swells gradually to the heart-quaking roar of the lion.

"A startled stillness follows, and then nearer and nearer comes the grunting, till the Mon himself appears, walking very slowly, and stopping every few yards to roar and roar." On this particular night the watchers heard the lions cracking the bones of their prey in the patch of grass in front. When the meal was over they began to play, and the noises they made suggested mammoth tom-cats. Each repeated the call in turn, and the grass rustled and swayed as they leasped about.

"It was in the hush of early morning," says Mrs. Hinde, "just before the rising of the sun, and during my watch, that I thought I heard a sound in the neighborhood of the bait. Raising myself on one elbow, I saw a magnificent lion standing over the dead zebra, barely twelve feet away. He picked up half the zebra in his mouth and carried it just as a cat does her kittens, his feet apart and with a roll

ing walk. "As I woke by husband, the lion—which was then about forty yards off—charged straight toward him, and with my 303 I hit him in the chest, as we afterward discovered, tearing his windpipe to pieces and breaking his spine. He charged a second time, and the next shot hit him through the shoulder and entered his heart. dropped, one could not help feeling a pang of regret, he looked so splendid. He gave about six sobbing sighs, and

"We had nearly an hour to wait before our men and horses were to arrive; so we breakfasted and as we finished our meal we saw four lions down by the river—a huge male, a lionless, and two big cubs. My husbland took a shot-over me-and the lion fell with a roar. He struggled up again, and it was not until the third shot that he finally fell in the

river grass.
"At the third shot our men appeared and they went down to the river and cut a path through the payrus along which to drag the lion. grand, black-maned beast, well known to the natives as a man-eater and a with the W. C. A. of the city, has, dur- cattle-thief. A deputation of thanks

DEATH OF MRS. SHERMAN. Petrolia, Jan. 14.-A telegram was received here Saturday from Pasadena, Cal., announcing the death of Mrs. H. B. Sherman.The deceased was a daughter of the late H. W. Lancey and sister of Mrs. Wm. English. Mrs. Sherman was a great favorite in this town, and beloved by all, and much regret is ex-

EARLY CLOSING CONVICTION

QUASHED. Toronto, Jan. 14. - The divisional court on Saturday quashed the convic-tion of A. McMillan, a prominent jeweler of Ottawa, for selling goods after the hour prescribed by the early clos-ing bylaw. Mr. McMillan appealed on two grounds, first that the goods were sold by an auctioneer, and not in the regular way of trade, and second, that the magistrate exceeded his jurisdiction in ordering imprisonment in default of payment of costs The court upset the conviction on the

A SOLDIER'S TREASURE With a rose in the rim of his fawn

colored hat, And a jingle of saber and spur, A soldier rode by in the dawn and the dew

Ere the village was scarcely astir. The patter and clatter of sharp little hoofs Brought her into the window above

Her eyes were as blue as the sky overhead. Unclouded by sorrow or love.

In the gold of the sunrise they halted below, Bay mare and brave rider, a space And her kerchief dropped out as she leaned from the sill,

A fragment of linen and lace. He caught it in air on the point of his sword And buttoned it under his blouse, And cantered away, but drew rein on And turned to look back at the

While she dreamed of a soldier returning from war To halt at her window again,

The mare and her rider lay dead in the dust Where bullets were falling like rain;

house.

And a comrade who passed in a moment of truce Stooped over and covered his face With a kerchief he found in the breast

of his blouse, A fragment of linen and lace. -Minna Irving in Leslie's Weekly.

PURPLE HILL

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Purple Hill, Jan. 12, 1901.—L. O. L., No. 817, Purple Hill, entertained a large number of its members and their friends in a most enjoyable manner Friday evening. By 8 o'clock fully 80 couples had assembled in the new hail, which was brilliantly lighted and tastefully decorated with evergreens for the occasion. Dancing was started at 8:30, music being furnished by Messrs. Currie Bros., violinsts, of Derwent.

Going-home time came only too soon, the guests departing shortly after 4 o'clock, heartly wishing L. O. L., No. 817, every success and that they may have another party before the winter is over.

Manchester, England, has decided to establish a mounted police force for the city, consisting of 25 men. TESTED BY TIME.—In his justly

celebrated Pills Dr. Parmelee has given to the world one of the most unique medicines offered to the public in late years. Prepared to meet the want for a pill which could be taken without nausea, and that would purge without pain, it has met all re-quirements in that direction, and it is in general use not only because of these two qualities, but because it is known to possess alterative and curative powers which place it in the front rank of medicines,

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An Arctic Night.

Nothing more wonderfully beautiful can exist than the Arctic night. It is dreamland, painted in the imagination's most delicate tints; it is color etherealized. One shade melts into another, so that you cannot tell where one ends and the other begins.

No forms—it is all faint, dreamy, color

music, a far-away melody, on mute strings. Give it brighter colors and it is no longer so beautiful. Over the ice fields there are violet blue shadows with lighter pink tints, where a ridge here and there catches the last reflection of the

vanished day.

Up in the blue of the cupola, the stars, speaking peace, as they always do.

In the south stands a large yellow moon encircled by a yellow ring, and light golden clouds floating on the blue background. background

Presently the aurora borealis shakes over the vault of heaven its veil of glitover the vault of heaven its veil of glit-tering silver; it spreads, it contracts again, in restless change; next it breaks into many folded bands of shining silver, over which shoot billows of glittering rays, and then the glory vanishes. Pres-ently it shimmers in tongues of flame over the very zenith, and then it shoots a bright ray right up from the horizon, until the whole melts away in the moon-light, and it is as though one heard the light, and it is as though one heard the sigh of a departing spirit.

Here and there are left a few waying streamers of light, vague as a foreboding—they are the dust from Aurora's glittering cloak.

But now it is growing again, new lightnings shoot up, and the endless game begins afresh. And all this time this utter stillness, impressive as the symphony of infinitude.

To what end all this beauty with not a creature to reside in it? This is

a creature to rejoice in it? This is the coming earth—here are beauty and death. But to what purpose? Ah, what is the purpose of all these spheres? Read the answer, if you can, in the blue, starry firmament.—From Nansen's "Farthest North."

It Girdles the Globs.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Felons, Aches, Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Only infallible Pile Cure. 25c a box at W. T. Strong & Co.'s.

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Laxative Bromo-Ouinine Tableta the remedy that cures a cold in one day would be an easy thing to attend to. "We have not completed our plans yet,"

said Mr. Johnson, "but I am ready to

state that under certain conditions 1

delphia, Baltimore and Washington. It

would only take one more club to make up a complete circuit, and that city will

be easy to secure. I am not prepared to say that the tenth city will be Boston. Perhaps it will and perhaps again it will not. We can get Boston if we need it. As to the schedule, that will

be an easy matter. It would be almost as convenient to make out a schedule

for ten clubs as for eight. No trouble

will be expected on that score. I expect to see the scheme go through."

TURF.

SATURDAY'S WINNERS. At San Francisco-Darlene, Essence, Litmus, Articulate, Bathos, Tiburon. At New Orleans-Indian, Lady Cur-

zon, Harve B., Ed Gartland, Beana,

CANADIAN CIRCUIT STAKES.

Detroit, Jan. 12.-The Canadian racing circuit has announced the stakes it will offer for the meetings at Fort Erie (Buffalo) and Highland Park (Detroit). The principal ones are as fol-

At Fort Erie-Canadian Derby, 14, miles, for 3-year-old foals of 1898, value

\$2,000; Hamilton stake, selling, 6 fur-longs, for 3-year-olds and upwards that

have never won a stake of \$800 value,

\$1,000; Pan-American handicap, 1 mile

for year-old and up, \$1,000; Buffalo stake, 5 furlongs, for 2-year-olds, \$1,000; Barrie stake, 4½ furlongs, for 2-year-

olds, \$1,000; Grand Canadian handicap,

steeplechase, short course, for 4-year-

At Highland Park - Turf Congress

stake, 1 1-16 miles, a sweepstake for 3-year-olds; Turf Congress stake, 4½ fur-

HOCKEY.

A FIERCE GAME.

New York, Jan. 12.-With hockey which

New York, Jan. 12.—With hockey which proved a revelation to the onlookers, the all New York team tonight defeated the supposed invincible Victorias, of Montreal, by a score of 2 to 1. The game was the fastest Ind roughest contest ever seen in the state. One man, Bowie, the Canadian captain, needed a surgeon's assistance because of a wound in his right foot which was cut through to the beau

sistance because of a wound in his right foot, which was cut through to the bone. Times innumerable the players were bowled over, and just before the finish Howard and Guilo came together, head on, causing the game to be stopped for some minutes. Jenniston was knocked out by the disc and outstretched by the rubber just as the whistle blew announcing the close of play.

SHAMBOCKS REATEN

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Montreal, Jan. 12.—To say that the lovers of laockey are surprised here to-night would be putting it mild. The fact

QUEBEC VS. MONTREAL.

It was 9:16 p.m. before the Quebec-Montreal hockey match was started here Saturday night, owing to the Montreal-ers' train being delayed by the snow-storm. Quebec seemed to have it all

their own way in the first half, and scored 3 goals to Montreal's nothing, but in the last half Montreal got a gait on

and Quebec went completely to pieces

and Quebec went completely to pieces. Montreal scoring seemingly as they pleased, rushing up a total of 7 goals to Quebec's nothing. The final score was thus 7 to 3 in Montreal's favor. The game was not what could be called rough, but it was neither tame.

BANK LEAGUE.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 12.—The senior hockey season was opened in Toronto this afternoon, when the Dominion Bank and Bank of Commerce teams played

the first game in the bank league, the Dominion winning by one goal.

MONTREALERS AT NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 11.—The crack Victoria hockey club, of Montreal, played the New York Athletic Club seven hockey tonight, and beat them by 8 goals to 5.

VICTORY FOR BARRIE.

Barrie, Jan. 12 .- An intermediate O. H

A. hockey match between Barrie and Collingwood was played here last even-ing, resulting in a victory for Barrie by

CAMPBELLFORD A WINNER.

Campbellford, Jan. 12.—Campbellford and Madoc played their first game in the Trent Valley Hockey League series here

last night, resulting in a score of 21 to in favor of Campbellford.

PEMBROKE VICTORIOUS.

Arnprior, Jan. 12.—Anprior and Pembroke played their first hockey match in the Ottawa Valley League series here this season last night, Pembroke winning after a close exciting game by 6 to 4.

NO GAME AT TILBURY.

Tilbury, Jan. 12.—Tilbury has not given up the contest in O. H. A., and is still in the game, but could not play last night on account of there being no ice here

CURLING.

DETROIT BONSPIEL.

The fourth annual bonspiel of the De

troit curling club, an event of interna tional character, is scheduled for tomor

row and Wednesday. Among those expected to enter are the Granites of Toronto, the Thistles of Hamilton and Woodstock, Simcoe and Stratford, while

entries have been made by the following clubs: Windsor, Chatham, Glencoe, Embro, Ridgetown, Sarnia, Forest, Grand Rapids, Toledo, Pontiac, the Forest City of London and Sault Ste. Marie.

At the conclusion of the bonspiel the rinks entered in the Ontario tankard and

assigned to group 9 will commence play on the rinks of the Detroit curling club The dates of play and of drawing have

on the rinks of the Detroit curing club.
The dates of play and of drawing have
not yet been decided, but if the ice holds
good there is little doubt that the
matches will be played this week. Nearly all of the rinks included in group 9
will be there and it replayed the convenient

will be there, and it makes it convenient for the curlers to finish up without making another trip to Detroit. The clubs that are included in this group are Chatham, Windsor, Glencoe, Detroit, Toledo, Ridgetown, Grand Rapids and Thames-

ELKES A WINNER.

Boston, Jan. 12.—Harry Elkes, of Glens Falls, N. Y., added another victory to his long list by defeating Albert W. Ross, of Patterson, N. J., in a 15-mile motor-

NAVY ALL NEW-NO OLD HULKS

Japan is stronger at sea than the

figures show, because her navy list is not inflated, as is that of nearly every

other power, with the names of obso-

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are new; all are first-rate and up to

date in every respect. She has finely equipped shipbuilding yards at Kobe

and Nagasaki; her workshops at Yo-kosuka employ 3,800 hands—all Ja-

more and she will have forged a wea-pon which will be wielded skillfully

and as ruthlessly to enforce the will

of the Land of the Rising Sun as the

forces of any other power.-Muncey's

Give her two or three years

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Lady Contrary.

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favor a ten-club circuit. There is probability that our next circuit will be made up of ten cities. We already have nine—Milwaukee, Chicago, Detroit, In-dianapolis, Cleveland, Buffalo, Phila-

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RE you using colored and adulterated teas from startled Louis Arlesbury like a thrill of electricity, and turning, he had caught the glimmer of her light through a crevice of the curtains. Turning down his light, he had stolen to the door, where, concealed by the drapery, he had watched her until she left the place, and had been much surprised at the way she had conducted herself. He could not hear what she said when

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The Oueen's Veil.

nantanananananananananananana The eyes were dark and large, and full of intelligence; the forehead broad and well-developed for one of his age, and the brows, that straight smooth line that was one of the distinguishing marks of the Carisford race, while there was a strong resemblance in his whole face to that of the older man at his side.

Tina's lips quivered as she looked. The picture of the boy affected her strangely, then with a look of anxiety deepening in her eyes she passed on to the next portrait.

trait.

It represented a young man of perhaps twenty years. His hair was of a chestnut hue, and thrown carelessly back from his brow, broader and fuller than that of the youth, but identical in other respects. The eyes had deepened and darkened a trifle, but the expression was the same as were also the straight, the same, as were also the straight, well-shaped nose and the smiling lips, which, however, had a suspicion of pride

in their curves.

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The young girl fairly held her breath as she gazed, for she knew that her own face was but a refined type of this, and the eyes looking down into hers seemed almost to own a kindred tie and to follow her every movement with a tender, wistful expression.

Tears sprang to her eyes, sobs broke from her quivering lips, and a pain, which, however, was not altogether pain, smote and thrilled her heart.

"Oh, speak and tell me all this dread secret!" she cried, with a yearning voice. "I know you, although within my memory I have never seen you before. I own you—in my soul I know that to you live my being. Ah! if I might but put life into your lips for one brief instant, to tell me what I wish to know."

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Was it her imagination, and the excitement of the moment, or did those lips relax into a reassuring smile. Did those tender eyes soften and gleam into a wistful, yearning look, as if they longed to acknowledge her all his own? Perhaps it was caused by her changing the position of the candle; but whatever it was her heart thrilled and her pulses bounded with the strangest emotions, and then all at once her eyes fell upon something that made her spring close to the picture with a low cry of joy. with a low cry of joy.

CHAPTER XXVII.

Suspended from a curiously-wrought watch chain which the young man wore was a portion of a cross entwined with

"It is the very same!" Tina whispered, almost awe-struck by the sight.
With a trembling hand she drew the slender chain from her own neck, and held that curious ornament close up against that in the picture.

It was the exact counterpart.
The fair girl's excited nerves could bear no more. The strength all went out of her as if she had been stricken with par-

no more. The strength all went out of her as if she had been stricken with par-alysis, and, sinking upon the polished floor, she set her candle down, and, covher face with her hands, sobbed

ering her face with her hands, sobbed as if her heart was breaking.
"I own my father," she said, after a time; and, looking up again at the picture, her eyes drawn thither by some power she could not control, "but where to my birthright?"
"Tell me" she cried reaching up her "Tell me," she cried, reaching up her clasped hands beseechingly, her eyes gleaming, her cheeks crimson, "tell me, have I a right to the name you bear, or

must I go through life with the brand of shame stamped upon my brow?"

Even while she spoke, a sense of comfort stole into her bruised heart.

Those tender eyes beamed so fondly on her, those handsome lips smiled so kindly, that it was like oil upon the troubled waters like a gently groken

kindly, that it was like oil upon the troubled waters—like a gently spoken "peace, be still," and she began to grow calm almost immediately.

"I believe you to be too noble to be dishonorable," Tina said, involuntarily, after gazing long and fixedly at the portrait again. "I believe that you had a grand nature, that you were kind, and gentle, and true; I will love you—I will cling to you until I know you were false, and until the mystery is solved I will strive to wait patiently, and bear my cross with meekness."

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She bowed her head for a moment as if in prayer, then rising, calmed and not altogether comfortless, she took her candle and glided from the room as noiselessly as she had come.

Scarcely had she disappeared, when some curtains on the opposite side of the gallery parted, revealing a glass-door with a light shining from a room beyond. The door opened and a dark figure crossed the floor.

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There was a slight scratching noise, and then a match blazed up, and was held close to the picture before which Tina had stood so long.

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The gallery, as we have said before, led to the state apartments of the mansion, or rather, these rooms opened into the gallery all along on one side, and the young man had been spending a couple of hours in the state drawing-room, examining a cabinet of curiosities which had been sent as a gift to his grandfather from Russia during his absence.

A glass door separated this room from the corridor, and over this heavy silken curtains hung suspended from silver

The house was so quiet that when

Breakfast Cereals

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Cream of Wheat, Swiss Food, Malt Food, Grape Nuts, Quaker Oats, Pettijohn's, Purina Health Flour.

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(Specially prepared for invalids).

169 Dundas Street.

The next morning Tina was reading as usual to the earl in the pleasant sewing-room, when the door was opened in no very gentle manner, and Lady Arlesbury sailed majestically in.

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Tina was somewhat pale, for her sleepless night, together with the excitement she had undergone, had robbed her of some of her roses, but she looked extremely pretty with that new tender light in her beautiful eyes, and the tremulous smile about her red lips—she could not be altogether miserable, notwithstanding the clouds that were overshadowing her, with the knowledge that she was so tenderly loved by a noble, true-hearted man.

The earl looked up, annoyed at his daughter's entrance. He supposed she had come to give Tina some orders concerning her work, and he did not like to have her reading interrupted. But the young girl knew very well that the storm she had been dreading was about to burst upon her.

"My lord," her ladyship began with unusual stateliness, "I would like a few words with Mademoiselle Florienz."

Then, turning to Tina, she continued, with lowering brow and angry eyes:

"After your defiance of my commands, and your improper deportment of yesterday, I have no further use for your services. You will find the sum due you, together with a fortnight's pay in advance, in this purse."

She laid a small porte monnaie upon the table before Tina, as she spoke, and then continued:

[To be Continued.]

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

The American League Will Be a Ten Club Affair.

Scores of a Big Bunch of Hockey Games-The Detroit Bonspiel-Racing Results.

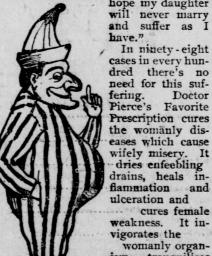
Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 12.-The directors of the Saengerfest Athletic Assomination to pull off the Jeffries-Ruhlin fight here Feb. 15, but the preponderance of public sentiment is to the contrary. The ministers had an enthusiastic meeting yesterday, and the women's clubs and other associations opposing the fight were unusually activ and there was an informal meeting of members of the bar. Notwithstanding all the obstructions which confront them, the directors of the Saengerfest Athletic Club still insist that they will hold the fight, and the work is proceeding at Saengerfest Hall.

The attorneys of the Evangelic Association of this city have a warrant for the arrest of Gus Ruhlin, who has an engagement to appear at the Irwin matinee here next Sunday, and at the performances during the week, while he is in training here. The Ohio statute makes it a felony to be in training in the state for a prize fight, and under this section the opponents of the fight purpose to begin with the prosecution of Ruhlin, even to the extent of taking his case before the grand jury, which is now in session

BASEBALL. WILL HAVE TEN CLUBS.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—President Johnson, of the American League, announces that the American League circuit may be made up of ten clubs instead of eight. Nine cities already have franchises in the league, and it is intimated that Boston might possibly be chosen for the tenth. Louisville, of course, will

Almost everybody remembers the celebrated advice of the London Punch, "To those about to marry. Don't." There is in that advice the expression of the feeling of many a mother who says, "I hope my daughter will never marry



drains, heals in flammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It invigorates the womanly organism, tranquilizes nerves and gives the mother strength to give

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure sick

Says the "Pan-Am." Will Surpass the Paris Fair.

Tells Chairman J. N. Scatcherd the Half Has Not Been Told of the Grandeur and Beauty of the Exposition at Buffalo.

"Scatcherd, you did not praise it half enough."

So spoke the distinguished statesman and famous after dinner orator, Senator Chauncey M. Depew, as he stood in the center of the grounds of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo and gazed upon the beautiful structures surrounding him on every side and now approaching completion. Senator Depew had come to Buffalo to deliver an address. His first desire



NEW YORK STATE BUILDING. on arrival in the city was to be driven to the grounds of the Exposition. The remark quoted above was addressed to Chairman John N. Scatcherd of the executive committee of the Exposition. who had told Senator Depew of the progress made in the building of the Exposition when they had met in Europe last summer. Mr. Scatcherd had dwelt long and eloquently upon the success which had attended the organization and construction of the Exposition, and "Our Chauncey's" expectations were high. Nevertheless antici-

pations are not equal to realization. Looking upon the scene before him from the sight of the grand Triumphal Brilge, he saw to his right the stately proportions of the United States Government buildings, to the left, across the spacious Esplanade, the charming architectural effects of the Graphic Arts, Horticultural and Mines buildings, while the vast Machinery and Transportation building, now almost complete, was seen in the background to the left. Opposite it, across the Court of Fountains, was the Manufactures and Liberal Arts building, and of the Ottawa's defeating the last year's invincible Shamrocks has started them to wonder what will happen next. The second half was decidently in Ottawa's favor, and they had no trouble winning out by a score of 4 to 2. the Electric Tower could be seen rising skyward in the distance at the far end of the vast court, with the towers and minarets of other buildings outlined against the horizon. As Mr. Depew took in this impressive scene the exclamation burst from his lips that

the half had not been told. Later in the day the popular orator addressed an audience which filled to overflowing Buffalo's great Conventior hope it is not that "thing of hall. In the opening lines of his speech the speaker declared: "Six weeks ago I was at the Universal Exposition at Paris. Today I went through the grounds where your Pan-American Exposition is to be held. I felt that Buffalo is going to do at least twice as well as Paris."

Latin-American and Pan-American. The press of the various countries of Latin-America show a cordial interest in the Pan-American Exposition. It is recognized that their co-operation is essential to the end that the Exposition may adequately represent the progress of all the states and countries of this hemisphere. As a rule the editors of newspapers and other publications in the countries to the south of the United States display a very favorable attitude toward the enterprise. B. B. Lopez, editor and proprietor of La Correspondencia de Porto Rico, has become so enthusiastic over the Exposition that he writes to the Press Department that he is about to come to Buffalo to see for himself the progress made in the development of the Exposition. He will be accompanied by his family. Many other editors of the Latin-American press have also announced their intention to attend the Exposition, and inquiries are pouring in from these countries regarding steamboat and railroad routes. Many editors and correspondents from Central and South American countries have already visited the Exposition grounds.

Wisconsin's Building.

Commissioners from Wisconsin, who have charge of the exhibits from that state at the Pan-American Exposition, have selected a site for the State building. About 20 acres have been set apart on the eastern side of the Exposition grounds for state and foreign buildings. The site chosen for the Wisconsin building is nearly opposite the large buildings of the National governments just south of one of the mirror lakes and south of the Ohio building. It will overlook the Esplanade, with its wonderful fountains and gardens, and a number of the large buildings will be in full view. The Wisconsin commission are Willard A. Van Brunt and George B. Burrows of Madison, B. E. Edwards of Lacrosse, Charles Reynpaced race, run on the pursuit plan, at Park Square Garden tonight, in 27:15 2-5. He led by nearly half a lap at the end of the race. Albert Chapman, of Paris, olds of Sturgeon Bay and George H. Yule of Kenosha. Wisconsin will spend \$25,000 on her building and exhibits at France, won the single motor pursuit race from F. A. Gately, Boston, in five laps. Time, 57 1-5 seconds. Buffalo.

A \$6,000 A. O. U. W. Building. The Ancient Order of United Workmen are planning elaborately to welcome the members of the order to Buffalo next year. The Supreme Lodge has appropriated \$3,000 and the State Lodge \$3,000 more to be used for the erection and furnishing of a fine headquarters building at the Pan-American Exposition. The Supreme Lodge will meet in Buffalo next year. The building is a handsome pavilion, with rooms for rest, and the upper floor a great balcony, with easy chairs, for all members of the order wb- attage the Ex-

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From Near-by Places

Mr. James Eagen, of con. 5, Westminster, has purchased fifteen acres from Mr. Lewis March for the sum of \$1,000. The land adjoins Mr. Eagan's farm, and has about five acres of wood

The delegates to the East Middlesex Farmers' Institute, to be held at Lambeth, on Wednesday, Jan. 16, and at Ilderton on Jan. 17, are Dr. James Mills, O. A. C., Guelph, and Mr. W. N. Hutt, Southend.

NILESTOWN.

Nilestown, Jan. 14.-The result of the weekly examinations for fourth and fifth classes of Nilestown public school s as follows, the names being in crder of merit:

Class V.-Walter McClary. Class IV. -Albert James, Louie Barnard, Lew-ella Greenfield, Stella Edwards, Nora Edwards, Frank Jackson. John D. Milne, teacher. Mrs. Marsh, of Gladstone, is at Al-

burn Gracies. She expects to spend the rest of the winter there. Mr. H. Piggott has sustained a severe injury to his eye, the result of a mishap that befell him when starting out with his team to haul stone for a foundation for his barn,
J. Knott is getting together material

for the barn on the Wilson-Jackson place. The structure is to be en-larged and greatly improved. It is intimated that the Messrs. Mc Cann will erect a new business block upon the site of the stores burned at Dorchester Station. The "beautiful" has come.

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Scott's Emulsion is a blood-making and strength-producing food. It removes that feeling if utter helpless-ness which takes possession of one when suffering from general debility. Prof. C. E. Bessey, who has been counting the rings of growth of the California big trees, doubts if any of them approach the age of 2,000 years. The farms in the neighborhood of Pretoria have been proved rich in coal, opper, gold and diamonds

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On and after Monday, Nov. 26, 1900, the train leaving Union Station To-ronto (via Grand Trunk Railway) at 10:00 p.m., connects with the Maritime Express and Local Express at Bonaventure depot, Montréal, as follows: The Maritime Express will leave Montreal daily, except on Saturday, at 12 noon for Halifax, N. S., St. John, N. B., the Sydneys, and points in the Maritime Provinces.

The Maritime Express from Halifax. St. John, the Sydneys and other points east will arrive at Montreal daily, except on Monday, at 5:30 p.m. The Local Express will leave Mon-treal daily, except Sunday, at 7:46 a.m., due to arrive at Levis at 1:05

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BOARD OF HEALTH

Last Meeting of Year-Vaccination-Chairman Entertains.

The final meeting of the board of health for 1900 was held Saturday night. The annual statement concerning the health of the city, and the semi-annual milk report were submitted by Medical Health Officer Hutch-

In addition to other matters, the board considered the school board's resolution to enforce the act requiring children to be vaccinated before be-ing allowed to attend school. This might prove a hardship to some people, it was thought, so the board re-solved, in order to facilitate the vaccination of persons not in a condition to pay for the same, whether attending school or not, that the board of health agree to pay to the physicians of the city 25 cents for each of such cases, provided that any physician presenting a claim for such payment shall make an affidavit giving a decessfully, with their addresses, and declaring that in his belief those vaccinated were unable to pay for the

hearty vote of thanks was tendered Chairman Charles Taylor for the he had performed the duties of his office during the year.

Mr. Taylor replied briefly. Subsequently he entertained his colleagues at the Hub restaurant, where a decidedly enjoyable hour was spent. Those present were Dr. Campbell, S. Ald. Douglass, Mayor Rumball, Dr. Hutchinson, Inspector Bell and Secretary Bell.

SUCCESSFUL GRADUATION.

Among those who recently graduated, very successfully, from the Training School for Nurses, in connection with the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, after a three-years' course, is Miss Cameron, daughter of Mr. John Cameron, of this city. The Penneylvania Hospital is an old founda-tion, from the times of George III., before the declaration of independence, and is one of the most celebrated and thorough hospitals in the world.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Jan. 13, 8 p.m.—The snowstorm continued during Saturday in Eastern Ontario and in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and in parts of Nova Scotia and Southern New Brunswick as much as two feet of snow fell. A very pronounced chinook is blowing in the Northwest Territories and extends as far as Manitoba. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46-50; Edmonton, 10-42; Qu'Appelle, 12-34; Winnipeg, 4 below-30; Port Arthur, 14-26; Parry Sound, 6 below-30; Toronto, 8-30; Kingston, 2-26; Montreal, 12-18; Quebec, 14-20; Hal-

ifax, 24-30. Local temperature-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday, Jan. 12, were 28 and 23.5 degrees; on Sunday,

Jan. 13, 30 and 12, Today (Monday) the sun rose at 7:49 a.m. and sets at 5:05 p.m. The moon rises at 2:16 a.m. and sets at 12:19

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

-Miss Margaret Philp, of Bruce street, has returned from Buffalo, where she has been for some months.

-Rev. George Gilmour, B.A., of London Junction, occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church, Chatham, on both occasions yesterday.

-Mrs. W. H. Rodgers, of Watford, died yesterday afternoon after a long and painful illness of cancer. Deceased was the stepmother of Mrs. W. E. Fitzgerald, of this city.

-Rev. J. C. Johnston, of Windsor, occupied the pulpit at Colborne Street Methodist Church yesterday morning, and that of Wellington Street Methodist Church yesterday evening.

Ontario Gazette of S turday contains the announcement that Messrs John Kennedy, Joseph McDougall and Daniel McIntyre have been reappointed license commissioners for East Middle-

-Madame Barakat addressed the men's meeting in the Auditorium yes terday afternoon, speaking on the subject, "The Bride of Christ and Her Jewels." The meeting was largely at-

-John Ballen, of the Wortman & Ward Manufacturing Company, left this city for his home in New York today The coopers and woodworkers of the shop presented him with a gold-headed cane, and an address, which was read tion made by John A. McConnell.

-Dr. Sowerby was greeted last evening with a packed house and a number were turned away. He was finishing a series on "The Gladiator's Rewards," and must have been pleased with the appreciation manifested by the people. He announced to the au-dience that he would begin a series on "Applied Christianity" next Sunday evening. This series of sermons will touch upon many of the common evils of the present day.

-The following is a supplementary list of contributions sent in to the Protestant Orphans' Home for the Christmas cheer: Mr. Edward Daly, 1 turkey, tapioca, raisins and granulated sugar; (Mr. W. L. Carrie, 28 purses, with a piece of money in each; Mr. C. Smith, 50 pounds of beef; Mr. John Pocock, 200 pounds of flour; Mr. G. W. S. Wilson, 6 bottles of Serrol's

SENT HOME.

Physicians in Germany Send Patients to America for Food.

Two clergymen who went to Germany last year for treatment by a noted specialist were told that they must use Grape-Nuts, made in America, at Battle Creek, Mich., for the principal part of each meal. This suggestion interested the two divines greatly, for ested the two divines greatly, low while they knew of Grape-Nuts, and that there was a large use made of the food in America. it had never

come their way to try it.

A lady in Hedding, N. H., Mrs. Otis
Cole, says the after effect of the grip was a serious gastric and stomach trouble. All the following summer she had many attacks of palpitation of the heart, nausea, pain, faintness, insomnia, and all the other ills which accompany impaired nerve force and

She began using Grape-Nuts to build her up and found at once that the created no disturbance and she began to gain in strength and courage. In October she went for a visit and took Grape-Nuts with her to use each day. She gained 10 pounds in weight in about four months and fully recovered her health,

She further says: "While I am now entirely well, I shall probably adhere to Grape-Nuts during the balance of my life. My brother-in-law, a pracmy life. My brother-in-law, a practicing physician, says Grape-Nuts simmered in milk, strained and the clear liquid given, forms an ideal nourishment in cases of extreme prostration, and its stimulating effect is noticed immediately. A friend of mine, a professional reader, carries a package of Grape-Nuts in her hand-bag, for she says the exhaustion after an for she says the exhaustion after an evening's work will not admit of lunching on ordinary food, but Grape-Nuts food always restores her and leaves no ill effects, for the food is so easily digested and is ready cooked, therefore a great convenience."

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The funeral of Mr. L. H. Ingram took place yesterday from his late residence. Dufferin avenue, and was attended by a large number of citizens. The Rev. Dr. Smith conducted the services, and spoke very impressively of the many sterling qualities of the deceased and of the success which had attended him by reason of these qual-The interment took place Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. W. Little, Chas. Ivey, F. Love, Chas. Elliott, S. W. A'bbott and Thos. H. Smallman. Among the many beautiful floral offerings were a sheaf by the Canadian Order of Foresters, a spray by the choir of the First Methodist Church, a broken pillar by the board of trustees of the church, a cross from the Red Cross Association, and a star, crescent and broken wheel from the employes of Smallman & Ingram.

SERIOUS MISHAP.

On Saturday afternoon, as Rev. Thomas S. Johnson, pastor of Adelaide Street Baptist Church, was proceeding along King street, he fell on the slippery sidewalk, not far from the church, and broke his left arm near the wrist. The accident is the more unfortunate as Mr. Johnson had barely recovered from his recent severe illness, which lasted several weeks. Rev. W. A. A. Fortner, the clever young pastor of the Middleville Methodist Church, Michigan, on being informed of the circumstances (though suffer-ing from a severe cold), kindly consented to preach for Mr. Johnson, both morning and evening, and gave two excellent addresses. Rev. Fortner had been given a short holiday by his church in order to rest and recuperate, and took the occasion to visit his brother Mr. E. R. Fortner, of this city.

ST. THOMAS BOY WELCOMED.

Trooper Percy Ermatinger, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, son of Judge Ermatinger, of St. Thomas, arrived home on Saturday, per C. P. R. There was a large crowd at the sta- precautions. tion to accord him a hearty welcome home. Mayor Meehan, members of the city council and aldermen-elect drove to the M. C. R. station, where, besides the parents of Trooper Ermatinger, were a targe number of prominent and representative citizens of St. Thomas. As the train pulled in and the returned soldier alighted, he was blown, and meantime the city hall bell kept clanging. Then he with members of his family and city council were driven to his father's residence. There were a number of cutters in the line of procession containing South African soldiers, officers of the 25th Regiment, friends of Trooper Ermatinger and many others city hall flag was flying and the build-ing decorated in honor of Trooper Ermatinger's return. Trooper Ermatinger was a member of the Northwest Mounted Police, and one of that body which joined the second contingent.

LONDON'S SANITARY CONDITION

As Shown by the Medical Health Officer's Report.

The Death Rate 13 in 1,000 of the Population During 1900.

Medical Health Officer Hutchinson

in his annual report to the board of health upon the health of the city, states that the number of deaths in the past year was only 13 in 1.000 This is scarcely so low as the previous year, although very satisfactory. The slight increase is accounted for by the fact that the hospital accommodation of the city has been largely increased, and as a consequence more people come to London from outside points for treatment.

The report deals considerably with the treatment of consumption and backs up the idea of a sanitaria, or the fresh air treatment. That the matter is one of the greatest impor-tance is proven by the fact that the "white plague" has again been responstble for a very large proportion of the deaths of the year. The report is in-teresting throughout, and is as fol-

To the Chairman and Members of the

Board of Health: Gentlemen,-I have the honor to submit my annual report upon the sanitary condition of the city and other matters relating to the public health, for the year ending Nov. 15, 1900. Five hundred and ten deaths occurred

mortuary statistics. Consumption, as usual, heads the list with 60 deaths. Pneumonia comes next with 51, and organic disease of the heart, with 23; paralysis 18 and cancer 17, the latter disease being still on the

during the year, exclusive of eighteen still-born, which are not counted in

increase in Ontario. There were only 16 deaths from cholera infantum. Nine deaths were caused by violence, that is, railroad accidents, hanging, lightning, gunshot wounds, and several by poison. Twelve deaths were caused by premature birth. The very satisfactory number of 41 deaths were due to old age. The ages ranged from 85 to 99 years, being the largest number reaching 85 and over in

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75, diphtheria 59. Of the 285 cases, 212 were attended at Victoria Hospital.

The deaths from the whole number were as follows: Typhoid fever 9, diph theria 6, and scarlet fever 6. This is the lowest number of deaths from in-fectious diseases in the city in eleven years, and may be taken as evidence of its sanitary condition.

The number of premises, closets and yards reported unclean is also less than last year, owing partly to the larger number connected with the public sew-ers, and the citizens more willingly cooperating with the health authorities in

keeping their premises clean.

In the spring there were 8,661 places visited by the sanitary inspectors; 1,799 were reported unclean, as compared with 2,163 last year, a reduction of the number of unclean premises of 364.

The population of the city is now 39,-

In former reports I have referred at some length to the rapid increase in the number of deaths from tuberculosis in its various forms, and endeavored to show the contagiousness of the disease and the urgent necessity, if we desire to lessen and stamp out as red the subject to the favorable confar as in our power lies this the most dreadful of all diseases, not excepting smallpox, to insist on complete isolation and more careful sanitation.

It should be a matter of great satis-

faction to boards of health, physicians and all thinking men, that in its wisdom the Ontario Legislature, at its recent session, passed an act whereby municipalities may erect sanitaria for consumptives and receive government aid in purchasing lands and the erection of buildings to an extent not to exceed \$4,000, and also a promise that towards maintenance the sum of \$1 50 per week would be granted for

each platient. It has been already proved in Ger many-a country in the van of medical progress-that the only satisfactory method by which this disease can be lessened and as far as possible stamped out, is to erect sanitaria at various centers, and conduct them in accordance with the strictest sanitary

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the citizens and local physicians have taken up the subject in earnest; that the city and council have heartily indorsed the matter, and have refersideration of the incoming councils. All of which is respectifully submitted. T. V. HUTCHINSON. Medical Health Officer.

Lord's Day Alliance.

The regular meeting of the executive of the London branch of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance was held in the Y. M. C. A. Friday afternoon, the president, Mr. W. E. Saunders, in the chair. A letter from the general secretary, Rev. J. C. Shearer, was read, asking this branch to assist in getting signatures to the petition of the merchants and shopkeepers asking the legislature to enact that all shops close at 9 p.m. on Saturdays. On motion the president, secretary and treasurer were appointed a committee to arrange for the circulation

of the petition.

barbers kept their shops open on Sunday, and a list of eight or ten who of-fended in this way was handed in, and referred to a committee to investigate and report at the next meeting. It was also stated that some photographers and dentists were not content with doing business on six days in the

The secretary was requested to state at the next meeting the number of members as reported so far by the agents in the different congregations.

Sergt.-Major John McMurphy, aged 89 years, who fought the Boers in 1841-2, and later served in the Crimean war, is dead in New Westminster as the result of a fall.

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