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The Sultan Surrenders!

France and Russia Defeated in a Diplomatic Battle.

The Egyptian Snarl Successfully Straightened Out.

A Well-Known English Steeplechase Rider Killed.

Queen Victoria's Health Improved by Her Trip to France.

The Anarchist Ravachol Plays the Clown in Court—A Great Fire in London.

An Anarchist Scare in Madrid.

MADRID, April 10.—The customary Palm Sunday services were omitted in the chapel at Madrid to-day, ostensibly on account of the Queen Regent's indisposition, but really on account of Anarchist threats.

Lady Refugees from Pekan Reach Singapore.

SINGAPORE, April 10.—The European ladies sent from Pekan on account of the native uprising have arrived here safely by steamer. The insurgents are still threatening to attack Pekan. The cruiser Hyacinthe and the gunboat Rattler have gone to Pekan.

A dispatch to the Times from Singapore says that the Pekan rebellion has a serious aspect, and that the British warships sent to the scene will lend 100 marines.

Great Fire in London.

LONDON, April 10.—Fire broke out last night in the printing establishment of Page & Pratt, Nos. 5, 6 and 7 Ludgate Circus building. The flames spread to the adjacent buildings and destroyed the establishments of Davis & Timmins, metal workers and merchants, No. 22 Charles street, and seven other firms. The loss is immense. The fire was the largest that has occurred in London since Capt. Shaw left the fire brigade. His successor, Capt. Simmons, managed admirably.

The Bering Sea Question.

PARIS, April 10.—Ex-Minister St. Hiliare, referring to the Bering Sea arbitration, said: "Seven members is a large number to have in a court of arbitration. A smaller number would decide the issue quite as well and more quickly. President Carnot will appoint a juris-consul of ability. I think that the case of the United States is weak, and that the decision is likely to favor England."

Excitement at Delhi.

DELHI, April 10.—Rumors circulated by religious fanatics that the Government had appointed secret agents to kidnap seven boys, who were to be offered as a sacrifice to the water deity upon the site of the projected reservoir, created great excitement here. The matter was discussed among the natives, and the rumors were implicitly believed. The excitement grew intense, and a watch was set to discover who the agents were. A number of persons, including several Sikh soldiers, were suspected of being the Government emissaries to steal the victims. Finally a crowd of natives set upon the suspects and beat them in a most cruel manner. The excitement spread, and the natives are in a dangerous state. The police are doing their utmost to allay the excitement.

Queen Victoria in Improved Health.

HYERES, April 10.—Queen Victoria's health is improving. She is able to move about more easily than when she arrived from England. When the Queen came here she had to be assisted out of the carriage on the arms of her Highland servants and was in a very reduced and weak state of health. She can now walk on the terrace with the aid of a stick, and she is in the habit of promenading on the terrace in the morning with Lady Jane Churchill or the Hon. Harriet Phipps. In order to save her the trouble of the descent her donkey carriage is regularly brought around to the back of the Hotel Costebelle and along the covered way which joins the terrace to the first floor to the hotel. She can thus walk straight to the chaise from her own rooms, which are on the first floor, facing south toward the sea.

A Noted Horseman Killed.

LONDON, April 10.—A large number of members of the House of Commons and others went to Kineton yesterday to see the House of Commons steeplechases. Mr. Walter Long, member of the Devizes division of Wiltshire, won the heavyweight race, and Mr. Francis Mildmay, member for the Totness division of Devonshire, won the lightweight race.

The day's race was spoiled, however, by an accident which resulted in the death of Captain Middleton. He was riding in the extra race for the Midland Sportsman's Cup on his own horse, Nightline. The distance was four miles, and the captain was within a mile of home when the horse stumbled and threw his rider, whose neck was broken by the fall. The remaining races were abandoned. Captain Middleton was one of the best and most popular riders in England. When the Empress of Austria hunted in Ireland he was her pilot. He repeatedly rode the winners over the stiffest steeplechase courses, including the Punchestown (Ireland) grand national.

The Anarchist Leader Plays Clown.

PARIS, April 10.—At the examination of the Anarchist Ravachol, the prisoner played a joke on the large crowd in the court room, which had quite a startling effect. During the proceedings Ravachol suddenly produced an article of a cylindrical shape, of which a good view could not be obtained owing to it being partially covered by the Anarchist's hand. It had the appearance of a dynamite cartridge, and the prisoner pretended that it was an infernal machine, and said that he was tired of life and was about to blow himself and all other persons in the building to pieces, making at the same time a motion as if to hurl the object he held in his hand in the midst of the frightened crowd which filled the room. Instantly there was a stampede by the alarmed spectators, and the judge and the clerk of the court fled in terror. The frightened officials would not return until they were assured that there was no danger and were shown the article which Ravachol had had in his possession, and which proved to be, not a dynamite cartridge, but a banana.

The Financial Pulse.

PARIS, April 10.—Business on the Bourse was fairly active during the past week. The suspension of Brull & Co., private bankers, has precipitated the failure of Armand & Schwot, wholesale jewelers. D. L. Moppes, another big jeweler, has also stopped business. Liabilities are heavy. The whole extensive diamond and pearl trade of Paris is disorganized.

BERLIN, April 10.—On the Berlin Boerse during the week business was quiet. Home funds were a shade weaker.

LONDON, April 10.—Discount was easy during the past week. The last quotations were 1 for three months and ¾ for short. The distribution of dividends has increased the supplies in the money market, and the abundance is such that at times money is almost unlendable. Discount houses expect that the bank of England rate will be again lowered. The silver market continues to attract anxious attention. The Stock Exchange shows some slight symptoms of an improvement, the extreme cheapness of money bringing the public into the market, and also stimulating operators.

The Sly Sultan Brought to Time.

CAIRO, April 11.—The ceremony of reading the firman investing the Khedive is definitely fixed for Thursday. For the past week the position had harassed and perplexed the Foreign Office in London more than even the Bering Sea question ever did. The Sultan stole a march upon English diplomacy by sending a firman so phrased as to exclude from the Egyptian frontier the whole Sinai Peninsula and part of the Red Sea littoral, which were ceded to Ismail Pasha and have been held by Egypt for half a century. Before the firman was drafted the English Ambassador at Constantinople, alive to the possibility of some action of this sort, demanded that the document should not introduce any question concerning the frontier, and received assurance that the firman would not touch the Khedive's rights. When the Sultan's envoy, Eyoub Pasha, arrived at Cairo, the British Minister, Sir Evelyn Baring, suspecting some duplicity, asked for a copy of the documents, and when Eyoub Pasha refused to commmunicate the contents of the firman till after the investiture, Minister Baring advised the Khedive not to proceed with the ceremony. Eyoub Pasha then disclosed the substance of the firman, the nature of which had been known to and approved by France and Russia before the missive left Constantinople. The Consuls-General at Cairo at once ranged themselves on two sides, the Italian and Austrian representatives meeting at the English Embassy and the French and Russian diplomats at the residence of the Turkish plenipotentiary. The Italian squadron, which was about to leave Alexandria, got orders to stay, and officers on leave were recalled to their ship, including the admiral, who was junketing at Cairo. The British and Italian ambassadors at Constantinople sent a joint note to the Grand Vizier, stating that the firman must be altered or Eyoub Pasha recalled. There seems to have been no mistaking the emphatic and peremptory character of the note and there was an immediate result, the Sultan sending a telegram to the Khedive saying that the firman would be modified, omitting the definition of the frontier.

A NOVEL SCHEME.

Coal To Be Piped From the Connellsville, Pa., Region to New York.

STEUBENVILLE, O., April 10.—James Means & Co., of this city, are constructing a model dry pan for Mr. W. C. Andrews, president of the New York Steam Company, which will be placed on exhibition on Cortlandt street, New York city. The standard pan will be a nine-foot one. The purpose of the company is to grind coal in the Connellsville coke regions to a fine powder and mix it sufficiently with water, so as to make a sort of mush, and force it through pipes to New York city, where it will be allowed to settle in vats and a large proportion of the water drained out. It will then be pressed into bricks and used for fuel. It will be forced through the pipes at the rate of five miles per hour. The company have the whole process on a small scale in successful operation in New York city, with the exception of the pulverizing process, which will be complete as soon as the model pan arrives on the ground.

A Professor and Eight Boys Drowned.

BOSTON, Mass., April 11.—Last evening an instructor and ten boys connected with the Boston Farm School at Thompson's Island were capsized in a sail boat, and the instructor and eight boys were drowned. A. F. Norberg was the instructor.

Flooding the Valleys.

VIRGINIA, Ill., April 11.—The lowlands along the Illinois and Sangamon Rivers are completely flooded and both rivers are still rising. At Beamanston the Illinois is five miles wide. Both rivers are above their high water mark for the last ten years and much damage has been done to growing crops in the Sangamon valley.

A Vincennes, Ind., dispatch says: The river which has been rising for several days is now seventeen feet in the channel and is still going up. The low bottoms are inundated. Much damage has been done to bridges and fences. Farmers are getting their stock to high ground to save it. Crops in the lowlands are ruined.

Died with a Pipe in His Mouth.

OTTAWA, April 11.—P. M. Merin, of this city, died under very peculiar circumstances yesterday. The old gentleman, who had reached his 99th year, arose in his usual good spirits and sat down to smoke his pipe. Half an hour later he called his wife and son, and in a clear voice he bid them good-by forever, saying at the same time that he felt his soul was departing to eternity. A moment later he expired as if in a sleep. Deceased was possessed of a strong constitution. Throughout his long existence he was never troubled with any illness. Up to the time of his death he was in comparatively good spirits. He came to this part of Canada 60 years ago.

A lady writes the simple truth as follows: Barrie Island, Ont.—"I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia for the last nine years, but being advised to try St. Jacobs Oil can now heartily indorse it as being a most excellent remedy for this complaint, as I have been greatly benefited by its use." MRS. JOHN MCLEAN.

Late Canadian News

Fatal Accident at Guelph—Winnipeg to Have a Young Liberal Club—A Sparrow-Hunter's Mishap.

It has been decided to form a young men's Liberal club in Winnipeg.

A Belleville dispatch says a considerable number of persons, mostly young men, are leaving that district for the Northwest.

The premises known as the Kerby House block, Brantford, have been bought by Mr. Peter Wood, of that city. The price paid was $30,000.

A boy named Charles Palmer, residing in Tilbury West, was shooting sparrows when the gun exploded, taking off his right hand near the wrist.

Mayor Blaicher has left Nassau for Hamilton. It is said the climate of Nassau has not proved as beneficial for the mayor as he had been led to hope.

The steamer Sarnia, from Liverpool, reached Halifax on Sunday. She brings 800 passengers, including 139 girls and boys for Rev. R. Wallace's Home at Belleville, Ont., and 120 for Fegan's Home at Toronto.

The school trustees of Brantford have protested against the issuance of a hotel license in the immediate vicinity of one of their public schools. According to the statutes no license can be granted in the immediate vicinity of a public school.

During 1891 13,123 settlers entered Manitoba with 756 cars of stock.

Charles Glackmeyer, city clerk of Montreal, died on Saturday, aged 72 years.

The body of James Farrell, a laborer, has been found in the Lachine canal. Farrell disappeared last November.

Rev. W. T. Graham, of the Second Baptist Church in Ottawa, has resigned, and goes to Montreal to succeed Dr. Fulton, the pastor of Christ Church.

BAR ON THE ROOF.

Officers Find Out How Men Got Drunk in an Innocent-Looking Building.

MONTREAL, Que., April 10.—For months past a steady stream of drunken men has poured from an unlicensed house kept by Michael Renaud. The police have raided it often, but were never able to discover a drop of liquor.

The mystery, however, has now been solved, the officers of the law having found a fully equipped bar on the roof. The various kinds of liquor were conducted through small pipes to a room down stairs, where they were taken from taps cunningly concealed in the wall. Large quantities of liquor were seized.

REDUCED TO ASHES.

Destructive Fires in Trenton and Owen Sound.

TRENTON, Ont., April 10.—About 3 a.m. yesterday a fire again broke out in a part of the Proctor House, that was not damaged by the first fire two days ago. The wing as well as the part first damaged were completely destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown. An investigation will probably be held, as there is a suspicion that it was not accidental. Loss, $8,000; covered by insurance.

OWEN SOUND, April 10.—About 5 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in McLaren's planing mill on River street. The building and machinery are totally destroyed. The building was a stone structure owned by S. J. Barker; insured in the Eastern for $700. McLaren's insurance on the contents is in the Phoenix $700 and in the Lancashire $1,200. Cause of the fire is unknown.

OWEN SOUND, April 10.—T. E. Vanstone's drygoods establishment on Water street, was damaged by fire on Friday. Loss about $8,000 on stock, and $5,000 on building.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J., April 10.—Early this morning the Pennsylvania Railroad warehouse and offices and ten freight cars at the George street station were burned. Loss, $17,000.

NEWARK, N.J., April 10.—The greater part of the Passaic chemical works was burned this afternoon. Loss, $50,000. About twenty firemen were overcome by the fumes.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 10.—At Catlettsburg to-day the flour mill of J. G. Patton & Co. was burned; loss, $50,000. Charles McCoy, the miller, was burned to death. He was to have been married in a few days to a young lady of Catlettsburg.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.—The carshops of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Wayne Junction were burned to-day. Loss, $60,000; also the house of Henry Summers; loss, $80,000.

TORONTO, April 11.—Early on Sunday morning the flour and feed warehouse of P. McIntosh & Son, 109 Front street, was damaged by fire to the extent of $15,000.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Hon. H. Mercier and secretary arrived in Quebec on Sunday. The ex-Premier is staying at the Union Club, and will remain there all this week.

A deputation of members from the Northwest Territories had an interview on Saturday with Premier Abbott at Ottawa upon matters connected with the representation of the Territories in the Dominion Parliament. They urged that in framing the redistribution bill the Northwest should be given another representative. While at present they said the population might not entitle them to an additional seat the large prospective immigration would be sure to increase the population sufficiently to justify such a step long before the time came for another general distribution of seats.

Mr. Chapleau's health has so far improved that he expects to take charge of his department at Ottawa early this week.

The Liberal convention to select a candidate for the vacancy in the Commons for North Perth will be held at Milverton on Tuesday, April 19. The Conservative convention will be held in the same place on April 26.

WELLAND, April 11.—A true bill for perjury was found against Wood, who charged Mr. German with buying his vote and upon whose evidence he was disqualified by the courts, but the indictment was quashed upon a technicality. Wood was at once re-arrested on the information of Mr. German and is now in Welland jail.

W. T. STRONG, druggist, 184 Dundas street, keeps a full line of toilet articles.

FELL UNDER THE WHEELS.

A Grand Trunk Railroad Engineer Crushed to Death.

INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE, Ont., April 9.—About 4:30 this afternoon, while a freight train was leaving Black Rock for Fort Erie, James Murray, a G. T. R. engineer, attempted to board it, but unfortunately missed his hold and fell on the track before the cars and was killed. Jim was a favorite among his fellow-employes, and great regret is expressed by every one. He was married and leaves a widow and three children. He was a member of the I. O. O. F., No. 228.

DELUGED PLANTATIONS.

Tremendous Rise of the Mississippi River—Many Lives Lost.

COLUMBUS, Miss., April 10.—The river to-day rose over two feet higher than ever in its history. The town is full of people, who come from the surrounding plantations and are being fed by the citizens. The loss of life is great. Fourteen persons are known to have been drowned. What the loss of life is in the wide territory covered by the flood cannot be told.

FROM SKIRTS TO TROUSERS.

Male Attire Donned by a Lady Physician While on a Journey.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 10.—Two ladies took the sleeper at Petoskey the other night for this city, and upon arrival here in the morning one of them emerged dressed in men's clothing. The couple went to a hotel for breakfast, registed as C. L. Dowse, of Leonardsville, N. Y., and Miss Lever, of Petoskey. The peculiar appearance of the one purporting to be a man attracted attention, but as the couple left immediately after breakfast no inquiries were made. The one in the masculine attire was recognized as Dr. C. Louise Dowse, a prominent lady physician of Petoskey, and the other was a nurse.

NEVER NATURALIZED.

Startling Announcement Made by a New York Clergyman.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The World says Rev. Walpole Wren, rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity, declared yesterday that he had never been naturalized as an American citizen, because he would not care to become possessed of a franchise in so corrupt and wicked a city as New York. He expressed his willingness to repeat this declaration from his pulpit.

Shot His Mother.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 10.—Mrs. Ross, the wife of a farmer living twelve miles from this place, was shot and instantly killed yesterday by her 12-year-old son. The boy, accompanied by his mother, was shooting in a field when his gun was accidentally discharged, the load passing into his mother's breast, killing her almost instantly.

Perry Had the Plunder.

POMANA, Cal., April 11.—The mystery of the robbery of George E. Holden, of New York, of $8,000 in a Pullman car last November has just been cleared up. Holden has identified the securities, which prove that the money and bonds were stolen by Oliver Curtis Perry, who made the sensational attempt to rob the New York Central postal car last February.

Nearly Killed by a Rooster.

LANCASTER, Pa., April 10.—A 4-year-old son of William T. Burns, of this place, is lying in a serious condition through an attack made on him by a rooster. While fondling a pet hen the rooster flew upon him, inflicting a number of ugly holes on his left temple, which bled profusely. The child became seriously ill, and is now threatened with blood poisoning.

The Dehorning Commission.

TORONTO, April 11.—The commission on the dehorning of cattle will hold its first session in this city on Tuesday, April 19. The members are: Hon. Charles Drury, chairman; J. J. Kelso, Toronto, secretary; Richard Gibson, Delaware; D. M. McPherson, Lancaster; Andrew Smith, V.S., Toronto; Henry Clendinning, Manilla. Parties having information on this subject are requested to communicate with the secretary.

Aged 109 Years and Still Working.

WILMINGTON, Del., April 11.—Arometia Dearly (colored), who has passed her 109th year and is as hale and frisky as a maiden of a very few summers, lives in a small town near Milton, Sussex county, and works every day from sunrise to sunset. She supports an invalid husband, who is in his 95th year. She tills the soil, sows all the crops and reaps all the harvests. She has done this for the past 25 years.

Schneider Was Snubbed.

NEWARK, N. J., April 10.—Henry Schneider, 21 years old, was found dead in his room at 61 Madison street this morning, having poisoned himself. Unrequitted love was the cause. Schneider kept company with Mamie Day. The girl's father died recently and left her considerable property, including the house in which Schneider lived. Miss Day has been looking with favor on other admirers, and Schneider told a friend last night that he was going to commit suicide. He was laughed at in reply, but he kept his word.

Probable Loss of Three Vessels.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 11.—Shipping circles are alarmed over the probable loss of three vessels, the crews numbering 48 persons and the property valued at $248,000. The vessels are the German steamship Alarich, Captain Eggers, from Hulevа Feb. 22 for Philadelphia or New York; the Italian bark Immacalets, Captain Muro, which sailed from Cienfugeos Jan. 28 for this port; and the schooner Taylor & Mathies, from Norfolk March 2 for New York.

The British steamship Walsh, from Berne March 3 for this port, is slightly overdue, and some anxiety is felt concerning her.

Fatal Shooting Accident.

BELLEVILLE, April 11.—On Squire's Creek, in Rawdon, Alex. McMullen, with two brothers, went out in a boat to shoot pike, and the boat becoming fast on some obstruction Alex. McMullen attempted to shove the boat off with the butt of his rifle, the muzzle being towards him. The rifle was by some means discharged, the ball entering just below the young man's ear on the right side and coming out of the top of his head on the left side. Death was instantaneous, and his lifeless form was caught as it fell by his horror-stricken brothers. The young man was about 25 years old.

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ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

An Amendment to the Liquor License Law.

Mr. Awrey to be Ontario's Commissioner at the World's Fair—Prorogation to Take Place on Tuesday.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

TORONTO, April 9.—At this morning's sitting of the Local Legislature, the Attorney-General announced that the business of the House would be concluded on Monday night, and that prorogation would take place on Tuesday.

Mr. Harcourt's bill to amend the liquor license law was amended by providing that lager beer should not be sold by brewers in smaller quantities than four gallons nor ale in quantities less than ten gallons. It was also provided that no local option bylaw should be repealed within three years of its adoption.

Mr. Dryden introduced a bill respecting the appointment of a commissioner to the Columbia Exposition at Chicago. In order that the Province might have as creditable an exhibit as possible it was necessary to appoint a commissioner who would superintend the arrangements and be responsible for the Provincial exhibit generally. The gentleman whom it was proposed to appoint, Mr. Awrey, was a member in the House, and it was therefore thought advisable to bring in a bill to make the appointment. Mr. Awrey was president of the Agriculture and Arts Association, and also of the Central Farmers' Institute. Both these bodies were strongly in favor of his appointment, as were also the various stock associations of the Province.

Mr. Meredith on behalf of the Opposition acquiesced in the appointment on the understanding, of course, that the commissioner acted impartially in the discharge of his duties.

The bill then passed through the various stages.

During the discussion upon Mr. Hardy's bill to amend the Registry Act Mr. Whitney moved that no registrar shall, while as such, practice the profession of barrister, solicitor, physician, surgeon, provincial land surveyor, architect or veterinary surgeon.

Mr. Hardy said there was a good deal to be said for the amendment, but it was hardly right to tack such an important clause to so unimportant a bill.

Mr. Mowat said he was willing to accept the amendment provided it affected only future appointments.

At the suggestion of Mr. Meredith the amendment was withdrawn upon the understanding that any registrars appointed during the present year should be subject to any legislation which might be adopted next year.

The election for the vacancy in Toronto caused by the death of Mr. H. E. Clarke, will be held on April 29, nominations being on April 22.

A TRIBUTE TO MASONRY.

Rev. M. P. Talling Speaks of the Order—The Signification of Masonic Symbols.

"I am not a Freemason," said Rev. M. P. Talling in his sermon last evening. "What I know of the order I have learned from books and from Masons themselves. Hitherto I have had an inexplicable and unreasonable dread of Freemasonry. I had heard, as perhaps others have, the story of a certain woman, who having become possessed of the secrets of the craft was put to death to insure secrecy, and it had probably created an unfounded prejudice in my mind. Though not now knowing the secrets of the society, I have no dread now. Whatever secrets there are are no doubt necessary for fraternal purposes. There must be a sign for mutual recognition and acquaintance among the brethren. The Masons have become known the world over for the care they take of one another and of the widows and orphans of departed members. Masonry is described as the science of morality, veiled in allegory and practiced by symbols." The reverend gentleman alluded to the work of the Masons in earlier centuries, and explained the signification of the square, the plumb-line, the plane and the trowel. One of their symbols had struck him as very beautiful. It was that made up of the Bible, the square lying on the Bible and the compass lying on the square; then surrounding these, three candlesticks lighted. The former were called the great lights and the latter the lesser lights of Masonry. The Scriptures were the guides of faith and conduct; the square was to square their conduct in their dealings with fellowmen; the compass indicated that their desires were to be circumscribed and their passions prevented from getting beyond control. In order to become a Mason a man must take the vow that he believes in a Supreme Being and a future existence. As far as he had read Masonry it seemed to be very good as a system of morals; but it had one great defect—there was no recognition in it of Jesus the Christ. He had been told, however, that Freemasonry was carried as high as 33 degrees, and that in the 33rd degree all the vows with the Deity were made through Jesus Christ. The preacher compared the Mosaic rite with that of the Masonic. The former stopped just where the Masons did. The Jews went through certain forms and symbols and thought it was very good and that they had won eternal life. Of course he would not say the Masons did that. Masonry was a science of morals, while Judaism was a religious system. The meaning of the Masonic symbol of the Bible, square and compass, was in accord with scripture. He concluded with a reference to the higher spiritual meaning of these signs.

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A Lizard Which Had Lived in a Man's Stomach.

STROUDSBURG, Pa., April 10.—Frederick Phillips several years ago began to suffer from peculiar pains in his stomach. At times the pain was most severe and his life was despaired of. He has been a confirmed invalid for two years. His belief was that some kind of an animal was inhabitating his stomach, but his physicians ridiculed this idea and doctored him for indigestion.

Mr. Phillips became at times temporarily insane. During the years of suffering the idea that he had swallowed an animal while drinking still lingered in his mind, and finally he began to doctor himself. A few days ago he took a dose of strong liniment. He took a second dose, and there came from him a short time afterward a full grown lizard about five inches in length. Mr. Phillips is now on his way to recovery.

SHRIEKED AND DIED.

An Old Lady Frightened to Death by Fire Engines.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Mrs. Fannie Cohen, the aged wife of a drygoods merchant, living at 72 East Ninetieth street, was frightened to death at 3 o'clock this morning. There was a clang and rattle caused by a number of fire engines which had been summoned to a fire in the adjoining house. On hearing the engines she jumped from her bed, raised the window, and looking out she saw engines puffing and belching out fire and smoke, when she shrieked and fell to the floor a corpse.

STRIKES AND STRIKERS.

The Chicago 'Longshoremen Want Union Wages—End of the New York Building Trade Strike.

The threatened strike of 'longshoremen at Chicago to enforce union wages, which had been cut 5 cents an hour, began Saturday. No attempt was made to put nonunion men to work, and there was no disturbance. Navigation has scarcely opened yet, and estimates of the number of men affected are uncertain.

The painters' strike in Winnipeg is still on. The men remain firm and say if no agreement is reached with the employers, their intention is to start independent shops.

Orders have been issued requiring conductors and drivers on the Broadway cars to wear white shirts, collars and neckties. Drivers must wear black derby hats.

There will be a general reduction of wages on April 17 at all the iron furnaces at Newcastle, Pa.

The great English cotton spinning lockout will begin on the 15th inst. There is no sign of the employes giving way. Most of the mills are heavily stocked, and the stoppage will be advantageous to them.

The strike ordered against the Pelham Hod Hoisting Company at New York has been settled in favor of the strikers. Mr. Pelham mentioned incidentally that the company had lost $50,000 by the trouble. This agreement means that about 4,000 men on strike in the building trades will return to work.

Hiccoughing for Eight Months.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 10.—One of the most remarkable cases of hiccoughing known is that of Miss Etta May Cox. She has been hiccoughing at the rate of 75 times a minutes for eight months, except when asleep. She is so much reduced in strength and flesh that she is only a living skeleton. She came here from Troy, N. Y.

A Terrible Situation.

MUSKEGON, Mich., April 7.—The incoming Chicago and West Michigan train last evening ran over John Anderson, a carpenter living here, and cut his left leg off. Anderson caught his foot between the planking and the rail and was held pinioned while he watched the train bear down upon him. His condition is critical.

Yellow Fever in New York Harbor.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The steamship Phidias, from Santos, arrived at this port to-day short seven of her crew. While lying at Santos, yellow fever broke out on board and three of her crew were sent ashore and left. On the trip to this port Ross Larsen, Nicholas Woolen and Patrick McClosky, all members of the crew, died of the fever. Engineer Wm. Coobribs, of the same ship, was drowned while taking a sea bath.

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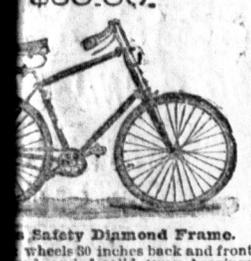

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The peach growers of Southern Indiana state that Friday night's cold snap did not hurt the fruit.

According to latest advices from different parts of the State the Delaware peach crop this year is very promising.

The Anglo-American Cable steamer Minia has returned to Plymouth on account of the breaking out of smallpox aboard.

Two more bodies were recovered from the Hill Farm mine at Dunbar, Pa., Saturday, making 27 thus far found.

The French Paliamentary Budget Committee has passed a credit of 3,100,000 francs for operations in Dahomey.

The New England Southern Methodist Episcopal Conference has voted against admitting women to the general conference.

The United States House of Representatives on Saturday passed the free cotton bagging and cotton tie bill; yeas, 167; nays, 46.

Rheinhald Pretzel, Marx Bentz and Louis Lewinstein, of New Haven, Conn., were drowned by the capsizing of a boat in which they had been on a fishing excursion.

A loose tire on one of the engine wheels caused a wreck near Connellsville, Pa., Friday, by which the fireman and a brakeman lost their lives. The engineer was so badly injured that he, too, may die.

Mrs. Frank Leslie, wife of a Wheeling (W. Va.) saloon-keeper, walked into a disorderly house Friday night, and, finding her husband there, without saying a word she drew a revolver and shot him dead.

During the past week there were reported at the New York Bureau of Contagious Diseases 7 cases of typhus fever, 11 of typhoid, 502 of measles, 250 of scarlet fever, 143 of diphtheria and 16 of smallpox.

The storms which have prevailed for the past two weeks in Eastern Montana have been disastrous to the cows and young calves. Stock in other parts of the State is in excellent condition and winter losses have been light. The drive from the south will be very large this year.

German consular reports for the first quarter of 1892 show a considerable decrease in trade compared with the same period in 1891, alleged to be due to the reciprocity treaties of the United States affecting the German sugar trade to the West Indies and South America.

A tin cylinder filled with gunpowder exploded on a windowsill of a house occupied by a magistrate at Compiegne, France, on Sunday. The windows were shattered and the house was otherwise damaged, but nobody was hurt. The magistrate recently imposed severe sentences on poachers.

The widow of the late millionaire coal operator, Arion Hardee, of Hazleton, Pa., is looking after her husband's estate. Several educational institutions expected handsome bequests, but he left no will. The absence of a will makes the widow immensely rich, as the estate will aggregate $30,000,000.

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DISCUSSING CANADA.

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NEW YORK, April 11, 1892.—The following editorial article in the New York Sun, which has recently been discussing Canadian affairs to a considerable extent, has caused some comment. It may interest Canadians to read what is being said about them by one of the leading journals of New York. The following is the article:

THE CANADIANS WOULD BE WELCOME.

It appears from a leader entitled "Annexation Nonsense," lately published in the Montreal Herald, that the Canadian Tories have hit upon a new plan of checking the growth of sentiment in favor of a political fusion of the Dominion with the United States. The writer of the article says that Canadians may vote themselves in the Union if they like, but that the Union will not admit them for the following reasons: First, it is alleged that we should not care to complicate our politics by incorporating a lot of States whose vote would be an unknown factor at elections. This is manifest, according to the Herald, from the length of time which some of our own territories have had to wait before securing full State rights. Then, again, it is asserted that we should never consent to assume the public debt of the Dominion, much less the Provincial and municipal debts under which the Canadians now labor.

We consider ourselves better qualified to express an opinion on this subject than is the Montreal Herald, and we assure our Canadian friends that, whenever they are ready to join us, they will be promptly admitted to the Union upon terms equal, just, and generous. Each Province of the Dominion will continue to exercise the large measure of local independence which under our system belongs to the States, and which includes all powers not expressly delegated to the Federal Government. Each Province will, indeed, acquire more autonomy than it now possesses, for instead of a Lieutenant-Governor appointed by the Dominion Governor-General, himself the appointee of a distant sovereign, it will have at the head of its State Administration a Governor elected by the people. It will have, in fact, the power of molding for itself through a State constitution just such a form of local government as it may prefer, subject only to the definite prescriptions of our federal organic law. No intelligent person can compare in detail the mixed scheme of federal and local government which now obtains in Canada with the state of things existing on this side of the border, and not recognize that every Canadian Province would enjoy more local independence within the Union than it has outside of it.

But we are told that American politicians would object to annexation because they cannot foresee with certainty how the Canadians would vote. If on such a pretext any of our politicians tried to frustrate the union of the Anglo-Saxon race upon this continent, he would be swiftly relegated by the people to private life. There is no longer any sectional apprehension in this country with regard to the admission of Canada, as there was when Lord Elgin negotiated his reciprocity treaty, at which time the Southern slaveholders feared a disturbance of the political equilibrium from the addition of a number of free States. At present the interest of no class or section could conceivably be threatened by the acquisition of Canada As to the alleged uncertainty regarding the party affiliations which the Canadians might form, that is a point in their favor. The uncertainty indicates that their votes would be pretty evenly divided between our two political parties. There is, indeed, reason to believe that the Province of Quebec, transformed into a State of the Union, would become one of the bulwarks of the Democratic party, but it is equally probable that British Columbia would evince a political sympathy with Oregon, the Canadian Northwest with Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin, and the Canadian seaboard Provinces with our own Northeastern States. Finally, the great Province of Ontario, once admitted to the Union, would, like the neighboring State of New York, become an arena in which Democrats and Republicans might contend on almost equal terms. In short, neither of our political parties has anything to lose by the effacement of the artificial boundary between ourselves and our Canadian kinsmen; and if either of them ventured to oppose such a triumph of right feeling and good sense, it would be repudiated at the ballot box.

Nothing could be more preposterous than to suppose that because we have made some of our Territories wait some time before we have bestowed on them the full rights of Statehood, we should deal in the same way with Canada. The inhabitants of our Territories are the subjects of our Federal Government, possessing only such rights as it sees fit to give them. The Canadians, on the other hand, are freemen, our full political equals before as well as after annexation, and we should well understand that, if they offered to enter the Union, it would be a question of now or never, and that the opportunity once missed might never again present itself. We should treat them with as much deference and liberality as we treated Texas, which, it will be remembered, had been an independent republic for eight years before it was admitted to the Union. To Texas we made some extraordinary concessions, including the right to divide itself at its own discretion into five States, and to acquire a corresponding representation in the United States Senate. The privilege has never been exercised, and we mention it only to show how differently we comport ourselves with regard to the admission of an independent commonwealth on the one hand, and with reference to the admission of one of our own Territories on the other.

That the public debt of the Dominion Government would be assumed bo this country and incorporated with the national debt of the United States is a matter of course. Why not? Would not the Canadians, transformed into American citizens, be doing their part through taxation to pay the interest on the whole public debt thus consolidated? On the other hand, we could not be expected to assume the municipal debts contracted by Canadian cities. But indirectly we should help to pay them, through the tremendous increase of Canadian population and prosperity which would be sure to follow annexation. The disposition of the Provincial debts might present some difficulty, and indeed this is the only point which would require mature consideration and concessions on both sides. It is probable, however, that if the Canadian Provinces would, in their collective capacity, do what Texas did, make over to us a certain portion of the outlying public lands, we might deem it expedient, and even profitable, to relieve them of their Provincial debts, and thus enable them to start fair in their new political career.

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AN IMMENSE INSTITUTIO

Over $25,000,000 Worth of Policie Force—Magnitude of the Sun Life Assurance Company's Operations—The Annual Report.

The most prosperous monetary ins tions in Canada to-day are its life assu companies. It is a business that enjo the utmost the "healthy breezes of petition"; has no "protection," sava own stability and enterprise, and is haps the most creditable "home indus because it is a glowing example of Canadian institutions can do in oppos to the larger, though no more reli companies across the line. A perusa the report of the annual meeting of the Life Assurance Company, published in issue, shows a remarkable record for year—one of which the directors must proud, and which must inspire incre confidence in the policy-holders. learn that the immense sum of $5, 833 39 was added to the volume of bus in 1891, and that there were on 31, 1891, life policies to the numb 12,611 on the books, representing $19, 411 84. Add the amount in force i accident branch and the sum is swell $25,146,061 84. This gives an idea of magnitude of the Sun Life Assurance C pany's operations. Its affairs are lo after as perfectly as those of a pr business. The company has, indeed enviable reputation for careful and effi management and fair dealing. Mr. A Macgregor, 169 Dundas street, is the trict manager for Western Ontario.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRANT.

Hannah Plyer, a Burford woman, has laid a complaint against her brother John Moses charging him with assault. The poor woman received most serious injuries. Mrs. Plyer claims that her brother took a heavy stick and thrashed her about the arms and shoulders. Big blue bruises testify to the correctness of her assertion.

One of the oldest residents of Paris has passed away in the person of Mrs. Elizabeth Curtis. She had lived in Paris more than 50 years, and was over 80 years of age.

ESSEX.

The friends of Theodore Girardot, public school inspector for North Essex, have decided to present him with an address and a suitable testimonial as a mark of respect and esteem in which he is held by his fellow-citizen, and in recognition of his many years of successful work in the cause of education in the county. The presentation will be made in Windsor on April 18.

Wm. Lane, of the Sandwich dry dock, is building a tug for the French River Tug Company 80 feet over all, 65 feet keel, 16 feet beam and 9 feet deep.

It is stated that Rev. John Gray, of Windsor, is likely to be chosen moderator of the Synod of Hamilton and London, which meets at Stratford this month.

ELGIN.

Maggie, daughter of Ralph Coulter, Melbourne, died recently from the effects of a ruptured blood vessel, caused by falling while playing in the school yard four days previously.

GREY.

H. Dankard, of Hepworth, was operating the butting saw in C. H. Withun & Co.'s mill there, when his arm came in contact with the saw, nearly severing it above the elbow.

KENT.

John Cumming, of Orford, has bought Andrew Jackson's farm near the Eau, 50 acres, for $4,000.

Dr. Verrinder, of Chatham, has been presented with a pleasant address and a purse of gold by the members of the Chatham Glee Club for his untiring zeal in their behalf.

In the case of Skinner et al. vs. Kennedy, judgment was delivered in chambers in Chatham last week by Wood, J. J. J. F. Kennedy, who resides in Wallaceburg, was about leaving for Montana, when he was arrested on a capias at the instance of John Skinner, charged with attempting to defraud his creditors. The order for his arrest was, however, set aside, the defendent having no intention of absconding.

LAMBTON.

In Osgoode Hall in the case of Clark vs. township of Sombra, Masten, for the plaintiff, moved for an order referring this action to the referee under the Drainage Trials Acts, 1891. D. Armour, for the defendants, contra. Order made as asked. The referee to deal with the question of costs.

MIDDLESEX.

E. B. Smith, who held the position of chief engineer of the Ailsa Craig fire brigade since its organization in July, 1889, till January, 1892, was recently presented with a handsome medal and clasp by the members in recognition of his entiring and successful efforts in their behalf since the organization of the brigade.

Jones Jury, of Napperton, has sold his 100-acre farm to Charles Rapley, the price paid being about $4,500.

Hector Cameron, jun., son of Hector Cameron, sen., farmer, Westminster, near Belmont, died recently in the 28th year of his age, from the effects of lung troubles. He was born on the farm on which he died. Besides his parents he has one brother living.

R. M. Edwards, lot 12, con. 3, of Lobo township, has purchased from John Isaac, of Markham, Ont., an imported Shorthorn Cruickshanks Durham bull weighing 2,300 pounds.

OXFORD.

The Blenheim Spring Fair will be held in Drumbo on Good Friday.

The residence of David Patten, Drumbo, has been destroyed by fire.

WATERLOO.

At Berlin last week, in the case of the Queen vs. Stenaburg, the defendant, a deaf mute, was charged with an indecent assault on a little girl, 11 years of age, named Hilda Merner. The defense was an alibi, and at the conclusion of the evidence for the defense the court directed a verdict of not guilty. The defendant was also acquitted of a charge of attempted criminal assault.

WELLAND.

A very sad scene took place on the arrival of the West Shore emigrant train at Suspension Bridge a few days ago. Among the many hundred emigrants from across the ocean that arrived from New York on their way to their new homes in the West was A. P. Sonson, his wife and child of 11 months, from Denmark, on their way to Utley, Wis. Neither of them could speak a word of English. It was noticed that the mother was tenderly nursing and watching the little babe that was in her arms with tears streaming down her pallid cheeks. A few moments later the mother gave a shriek of agony and partially fainted. The little one had died in its mother's arms, and a pitiable scene ensued.

WELLINGTON.

Mount Forest has been added to the list of places at which the Bank of Hamilton does business.

A furniture maker at Harriston, Mr. Dowling, who employs 50 hands, has a notion of removing to Palmerston, and is consulting the authorities of the latter place about the matter.

A bottle of Angostura Bitters to flavor your lemonade or any other cold drink will keep you free from Dyspepsia, Colic Diarrhea and all diseases originating from the digestive organs. Be sure to get the genuine Angostura, manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

Dr. Theodore Wolf, lately the state geologist of Ecuador, has made a special study of the Andes of that country, which he says are between ten and twenty miles farther away from the Pacific coast than most of the recent maps show.

A Cure for Constipation and Headache

Dr. Silas Lane, while in the Rocky Mountains, discovered a root that, when combined with other herbs, makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night. For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion, it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package. zxv

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PROSPEROUS AND PROGRESSIVE.

Annual Meeting of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada.

The annual meeting of this prosperous institution was held in the spacious Board room of its new building on Notre Dame street, Montreal, on Thursday, March 24. There was a large attendance of shareholders and others interested, the President, Mr. R. Macaulay, being in the chair. The following report and financial statements were submitted:

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

The report which your Directors have the honor of presenting at this meeting records the transactions of a year of much importance in the history of the company. The past twelvemonth has resembled its predecessors in showing rapid progress and general prosperity, and it is further remarkable in being the first spent in the substantial and beautiful building which the company now possesses as its head office.

During the year 3,301 applications were received for life assurance to the amount of $5,901,521 60. This is an increase in number of 467, and in amount of $1,365,515 81 over the regular business of the preceding year, excluding, of course, the policies transferred by re-assurance from the Citizens' Insurance Company. Of these applications, 3,064 for $5,343,883 39 were accepted and policies issued therefor, the balance being declined or withdrawn.

On December 31st, 1891, there were in force on the books of the company, after deducting re-assurances, 12,611 life policies covering $19,425,411 84.

In the Accident branch, 1,897 applications for $5,090,000 were received, on which 1,879 policies for $5,051,500 were issued. There were in force in this department 2,480 policies covering $5,720,650. Adding these to the life figures, we have a total of 15,091 policies for $25,146,061 84 in force at the close of the year.

The greatest care continues to be exercised in the admission of applicants, and the selection is having a beneficial effect on the death losses, which are very moderate in view of the rapid extension of the company's business. The claims which fell in during 1891 in the Life department amounted to $168,064 08 under 96 policies.

The total amount paid to policy-holders during the year in death claims, matured endowments, profits, etc., was $207,267 80, and the amount thus paid since the foundation of the company amounts to $1,542,093 56. How often our policies have stood between the widow and orphan and want can, perhaps, be judged from the magnitude of this sum.

The financial condition of the company, as shown by the accompanying statements, is very gratifying. The income reached the handsome total of $920,174 57. If, from both years, the re-assurance reserves received from the Citizens' Company be eliminated, it will be seen that the cash income was $140,388 75 more than in 1890. The assets, also, have advanced by $412,057 25, and now amount to $2,885,571 44, exclusive of subscribed but uncalled capital. The surplus, too, has largely increased, and is now $285,119 18 over all liabilities and capital stock.

The division of profits to the holders of policies which are five years old or older, is now in progress, and the results are of an extremely satisfactory character. A comparison of the quinquennium just closed with that which preceded it, will show that the surplus earned is three times as large as formerly, while the assurances in force have only doubled. This proves that the profit-earning power has much more than kept pace with the growth of the business. This is a feature which will, we are sure, be noted with special pleasure by our assured members. The Directors, moreover, take pleasure in reporting that, after careful consideration, they have seen their way to grant a further and most important concession to the policy-holders, by reducing the proportion of profits payable to the shareholders, from ten per cent. to six and two thirds per cent., the policy-holders thus receiving ninety-three and one-third per cent. of the total surplus, as against ninety per cent. at the last division. The policy-holders thus receive the protection of a large capital stock for a merely nominal sum. Security should always be the primary consideration in connection with life assurance, and your directors consider that this arrangement provides the safety of a stock company with practically no expense to the policy-holders.

The investments continue to receive the most careful attention of the Board, and are in exceptionally good condition. They have been carefully examined by a committee of our number, whose report is annexed hereto. The debtors under mortgages have moreover, been personally communicated with by our Auditors as to the correctness of the amount due by them to the company. Their certificate is also hereto appended.

The retiring Directors are Messrs. S. H. Ewing, W. J. Withall and R. Macaulay, all of whom are eligible for re-election.

INCOME.

Premiums—Ordinary life	$672,570 26	
Citizens' Insurance Co.	78,613 80	
Total Life Premiums	751,184 16	
Accident	33,503 19	
Total premium income	$784,687 65	
Less paid for reassurances	411 61	
		$ 783,056 04
Interest		132,099 42
Rents		3,369 11
Total income		$ 920,174 57

DISBURSEMENTS.

Death claims, including bonuses	$177,141 23	
Matured endowments, including bonuses	12,518 36	
Annuity payments	1,609 05	
Accident claims	17,550 36	
Cash profits paid policy-holders	2,883 37	
Surrender values	12,062 19	
		$ 124,818 36
Dividends on capital paid January and July, 1891		7,500 00
Expense account		121,224 33
Commissions		78,518 93
Medical fees		13,067 41
Total disbursements		$ 441,929 03
Surplus over disbursements		177,245 54
		$ 920,174 57

ASSETS.

Municipal debentures — Market value		$ 103,688 77
Stock—Montreal Loan and M. Company, market value		30,673 87
Loans on real estate, first mortgages		1,739,506 32
Loans on bonds and stocks		65,200 00
Real estate, including company's building		251,573 93
Loans on company's policies (reserves on same $350,000)		146,393 10
Cash in bank and on hand		39,236 75
Outstanding premiums on policies in force (composed largely of amounts on which the day of grace are current)	$ 99,888 32	
Deferred premiums	62,721 79	
	$162,610 11	
Less 10 per cent. for collection	16,261 01	
(These are secured by reserves on the policies included in the liabilities of over $500,000)		146,349 10
Other assets (details given)		62,950 60
Net assets		$2,885,571 44
Capital stock subscribed, but not called up		437,500 00
Total assets		$3,323,071 44

LIABILITIES.

Net reserve (Government standard)	$2,480,842 98
Unearned accident premiums	15,294 61
Death claims (life) unpaid, reported but not proved or awaiting discharge	23,443 20
Matured endowment, awaiting discharge	1,600 00
Dividend due Jan. 2, 1892	3,750 00
Other liabilities	12,624 47
Total liabilities	$2,537,952 26
ash surplus to policy-holders	347,619 18
	$2,885 571 44
Capital paid up	62,500 00
Surplus over all liabilities and capital stock	285,119 18
	$ 347,619 18

(Including uncalled capital, the surplus to policy-holders is $785,119 18.)

Among the speakers were the following: Mr. R. Macaulay (president), Mr. W. J. Withall, the Hon. A. W. Ogilvie, Mr. Charles Alexander, Mr. C. D. Proctor, Mr. S. H. Ewing, Mr. J. P. Cleghorn, Mr. James G. Ross (auditor), Mr. Selkirk Cross, Mr. Charles Cushing and others. The speeches were too lengthy for publication, but all expressed the highest admiration at the wonderful progress made by the company and the very excellent showing of the financial statements. All considered the year's operations a grand success, and the results of the quinquennium as shown in the handsome surplus of $285,119 18 as in the highest degree satisfactory. The rapid advance in the assets, and their very excellent quality as vouched for by the Committee of Directors and Auditors was much dwelt upon. The beauty and solidity of the new headquarters, and the extremely small amount of real estate were points in which the management were much complimented.

The company is already one of the largest financial corporations in the Dominion, but the statements show that it has in it the germs of a great future growth, and there is every reason to believe that in even a very few years the present figures, splendid as they are, will be entirely eclipsed. The foundation rock to which its success is largely due, is its honorable and liberal treatment of its policy-holders, as evidenced in part by the issuing of an unconditional policy. The reputation of the company is already spreading far beyond the limits of the Dominion.

The retiring directors were unanimously re-elected. Mr. A. S. Macgregor is district manager for Western Ontario. Office 169 Dundas Street, London.

PRIVATE CORRESPONDENCE.

Some Reasons Advanced Why it Should be Held Sacred.

Why the sacredness of private correspondence is so often violated by husbands, wives and parents, who would not, under any circumstances, meddle uninvited with the other family belongings, is an almost unanswerable question. I have seen mothers, who know that their children have no secrets from them, receive the morning mail, open and read the different letters and then give them to the owners in a casual, matter of course way, entirely ignoring the looks of impatience or resentment on the waiting faces. If left to themselves, doubtless every child would turn naturally to the mother and communicate the contents of the letter or present it to be talked over, but, in nine cases out of ten, the system of espionage will result in a child's becoming secretive. Then brothers and sisters in some families have a way of picking up letters from common friends that may be lying on bureau or table and reading bits, not from any idea of meddling, mind you, but because they are interested in the writer and don't see why they should not gratify the feeling. Lots of people open letters addressed to relatives because they recognize the writing and know that the letter will probably be common property after a while. That very argument should deter them. It is very seldom that the news is of so urgent a nature that it cannot keep an hour or so. It is an offense punishable by law to open a sealed letter, and the law should surely be as much regarded in the family a out of it.

Besides being intensely provoking to the person addressed, it is an injustice to the writer to have a letter opened by any but the person addressed. The letter was written for one person, with that person's sympathy and point of view taken into consideration, and it is an unnecessary revelation of the writer's self to have his or her thoughts read and discussed by half a dozen. One seldom speaks with equal freedom on matters of deep interest to three or four members of a family, and written communications are certainly not less subject to restrictions. It is simply an indulgence of curiosity in most cases where indiscriminate letter reading is made a practice, but it is an impertinent curiosity and should be overcome. A young wife said to me once that the greatest trial of he early married life was the intense curiosity of her husband concerning her letters. He considered her a brilliant writer, and could not bear to let letters go without enjoying them himself. Writing her first letter home to her mother she threw sheet after sheet, all glowing with her new happiness, on the table beside her, and never thought of looking at them til the last was finished, when she beheld her husband in an armchair reading them eagerly, his face all lighted up with love and delight. He said lots of sweet things about the letter, but it had been written for the mother, not for him, even though he had been the subject of every line.

No wife has any right, even if she suspects her husband, to read a letter addressed to him. She puts herself in the wrong immediately and utterly destroyes any ground she might have for complaint. Leaving right and wrong aside, she makes a great mistake in forcing herself to become cognizant of matters of which, for her children's sake and her own, she should remain ignorant as long as possible.

An equally trying if less serious fault is the teasing practice indulged in by many people of examining the postmark or direction of a letter, and either announcing aloud who the sender is, or asking: "Who writes to you from such and such a place." They are all pieces of inconsiderateness, not malicious in one case out of a hundred, but thoughtless and vulgar, and as such apt to make home life irksome and unlovely. I could tell of one family the members of which have been so imbued with this doctrine of hands off that letters on subjects of the most intense interest to everyone might lie all day open on a table, and not one of the family would think for a moment of glancing over the lines. And they are not models either; they have their tiffs and battles, and say disagreeable things to each other. But this early formed habit of restrained curiosity gives a feeling of confidence in other that knits them very closely together.—[New York Press.

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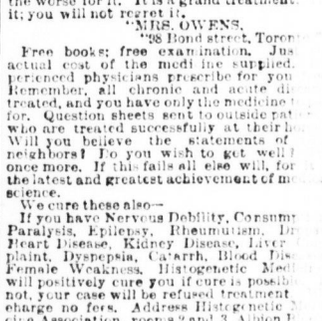

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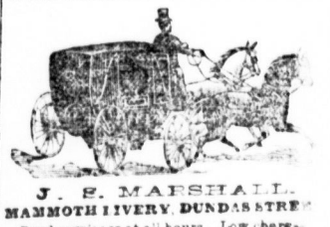

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—[BROWNING.

London, Monday, April 11.

Now that there is talk of Hon. Edward ...ke returning to political life, the "pro...tionist" organs begin to pitch into him. ...long as he remained out of politics they ...d nothing but praises for him.

Ontario sends more students to Ann ...bor University, Michigan, than any ...te of the Union outside of Michigan, ...inois, Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, ...wa, New York and Missouri. The ...mber of Ontario pupils in attendance at ...t seat of learning this year is 40. New ...unswick sends 3, Quebec 3, and Mani...ba 1.

The Goderich Signal says that the pro...t against the return of Mr. Patterson for ...st Huron will undoubtedly be brought ... trial. It promises some remarkable ...velations regarding the pilgrims from ...st Elgin and elsewhere who distributed ...at they have put on record as "the in...ence." No wonder that some of the ...rst of them are disappearing.

No fewer than 3,418 children, picked up ... the old world professional philanthro...ts were sent to Canada last year. The ...stem has the direct sanction of the ...minion Government; but this method ...relieving the old world poor law author...es of their responsibilities cannot meet ...th the approval of Canadian wage-earners ... with that of those who sympathize with ...em in their struggle for bread.

The spring months are here, albeit winter ...gers, and there comes the annual dis...ssion of which pavement is the best as ...ll as cheapest in the long run. The ...blic Works Commissioner of New York ...ty, puts his faith in asphalt for residential ...eets. Within the past two years he has ...d 64 streets with this material, and he ...w asserts that the cost of laying this ...vement and keeping it in good repair for ...teen years is less than the original cost of ...anite-block pavement.

Canadian distillers of whisky wished to ...l their products to the natives of ...maica. They offered to distribute ...mple bottles free of charge if the Do...inion Government would pay the duty. ...r. Foster, Minister of Finance, that erst...hile temperance apostle, cheerfully settled ...e bill for duty, and the Jamaicans had the ...hisky for nothing! It will take more ...at a $10-a-night speech from Mr. Foster ... explain why, in another of his moments ... weakness, he adopted this novel ...ethod of promoting temperate habits ...nong the warm-blooded natives of ...maica.

The Government of Manitoba have set ... good example to other governing bodies ... agreeing that a plebiscite in regard to ...e prohibition of the liquor traffic shall ...ke place next summer. This was the ...ourse that the temperance people desired ...he Dominion Government to adopt, but ...stead of that it resolved to postpone ...tion by relegating the question to a com...ission of inquiry. A plebiscite, whether ... would prove that the majority of the ...eople favored the suppression of the traffic ... not, is a splendid educative force, and ...s such ought to be welcomed by those ...ho are not afraid to have the truth ...known.

WOMEN AND THE LAWS.

An important concession to woman has ...een made by the Judiciary Committee of ...he New York Legislature. It has indorsed ...nd sent to the House a bill giving the right ...to working women to vote in state, county ...nd lesser elections. Why not in Presiden...tial elections as well? A woman may suffer ...more from inequitable tariff laws than from ...laws formulated by bodies who simply ...collect direct taxes. It has been said that ...women are born smugglers. Why? Be...cause the average woman is a good buyer, ...and she believes in the maxim that it is ...profitable to buy in the cheapest and sell in ...the dearest market. She holds to the com...mon sense view that she should be per...mitted to make the most of her earnings. ...For this reason all those who favor greater ...freedom to trade will favor the enfran...chisement of women. With her help so...called "protective" tariffs would soon be ...abolished, to the infinite benefit of all but ...the comparative few who profit by class ...legislation.

Spurgeon's grave in Norwood Cemetery ...s marked by a simple marble slab bearing ...he inscription "C. H. Spurgeon." Mrs. ...Spurgeon has suggested that the word ..."Waiting" be added, and the suggestion is ... be carried out.

MONEY.

In his interesting address at Ingersoll, Sir Richard Cartwright made an able exposure of the methods pursued by the enemies of trade freedom at the general election and in the recent bye-elections. It was made apparent to the most prejudiced intellect present that in both contests, but more particularly in the contest following the unseating of M. P.s elected in 1891, there was, on the part of the trade restriction advocates, hitting below the belt.

This should not be the case in a free country. There should be competition between the two parties as to which shall present the more attractive programme of good legislation, of economic government, but there should be no loading of the dice, no bribing of the people by public money. Sir Richard was able to show that his friends were not beaten by legitimate warfare, but by wholesale and systematic bribery with public money, filtered through the managers of the "Red Parlor," composed of manufacturers who receive special privileges to tax their fellow-countrymen to the extent of many millions a year. Nor was this all; contracts were given to favorite individuals, who, in turn, had to pay back to the Minister a goodly slice of the profits. In some contracts hundreds of thousands of dollars were thus abstracted and used for corrupt purposes. The same process of milking was resorted to in regard to railway subsidies. The best proof of the truthfulness of this allegation is to be found in the determination of the Abbott Government to allow no investigation into the scandalous conduct of Sir Adolphe Caron, who is charged with aiding railway promoters to get subsidies, and then bleeding them of huge sums of money to be used in corruptly promoting his own election as well as that of his friends. Other railway grants were awarded on like conditions. The Intercolonial Railway—a Government work—has also been conducted as a mere machine to aid high tax advocates, hence the yearly increasing deficit in running it. Add to these agencies the infamous gerrymander act and the expensive, cumbrous Franchise Act, with its machinery often turned to account to defeat the verdict of the rightful electorate, and the wonder is that the Liberal party was not annihilated in recent contests.

To the ADVERTISER, which desires the promotion of good government, of measures that will benefit the whole people rather than a few combines, these methods of securing a victory are indefensible. A body of men that has to resort to them has not a good cause. A statesman is always prepared to trust the people to pronounce upon his conduct, upon his measures on their merits. That is the British view, as has again and again been demonstrated in recent years. Why should the electorate of Canada demand less honorable conduct on the part of its public men?

While the supporters of the present Administration at Ottawa have been kept supplied with abundance of money, abstracted in one way or another from the long-suffering taxpayer; while the expenses of revising the voters' lists on the Conservative side have in many instances been paid out of the funds accumulated from Red Parlor and railway subsidy sources; while Conservative deposits for protests and even ordinary election expenses have in many instances been sent from Ottawa, the Liberal party has been struggling along on its own honest resources. It has been seriously handicapped to get the legitimate funds for central organization. It has permitted the opponents of trade freedom to gain ground through sheer inability to obtain the necessary money to contest corrupt elections, and by means of detective agency secure the arrest and conviction of the hordes of professional boodlers who overran the constituencies in the interests of its opponents.

Sir Richard Cartwright made all this plain at Ingersoll. Is there a remedy? Can the situation be improved? If we did not think that a change could be effected, we would despair of the future of this country, bedevilled as it has been by self-seeking and unscrupulous men. To bring about a better state of affairs should be the aim of every man and woman who desires to see public business economically conducted, and the rising generation made to understand that honesty is the best policy because it is the only policy which a progressive people will indorse. What, then, are the chief needs of the friends of trade freedom and of honorable political warfare in Canada to-day?

A simple and just voters' list, and enough of funds to sustain an educative campaign in every part of the country as occasion may arise.

Sir Richard Cartwright talked money at Ingersoll. He had a right to do so. He has spent a great deal of his time and money in promoting those views of public policy which he believes to be right. Other friends of trade freedom have done the same. In every constituency there are a comparative few who have generously contributed to the funds for legitimate party expenditure. But it cannot be a secret that a party like that led by Mr. Laurier—which would not, if it had the power, support class laws to benefit a few in the community, even though that few were willing to pay hundreds of thousands of dollars for the privilege—cannot compete in the matter of the accumulation of money for organization with the beneficiaries of the "Red Parlor" and the milkers of the railway subsidies. What is needed is an election fund contributed on a popular basis. To aid such a fund need oppress no one. The churches are sustained on this popular, everybody-lend-a-hand plan, and to our mind it is the only really effective method for getting a fair fund with which to promote the principles of the subscribers as well as to combat, by legitimate agencies, the wrong-doing of their opponents. Where all aid, the individual subscriptions need not be large, and the result would be astonishing. What is to hinder the organized Liberal women of Canada from taking their part in this work? Now is the time to begin the education of the people for the next campaign. Now is the time to show to the leaders of the trade reform and tax reduction policy that they can expect loyal, tangible support in their efforts to promote the welfare of the whole people. If they are to be hampered and harassed through lack of the funds necessary to provide for organization, it would be folly to expect success at their hands.

THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.

Various correspondents ask the ADVERTISER to state the law with regard to the school holidays at Easter. The following are the sections of the school law governing the subject of holidays:

1. The public school teaching year shall consist of two terms: In townships the first shall begin on the third Monday of August and end on the 22nd day of December; the second term shall begin on the 3rd day of January and end on the 30th day of June.

2. In cities, towns and incorporated villages the first term shall begin on the last Monday of August and end on the 22nd day of December; the second term shall begin on the 3rd day of January and end on the 30th day of June, with holidays during the week following Easter Sunday.

3. Every Saturday, every public hiliday, and every day proclaimed a holiday by the authorities of the municipality in which the school section is situated, shall be a holiday in public schools.—[R. S. O., c. 225, s. 204 (2). (Amended.)

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

The Judge and the Law.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

In looking over the decision of Judge Elliot in the case of Cowan vs. McMartin, I see he is guided by authorities and higher court decisions. This, I suppose, he thinks is good enough for election bets; but for matters of elections his own judgment is superior to authorities and higher courts.

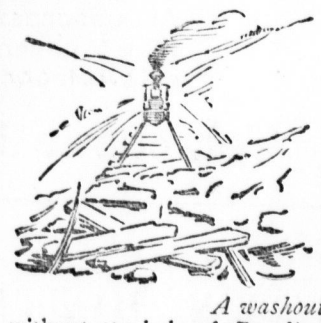
Yours, etc., JUDICIAL CONSISTENCY.
April 9, 1892.

Reform Needed in Bible Society Gatherings.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

It is very noticeable that the annual meetings of the Bible Society here for several years past have not been very interesting or attractive, hence the small attendance at these meetings. While ministers and churches surround their own special public services and preaching with proper attractions and wise methods to instruct and interest their audiences, the Bible Society meetings are barren of every modern improvement calculated to attract and benefit the public, and the murmur is often heard, and our citizens are blamed for manifesting no interest in Bible work or circulation, while the fault lies entirely with the cold and indifferent way in which these meetings are conducted. When the anniversary services of a congregation are announced, all the energy, co-operation and influence of the church are united to make the meetings profitable and interesting, and as a result the public get "a feast of reason and flow of soul," while the special fund requiring aid is fully replenished. But the Bible Society meetings are a failure in point of numbers, and are 25 years in the rear of human progress, and will continue to be so as long as the committee refuse to be guided by reason and common sense. They are selected out of the best Christian workers in all our city churches for carrying on work incident to such a noble society, and it is unfortunate that the experiences of past years do not stimulate the committee to adopt modern methods to make their annual meeting a source of pleasure and profit to the community generally, and indeed, the most popular and interesting of all other meetings. The committee may rest assured that so long as they conduct their meetings, as it were, "without note or comment," without good singing, and plenty of it, without short, crisp and practical addresses, so long will their meetings be dull, heavy and unattractive. The Bible is essentially a book of song, and was intended to meet and raise every faculty of our nature, as well as to benefit and bless the masses. The best ministerial talent is often (not always) gathered on "this broad platform" to discuss Bible circulation. Why should we not have the best musical talent from all our church choirs, to interest and please our meetings? "But, oh," says a grave brother, "the Bible should be an attraction of itself." True; but it is not and never was intended to be. Take away the service of praise and song from our sanctuaries and our churches would be closed up in a month. If the committee are not prepared to make a change in the conduct of their annual meeting they had better step aside and allow young men—yes, and women, too—to manage and direct the affairs of the Western Ontario Bible Society.

Yours, VERITAS.
London, April 7.



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THE OAR.

OXFORD DEFEATS CAMBRIDGE.

LONDON, April 9.—For the 26th time since the inauguration of the Oxford-Cambridge boat race, the crew of the Oxford University Boat Club have passed the winning line ahead of their opponents. The dark blue of Oxford was again carried to victory to-day by the strong arms of its wearers, and thundering cheers greeted the oarsmen as they rested on their oars after their well-fought battle for supremacy. Altogether 49 races have been rowed, one of which, that of 1877, terminated in a dead heat. The day was an ideal one for the oarsmen; the weather was superb, and the banks of the Thames were packed with crowds of people. Such a gathering as was present to-day has never been equaled in previous years, and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed among the supporters of the two clubs. The crowd began to gather as early as 9 o'clock, though 12 was the announced hour for starting. The wind—what there was of it, and that was very little—was from the southwest. The water was perfectly smooth and the tide was on the flood.

At exactly 12:16 the starting signal was given. Cambridge took the water first, pulling 38 strokes to the minute, and their boat jumped to the front. Oxford started pulling 39 strokes. With the perfect rhythm of a machine the oars flashed in and out of the water, but, strain and struggle as they would, Oxford could not close the gap between themselves and Cambridge. The light blues on the shore were wild with excitement and yelled encouraging words to their favorites. At Claspere boathouse, about three furlongs from the start, Cambridge was a quarter of a length in the lead, and this advantage was still retained as they passed Craven Steeps, about three furlongs further on.

Past the grass wharf rose bank, the crab trees and the malt houses the relative positions of the boats were unchanged, but as they neared Hammersmith bridge, one mile and six furlongs from the start, the faster and now stronger stroke of the dark blues began to tell and they drew up to a level with their opponents. A few seconds later Oxford had assumed the lead and put a gap of three-fourths of a length between herself and Cambridge.

Just below the oil mills, about two miles from the aqueduct, Cambridge began to fall further behind. Cambridge spurted manfully, but the pace set by Oxford was too much for them and they fell to pieces. At Thorny Crofts' works, just beyond Chiswick Eyot, the Oxfords crossed over and took the Cantabs' water, giving the latter the benefit of their wash.

The Cambridge crew were soon too far behind, however, for the wash to affect them. The race now degenerated into a procession.

Around the long bend at Barnes' Bridge, about three miles five furlongs from the start, Cambridge pulled themselves together and made desperate endeavors to regain their lost ground. They were then five lengths behind and their efforts were useless. The Oxfords slackened their stroke before reaching Mortlake, but a very short distance from the winning line, and allowed their opponents to approach them. Then ensued an exciting finish. The Cantabs, worn out by their struggle, braced themselves for a final effort. Sturdily they bent to their task. Their boat jumped forward beneath the impulse of their lusty strokes, but all was to no avail. Comparatively fresh, the dark blues played with their opponents, and crossed the line at the Old Ship Inn an easy winner by two lengths and a quarter.

The uproar at the finish was indescribable. Oxford's time was 19 minutes and 21 seconds. The time is the best ever made over the present course; the best previous time was 19 minutes and 35 seconds, made by the Cambridge crew when they won in 1873 by three-quarters of a length. It was in this race that sliding seats were first utilized by the university crews.

BASEBALL.

At Baltimore on Saturday—Baltimore 14, Pastimes 3.

At Philadelphia, Pa., on Saturday—Athletics 0, Philadelphia 8.

R. H. Leadley is to manage the Detroit Athletic Club.

THE ALERTS ORGANIZE.

A meeting of the Alert Baseball Club was held at their club room on Saturday evening to reorganize for the coming season. The large turnout proved that the enthusiasm in amateur baseball has not died out. The Alerts have secured several new players, and no doubt will make it interesting for all comers. The following officers were elected: C. S. Hyman, M.P., honorary president; G. C. Gibbons, president; Jas. Priddis, first vice-president; T. S. Hobbs, second vice-president; Bert. Sheere, secretary; Frank Arscott, treasurer; Thos. Dandie, manager. The Alerts would like to hear from outside teams in regard to a game on May 24. Address Thos. Dandie, 149 Mill street.

THE TURF

The dates of the spring race meeting of the Woodstock Driving Park are June 14 and 15.

Frank Shaw, of St. Paul, Minn., has purchased the betting privilege at the fair ground track at St. Louis, Mo., for the spring race meeting for $100,000.

St. Simon of the Rock has died at Mr. Barrow's paddocks, Newmarket. He broke down while taking part in the Cesarewitch last autumn, and was then placed in slings. He broke his shoulder in getting up in the box, having been cut of slings only a few days, and it was found necessary to destroy him. He ran six times as a 2-year-old without winning, and the only race he won as a 3-year-old was the Ascot Derby, when, with odds of 3 to 1 laid on him, he beat Barbatello and Crevasse. He finished fourth in the 2,000 guineas, and was third for both the Newmarket stakes and Doncaster St. Leger.

Among the list of thoroughbred and hackney stallions entered for the Toronto horse show on April 21, 22 and 23, is Thos. Weld's (London, Ont.) br. h. (imp.) Firefly (1,779), sire Fireaway (249), dam Nance (1,291).

Cincinnati sporting men say the Van S., on whose winning at Gloucester the Covington bookmakers were plucked, was a bottled horse and that Arthur Ashbrook, a Covington plunger, sent the tip to Cincinnati friends, furnished money to bet, and made thereby $10,000 for himself. Enright's suburban room paid out $11,000; the White House, owned by Enright & Co., lost over $8,000; Johnny Payne's lost $2,400; Sharp & Co. paid out $4,000, while Mark Simonton paid $7,000.

ATHLETICS.

The ten-mile amateur running championship of England was won by Sid Thomas on March 26, his time being 53 minutes 25½ seconds. H. A. Heath was second, more than a minute behind Thomas.

George Dixon has signed articles to meet Fred Johnson, the English champion featherweight, for a purse of $6,000, at the Coney Island Athletic Club, June 16.

At Long Island City, N. Y., a ten mile run between Nick Cox, trainer of the Star Athletic Club, of this city, and Conrad Marks, champion of Staten Island, for $250 a side, took place Saturday. Cox won by half a lap in 55 minutes 28 4 5 seconds.

FOOTBALL.

The International match between Scotland and Wales, played in Edinburgh, March 26, resulted in a victory for Scotland by 6 goals to 1. The game was played in a snowstorm.

CRICKET.

No. 1 Company, Infantry School Corps Cricket Club is organized for the season: Honorary president, Lieut.-Col. Smith; president, Capt. D. D. Young; treasurer, Color-Sergt. E. D. Griffiths; secretary, Private H. T. Millie; committee, Messrs. Burnard, Williams, Evans, Holloway and Kenneburg. The secretary is busy arranging for matches for the season, and hopes to hear from other cricket club secretaries.

The Aylmer Cricket Club has organized for the coming season. The following are the officers: Honorary president, Wm. Warnock; president, J. G. Nolter; vice-president, D. H. Price; secretary-treasurer, J. L. Crawford; captain, Dr. Sinclair; committee of management, Messrs Love and Heag.

SKATING.

The six-day, 72-hour, go-as-you please roller skating race which began on Monday last at the Central Hall, Holborne, London, was finished Saturday evening. The contest resulted in a victory for Snowden, the American champion. The race was for the six days world's championship belt and a purse of $1,875, divided into six prizes. Among the entries were a number of American skaters, Snowden, Hal Berte, A. Buckhurst and White, of Boston, and McDowell, of Syracuse. The score of the leaders at the finish was: Snowden, 804 miles; Scriven, champion of London, 776; Mearns, champion of England, 770; and Curtis, of England, 735. Some of the racers fainted from the excessive heat.

LACROSSE.

The Toronto Lacrosse Club has lost one of its best players in the removal of "Bob" Cheney to Vancouver, B. C. Previous to his departure a farewell supper was tendered him by his friends, during which he was presented with a gold-headed cane.

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Latest Declarations Anent the Scandal From All Over Canada.

MR. HYMAN, M.P., SHOULD HAVE HIS SEAT.

[Montreal Star, Independent Conservative.]

To the outsider there is no doubt that Judge Elliot forgot the dignity of the Bench. The independent press of the country all agree in condemning him. Whether or not he should be impeached is another question. If Mr. Lister proves his accusations impeachment is too mild a punishment; but, only a more or less partisan bias is established, it will be enough for Parliament to find some way of setting aside his decision.

FEW WILL ENVY HIM.

[Tilsonburg Liberal.]

Judge Elliot, of London, is gaining a reputation over his actions in the late election contest in London that few judges in Canada will envy. The matter is being inquired into in Parliament, and it looks as though there will be at least one judge out of a job soon.

A GREAT SCANDAL.

[Port Perry Observer, Conservative.]

The result of the late bye-election of a representative for London, Ont., in the Dominion Parliament is, without doubt, one of the greatest political scandals brought before a Canadian public for a long time. The act of Parliament which makes such a scandal possible should not be allowed to remain on the statute book 24 hours. The act has not one redeeming feature to plead for its prolonged existence. In the first place it is outrageously expensive; every revision of the voters' lists costs the country over $400,000. The vast amount of machinery crowded into it causes much needless expense. The act has been long enough in use to prove its worthlessness, and warrants immediate withdrawal as a cumbersome, costly and unsatisfactory toy. The intelligent rank and file, as well Grits as Tories, have no desire and can have no motive in seeking to defend the act which is really indefensible.

DUTY OF THE BENCH,

[St. John, N. B., Telegraph.]

The bench should be made thoroughly non-partisan and unbiassed in its judgments. Judges are already deprived of the right to vote in political contests, but what is the use of this safeguard if it is trampled upon and they give disputed seats to party friends, thus overriding the will of the people?

NO MORE HOCUS-POCUS BUSINESS WANTED.

[Toronto Saturday Night.]

The impeachment of Judge Elliot was a stroke so bold that, though threatened, few expected to see it put into execution. The judiciary has so long been regarded as inviolable, and such speedy retribution has overtaken those who in a spirit of bravado have assailed the bench, with or without cause, that the people thought that James Lister would not be profane enough to impeach Judge Elliot. Despite all evidence of partisanship, there are many who consistently believe that a judge must be right. These are the people who never saw one without his gown and therefore have had no opportunity of observing in him the frail humanity pervading all of us, who, like sheep, etc. A man being a man, the donning of a particular piece of raiment cannot transform him into an angel. It would be well if the popular belief in the rock-like impartiality of the judiciary could be maintained, and there is no reason why that belief should be dispelled, for though all minds must entertain partialities, yet a certain high order of intellect can subordinate personal predilections to those standard principles of equality acquired by training. Only that judge whose impartiality is marvelous can safely interpret law without considering equity, for while a man's conception of the latter may be developed into set and safe proportions, bare law is open to whatever interpretation a biased mind may desire to give it. Respect for the bench and faith in its findings are very desirable conditions, but they cannot be maintained by a severity of punishment upon those who assail the judiciary. This is only a minor part of the means whereby a proper respect is to be preserved. The chief requirement is that the bench shall merit public confidence to such a degree that its assailants shall necessarily be dangerous and unworthy persons only. When, however, men as good as any within a community make charges through a responsible Parliamentarian against a judge, all this hocus-pocus business by which he is hedged about must be pulled aside and the man examined, lest in being over punctilious in respect to an individual we imperil the standing of a vital institution, of which he is only an insignificant feature at best. The charges against Judge Elliot are so strong that they seem to discredit belief in themselves, but they come from men who are entitled to a chance to make good their bold talk. It would be a cruel kindness for the House to protect the judge from his accusers.

DEFEATED, YET SEATED.

[St. Thomas Journal.]

When will the Government resent the indignity of having a member of Parliament occupying a seat in the House and holding a portfolio, who was defeated by the people?

TYRANNY ALWAYS TO BE RESENTED.

[Moncton, N. B., Transcript.]

The old gag cry is raised in reference to the impeachment of Judge Elliot, that it is a reflection on the Canadian judiciary! But the day has gone by when the tyranny of the judiciary can trample out discussion.

RATHER!

[Whitby Chronicle.]

If Lister makes good his case as stated in the petition, Judge Elliot will be placed in an awkward predicament.

SIR JOHN THOMPSON'S SHUFFLING.

[Toronto Irish-Canadian.]

Evidently it is the intention to burk, if possible, the inquiry into the conduct of Judge Elliot sought by several of the electorate of the constituency of London. This looks bad for the parties to the shuffle, and it hurts none more seriously than the judge himself. He is accused of grave irregularities in his judicial position—in fact, he is impeached, categorically and substantially, as being unfit and unworthy longer to hold a seat on the judicial bench. In justice to Judge Elliot, one would think that the Minister of Justice would be only too anxious to afford the accused the earliest opportunity of clearing himself of the charges laid against him; but instead of this we find Sir John Thompson interposing trifling objections of a technical character, with no other supposable object than to stave off the inquiry. But the inquiry will come nevertheless, and when its result is made known Sir John may have cause to be ashamed of his protese.

PRETENDERS!

[Strathroy Age.]

The majority in Parliament seems bound to identify itself with the outrage by Judge Elliot, and now places every impediment in the way of an honest inquiry into the charge laid against him. For a Government that was to punish wrong-doing wherever found their action in this matter looks a barren pretense.

GUILTY OF THE VILEST PRACTICES.

[Toronto Telegram, Independent Conservative.]

A Government that has a policy, and that is trying to make a good record, could confidently rely upon the support of the country. It through its agents respects few of the rights which are common to citizens of all parties. It makes its own constituencies. The revising barristers do its work. Its employes in the Government Printing Bureau "blunder" the names of Grits off the list, and finally when all these agencies fail, it accepts as a gift from a county judge a seat which a free constituency has given to its opponent.

These words are written in no spirit of unfriendliness to the Government. It is well that Premier Abbott and Sir John Thompson should understand that the frauds at which they wink are serving the purposes of the annexationists. Practices viler than any tolerated on the other side of the line are disgracing Canadian politics. Interference with the right to a free and fair election long continued can make the boasted superiority of our institutions all in the music of the orator's voice. The Government that governs for the nation, not for the faction, will have more abiding strength than the partisanship of revising officers, trickery in the printing of the lists, and outrages like that in London can give to the ministry of a faction.

HIS OWN RULING ALONE SHOULD CONDEMN HIM.

[Victoria, B. C. Times.]

It is evident that further light is to be thrown on the theft of the London seat from the Liberals. The latter are proceeding in Parliament against Judge Eliot, the man who is mainly responsible for the scandalous usurpation, and appear to have strong evidence against him. They will probably succeed in showing that he is totally unfit, by reason of his partizan leanings, to occupy the bench of the County Court of Middlesex, but there is unfortunately too good ground to believe that this will not secure his removal. Nothing more than his own ruling in the London case is needed to show that he did not care to hold the scales evenly as between the two parties; the mere fact that in order to give Mr. Carling the seat he was obliged to set up his own judgment against the opinions of eight Superior Court judges is ample proof. But Mr. Carling has been given Mr. Hyman's seat, and when he took possession of it the Conservative members fairly raised the roof of the chamber with their applause. Is it likely that these members will agree to Judge Elliot's desposition, even if Mr. Lister proves all that is alleged against him? There is no sense of justice left in men who can enthusiastically applaud a successful fraud. Imagine a man taking a seat in the British House of Commons under such circumstances. Instead of being received with hearty cheers he would meet with frowns, and probably hisses, from members of all parties. But the tone of politics of the mother country, though bitter party warfare is waged there, is immeasurably higher than in Canada.

YES, LET THE TRUTH COME OUT.

[Woodville Independent.]

The truth will no doubt be brought out by the committee. Mr. Lister is not the man to make charges which he is unable to prove.

HONORABLE INDEPENDENT CONSERVATIVES.

[Galt Reformer.]

The independent Conservative press quite outstrips the Liberal journals in denouncing Judge Elliot's conduct in stealing the London seat for Carling. The petition to Parliament impeaching the judge declares he wrote for the London Free Press and took an active part for "Honest John" during the election, and then overruled the judges of the two higher courts and counted his relative in! As a sample of what independent Conservative papers say, read the following from the Toronto World:

"We say we scarcely believe a judge could have been so ill-advised. If the allegations are true, however, the offending judge will surely not subject himself to the humiliation of being impeached by Parliament. His course is clear. He must resign, and his resignation would of course be followed by that of Carling, as that gentleman could not honorably hold a seat which had been awarded him under such suspicious auspices. Let us hope, however, that Mr. Lister has been misled as to the nature of his evidence."

HE MUST GO!

[Point Edward Post.]

The bench must be kept unsullied, and if Judge Elliot is guilty of the charges preferred against him he should be made to step down and out.

MOST REPREHENSIBLE QUIBBLING.

[Waterford Star.]

Last week Mr. Lister presented a petition in the Commons from a number of London electors complaining of the partisan conduct of Judge Elliot during the recent bye-election in that constituency. Mr. Lister also moved a resolution which was equivalent to an impeachment of the judge, but the Government leader objected on the plea of some informality in the petition, so the matter was adjourned. The method of obstructing public business on a mere technicality merely to gain time is most reprehensible. If the party charged with malfeasance is innocent the sooner an investigation is held and he is honorably acquitted the better for him, while if guilty the public have a right to demand speedy redress.

ALL FOR OFFICE AND EMOLUMENT.

[Hamilton Times.]

Those who may be surprised to see Sir John Thompson standing between such men as Haggart and Caron and their deserved punishment; those who may wonder that he welcomes as a colleague Carling, the seat-stealer, and that, with all his professions of purity and honesty, he doesn't find anything too mean for him so long as it is calculated to keep him in office, may recall these words of Lord Palmerston:

"I can forgive old women like the Chancellor, spoonies like Liverpool, ignoramuses like Westmoreland, old stumped-up Tories like Bathurst; but how such a man as Peel, liberal, enlightened and fresh-minded, should find himself running in such a pack is hardly intelligible."

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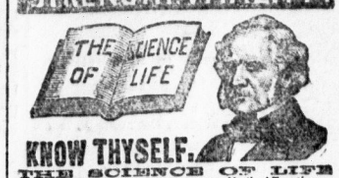

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Livery for Sale—X., This Office.
Tailors Wanted—J. H. Chapman & Co.
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Funeral Notice—Sons of England.
Property Wanted—Box 699, Brockville.

AUCTION SALE.

Organ, etc., April 12—D. H. Grand.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, April 11—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 96 5-16 for money; 96 5-16 for account; Mexican Central, 73; St. Paul, 74; Erie seconds, 10¾; Erie, 31¾; Mexican seconds, 28¾; Pacific Central, 88¾; Reading, 28¾; Canadian Pacific, 96¾; New York Central, 117¾; Illinois Central, 107; Bank of England rate, 2½ per cent.; open market discount, 1 1-16 to 1⅛.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, April 11.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	223	222
Ontario	—	113
Molsons	—	161
Toronto	—	238
Merchants	154	151
Commerce	137½	137
Imperial	194	192
Dominion	272½	271½
Dominion, ex-div	267	266
Standard	—	171
Hamilton	178	177½
British America	—	84
Western Assurance	141	140
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	—
Northwest Land Company	76½	75½
Bell Telephone Company	170	167
Canada Pacific Railway Bonds	—	—
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	88¾	88
Canadian Savings and Loan	125	122
Dominion Savings and Loan	95½	93½
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	126
Farmers' L. and S. 50 per cent	—	114
Huron and Erie Loan and Savings	—	160
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	—	149
London and Canada, L. and A.	127½	126
London Loan	—	—
London and Ontario	—	116½
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	130

SALES—Dominion, 1 at 272, 40 at 271½; Dominion, ex-div., 5 at 266½; Northwest Land Company, 5 at 76; London and Canada, L. and A., 20 at 127.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKET

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Monday, April 11.

The receipts this morning from farmers were a few loads of grain and hay. No change in prices. Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$ 00	to	$ 00
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 35
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 35
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 35
Oats per 100 lbs	85	to	87
Peas per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 20
Corn per 100 lbs	85	to	90
Barley per 100 lbs	85	to	1 00
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 20	to	1 25
Buckwheat 100 lbs	90	to	95
Beans per bu	75	to	80
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail, per doz	12	to	12
Eggs, basket, per doz	9½	to	10½
Eggs, store lots, per doz	10	to	10
Butter per lb., pound rolls	17	to	18
Butter per lb, large rolls or crocks	15	to	16
Butter per lb, tubs or firkins	00	to	00
Lard per lb	10	to	10
Cheese per lb	10	to	10½
Chickens per pair	60	to	90
Ducks	75	to	1 00
Turkeys, each	1 60	to	2 00
Turnips, per bu	20	to	25
Onions	1 25	to	1 50
HAY, SEEDS, ETC.			
Hay, per ton	10 00	to	12 00
Straw, per load	2 00	to	4 00
Wood, hard, per cord	4 75	to	5 00
Wood, soft, per cord	2 50	to	3 00
Clover seed, red, per bush	7 00	to	7 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	40	to	50
Radishes, per doz. bunches	40	to	40
Celery, per doz	30	to	50
Cabbages, per doz	25	to	50
Cauliflowers, per doz	00	to	00
Squashes, each	5	to	10
Pumpkins, each	4	to	10
Potatoes, per bag	35	to	40
Grapes, per lb	00	to	00
Mellons, Citron	00	to	00
Pears, per bu	90	to	1 00
Onions, per doz. bunches	40	to	40
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7½	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs	5 50	to	6 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	8
Sheepskins, each	60	to	90
Lambskins, each	60	to	90
Wool, per lb	16	to	19
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5½	to	6
Tallow, rough, per lb	2½	to	3

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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, April 11.

FLOUR—Receipts, 115 bbls; sales none; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, $4 85 to $5 00; do, spring, $4 50 to $5 10; straight roller, $4 70 to $4 60; extra, $4 15 to $4 25; superfine, $3 90 to $4 00; strong bakers, $4 50 to $4 90; Ontario bags, $1 90 to $2 20.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 95c to 98c; corn, 58c to 60c; peas, 73c to 74c; oats, 32c to 34c; barley, 60c to 65c; rye, 91c to 93c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $1 85 to $2 00; cornmeal, $1 30 to $1 35.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $16 00 to $16 50; lard 7½c to 7¾c; bacon, 9c to 10c; hams, 10c to 11c; cheese, 10½c to 12c; butter townships, 18c to 20c; western, 16c to 17c; eggs, 12c to 13c.

Toronto Street Market.

TORONTO, April 9.—The receipts of grain on the street market to-day were small and prices were steady.

Wheat, white, per bush	$ 87	to	$ 87
Wheat, spring, per bush	83	to	83½
Wheat, red winter, per bush	87	to	87
Wheat, goose, per bush	75	to	75
Barley, per bush	45	to	48½
Oats, per bush	34	to	34
Peas	66½	to	66½
Rye	89	to	89
Hay, timothy	14 00	to	15 50

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, April 11.

WHEAT—Spring, No. 1, 80c to 81c; red winter No. 2, 81c to 82c; No. 2 white, 86c to 90c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, $1 05 to $1 05; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 96c to 96c; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 85c to 86½c; regular No. 1, 76c to 77c; No. 2, 64c to 65c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 45c to 56c; No. 2, 50c to 51c; No. 3 extra, 44c to 45c; No. 3, 42c to 43c.

PEAS—No. 2, 62c to 63c.

OATS—No. 1, 31c to 32c.

CORN—48c to 48½c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 25 to $4 00; straight roller, $3 95 to $4.

HOGS (dressed)—$5 75 to $6 10.

HAY—Timothy, $12 to $12 50.

Sales—No. 1 hard at $1 06; No. 2 hard at 95c; No. 3 hard 88c, all at North Bay; oats on track at 34c to 35c.

English Markets
Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, April 11.

Floating cargoes—Wheat steadily held; corn quiet.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat buyers hesitate; corn quiet.

Mark Lane—Wheat, corn and flour turn dearer: spot good No. 2 club Cal. wheat 32s, was 31s 9d; present and following month 33s 3d, was 32s 9d; do, good mixed American corn 20s 3d, was 19s 9d; straight Minnesota flour 24s, was 24s; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 37s, was 36s 3d; do. R. W. off coast 35s 6d, was 35s; do. Australian off coast 36s, was 35s 9d; present and following month 36s, was 35s 9d; do. Chilian off coast 35s 9d, was 35s 6d; present and following month 35s 9d, was 35s; do. Walla off coast 36s, was 35s 6d; present and following month 36s, was 35s 6d; do. mixed American corn prompt steamer 20s, was 19s 4d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat prompt sail 36s 9d, was 36s 3d; nearly due 36s 9d, was 36s 3d; red winter prompt steamer 26s, was 25s; present and following month 36s, was 35s.

French country markets steadier.

Weather in England very fine.

Liverpool—Spot wheat weak; corn easier; No. 1 Cal. 7s 5½d—¼d cheaper; American red winter 7s 6d—unchanged; Indian 7s 1½d—¼d cheaper; corn 4s 3½d—¼d cheaper.

LIVERPOOL, April 11.

The quotations for the last three market days are as follows:

	April 8.		April 9.		April 11.	
	s. d.	p. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Spring	7 4½	7 5¼	7 6	7 7	7 6	7 7
Red Winter	7 4½	7 5¼	7 6	7 7	7 6	7 7
Kan. winter	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
No. 1 Cal	7 5	7 6	7 6	7 7	7 5¾	7 6½
Corn	4 3½	4 3¾	4 4	4 4	4 3½	4 3¾
Peas, per c.	5 8½	5 9	5 8½	5 9	5 8½	5 9
Pork	58 9	0 0	58 9	0 0	58 9	0 0
Lard	33 0	0 0	33 0	0 0	33 0	0 0
Bacon, h'vy	33 0	60 0	33 0	0 0	33 0	60 0
Bacon, light	33 6	60 0	33 6	0 0	33 6	60 0
Tallow	25 3	60 0	25 3	60 0	25 3	60 0
Cheese, wh.	56 0	60 0	56 0	60 0	56 0	60 0
Cheese, col.	56 0	60 0	56 0	60 0	56 0	60 0

Wheat quiet; demand poor; holders offer moderately; corn quiet; demand poor.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, April 11.

WHEAT—May, 83½c; July, 83¾c.

CORN—May, 40¼c to 40⅝c; July, 38⅝c.

OATS—May, 29½c; July, 27¾c.

PORK—May, $10 17½; July, $10 22½.

LARD—May, $6 20; July, $6 32½.

SHORT RIBS—May, $5 60; July, $5 72½.

DETROIT, April 11.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 91c cash; No. 2 red, 92c cash; 92c May; 87c July.

TOLEDO, April 11.

WHEAT—93c cash and April; 92½c May; 87c July.

CORN—40¼c cash, 41c May.

OATS—32c cash.

MILWAUKEE, April 11.

WHEAT—Quiet; 79½c cash and April; 79½c bid May.

CHICAGO, April 9.

To-day's wheat trade was spasmodic, and on the whole not so heavy as yesterday. At times the market was very excited, at others quiet. The fluctations were rapid and violent, and the feeling was very unsettled. The opening was the wildest witnessed for some time, and prices varied 1½c within first few seconds in different parts of the crowd, sales being made ⅛c and 1¼c over the closing figures of yesterday. The corn market was not sympathizing to any great extent with the advance in wheat at the opening, but was in full accord within on the decline. The highest price of to-day was only ⅛c above the closing price of the day before, and its resting price to-day was at a decline of 1½c. Oats were active. The provision trade was dull and the market heavy.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—No. 2 April, 82⅝c; May, 82⅝c; July, 83¼c.

CORN—No. 2 April, 40c; May, 40½c to 40⅝c; June, 38½c.

OATS—No. 2 May, 29½c; June, 28⅝c.

MESS PORK—May, $10 20; July, $10 32½.

LARD—May, $6 20; July, $6 30.

SHORT RIBS—May, $5 60; July, $5 70.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour firmer, millers asking 10c to 30c over the low prices of the week; No. 2 spring wheat, 82½c; No. 2 red, 88c; No. 2 corn, 40¼c; No. 2 white oats, 30c to 30½c; No. 3 white oats, 29½c to 30c; No. 2 oats, 29½c to 29¼c; No. 2 rye, 63½c; No. 3, 55c to 62c; mess pork, $10 10 to $10 12½; lard, $6 17½ to $6 20; short rib sides, $5 57½ to $5 60; dry salted shoulders, $4 50 to $5; short clear sides, $6 17½ to $6 30.

Receipts—			
Flour	14,000	Wheat	23,000
Corn	113,000	Oats	130,000
Rye	7,000	Barley	45,000
Shipments—			
Flour	11,000	Wheat	29,000
Corn	168,000	Oats	197,000
Rye	7,000	Barley	43,000

NEW YORK, April 9.

FLOUR—Stronger.

WHEAT—Receipts, 41,000 bu; exports, 243,000 bu; sales, 9,800,000 bu futures; 54,000 bu spot; spot higher; No. 2 red, $1 02, store and elevator; ungraded red, 93⅞c to $1 02; No. 1 northern, $1 01 to $1 01½; options excited; April, 98¼c; May, 95½c; June, 92¾c; July, 91c; Aug., 93¼c; Sept., 92⅞c; Dec., 95c.

RYE—Steady; western, 88c to 91c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 2 Milwaukee, 68c to 69c.

CORN—Receipts, 61,000 bu; exports, 64,000 bu; sales, 885,000 bu futures; 31,000 bu spot; spot stronger; No. 2, 53¼c to 54c, elevator; ungraded mixed, 51½c to 54½c, steamer; mixed, 53¼c to 55⅝c; options, April, 50½c; May, 48¼c; June, 45½c; July, 46c; Aug., 46½c.

OATS—Receipts 49,000 bu; exports, 150,000 bu; sales, 150,000 bu futures; 100,000 bu spot; spot higher; options firmer; April, 26c; May, 35⅝c; June, 34½c; mixed western, 35c to 37½c; white, 37c to 41½c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A," 4⅞c to 4¾c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5c to 5⅛c; powdered, 4⅝c to 4¾c; granulated, 4⅜c to 4⅝c.

EGGS—Easier; 14c to 14½c.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 9.

WHEAT—Spring wheat quiet; No. 1 hard closed 96¼c; No. 1 northern, 91½c; No. 2 northern, 90c; No. 3 northern, 85c; 1 car lot No. 1 northern sold at 95¼c; 5,000 bu No. 2 northern c. i. f., 90c. Winter wheat dull; No. 2 red, 95c; No. 1 white, 95½c.

CORN—Dull; light offerings; 5 cars No. 2 yellow, 46c; 3 cars No. 3 yellow, 45½c; 3 cars No. 3 corn, 45c to 45½c; 8 cars, poor color, 44c.

OATS—Scarce; firm; 4 cars No. 2 white, 35½c to 35¾c, closed 36c; clipped do sold at 36½c.

BARLEY—Nominally unchanged.

RYE—No. 2 quoted at 88c.

FLOUR—Active; firmer.

United States Barley Markets.

BUFFALO, April 9.—Barley nominal. There was a small inquiry for a car lot or two of good Canada to fill in with schen malt, but would not pay the price for the only lot of Canada on the market; 91c is asked for it, which grades at No. 1 bright. Oswego and Albany—Quiet and unchanged. At New York—Dull; No. 2 Milwaukee, 68c to 69c. Chicago—Nominal; No. 2, 55c to 62c. Milwaukee—Steady; No. 2, 61½c; sample, 42c to 59c. St. Louis—Nothing doing.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., April 9.—Cattle—The market closed for the week with very light receipts; only 1 car to-day and a limited demand.

Sheep and Lambs—Market fairly active and 10c to 15c higher, due to the light run in the eastern markets; 25 cars on sale; top lots of wool lambs, $7 50; a few prime, $7 60; good grades, $7 40. Sheep, $6 40 to $6 60 for choice; 1 load of prime sold at $6 70, the lot weighing 107 lbs. Clipped lambs, $6 to $6 25; recently shorn and several loads of summer clipped, weighing 72 to 84 lbs, brought $6 50; market closed steady at the advance; still the prices look high to the sellers here, and caution is advised on taking to-day's prices for a basis on which to purchase in the country.

Hogs—Offerings about 6 cars; a fair demand, but nothing active or strong; prices 5c to 10c higher than yesterday; best hogs, $4 75; a few at $4 80; pigs, $4 70 to $4 75. The Southern hogs that have been here for several days cleared up at $3 75 to $4, market closing steady; about all sold.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, April 11.—The near approach of Easter does not seem to lend any buoyancy to the cattle trade. Butchers are buying very cautiously, and what few animals changed hands lately were at a very low value. Good cows sold at $44 to $47, while common stock ran from $30 to $40.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, April 11.—Oil opened and closed to-day at $1 25½.

A morning Chicago paper says Vice-President Morton is to be renominated with President Harrison at the Minneapolis convention. That fact was practically determined upon at a secret meeting of the Republican party magnates in Chicago on Sunday.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Tulips are showing above the snow in Victoria Park.

—The policemen have donned their winter overcoats again.

—W. A. Bankier, a merchant of far-off India, is at the Tecumseh.

—Jas. A. Blair, of this city, was registered in Washington last week.

—The city engineer has a brand new office desk, and says cut flowers are now in order.

—Work will be resumed at once on the Victoria bridge breakwater, the stone having arrived.

—Mr. J. H. Higginbotham, Colborne street, G. T. R. traveling auditor, left to-day for a six weeks' trip to the old country.

—Miss Thomson, late of Mr. Coo's academy, has gone to Lucan to teach. Miss Thomson will be much missed in South London social circles.

—A wicked chimney fire at the residence of James Mustill, Bruce street, South London, was quieted by Fireman Brazier yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. A. C. Rush, of the Bank of British North America here, takes the place in Paris that is vacated by Mr. O. R. Rowley, who goes to Woodstock.

—Mr. Thos. W. Watson, of Bruce street, South London, has suffered affliction by the death of his youngest child, which was the result of repeated convulsions for several days.

—The county auditors have completed their quarterly audit, and the small amount due county constables reflects credit on High Constable Schram and his constabulary.

—About 25 New York people bound for home spent six hours in the city last night. An accident on the road in Michigan had detained them, and they were sent here by special train.

—The boys of No. 3 Fire Station have received from Brantford the new 12-inch Waterous gong for their hose reel, and placed it on the wagon this morning. It is a dandy, and even the deaf should hear it.

—At Osgoode Hall on Saturday, in the case of Milner vs. Trowbridge, W. J. Green, for the defendant, moved to change the venue from Chatham to London. Langton, Q.C., for the plaintiff. Order made as asked.

—Judge Elliot, of London, has decided that election bets are void. Thus J. Cowan, who bet on Mr. Hyman, gets back 50 good dollars. Nobody knows better than the judge that the election was a fraud.—[Stratford Beacon.

—A few days since the officers of Ontario Council, National Union, waited upon the widow of the late Ralph Hodgins, of this city, and handed her a draft for $5,000, the amount of her husband's insurance in that society.

—The St. Thomas delegation to Ottawa, re L. and P. S. railway did not go on Saturday as stated, having received word just before they intended starting that the hearing of the case has been deferred till after the Easter holidays.

—Mr. David Walsh, of Piccadilly street, who has been employed by Mr. James Reid, hardware merchant, Dundas street, for nearly five years, leaves to-day by the C. P. R. for Winnipeg, with the good wishes of his many friends in this city.

—Rev. R. D. Hamilton, of Union and Port Stanley, gave admirable sermons at the London West Methodist Sunday school anniversary yesterday. The open afternoon meeting was addressed by Rev. Messrs. McIntyre and Hamilton. This evening a tea meeting will be held in the church. A good programme of addresses and music has been provided.

Robinson vs. Goulet Bros.

Before James Martin, late proprietor of the Martin House, assigned to Alf. Robinson the sheriff seized some of his effects on behalf of Goulet Bros. Mr. Robinson has entered an interpleader action against Goulet Bros. to recover these effects. The case came up at the county court before Judge Davis this morning and an indefinite adjournment was made, no evidence being taken. C. G. Jarvis is acting for the plaintiff and T. H. Purdom for the defendants.

A Curiosity.

John Connor, 349 Richmond street, city, has the Psalms of David in Hebrew, translated in Spanish with notes in the same language. There is also the approbation of the different councils with dates of their meetings supposed to be printed in block type, calf binding in a good state of preservation, printed in Amsterdam in the year of Light, 5431, or the Christain Era, 1431. It is said that judges in ancient books think if it is not in the British Museum or the World's Fair it would be a great addition to their collection.

City Foresters at Lobo.

Friday evening about twenty of the A. O. Foresters from the city drove out to Lobo village. Arriving there they were met by Bro. A. J. Stevens, the organizer, and at 9 o'clock proceeded to initiate the members for the formation of Court Star of Lobo, No. 7,892. The following brethren acted as officers pro tem.: Bro. Stevens, C.R.; Bro. Tuxford, S.C.R.; Bro. R. Taylor, P.C.R.; Bro. Ed. Pierce, S.W.; Bro. George Berry, J.W.; Bro. H. Downs, beadle. Twenty-five gentlemen presented themselves for initiation. The following brethren were elected to fill the offices during the current term: C. R., Bro. A. D. Graham; S. C. R., T. Smith; treasurer, D. E. McIntyre; secretary, J. R. Staples; assistant secretary, E. J. Shaw; S. W., P. McKelvie; J. W., D. Steele; S. B., Geo. Farrel; J. B., W. Eddington; M. O., P. L. Graham, M.D.; trustees, Geo. Monger, J. Irvine and P. L. Graham; P. C. R., Ben. Younger. After the secret work had been exemplified and the brethren fully instructed in the running of the court by Bros. Tuxford, W. Richards, R. Taylor, McIndoe, and H. Porter, adjournment was made to the Monger House, where a very bountiful spread was enjoyed and an hour was spent in speeches and song.

Confirmation at St. James'.

There was a crowded congregation on Sunday morning in St. James' Church, South London, where 42 candidates were confirmed by the Bishop of Huron. The services thoroughout were very impressive and solemn, Rev. Mr. Davis assisting. Of the candidates 16 were ladies and 26 gentlemen, the majority of both being young people, whom the bishop addressed briefly, advising all to find a place for God as well as for business in their lives. Wealth has too frequently been a curse to those who have secured it rather than a benediction. "Doubt everybody if you will," said the bishop, "but trust Jesus for eternity in

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INCIDENTS OF INTEREST.

The News of the Day, Culled and Condensed.

Eight cases of smallpox have been reported in New York since Saturday.

Another vessel will start from Philadelphia with provisions for the starving Russians.

Brig. Gen Thomas A. Sweeney, U. S. A. (retired), died at his residence in Astoria on Sunday night.

A London dispatch says another serious outbreak of the foot and mouth disease has occurred among cattle near Sittingbourne in Kent.

A leading Roumanian organ, the Romanneu, says rumors are current of the abdication of the King of Roumania in favor of the Crown Prince.

James Hayes, a trimmer employed by one of the electric light companies in Boston, has been found dead hanging to an electric light pole. He had received a shock.

Queen Victoria will visit the ducal family at Darmstadt on April 25, while returning home from Hyeres. She will meet at Darmstadt ex-Empress Frederick and perhaps Emperor William.

A Washington special says Cyrus W. Field, jun., of New York, is to be given a place in the foreign service. Mr. Field's efforts to secure employment for himself are found necessary by the financial reverses which the head of the family has recently suffered.

The Feast of Flowers was celebrated in the City of Mexico and throughout the republic on Sunday. The ceremony in the City of Mexico took place on the Place De la Viga, and was participated in by thousands of Indians, who flocked in from the surrounding country.

The London Chronicle's correspondent in the Russian famine district, who has been visiting Begechetf, writes that he saw Count Tolstoi's daughter open in a single day letters containing checks amounting to 3,000 roubles. Most of the letters were from America and England.

The majority of the Buenos Ayres delegates favor Saenz Pena for President. The Presidential election is fixed for June 12. Argentines are asking themselves the meaning of the action of distant powers in seeking naval depots in Argentina. Russia has asked the use of Staten Island.

A fight has occurred on Poneder River, in Wyoming, between the cattlemen and rustlers, but no particulars can be learned. The wires from Buffalo to Casper are down, and it is said the cattlemen have cut the line in many places to prevent any communication with the outside world.

Steamers Arrived.

April 10.		
Sarnia	Halifax	Liverpool
La Gascogne	New York	Havre
Servia	New York	Liverpool
Denmark	New York	Liverpool

April 11.	At.	From.
Arizona	New York	Liverpool
America	New York	London
Beraunschung	New York	Bremen
Ems	Southampton	New York
Werra	Gibralter	New York

The Fire Record.

WALLACEBURG, April 11.—The small steam barge W. S. Ireland was badly burned at the Erie and Huron Railway dock here last evening. She is owned by John Cooper and had just been fitted out for the season's work, and intended leaving for Detroit to-day. The fire is supposed to have caught around the boilers. She was valued at $6,000; insured against fire in the Queen's for $3,500.

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The Little Minister.

By J. M Barrie,

AUTHOR OF "WINDOW IN THRUMS," "WHEN A MAN'S SINGLE," "MY LADY NICOTINE," ETC.

I saw my Margaret again, so fragile now, so thin the wrists, her hair turned grey. No nearer could I go, but stopped at the door, grieving for her, and at last saying her name aloud.

I saw her raise her face, and look upon me for the first time for eighteen years. She did not scream at sight of me, for the body of her son lay between us, and bridged the gulf that Adam Dishart had made.

I saw myself draw near her reverently and say, "Margaret, he is dead, and that is why I have come back," and I saw her put her arms around my neck as she often did long ago.

But it was not to be. Never since that night at Harvie had I spoken to Margaret. The Egyptian and I were come to Windyghoul before I heard her speak. She was not addressing me. Here Gavin and she had met first, and she was talking of that meeting to herself.

"It was there," I heard her say softly, as she gazed at the bush beneath which she had seen him shaking his fists at her on the night of the riots. A little farther on she stopped where a path from Windyghoul sets off for the well in the wood. She looked up it wistfully, and there I left her and pressed on to the mudhouse to ask Nanny Webster if the minister was dead. Nanny's gate was swinging in the wind, but her door was shut, and for a moment I stood at it like a coward, afraid to enter and hear the worst.

The house was empty. I turned from it relieved, as if I had got a respite, and while I stood in the garden the Egyptian came to me shuddering, her twitching face asking the question that would not leave her lips.

"There is no one in the house," I said. "Nanny is perhaps at the well."

But the gypsy went inside, and pointing to the fire said, "It has been out for hours. Do you see? The murder has drawn every one into Thrums."

So I feared. A dreadful night was to pass before I knew that this was the day of the release of Sanders Webster, and that frail Nanny had walked into Tilliedrum to meet him at the prison gate.

Babbie sank upon a stool. She was so weak that I doubt whether she heard me tell her to wait there until my return. I hurried into Thrums, not by the hill, though it is the shorter way, but by the Roods, for I wanted to hear all before I ventured to approach the manse. From Windyghoul to the top of the Roods it is a climb and then a steep descent. The road has no sooner reached its highest point than it begins to fall in the straight line of houses called the Roods, and thus I came upon a full view of the street at once. A cart was laboring up it. There were women sitting on stones at their doors, and girls playing at palaulays, and out of the house nearest me came a black figure. My eyes failed me; I was asking so much from them. They made him tall and short, and spare and stout, so that I knew it was Gavin, and yet looking again feared, but all the time, I think, I knew it was he.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

"You are better now?" I heard Gavin ask presently.

He thought that having been taken ill suddenly I had waved to him for help because he chanced to be near. With all my wits about me I might have left him in that belief, for rather would I have deceived him than had him wonder why his welfare seemed so vital to me. But I, who thought the capacity for being taken aback had gone from me, clung to his arm and thanked God audibly that he still lived. He did not tell me then how my agitation puzzled him, but led me kindly to the hill, where we could talk without listeners. By the time we reached it I was again wary and I had told him what had brought me to Thrums without mentioning how the story of his death reached my ears, or through whom.

"Mr. McKenzie," he said, interrupting me, "galloped all the way from the Spittal on the same errand. However, no one has been hurt much except the piper himself."

Then he told me how the rumor arose.

"You know of the incident at the Spittal and that Campbell marched off in high dudgeon? I understand that he spoke to no one between the Spittal and Thrums, but by the time he arrived here he was more communicetive; yes, and thirstier. He was treated to drink in several public houses by persons who wanted to hear his story, and by-and-by he began to drop hints of knowing something against the earl's bride. Do you know Rob Dow?"

"Yes," I answered, "and what you have done for him."

"Ah, sir!" he said sighing, "for a long time I thought I was to be God's instrument in making a better man of Rob, but my power over him went long ago. Ten short months of the ministry takes some of the vanity out of a man."

Looking sidewise at him I was startled by the unnatural brightness of his eyes. Unconsciously he had acquired the habit of pressing his teeth together in the pauses of his talk, shutting them on some woe that would proclaim itself, as men do who keep their misery to themselves.

"A few hours ago," he went on, "I heard Rob's voice in altercation as I passed the Bull tavern, and I had a feeling that if I failed with him so should I fail also throughout my whole ministry. I walked into the public house, and stopped at the door of a room in which Dow and the piper were sitting drinking. I heard Rob saying fiercely, 'if what you say about her is true, Highlandman, she's the woman I've been looking for this half year and mair; what is she like?' I guessed, from what I had been told of the piper, that they were speaking of the earl's bride, but Rob saw me and came to an abrupt stop, saying to his companion, 'Dinna say another word about her afore the minister.' Rob would have come away at once in answer to my appeal, but the piper was drunk, and would not be silenced. 'I'll tell the minister about her, too,' he began. 'You dinna ken what you're doing,' Rob roared, and then, as if to save my ears from scandal at any cost, he struck Campbell a heavy blow on the mouth. I tried to intercept the blow, with the result that I fell, and then someone ran out of the tavern crying, 'He's killed!' The piper had been stunned, but the story went abroad that he had stabbed me for interfering with him. That is really all. Nothing, as you know, can overtake an untruth if it has a minute's start."

"Where is Campbell, now?"

"Sleeping off the effect of the blow; but Rob has fled. He was terrified at the shouts of murder, and ran of up the West Town end. The doctor's dog-cart was standing empty at a door there and Rob jumped into it and drove off. They did not chase him far, because he is sure to hear the truth soon, and then, doubtless, he will come back."

Though in a few hours we were to wonder at our denseness, neither Gavin nor I saw why Dow had struck the Highlander down rather than let him tell his story in the minister's presence. One moment's suspicion would have lit our way to the whole truth, but the spring to all Rob's behavior in the past eight months we were ignorant, and so to Gavin the Bull had only been the scene of a drunken brawl, while I forgot to think in the joy of finding him alive.

"I have a prayer-meeting for rain presently," Gavin said breaking a picture that had just appeared unpleasantly before me of Babbie still in agony at Nanny's house, "but before I leave you tell me why this rumor caused you such distress."

The question troubled me, and I tried to avoid it. We had by this time drawn near a hollow in the hill called the Toad's-hole, then gay and noisy with a caravan of gypsies. They were those same wild Lindsoys, for whom Gavin had searched Caddam one eventful night, and as I saw them crowding round their king, a man well known to me, I guessed what they were at.

"Mr. Dishart," I said abruptly, "would you like to see a gypsy marriage? One is taking place there just now. That big fellow is the king, and he is about to marry two of his people over the tongs. The ceremony will not detain us five minutes, though the rejoicings will go on all night."

I have been present at more than one gypsy wedding in my time, and at the wild, weird orgies that followed them, but what is interesting to such as I may not be for a minister's eyes, and, frowning at my proposal, Gavin turned his back upon the Toad's-hole. Then, as we recrossed the hill, to get away from the din of the camp, I pointed out to him that the report of his death had brought McKenzie as well as me, to Thrums.

"As soon as McKenzie heard I was not dead," he answered, "he galloped off to the Spittal, without even seeing me. I suppose he posted back to be in time for the night's rejoicings there. So you see it was not solicitude for me that brought him. He came because a servant at the Spittal was supposed to have done the deed."

"Well, Mr. Dishart," I had to say, "why should I deny that I have a warm regard for you? You have done brave work in our town."

"It has been little," he said. "With God's help it will be more in future."

He meant that he had given time to his sad love affair that he owed to his people. Of seeing Babbie again I saw that he had given up hope. Instead of repining he was devoting his whole soul to God's work. I was proud of him, and yet I grieved, for I could not think that God wanted him to bury his youth so soon.

"I had thought," he confessed to me, "that you were one of those who did not like my preaching."

"You were mistaken," I said, gravely. I dared not tell him that, except his mother, none would have sat under him so eagerly as I.

"Nevertheless," he said, "you were a member of the Auld Licht church in Mr. Carfrae's time, and you left it when I came."

"I heard your first sermon," I said.

"Ah," he replied. "I had not been long in Thrums before I discovered that if I took tea with any of my congregation and declined a second cup, they thought it a reflection on their brewing.

"You must not look upon my absence in that light," was all I could say. "There are reasons why I cannot come."

(To be Continued.)

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with coughs, sore throat, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Any druggist will give you a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. The large bottles are 50c and $1. zxv

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SIMCOE, March 8, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I thought I would write to you for the first time. I am a little girl 8 years old. I am not going to school now, but before Christmas I passed the examination from the Third to the Fourth book. My teacher's name is Miss Collver, and I like her very much; she is kind to us. I study reading, geography, grammar, history, arithmetic, dictation, writing, literature and temperance. I have a little sister, her name is Arabelle. I am afraid I am writing too long a letter. Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain your loving niece,

ORPHA E. SNIVELY.

[What have you learned about temperance? Your letter was none too long.]

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LONDON, Feb. 23, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I thought I would write to you to-night for the first time. I am a boy 7 years old. I go to school in summer, but it is too far to go in winter; I am in the First book. I have one sister, 4 years old. We had a good time sleigh-riding this winter. I will close for this time, hoping to see my letter in print. From your nephew,

ROY HISCOCK.

[You have had to wait a long time for your letter, but here it is at last. I hope you have not been thinking it was lost.]

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BISMARCK, March 5, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I am a little boy 8 years old. My pa takes the WESTERN ADVERTISER, and I like to read the letters. I have two sisters and one brother; my sisters' names are Clara and Mary, and my brother's name is Wilbert. I live on a farm, and have two miles to go to school; I read in the Second book. I have not been to school much since the holidays, having been sick. First I had the scarlet fever, and since then the measles; I was very sick with them for three days, but have now recovered and am all right again. I have a good teacher, whose name is Miss O'Connor; she has been here eight years and has between 40 and 50 scholars, with whom she takes great pains. We get lots of presents and have entertainments, and last summer she got a picture of the whole school taken. I must close now, hoping you will print this, as my grandpa takes the paper. I remain your nephew,

JOHN L. HESLER.

[What an unfortunate little boy, to be attacked by two such disagreeable diseases in succession. But I am glad that it is now all over.]

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RAMSAY, March 14, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

It is with pleasure I write to you now. I have seen one letter from Lanark county in the paper, but not from this part. I have three brothers and two sisters. I am 10, eldest of the family and in the Fourth book. I am trying to get over la grippe, and cannot go to school in winter; my oldest brother, in Third book, goes now; my next brother, in First book, does not go in winter. This is all of us that go to school. My youngest sister, only 1 month old, is just learning to smile. We are all locked in, as papa says we cannot get to church on account of the storm, but it will soon be over, I guess. Now I will close. I am afraid my letter is too long for you, aunty, so good-bye. Your new niece,

NELLA E. HALPENNY.

[You say you are the eldest in your family. Then I suppose you have heard that you "should set a good example to the younger children." I suppose you should, but it sounds rather unreasonable to me.

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ROSEDENE, Feb. 26, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I am a boy 12 years old; I go to school and study geography, grammar, history and drawing. Mr. Comfort is our teacher and we like him very much; my brothers also go to school. We have had lots of sleighing this winter, but not much skating. My pa takes the ADVERTISER, and we like it very much. As my letter is getting rather long, I will close, so good-bye. From your nephew, ELMER LAMPMAN.

[I am glad your father likes the ADVERTISER. Do you think you will take it yourself when you are a man?]

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JERICHO, Ont., March 3, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I am a reader of the ADVERTISER and I like it splendidly. I always like to read the boys' and girls' letters, so I thought I would write too. I am 13 years of age and I am going to school. I have three miles to go, and it is very lonesome, as I have no company going or coming, my companions having all moved away. I live on a farm of 100 acres, and we are keeping the postoffice just now. I have five brothers and three sisters living. I think my letter is getting rather long, so I must now conclude. Will you please tell me how many letters I must write you to compete for a prize? Hoping to see my letter in print, I remain your new niece, MAGGIE CAMPBELL.

[Thank you very much for the card with the pretty red roses on it.]

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LONGWOOD, March 11, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I have read the letters in the ADVERTISER and I thought I would like to be your niece. My father has taken the ADVERTISER for eight years. I am 8 years old and am in the Second book at school, but I think I will try to pass for the Third book this summer. I have a kitty; its name is Malta. My school teacher's name is Miss Sheppard. Some of the school children have the scarlet fever, and one little girl has it so bad that she cannot hear. I go to the Methodist Sunday school, and Mr. Branton is my teacher. We had a lecture in the Methodist Church and I thought it was good. I will close now. Good-bye, and I hope to see my letter in print. From your loving niece, HANNAH STOCKING.

[You only thought you would like to have me for an aunt. Now I know that I am glad to have you for a niece.]

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KIRKTON, March 15, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

Having seen some letters in the ADVERTISER written by boys and girls, I thought I would write one too. I have one brother and three sisters; four of us are going to school. I am in the third class, and intend trying for the fourth at the examination in April. We have had plenty of snow and good sleighing this winter, but I am beginning to wish for spring and the green leaves. Miss Robertson is our teacher; we are getting along well and we all like her very much. I will close for this time. Yours truly, WILLIE YULE.

[Your wish for spring must be granted you by now, and as for the green leaves, they will soon be here, for looking from my window I can see on the trees swelling buds, doing their very best to grow.]

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JARVIS, March 11, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I thought I would write to you for the first time. I am a little girl 6 years old; we live on a farm. My papa takes the ADVERTISER, and we much enjoy reading the letters. I have a little brother, whose name is Orville, and he is 3 months old; I have two brothers older than myself and no sisters. I am in Part Second book. I remain your loving niece,

LUCRETIA ETHEL BONSFIELD.

[Did you write this letter yourself? if so, it is very good for a little 6-year-older. When I was your age I could not even print, nor did I know my alphabet.]

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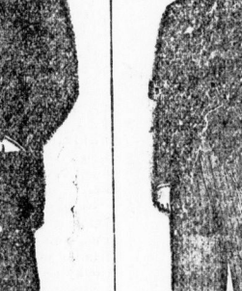

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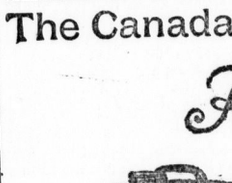

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CORRECTED TO NOV. 15, 1891.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas.
North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	11:50 p.m
N. Y. Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	3:00 a.m
American Express (except Monday)	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	5:05 p.m
N. Y. and Boston Express (daily)	7:25 p.m.	4:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:28 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	8:50 p.m.	4:20 a.m
Chicago Ltd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	9:50 a.m.	1:30 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:15 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	6:00 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

Trains arrive in London at 8:25 a.m., 12 n. and 6:40 p.m.

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

JOHN PAUL, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 395 Richmond street.

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division
CORRECTED DEC. 7, 1891.

MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
*Limited Express (A)	3:35 a.m.	3:45 a.m
Mail	.....	6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)	12:05 p.m.	12:10 p.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	1:05 p.m
*St. Louis Express (A) (D)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 24 Freight (C)	5:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
†Chicago Express (A)	6:10 a.m.	6:30 a.m
†West End Mixed	.....	6:45 a.m
†Erie Limited	11:30 a.m.	.....
†St. Louis Express (A)	11:20 a.m.	11:25 a.m
†Accommodation	12:40 p.m.	2:10 p.m
†Pacific Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:55 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (B)	3:20 a.m.	.....
Atlantic Express (B)	11:50 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	.....
Erie Limited (B)	11:35 p.m.	.....

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (B)	.....	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (B)	.....	11:35 a.m
Accommodation	.....	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (B)	.....	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Express	10:15 a.m.	8:05 a.m
Mail	6:50 p.m.	4:35 p.m

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Mail	.....	6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	4:50 p.m
Accommodation	6:25 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mixed	6:55 p.m.	.....
Mail	11:15 p.m.	.....

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	11:20 a.m.	7:55 a.m
Express	1:50 p.m.	.....
Express	5:50 p.m.	2:30 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:25 p.m.	6:05 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—							
a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m
*6:30	7:00	11:05	12:30	4:10	5:40	n*6:55	9:25
Hamilton—Arrive—							
a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m	p.m
12:30	10:00	†10:25	n†2:25	4:00	6:25	8:15	

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
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(B) Runs daily, Sundays included, but makes no intermediate stops on Sundays.
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Going East.

DEPART—			
London	4:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	5:35 p.m
Woodstock	1:46 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:33 p.m
Galt	5:40 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30 p.m
Guelph	9:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00 noon	9:55 p.m
Peterboro	11:45 a.m.	.....	12:13 a.m
Kingston	4:00 p.m.	.....	9:40 p.m
Ottawa	6:45 p.m.	.....	6:00 a.m
Montreal	7:55 p.m.	.....	8:15 a.m
Quebec	6:30 a.m.	.....	3:00 p.m
Portland, Me.	8:30 a.m.	.....	8:35 p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	.....	8:50 p.m
Halifax, N. S.	11:10 p.m.	.....	.....

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 7:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	1:00 a.m.	11:25 a.m.	7:05 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	10:00 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:52 p.m
Detroit	.....	2:45 p.m.	10:10 p.m
Chicago	.....	10:15 p.m.	7:30 a.m
St. Louis	.....	7:45 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	.....	6:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m

Trains arrive from the west at 3:55 a.m., 5:25 p.m., 10:15 p.m.

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Trains South.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	.....	5:10	7:40	.....
Courtright	.....	5:40	8:20	.....
M. C. R. Junction	.....	5:45	8:22	.....
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	.....	7:45	10:35	3:30
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	7:45	.....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:13	.....	2:55	6:10
Blenheim arr	8:26	.....	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Blenheim dep	8:30	2:55	5:45
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:43	3:10	6:00
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	9:08	3:30	6:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	9:13	3:37	.....
M. C. R. Junction	11:20	.....	.....
Courtright	11:25	3:55	.....
Sarnia (G. T. R.) arr	12:00	6:25	.....

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DIBBS—On April 4, the wife of D. Dibbs, post-office department, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

WEIR—FISHER—On Thursday, April 7, at Hyde Park Farm, by the Rev. W. M. Haig, William Weir, to Jessie D., second daughter of the late James Fisher, all of Hyde Park.

DIED.

JONES—On April 8, at his residence, 739 Richmond street, Dr. George P. Jones, aged 46 years.

Funeral service at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, at 2:30 p.m., Tuesday. 25-u

McLEOD—In London Township, on April 9, Myrtle Louise, infant daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth McLeod, aged 3 months and 26 days.

Funeral this Monday afternoon at 2:30 Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

WATSON—On Sunday, April 10, Herbert C. W., infant son of Sarah and Thomas W. Watson age fourteen months.

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No. 15. Wellington and Simcoe.
No. 16. Talbot and Horton.
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No. 26. Dundas and Ridout.
No. 27. South street, opposite Hospital.
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No. 32. Wellington and York.
No. 34. Richmond and Bathurst.
No. 35. William and Hill.
No. 36. Maitland and Pall Mall.
No. 41. Dundas and Adelaide.
No. 42. Ridout and Fullarton.
No. 43. Richmond and Maple.
No. 45. William and Bathurst.
No. 51. Waterloo and Queen's avenue.
No. 52. Richmond and Ann.
No. 53. William and Bond.
No. 54. Thames and Bathurst.
No. 61. Hill and Clarence.

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No. 63. Elizabeth and Lorne avenue.
No. 64. Ontario and Franklin.
No. 71. Dundas and Quebec.
No. 72. G. T. R. Car Shops Gate.
No. 81. Rectory and Hamilton Road.
No. 82. Rectory and G. T. R. Crossing.

Directions for giving an alarm from above boxes: Unlock and pull open the outside door. Then pull the hook on the inside door straight down as far as it will go (about two inches)—only once—and let it go.

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No. 19. Stanley and Horn.
No. 28. Wellington and Bridge streets.
No. 46. Elmwood avenue and Edward street.
No. 47. Wortley road and Briscoe street.
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THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Ont., April 10—11 p.m.—Since Friday night the pressure has continued highest to west and north of the lake region, while an important area of depression has formed over the Maritime Provinces, giving rain in Nova Scotia, and sleet and snow in Northern New Brunswick and Quebec. Strong cold northwest winds have prevailed in the lake region.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 24°—58°; Battleford, 30°—54°; Swift Current, 34°—58°; Qu'Appelle, 16°—30°; Winnipeg, 16°—44°; Toronto, 31°—35°; Montreal, 30°—36°; Quebec, 30°—44°; Halifax 36°—48°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, April—11 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Moderate to fresh west to north winds; fair weather; stationary or a little higher temperature.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—John McCew is visiting friends in Leamington.

—Mr. Alex. Fraser has left on a business trip to the Pacific coast.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Ellery, city, are visiting friends in Port Huron.

—Mrs. Davey, sen., Craig street, has returned from a month's visit to Stratford.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Muir, of Detroit, who have many friends here, have gone on a visit to Japan.

—R. H. Stevens, of the Bank of Commerce, Strathroy, spent Sunday with his friends in the city.

—The Port Huron Times announces the marriage of Charles Bentley, of this city, to Miss Minnie Hough, of Port Huron, last week.

—Rev. W. W. Shepherd, of Muncey, and Rev. John Learoyd, of Windsor, are aspirants to the presidency of the London Conference.

—Miss Boddy, the well-known Toronto vocalist, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Piper, has returned home owing to sickness in her family.

—R. D. Emslie, St. Thomas, was registered at the Grigg House last night. "Bob" says he will start Monday for New York and prepare for his season's work as an umpire in the big baseball league.

—Judge Street, Mrs. Street, Amy Street and E. L. Street, all of Toronto, were registered at the Tecumseh House yesterday. The judge and family were residents of the city once and met many old friends.

—Miss Maud Stevenson made her last appearance as soprano soloist in the Dundas Center Church choir last evening. She will return to her home in Guelph, leaving many admirers behind. Miss Detta, Ziegler, of Berlin, her predecessor, succeeds her.

—Passion week services will be held in St. James' Episcopal Church, South London, each evening this week. They will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Farthing, of Woodstock; Rev. Principal English, of Hellmuth College; Rev. Mr. Brown, of Thamesford; Rev. Canon Davis and the Bishop of Huron.

—Mr. R. W. Scott, late cashier at the G. T. R. freight sheds, now agent at Chatham, was on Friday night presented with a handsome dining-room set by his former associates in the freight department here. An address indicative of the esteem in which he was held accompanied the gift, which the recipient feelingly acknowledged.

—Messrs. York and Rammage, of the Waterford High School Board, made a trip to this city and other places a few days ago investigating the different methods of heating public buildings. As a result the High School Board there decided to use the Smead-Down system of heating and ventilation in the new building soon to be erected.

—Two bumptious youths proceeded to pound each other on the main street Saturday night, and were urged on by several hundred spectators. P. C. Smith quietly slipped in and grabbed the pugilists by the neck so suddenly that they "didn't know what struck them." They were marched off to the police station, followed by a big throng. David Mason and Arthur Brown are their names.

—Confirmation services were conducted in St. George's Church, London West, last evening by the Bishop of Huron, assisted by Rev. Principal English, of Helimuth College. Misses Tozer, Bending, Hardy, Crockett, Gregory, Gibson, McNeil, Houghton, Harris and Hammond; and Messrs. Fowler, Armstrong, Andrews, Cotton, Wilson, James, Hopkins, Bowman, Harding, Gower and Hopkins, were the candidates.

—Dr. O. H. and Mrs. Ziegler leave next Thursday for Toronto, where the doctor will in future practice. The other evening Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler met many of their friends in the parsonage of Queen's Avenue Church, of which they have been esteemed members. This social gathering had been arranged by Mrs. (Rev.) Boyd, to whose class Mrs. Ziegler belonged. The best wishes of many go with them to their new home. The doctor was a popular vocalist, and in musical circles will be much missed.

—Osgoode Hall item: "In the action of Lewis A. Wright and Jessie A. Wright against B. A. Mitchell, an application has been made at Osgoode Hall to strike out part of the statement of claim as embarrassing. The defendant is a druggist of London, who sold tincture of opium to the female plaintiff, who, it is said, used the drug to excess, and whose health was injured thereby. Her husband sues for damages, and she is joined as a plaintiff. Similar suits are pending against seven other druggists of the same city. Judgment was reserved."

—Much interest was taken in the London betting case because some money is being held awaiting that decision. Several weeks ago Thomas Gebbard, a traveler for a Toronto house, who bet $175 on Hyman, sued the stake-holder, who had handed the money over to the other man. The writ was issued in the county court, and will be tried before Judge Muir in June. A similar case was tried a year ago by Judge Muir, who decided in favor of the stakeholder on the ground that as the parties lived outside the constituency the bet was legal. But Judge Elliot takes the ground that it is illegal.—[Hamilton Spectator.

—The regular meeting of the Women's Christian Association was held on Thursday last. Members present: Mesdames Carfrae, Roger, Perrin, Fysh, Murray, Reid, Kent, Hopkins, Hunt, Peto, Hyttenrauch, Fraser and Burns. Treasurer's report showed receipts, $1,140 03; disbursements, $493 47; balance, $646 56. Eighty-one visits of members of the Relief Committee had been made during the month; $59 50 expended, and nineteen garments and several pairs of blankets distributed. The following donations are gratefully acknowledged: From Mrs. Hudson, clothing; Mrs. McIntosh, papers; Mrs. Ward, clothing; Housekeepers' Mission, canned fruits and pickles; Mrs. Holmes, jelly and cake; Miss Kessack, cake and tarts; Mrs. Wm. Glass, apples and milk; W. A. M. Auxiliary, cake; Mrs. Perrin, cake, candies and preserves; Mrs. Burns, preserves, catsup; Dr. Sanderson, clothing; Mrs. Boomer, buns; Mrs. Webb, clothing; friend, vegetables; Messrs. Hutchinson and Son, pork; Mesdames Macklin, Lewis and Hopkins, reading matter.

His Fingers Crushed.

Mr. J. P. Murphy, a well-known lumber dealer of Quebec, met with an unfortunate accident in this city on Saturday. While loading lumber in the G. T. R. yards, his left hand was caught between two car buffers, and the first finger was smashed to a jelly. The second digit was also crushed and may have to be amputated.

A Laundry Fire.

The heat in a stove at N. Adair's laundry, 138 Bathurst street, became contagious Saturday night. It was communicated to the wood work, and soon the flames spread in the attic. The firemen were called out and poured lots of water in until the fire was quenched. Most of the roof and the upper part of the structure were destroyed. The building is an old frame one, two stories high, and used as a double house. It is owned by George T. Hiscox, whose whole loss will not amount to much. Mr. Adair's place was pretty well flooded with water.

Walt Whitman's Will.

The will of the late Walt Whitman has been admitted to probate. The poet's entire estate, exclusive of royalties from his writings, amounts to about $3,500. Of this sum $2,000 is in cash, and the house and lot where he lived in Camden, N. J., is assessed at $1,500. To relatives and friends he bequeathed $2,870, and the rest of his estate to his brother, Edward L. Whitman. An effort is being made to raise funds to preserve Whitman's home intact, so that his admirers can visit it whenever they wish.

Injured His Spine.

On Saturday evening John Twitchen, drayman, who lives on Beech street, London West, was engaged with an assistant in hauling a heavy trunk up the stairs adjoining Winlow's shoe store. It was very unwieldly, and the men lost their grip on it. Twitchen was underneath it, pushing away, and the whole weight fell on his body, crushing him senseless. He was carried to his dray wagon, provided with pillows, and everything possible was done until the ambulance arrived. It was fifteen or twenty minutes before it put in an appearance; the vehicle had been at a carriage shop for two days, and the interior was by no means presentable. Twitchen was taken to the hospital, where it was found he had suffered an injury to the spine. The effects may be permanent, though it is hardly possible for physicians to tell yet what the exact results will be. The fact that Mrs. Twitchen is ill at present makes the occurrence more regrettable.

No 6 Ward and a Hotel.

"Is there any need of a hotel in the sixth ward?" was the advertised title of Rev. C. E. McIntyre's sermon last evening. The reverend gentleman took his text from Daniel, i., 12, and dilated upon Daniel's stalwart patriotism in standing up for principle. He strongly urged Christians to take a stand for that which was right in public affairs. They should be patriots to the extent of seeking and voting for what they believed to be right, without regard to party affiliation. Speaking of the liquor traffic, he said all their efforts should be devoted to promote total abstinence for the individual and prohibition for the state. Some people said: "Look at the revenue we get from liquor." Not for a moment would he admit that the revenue derived should influence them to defend the traffic, because for every dollar of revenue received $4 or $5 had to be spent by the community to remedy its effects, to say nothing of the moral degradation which strong drink caused wherever sold and consumed. The preacher said he understood that a license application had been made for No. 6 ward. He asserted that there was no need for a license there. A hotel was a place for travelers to stop at, but there was no need of such a place in that suburb. A place for the sale of liquor depreciated the value of property in its neighborhood, and was sure to produce drunkenness and misery as well. Then, No. 6 ward was the most moral of all the wards. The arrests for drunkenness in a year could be counted on one's fingers. It was a ward in which there was little poverty of a kind requiring public assistance; but in the wards where liquor was sold there was plenty of poverty. He warned his hearers, if they would not have their present happy condition through these evils reversed, to stand up in favor of the movement to impress the license commissioners with the fact that a hotel license was not desired in that ward, and that it would be injurious to the residents. He did not believe that the license commissioners would grant the license, but it was well for the people to be perpetually vigilant in guarding themselves against such a great evil.

LONDON POLICE COURT.

John R. Gosling Sold Liquor on Election Day—Ed. Horsman Charged with a Like Offense—A Larceny and a Fighting Case.

John R. Gosling, who has for the past year kept a hotel on the corner of King and Ridout streets, pleaded guilty before the police magistrate this morning to a charge of having sold liquor on February 26—election day. It was his first offense, and a fine of $20 was imposed.

Ed. Horsman, proprietor of the Grigg House, was charged with selling during prohibited hours. He pleaded not guilty. There were two witnesses for the prosecution, and one of them, a traveler for a London firm, had not been served with a summons owing to absence from the city. This man is alleged to have been seen coming out of the barroom. Mr. McKillop asked that the case be enlarged, and an adjournment was made for a week.

John Drummond, of Nissouri, was charged with the larceny of an overcoat on March 12 from R. Mowat, who was then staying at the Grigg House. The coat, valued at $17, was afterwards returned by his wife. Drummond was convicted on two similar charges some time ago. Mr. McKillop was not ready to go on with the case as Mowat, who had the coat, was not present. He asked for an adjournment for a week, and the magistrate granted it.

Mr. Judd—Will your worship accept bail?

Mr. McKillop—No, certainly not, I submit.

Mr. Judd (irately)—If I were crown attorney and had you in jail I would keep you there for a month and would not accept bail.

The magistrate considered the prisoner's past record and refused to take bail.

David Mason and Arthur Brown were fighting vigorously on Clarence street early Saturday evening and were surrounded by a crowd of 500 or 600 people when P. C. Nelson Smith "collared" them both. Mason was bailed out and Brown spent Sunday with Governor Kelley. The chief explained that Mason was not to blame at all, as Brown had tormented him by calling him names, and when surrounded by such a crowd had to fight. He accordingly with-

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drew the charge against him. Brown had by all means got the worst of the fight, and the magistrate considered that he had been sufficiently punished, and discharged him.

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DUNDAS STREET—(6½-Minute Time.)

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Lastcar leaves Egerton street per G. T. R. 10:40 p.m. Last car leaves G. T. R. or Egerton street 11 p.m.

SOUTH LONDON AND RICHMOND STREET—(12-Minute Time.)

First car leaves stables 6:45 a.m., leaving G. T. R. for South London at 7 a.m. First car leaves South London for G. T. R. and Mount Hope at 7:15 a,m.

Second car leaves stables 6:50 a.m., leaving G. T. R. for Mount Hope at 7 a.m. First car leaves Mount Hope for G. T. R. and South London at 7:15 a.m.

Last car leaves Mount Hope for South London 9:45 p.m.; leaving G. T. R. 10 p.m. for South London; returning from London South 10:15 p.m. for G. T. R. and stables.

Last car leaves London South for Mount Hope 9:50 p.m.; leaving G. T. R. for Mount Hope 10:05 p.m.; returning from Mount Hope 10:20 p.m. for G. T. R. and stables.

HAMILTON ROAD AND PALL MALL—(18-Minute Time.)

First car from G. T. R. for Hamilton road and Adelaide street 7:11 a.m., leaving Hamilton road and Adelaide street for G. T. R. and Pall Mall 7:26 a.m.

First car from G. T. R. for Pall Mall and Adelaide streets 7:05 a.m., leaving Pall Mall and Adelaide streets for G. T. R. and Hamilton road and Adelaide street 7:26 a.m.

Last car leaves G. T. R. for Hamilton road and Adelaide street 9:53 p.m. Last car leaves Hamilton road and Adelaide street for G. T. R. and stables 10:08 p.m.

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