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THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1896.

Articles For Sale.

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CATTLE FOOD—COMPOSED OF OIL cake, cotton seed meal and flax seed screenings—\$1 per 100 pounds. Only about two tons left. Apply early. BART COTTAM & CO., Talbot and Dundas streets, over Agricultural fatt

MANUFACTURING-1 FAMILY SING-ER sewing machine. First-class. Cheap for cash or other goods. Apply 195 Dundas

NICE, TWO-SEATED COVERED FAM ILY phacton; splendid condition; bar gain. Apply 23 Wortley road.

BICYCLES—DAYTON, STEARNS, Fleet, Regent. Crescents, full line, \$50 up. Purchasers taught to ride free. Palace Riding Academy, 476 Richmond street. DAYTON, MCCORMICK & Co.

JAMESON & CO'S WATERPROOF
Harness Composition—The best in the
world. J DARCH & SONS, 377 and 379 Talbot
street. Wholesale and retail.

MACHINERY FOR SALE—H.W. PETRIE, varied stock of new and second-hand machinery, and these who contemplate purchasing will do well to send for his new descriptive catalogue No. 13. Machinery you have no use for taken in exchange. Address H. W. PETRIE-adjoining Union station. Toronto.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS-R. S. Williams upright, nearly new. Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street, H. W. Burnett, Manager.

Livery Stables.

ILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone, No. 666.

TREBILCOCK & STROYAN'S MAM-MOTH Livery—Hacks, coupes and light livery; ladies and gents' saddle horses. J. S. Marshail's old stand, 189 Lundas. 'Phone 503. Open day and night.

Veterinary Surgeons.

H. TENNANT-VETERINARY SUR-GEON-Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington: Telephone.

H. WILSON & SON-OFFICE 991 KING street, London; residence, 846 Richmond street. Telephone.

NOTICE—APPLICATION HAS BEEN made by V. S. Reynolds, of Denfield, London township, to have his license transferred to Jos. Scandrett, of city of London. Board will meet on Saturday 28th, at 2 p.m., to consider the same. JOHN DURAND, Inspector.

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC auction by Mr. J. W. Jones, at his rooms, 242 Dundas street, London, on Friday, the 27th day of March, 1896, at 2:30 p.m., the drygoods stock of I. Coyne & Co., Ingersoll, as follows:

Staples. 2,017 16
Small wares 2,2017 16
Millinery and silks 2,241 29
Dress goods and dress trimmings 1,770 93
Mantles, jackets, furs, cleakings, tweeds, etc. 747 90
Carpets, house furnishings (window blinds, etc.), lace and chenille curtains. 1,609 06

SEALED TENDERS

-INSURE IN THE-

(FIRE.)

EDWARD TOWE, Agent. Office over

Telephone, No. 507

Bank of Commerce, London.

GRAY-HAIRED LOVERS

Wedded at the Ages of Eighty-Seven and

Ninety.

Laporte, Ind., March 26.—John L. Jones, aged 90, and Mrs. Melissa Brown, aged 87, were married yester-day near New Buffalo. They were

lovers 60 years ago. After their en-

gagement they parted, with the under-

standing that if their love did not grow

cold they would be wedded in their old

mourned the other as dead. Both mar-

ried others. Recently, widower and

widow, they were brought together, and the vows made half a century ago

THE FIRE RECORD.

Thurso, Que., March 26 .- A fire oc-

Joseph Gagnon were destroyed. Chev-

rier had \$2,000 insurance in the Com-

mercial Union; loss will be about \$3,000.

Teeswater, March 26.—The Queen's

Halifax, N. S., March 26.-The Evan-

geline Hotel, at Berwick, one of the

burned to the ground at 2 a.m. All the

occupants had a narrow escape from

death, and saved little of their effects. The hotel was owned by G. E.

Berlin, Ont., March 26.—Tuesday

morning fire destroyed the baby carriage and hobby horse factory of Wm. Cosgrove, near the G. T. R. station.

The factory had only been started one

day, after two months' idleness. Loss

Kur-a-Kof, the new cold and lung rem.

dy, 25c at Anderson & Nelles' Drug Store

Luxurious Candy.

The T. E. Mara Company have pur-

The candy is made from the molasses

at the price of 15c per pound. Children

should go early and buy, as the quan-

tity purchased, although away up in the hundreds of pounds, will not last

about \$5,000; insurance \$8,000.

long at the price,

Kirkpatrick. Total insurance, \$1,800.

largest in the Annapolis valley,

have just been fulfilled.

damaged.

They became separated, and each

Liverpool & London & Globe Ins.

Money to loan at 51 per cent.

tains...... Gents' furnishings, hats and caps.....

WHOLE NO. 12464

# BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED. DENTON - At the family residence, 254 Queen's avenue, on March 25, 1896, John M. Denton, in his 67th year. Funeral on Friday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:39. Friends will kindly accept this inti-

WESTLAKE-In London township, this morning, March 25. Julia Ann, beloved wife of Geo. Westlake, aged 60 years.

Funeral Friday, at 2 p.m.; services at 1:30. OWEN-In this city, at 1 a.m., Thursday, March 26, 1896, L. Wade Owen, city street

commissioner, aged 81 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 524 Princess avenue, on Saturday, March 28, at 3

**Amusements and Lectures** Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

SKATING AND BAND CONCERT—ICE Palace tonight. A NNUAL DINNER-IRISH BENEVO-day, April 7, 9 p.m. Tickets \$1 50. Dr. Gro. C. Davis, President; W. E. MULLINS, Secretary.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY LITERA-trunce the second lecture, Chan-cellor Burwash, "Greek Tragic Poetry," Fri-day, March 27, at 8 o'clock, Bishop Cronyn Hall. Admission 25 cents. Tickets (course and single) at Carrie's and Anderson's. 63u CRAND OPERA HOUSE — EVERY inght this week; matines Saturday—Eila Cameron, supported by J. L. Clark's company, in a strong repertoire of plays. Tonight, "Eagle's Nest," tomorrow night, "In Bondage." Prices—19c, 20c, 30c.

DALACE DANCING ACADEMY - LAST term commences next week. Gentlemen Menday, ladies Tuesday, advanced class Wednesday evenings, Children Saturday afternoons. Dayron & McConmick.

1896 MY ARRANGEMENTS THIS year are away ahead of any pre vious year for ticketing passengers to or from the old country. I represent nothing but the very best, safest and most comfortable Atlantic liners. FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next "Advertiser."

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence. 345 Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern glide waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

### Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words. NIGHTS TEMPLAR—SPECIAL ASSEMBLY tomorrow (Friday) night. Work in Templar degree. By order. W. J. CARSON, Presiding Preceptor.

O. O. F.—SPECIAL MEETING OF Chorazin Lodge, No. 120, will be held on Monday evening, March 39, for the purpose of considering the advisability of raising money for building purposes. GEO. E. ROSE, N. G.; F. WHITTAKER, Secretry.

THE LIBERALS OF SOUTH MIDDLEwill hold a convention in the Town Hall, Delaware, on Monday, the 6th of April, st lo'clock p.m., for the purpose of completing arrangements for the coming election. The Hon. David Mills has been invited to address the convention on the Manitoba school question. A good attendance is requested. Peter Anderson, President; G. D. GLENNIE, Secretary 79u 64k wt

C. T. U.—MISS PHELPS, SUPERIN-TENDENT of work among colored people, will address a meeting in the B. M. E. Church, Grey street, on Thursday evening, 26th inst., with a view to forming a union.

DOARD OF TRADE-THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held on Friday, 27th inst., at 8 p.m. General business. A full attendance is desired. JOHN BOWMAN, President: J. A. NELLES Sacretary.

# Lost and Found.

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OST - PAIR GAUNTLETS, NEAF Fraser House. Reward 3741 Richmond

# Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. GENTLEMAN WANTS BOARD IN CENTRAL location. Box 31, "Advertiser." 63u

# Musical Instruction.

HARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST OF St. Andrew's Church, late of Conserva-tory of Music, Leipsic, Germany, instructs in organ, piano, singing and harmony. 518 Rich-

MR. HALL HAS RESUMED PIANO

H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST DUN-DAS Center Methodist Church, late organist Carlton Street Methodist Church, and graduate, gold medalist and teacher of the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Pupils received in plano, organ, harmony and com-position. Address 464 Dufferin avenue.

# Agents Wanted.

First insertion ic per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. DOSITION OPEN FOR FEW PUSHING salesmen on salary-Experience un-necessary; permanent employment. Apply now. Luke Bros. Company, Nurserymen,

WANTED-EARNEST MEN AND WO-MEN to circulate "Tre Sword of Islam or Suffering Armenia," a thrilling book. Graphic account of the Eastern Question, the Turk, Armenian and Mohammedanism with its horrible massacres. Numerous startling illustrations taken on the spot. 418 pages, only \$190. Send 60 cents for canvassing book. Agents make \$15 to \$59 weekly. Brantford, Ont. Garretson & Co. (Limited), Brantford, Ont. Montreal, Que.

GENTS WANTED - LADIES OR A gentlemen; splendid inducement offered to reliable parties. 8 Duffield Block.

# Business Chances.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. TOR SALE OR TO RENT — MARKET garden, 15 acres, New Orchard beach, Port stanley; good house and barn. For further particulars address J. A. Bell, C. E., St. 7 homas, Ont.

OW PENNIES AND REAP GOLD Dollars, by buying Gold Stocks in Cripple Creek's best investment, the celebrated Boston-Colorado Company, at 5 cents per share; investors guaranteed; write for prospectus. R. W. R. GRISWOLD, Marquette Building, Chicage.

A COMBINED BUTTER AND CHEESE factory, with all modern machinery, for sale cheap. Large patronage. Reason for selling, retiring, Apply A. BOBER, Excter

# Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED
References required. Apply 252 Central

CENERAL SERVANT WANTED— Small family; references required. Apply Mrs. A. R. KINGSMILL, 139 Fullarton street.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED
-References required. Apply 480 Queen's
64c

WANTED - 10 FIRST-CLASS GEN-good wages; housemaids and girls for the country at ARMSTRONG'S Intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. Phone 386.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED 63c ON HAND AT DWYER'S EMPLOYMENT Agency—General servants, dining-room girls, housekeepers to suit, man and wife to work on farm, and saleslady. 691 Richmond street. 'Phone 1,121.

### Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WE OFFER SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS Russian nursery stock; also new and thoroughly tested varieties of seed potatoes; big salaries.

Write for terms immediately. Pelham Nursery Company. Toronto. sery Company, Toronto.

CLERK WANTED FOR A GENERAL store; must be well up in drygoods. Apply with references, W. S. Duggan, Oil Springs, Ont. VANTED - AN IDEA - WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent?

Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write John Weddersun & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., fortheir \$1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred in ventions wanted

ORGANIZERS WANTED-PROFITABLE, ventions wanted. permanent employment. Apply by let-Grand Organizer Oddfellows, 49 King reet west. Toronto.

Ping UP NO. 776 WHEN YOU WANT your clothes cleaned, repaired and pressed on short notice. New York Cothes Cleaning Company, 291 Wellington street. Open evenings until 8:30.

# A GENTS-WANTED-\$20 PER WEEK-Apply to Guo. MARSHALL & Co., tea im-porters, 258 Dundas street.

Female Help Wanted. First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. A PPRENTICES TO LEARN DRESS-MAKING - Apply Misses TURNBULL, 412 Ridout street. 62cywt

# Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. TO LET - 477 DUNDAS STREET -Immediate possession. Apply to B. HOWAY.

COTTAGE ON PIPE LINE TO RENT-with stable. TENNENT & McDonagh, STORE TO RENT, NO. 122, NORTH side of Dundas street, three story brick building, with rooms for dwelling above, two doors west of T. F. Kingsmill's drygoods store; lot runs through to Carling street; rent \$50 per month, free of taxes: inmediate possession. Apply to James Gillean, Bank of Commerce Building.

Building.

OUSE TO LET-BRICK HOUSE, 433
King street, 8 rooms, all modern conveniences. Apply J. H. Moran, 626 Welling-FOR RENT - DWELLING, STORE, bakery and barn, at 570 Hill street. Cheap.

COTTAGE TO LET - NO. 10 TERESA street, South London, \$7.50 per month. Apply 383 Clarence. ORENT-STORE, STABLE AND ONE acre of land, six miles from London, on Wellington road. Apply ADAM NICHOL, Hubrey P.O., or lot 15, con, 4, Westminster

TIO LET - 532 DUFFERIN AVENUE, corner William street; all modern provements. Apply 474 Colborne street. OFFICE TO LET-DOUBLE ROOM WITH vault, first floor Albion Building; also front room on first floor; immediate possession Apply T. H. CARLING, at the brewery. 33:1 TO LET-COTTAGE, CORNER RIDOUT and Craig streets. South London; rent \$13. Apply George C. Gunn, barrister. 42tf TO LET-RESIDENCE. 484 COLBORNE street, corner Dufferin avenue, 10 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply Fraser. 62tf

# Situations Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

IN PRINTING OFFICE-15 MONTHS typesetting, feeding Gordon, Pearl, Universal presses. Franklin Fox, Glencoe, Ont.

# Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. ON LORNE AVENUE. NORTH SIDE, second door from Adelaide street, brick cottage and large lot, 90 feet frontage, price \$1,600, one haif down. Also the three lots and cottages east of above. Would sell the whole property for \$5,300. Apply 386 Ridout, 44bcywt

PARM FOR SALE—524 ACRES—PART north half lot 11, con. 2, London township, situated northeast of city of London, almost adjoining its limits and abutting Quebec street. All cleared: good grazing, plow land or suitable for dividing into lots, Will be sold cheap. For particulars apply T. W. SCANDRETT, barrister, 98 Dundas street, London.

VALUABLE DAIRY FARM-OF 75 acres-With brickyard and good buildings; 4 miles from city of London. Can be purchased at a low figure. Apply to ELLIO & JARVIS, barristers, 59 Dundas street, London.

FOR SALE-A NUMBER OF CHOICE lots on old university property on easy terms; fine brick house, and more going up. Come and see before you buy elsewhere. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

# Architects.

M CBRIDE & FARNCOMBE - ARCHI TECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street-Duffield Block. H. C. McBride, F. W. Farn MOORE & HENRY-ARCHITECTS AND

civil engineers, Albion Buildings, Lon-JOHN M. MOORE, FRED HENRY. HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT— (formerly with C. C. Haight, New York), Carling Block, Richmond street.

# Laundries.

LIVERED—All hand work. Best finish, HOP SING, 252 Dundas, street.

# Patent Barristers.

DETHERSTONHAUGH & CO,—PATENT lictors and experts, Toronto; patents obtained in Canada, etc. London Office, Bank of Commerce buildings, corner Dundas and

Egyptian Debt Commissioners Accede to Great Britain's Request.

The Anglo-Italian Alliance an Accomplished Fact.

Renewal of Turkish Outrages on the Cretan Christians.

Venezuelan Warship Burned at Sea Death of the President of Hayti-No Easy Task for the British-Egyptian Troops.

SALISBURY IN FRANCE. London, March 26.-The Marquis of Salisbury has gone to Beaulieu, in the

north of France. HAYTI'S PRESIDENT DEAD. Paris, March 26.—The Haytian Bank has received news that President Hippolyte had died of apoplexy. The Haytian legation has no news.

IMPERIAL PENNY POSTAGE. London, March 26 .- At a meeting of the Association of Chambers of Commerce of the United Kingdom yesterday, a resolution favoring an Imperial penny postage was passed unani-

TO RELIEVE ADIGRAT. Rome, March 26.-Advices received from Massowah state that Gen. Baldissera, commander-in-chief of the Italian forces in Abyssinia, has started from Asmara with a strong force. The object of the expedition is, if possible, to liberate the Italian garrison at Adigrat. TURKISH OUTRAGES RENEWED

IN CRETE. London, March 26 .- It is reported here that the murder of Christians by the Turks has been renewed on the Island of Crete, and that the latter has appealed to Greece for protection. It is believed in Crete that the Turks are only waiting for an excuse to inaugurate a general massacre.

AT THEIR OLD TRICKS. Constantinople, March 26.-The outbreak at Killiz is more serious than supposed. The town is now surrounded by troops, and no one is allowed 755 09 ed by troops, and no one off-635 80 to leave or enter the place. The offi-The British ambassador, Sir Terms—One-quarter cash, balance 2.4, 6 and 8 months, approved indorsed paper, with interest at 7 per cent.
Stock list on the premises and with Messrs. Helimuth & Ivey, London, trustee's solicitors. George Hayes, trustee. 60c-tyw Phillip Currie, has had an interview with Tewfik Pasha, the Minister for Foreign Affairs, on the subject.

KRUGER WARNED.

London, March 26.—The Times warns President Kruger that it is impossible WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned for a brick veneer church, with basement, for the Glendale congregation. Plans may be had on application to C. W. HOURD, London postoffice, Ontario. to discuss with him the essentials of the London convention, which fixes the suzerainty of Great Britain over the Transvaal. "In any case," the Times continues, "he must decide without delay whether to accept the invitation to come to England. The invitation cannot remain open indefinitely, and if it is declined he must take Capital and Assets. - \$54,000,000 measures to support the just claims of

the Uitlanders." BLACKMAILERS SENTENCED. Paris, March 26 .- Ulric De Civrey, formerly editor of the Echo de l'Armee, and Count Lionel Voorther de Cesti, two of the men who have been on trial on the charge of blackmailing the late Max Lebaudy, the young millionaire conscript, who died in the military hospital at Amelic les Bains, were sentenced yesterday to thirteen months' imprisonment, and to fines of 500 francs each. The other defendants francs each.

were acquitted. ITALIANS DISORGANIZED. Rome, March 26.-Gen. Ellena, who was wounded at the battle of Adowa, in an interview is quoted as saying that the Italian army was never so badly organized, fed and disciplined. The three columns operating against the Abyssinians were so separated that tricts have revolted and massacred the contact was impossible. The officers were without maps, the country was quite unknown, and no provision was lena concluded with saying that if the with a Maxim gun, has been dispatched made to meet emergencies. Gen. Elwar is continued, Italy will be exposed against the natives.

to great disillusions. JAMESON'S EXAMINATION. London, March 26.-The examination

curred here yesterday, by which Chevrier's Hotel and a house occupied by of Dr. Jameson and his fellow-prison-Edwards Trading Company's store was ers who took part in the raid into the Transvaal was again continued at the Hotel here, owned and occupied by George La France, was completely de-Bow street police court. The principal stroyed by fire at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The inmates, some of whom were small children, barely escaped with their lives, rushing out into the graph wires and a repetition of the details already cabled of the preparations at Mafeking for the advance of the bitter night in bare feet and nightraiders, and the examination was evenclothes; some with their clothes in their tually adjourned until April 28 to hands and some without. Nothing was await the arrival in England of witsaved. Loss on building, \$2,000; insured nesses from South Africa. for \$600. The contents were insured for

VENEZUELAN WARSHIP BURNED. London, March 26.-A dispatch from Caracas says: The Venezuelan warship Mariscal de Avacucho, while returning from Marzinique, where she had been for repairs, burned off the Island of Margarita. Four soldiers and four sailors were lost. The tugboat Augusto towed the hull to La Guayra. The circumstances of the fire are suspicious. There were three Cuban refugees on board, and it is rumored that they tried to bribe the crew to secure the ammunition. The captain says he was forced to defend the magazine, armed only with a machete.

JOHN GETS THE CASH.

Cairo, March 26.-The commission of chased a large quantity of candy of first-class manufacture which they have placed on sale at 15c per pound. lately brought into use by prominent candy manufacturers, and is a luxury

ed against the proposition.

Cairo, March 26,-Col. Hunter left erig

### Sarras yesterday for Akasheh, which will probably be reinforced on the same day by three regiments of infantry. Cairo is almost denuded of native A portion of the Fifth Battalion of the Egyptian army left yes-terday for Suez, to embark for Sua-

Negotiations are progressing for forming a corps of 4,000 men from the Arab tribes, which will be commanded by Sir Edward Zoghab.

FRANCE AND RUSSIA IN UNISON. Paris, March 26.-The semi-official note issued yesterday is believed to indicate that a perfect understanding has been arrived at between France and Russia on the Egyptian advance, and that France's protest will be backed up by one from Russia. The situation is, in view of the issuing of the present note, thought to be assuming a graver aspect than at any time since the announcement of the British determination. The explanation given out semi-officially a few days ago practically disclaiming M. Berthelot's note to the British ambasador, calling attention to the possible grave consequences of the British advance, was thought to have cleared the atmosphere considerably, but it is now suspected that the reason for the French Govern-ment's conciliatory attitude at that time may have lain in the fact that she had then not received the assurance of Russia's active support, which it may be assumed she has since done.

ENGLAND AND ITALY. Rome, March 26.-In the Italian Senate yesterday Baron Blanc, ex-Minister of Foreign Affairs, affirmed that the alliance between Great Britain and Italy was an accomplished fact. The made, with a view to the eventual evacuation of Kassala, Baron Blanc said, had determined the authorities

Winnipeg. upon a public definite manifestation of alliance, which was founded upon a more solid basis than protocols, namely, a community of defensive interests. This community would henceforth be extended to the security of Italy as a maritime power, and the Mediterranean power of Italy would now become an effective bond between Great Brit-

ain and the Dreibund. Signor Sermoneta, Minister of Foreign Affairs, concurred in Baron Blanc's gola expedition was aimed at the reconquering of the Soudan, Italy must, if the conquest be effected, and if Great Britain so desired, restore Kassala.

NO EASY TASK.

Constantinople, March 26.-It is held here that if the ostensible object of the Nile expedition is to be accomplished, namely, creating a diversion which will relieve Kassala, there is no time to be lost. The distance from Wady Halfa, the southern boundary of Egypt, to Dongola is about 300 miles. But the route is a most arduous one, even for the black troops cials of Bitlis are preventing the American missionaries from distributing period on account of the low water of of immense numbers of came's for transportation, and the possible even-tual building of a light railroad. Then, admitting that Dongola is reached

without serious reverses, which is not by any means certain, that place is not likely to capitulate upon a single summons. A long siege may be necessary, and the 20,000 to 30,000 men the Mahdi may muster there are liable to prove more than a match for the 20,-000 British-Egyptian troops which will reach Dongola worn out after a most wearisome march from Wady Halfa, railroad or no railroad to assist them. Then, even with Dongola fallen, Kassala is not necessarily relieved, and the capture of the latter place by the Dervishes would threaten Saukim and Tokar. The possession of Dongola, it is explained, is necessary in order to defend Egypt against Dervish raids. It consists of a fortified town and a district of the same name.

# Massacred!

Murderous Revolt by the Matabeles.

White Settlers Butchered-Volunteers to the Rescue.

Cape Town, March 26.-The Matabeles of the Inseza and Filabusi diswhite settlers, including Commissary Bentley. The fugitive whites are flocking to Buluwayo and Gwelo for protection. A detachment of 75 volunteers,

# ON THEIR EAR!

### France and Russia Protest Against Britain Using Egyptian Money.

London, March 26.-A special dispatch from Cairo says that the French testimony as to the outting of the teleafter protesting against the use of the reserve fund for the purpose of the British-Egyptian expedition up the Nile.

# FRIENDLY WORDS

### For America-Significant Speeches at a London Banquet.

London, March 26.-At the banquet of the Associated Chambers of Commerce last night there were present as guests W. Russell, Parliamentary secretary of the Local Government Board; Right Hon, A. J. Mundella, ex-president of the Board of Trade; Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for the Indian Department; several of the ambassadors in London, and a large number of members of Parliament. Sir A. K. Rollit presided. Charles Ritche, president of the Board of Trade, in his address, dwelt upon the feeling here antagonistic to a conflict with the United States in the present difficulty. the Egyptian debt met here today and The position had led to the hope, he decided to advance the £500,000 neces- said, that there would soon be a happy sary to meet the expenses of the Brit- solution. The Government had always ish-Egyptian expedition which is to advance upon Dongola. Of the sum needed £200,000 is available immediately. The English, German, Italian and and said that it would be glad to Austrian members of the commission found a permanent board of arbitravoted to advance the money required. tion between Great Britain and the The Russian and French members vot- United States. The American Governcontinued, was now consid-

# Easter Perfumes

# - New and Dainty.

A delightful perfume will be both pleasant to yourself and others. Our perfumes cannot be excelled. They are the best brought to the city. That is why we sell such quantities. All the choicest on hand.

### Cairncross & Lawrence,

Druggists, etc., 2 DRUG Corner Park Avenue.
Branch, corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

Salisbury, which it was hoped would result in the establishment of a system by which arbitration would be pos-

sible in all cases. (Cheers.)

Hon. George N. Curzon, Parliamentary Secretary of the Foreign Office, replied to the toast "Foreign Representatives." He eulogized the services of diplomats and paid a special tribute to Baron De Courcel, the French am-

# School Commission

Dr. Bryce May be Called In-A Foolish Suggestion by a Politic an.

Winnipeg, March 26.-Sir Donald Smith, Hon. Mr. Diokey and Senator Desjardins, the Dominion school com-missioners, as they are now termed here, reached this city earlier than expected this evening, the express statement. He created somewhat of a gaining several hours after leaving sensation by declaring that if the Don- North Bay. Owing to the late hour of arrival the conference did not begin last night, and may possibly not be opened till Friday. As he had arranged some time ago to be present at the Liberal convention for Lisgar at Manitou today, Premier Greenway will be unable to reach the city until this afternoon. It is now said that there is a possibility of the Manitoba Government calling an out-sider to deliberate with the other members of the conference, probably Rev. Dr. Bryce, a recognized authority on Manitoba educational matters. Nothing more definite than this can be obtained, the Ministers declining to answer questions suggested by interviewers. As to the extreme limit to which the Lo when asked to give their ultimatum it is said that this will be the secularization of the schools, the giving up of schools after 3:30 o'clock for persons to come in and teach any religious doctrines, and to make any alterations in text-books suggested by the minority. The impression still prevails that the school system of Nova Scotia will be taken as a basis of settlement by the Dominion commissioners. A Conservative politician gave it as his opinion today that the Dominion Commissioners, if they found Premier Greenway unwilling to offer any remedy for the existing grievances, would recommend the dismissal of his Government. Such action, however, would be absurd, following so soon upon the emphatic indorsation of the school policy by the people.

# BURIED ALIVE!

Terrible Mine Explosion-69 Men Entombed.

Wellington, New Zealand, March 28 .-A terrible explosion of fire damp has taken place in a mine at Brunnerton. Five persons were killed outright, and 60 more are entombed, with no hope of being rescued.

# RAILWAY RUMBLINGS.

Rumor that the Michigan Central is to Take Over the T., H. and B. Traffic receipts on the C. P. R. for the week ending March 21, \$341,000; for the same week last year, \$269,000;

increase, \$72,000. Defries, Tamblyn and Mulligan, the Grand Trunk conductors charged with conspiracy to defraud the company, are on trial at Montreal.

Hamilton Times: It was rumored on the street this morning that the Michigan Central Railway Company had taken over the interest of the Dominion Construction Company in the T., H. and B. Railway, and would operate the road between Welland and Waterford. The rumor, if not true, is certainly premature, and was probably the outcome of the decision of the construction company to reduce the working staff. Orders have been received from President Beckley to the effect that there must be more economy in the operation of the line, and it is probable that the end of the month will see reductions in the office staff at least.

A GREAT SCHEME.

Washington, D. C., March 26.—Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, has introduced a bill providing for a commission of five engineers to report upon the best practicable route for a ship canal having 28 feet depth, connecting the great lakes with the Atlantic Ocean. Forty thousand dollars is appropriated for the expenses of the oc-

casion. THE POT POLITICAL.

A Montreal dispatch says: The Liberals are arranging to get up a big demonstration in honor of Mr. Laurier at the close of Parliament. The demonstration will mark the opening of

the Liberal campaign.

The East Huron Liberal convention.

owing to the storm, has been postponed until April 3. The meeting will be held at Brussels, and addresses are exheld at Brussels. pected from Hon. D. C. Fraser, M.P., Mr. A. Campbell, M.P., Mr. James Mc-Mullen, M.P., Dr. Macdonald, M.P., and

### Mr. Thos. Gibson, M.P. Confidential Advice.

to either sex, on delicate diseases. Large book sent sealed in plain envelope for lecents in stamps. Address, World's Disosals emanating from Lord pensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

Such is the Decision of the Ottawa Government.

Extraordinary Extravagance in Kingston Military College.

Thirty-Seven Teachers Paid to Instruct Fifty-Seven Pupils.

A Big Bluff Indulged In by the Ministers

Ottawa, March 26.-I learn that it has been arranged to hold the general elections in the first week of June. Such is the information conveyed to inservative M.P.s in confidence. Parliament will be dissolved on April 24.

The intention is to get rid of Premher Bowell by inducing him to go to England as a delegate on Pacific cables. Str Charles Tupper is most anxlous to get the complete leadership, though he has shown that he is far

Fleming, one of the official visitors to are straining every nerve to pass a the Provincial Treasurer or his dethe Royal Military College, was pre- remedial bill. Parliament has been in puty. The fee for such license is to sented to Parliament yesterday, as well session three months, and the Goy- be \$5, and in the case of hunting withthe report of the commandant of ernment have just made two motions out a dog, the sum of \$2. The license the college, Gen. Cameron, in reply to which was carried, and another for the the strictures of the board. Mr. second reading of the remedial bill, Fleming says that as he understands it which was also carried. Two motions the mittary college was established in three months, and yet the Governwith the primary object of providing ment now say that if the remedial bill means of imparting a military education, and that this should be done in the best possible manner, having due been doing during these three months? regard to cost. He says it is obvious Seven of them went on strike for hibits common carriers from transto the visitor to the college that the two weeks. They adjourned for five porting deer without the shipping institution is overmanned; for 57 ca- weeks after the opening because of the dets there is a staff of 87, exclusive of inconvenient season, the day after New the catering department. In five years Year's. They had seven months in nor by order in council to designate the college has turned out an average which to prepare their remedial bill, certain counties or portions of counof less than fourteen graduates per yet did not introduce it until five weeks annum, the cost per graduate during of the session had elapsed. The secthat period having been \$5,510, of ond reading was not moved until two which the graduate himself pays \$1,450. Whole months of the session were wast-Mr. Fleming thinks the institution ed. Now it is necessary for party purshould be converted into a purely mili- poses to evince a strong desire to extary one, and that cadets should be pedite business and to propose to make cil is also empowered to make certain required to finish their civil education, the House sit on Good Friday. They new carried on at the college at exces- know very well that if they sat every sive and unnecessary cost, before en- day, including Sundays, from now to tering the college. Two years should April 24, the remedial bill would not suffice for the military training. Mr. pass. Conservative members with the Fleming points out that graduates in views of Messrs. McCarthy, Wallace, the past have had scant treatment in Sproule, O'Brien, Tyrwhitt, Stubbs, the matter of appointment in the public | Weldon and a dozen others are deterservice of the Dominion.

Professor Robertson, dairy commis- there is the Senate, many members of sioner, explained in committee yester-the butter purchased in Canada for 20 cents by the Dominion Government officials, when shipped to England realized only 18 cents per pound. The loss on the 75,000 pounds of butter for which the Government paid 20 cents a pound was \$3,700, not to speak of \$14,000 expended in fitting up cold

Mr. McShane, Sir Adolphe Caron said ment. it was not the intention of the Government to reduce the charge for drop letters to one cent.

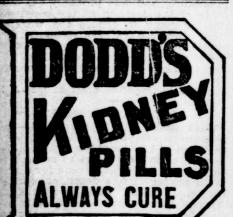
A motion of Mr. Edgar's, requesting ada and the United States would be promoted by the peaceful settlement by arbitration of any disputes or dif-ferences not adjustable by diplomatic TOWN agency, was unanimously adopted.

Mr. McShane (Montreal) moved for a return showing the proceedings of London, is visiting at Mr. James Bell's the conference held in Montreal in Birr. with representatives of ocean shipping Southgate. interests at the port, who complained the import traffic from the United which was to have taken place on motion, he devoted most of his atten- our society people started in to make tion to attacking the administration up for lost time. of customs and to supporting the appointment of the Board of Customs standard bred mare (by Progress) with experts, as proposed by the Montreal D. C. Bell for Rosalie (by Tom Birr).

Board of Trade. He held that the rulings were arbitrary and lacked uni- Jessica the other day for a good conformity and gave no satisfaction what-sideration. ever to the merchants of the country. an instance in which the appraiser private. ruled that canary seed should be adthe same officer had ruled that it the blacks of Africa. (Laughter.)

\* \* \* # Mr. Ives and Mr. Woods defended the system, and Mr. Laurier contended that the complaints made against the working of the high tax policy were well-founded, The motion carried.

Dr. Sproule's bill to regulate detective corporations and mercantile agencies came up for its second reading, and was virtually killed by the opposi-



AFTER TEN YEARS SUFFERING

Two Box Cure

MILVERTON, 28TH JULY, 1895. entlemen.—For the last ten years I had n troubled with kidney disease, being been troubled with hands and the in bed at night nor stoop to the ground.

I had tried all the remedies I could find without effect, but heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and procured a box.

I am most happy to say it for my own take as well as for others that I am persently cured after using four baxes.

JOHN RILEY.

tion of Mr. Foster, who asked that the debate on it should be adjourned.

Mr. McCarthy moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Dominion Elections Act. The principal panies from carrying voters to the polls free or at less than the usual rate of fare, and to enable deputy returning officers to arrest personators on the spot without a warrant.

Mr. Foster said that he would consent to the second reading of the bill, and a reference to a select commit-

Mr. Davies expressed the hope that its scope would be so extended as to prevent the transportation of Tory voters free over the Intercolonial Railway in future. Mr. McMullen voiced the necessity

to a select committee.

Sir Charles Tupper gave notice last night that he will on Friday move that after Monday next the House shall sit on Saturdays from 10 a.m., with adjournment from 1 to 2 p.m., and that Government business shall have precedence on such days. There are three session. Such a motion is unprecedented before the Government has taken bluff. The Ministers know, as pointed out by the correspondent of the Globe, The minority report of Mr. Sandford Christian year, but they seek to cultivate the belief that the Government ond reading was not moved until two

It is now said that both Mr. Davin and Mr. Hutchins had promised only 24 hours before the vote was taken that Charlton, to prevent the spread of they would vote against the Manitoba noxious weeds, and another, by Mr. coercion bill, but during the intervening time they were induced to change In the House yesterday, replying to their minds and support the Govern-

therefore, the cheapest kind of bluff.

mined that if obstruction becomes he-

cessary they will furnish it; and then

Lieutenant-Governor Mackintosh returned to Regina yesterday.

Mr. R. L. Richardson, editor of the his Excellency to transmit to the Winnipeg Tribune, was nominated for Home Government a copy of the reso- the Commons by the Liberals of Lis-

# BIRR.

March 25.-Miss Gretta Logan, of toral campaign.

The ball under the auspices of the of the adverse effect of the tariff on Young Bachelors' Club of Carlisle, Kingdom to Canada, upon which they Friday night last, was postponed on depended for west-bound cargoes for account of the terrific snow storm of their steamships. In talking to the last week until last night, when all

Mr. J. W. Ferguson exchanged his Mr. David McNair sold his bay mare

Mr. Thomas Sinclair disposed of a illustrate his argument he gave first-class general purpose horse; price

Mr. George Robinson, of Lucan, is mitted free, because it was not used stopping at the hotel, looking after human food, but two months later cattle delivered for shipment tomorrow. the same officer had ruled that it Tuesday was a busy day at Birr. was dutiable, because it was eaten by Some 200 head of cattle bought by Messls. Wm. Reid and Wellington Children Cry for Hodgins, of Lucan, for Mr. D. Mc-Dougall, of London, being delivered. They will be kept here over night. where they have been fed hay purchased from the farmers for the occasion. They leave this morning for London, where they will be carred and shipped via C. P. R. to Lethbridge. N. W. T. The money paid out to the several farmers for cattle delivered was in the neighborhood of \$3,000.

The Birr chopping mill is busy, and is steadily increasing its business. Mr. Harry Ferguson's driver, Fantasia, had the misfortune to sever a small artery, she having overreached while he was jogging her, and, being sharp shod, she cut herself severely.

Mr. A. E. Wilson is again able to be up. We hope for his speedy re-There is some talk of reorganizing the Birr Football Club. Will the 1896 be as good as old 1895.

LUCAN.

"Advertiser" Agent, W. Hodgins. Lucan, March 26.—Mr. W. Reid ship-ped on Monday from Clandeboye over 200 head of young cattle for the North-

Mr. Andrew Isaac, a Biddulph farmer residing about six miles north of this village, had his house burned to the ground on Monday night while he and his wife were at the house of a neighbor. A defective stovepipe is supposed to have been the cause. The loss is heavy, as the total amount of insur-

ance carried is \$50. Anderson & Nelles, Druggists, sell Kur-a-Kof, the new lung remedy, at 25c. ywt

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provisions are to prevent railway com- | Municipal Elections May be Held on New Year's Day.

Toronto, March 26.-Mr. Hobbs' bill to provide for the holding of elections on New Year's Day, came before the municipal committee yesterday morning. On motion of Mr. Hobbs, a change was made in the bill so as to for such a measure, and the bill went make it permissive for municipalities to hold elections on Jan. 1. Nomination day was fixed for Dec. 20, except when that day falls on Sunday, when nominations will be held on Dec. 21.

day, Mr. Mutrie's bill to enable county councils to aid old roads, as well as new ones, went through. It was am-Saturdays during the remainder of the ended so that the aid shall only apply to roads running into county roads. The bill introduced in the Ontario all the other days, and this is not yet Legislature by Hon. J. M. Gibson to the case. It is also said that the make further provision for the pro-Legislature by Hon. J. M. Gibson to House will sit on Good Friday. These tection of game provides that no perproposals are regarded as a game of son shall at any time kill or capture deer while in the water. That no person who is a resident of Ontario or less able to head than Sir Mackenzie that the House will not consent to sit Quebec shall hunt moose, elk, rein-Bowell. Quebec shall hunt moose, elk, rein-on one of the most sacred days in the deer, cariboo or other deer without a license signed by the chief fish and game warden, and countersigned by one to go into committee of supply, is to continue in force for one season. Two shipping coupons are to be attached to each license, and when it is intended to ship deer out of the Province one of the coupons is to be detached by the licensee in the presdoes not pass or other business it will not be their fault. What have they heen doing during these three months? ence of the shipping agent tached to each deer or part of a deer about to be shipped. The act probable of the shipping agent tached to each deer or part of a deer about to be shipped. The act probable of the shipping agent tached to each deer or part of a deer about to be shipped. ther empowers the Lieutenant-Goverties in the Province in which the hunting of deer shall be prohibited, subject to certain reservations in favor of the residents of the county, as the Lieutenant-Governor in council may see fit. The Lieutenant-Governor in counhunting of deer protected by the game act within a certain distance of Rondeau Park and Rondeau Harbor.

In the House yesterday, among the bills which got their third readings were: To further improve the Agriculture and Arts Act: to consolidate the floating debt of Alliston; respecting the London Street Railway, and respectof Chatham.

The following bills were dropped: through all its remaining stages is, To amend the Ontario Architects' Act; respecting mortgages in real estate, and to amend the Assessment

> A couple of bills to amend the Assessment Act; another, by Mr. Truax, respecting the office of sheriff, got their second readings. Mr. Carnegie introduced a bill to extend the limits provisionally, in

ness. Mr. Meacham had a bill, providing that the salaries of persons employed in the public service shall not be exempt for attachment from debt. Mr. Whitney asked for an order of the House for a return of copies of hution adopted May 21, 1894, and affirming that the best interests of Canada and the United States would be a very strong candidate.

Safe in the line folds for a fetting to the appointment of Mr. Murdock as farmer, or assistant farmer, at the London Asylum. In doing so, he said that he was credibly informed that the Government, having discharged two men to make way for him, had seduced Mr. Murdock from the position of a Patron standard-bearer in the last elec-

Mr. Gibson, in consenting to bring down the correspondence, said he was April, 1893, by the Minister of Finance Miss Ida O'Neil, of Glencoe, is visitwith representatives of ocean shiming friends and relatives in Birr and of seduction on the part of the Govsure the papers would disclose no act

ernment. The House went into committee of the whole on Mr. Dryden's bill to provide for the inspection of bake shops and Mr. Whitney objected to sub-section two of clause two, if it meant the appointment of a new inspector at

extra expense. Mr. Dryden said there was no intention of appointing an extra inspec-

Mr. Kerns moved that the bill should not apply to places of less than 4,000 population, but the motion failed and the bill was reported.

Mr. Harcourt's amendment to the Succession Duties' Act, providing that it shall not apply to amounts covered by insurance policies, passed the committee stage. The Legislature will sit on Saturday

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May Still be Worn in Theaters by Wo man-Ohio Legislature Divided

Columbus, Ohio, March 26. — The House this morning defeated Foshat bill after it had been dick's amended to place the responsibility upon the theatrical managers and Efforts Made to Preserve Deer in the exempting women from punishment. The vote was 47 yeas and 45 nays, lacking a constitutional majority.

made. In the municipal committee yester- men to drink between acts.

> turkey roost, and the feathers were all turned the wrong way. THE GREEN-EYED MONSTER. Boston, Mass., March 26.-Hiram H. Morrison, who was placed under arrest Monday night, after his wife had been found dead, has confessed that he choked the woman to death while in

cause, he said, every time he went to

the theater he thought he was in a

the house drinking. ELECTROCUTION IN OHIO. Columbus, Ohio, March 26.-The Senate has passed a bill introduced by Sanator Jones, of Madison county, providing for the substitution of electro-

cution for hanging in Ohio. Cleveland, Ohio, March 26,-In Common Pleas Court, Bushrod Kelch was sentenced to be hanged July 23. Kelch murdered his divorced wife last No-

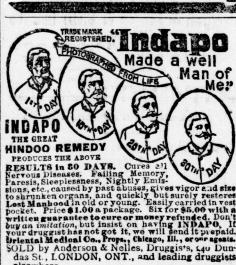
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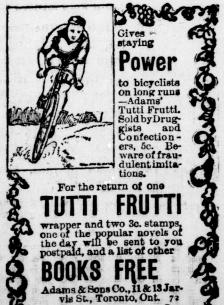
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on Fosdick's Bill.

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ed the plan of paying taxes in two

Wm. Nancekivell, of Dereham, who

opposed Dr. McKay in South Oxford at the last provincial election, is dang-

erously ill, suffering from various com-

plications, the after effects of in-

Canadian customs officers say 254 De-

troiters work in Windsor, and only 150

The Brantford City Council has de-

to the pollution of the water supply

by sewage from the town of Walker-

ville. He has been informed that

there are between 150 and 200 cases of

While C. F. Pashley was loading

bundles of rims on trucks, at the

Sarnia Hub and Spoke Factory, as-

District-Committee Reports.

vocal solos with fine effect.

and Miss Axford leading in prayer.

THIRD DAY-WEDNESDAY.

votional exercises of the morning ses-

had to depend on the families with-

mended the following as members of

he committee on resolutions: Mr. John

Hatch, Rev. A. Cunningham, Rev. J.

Veale, Mr. T. B. Shillington, Mrs. Max-

well, Mrs.J.Hayne, Miss Neelands, Miss

Mills, Mr. Harris, Rev. J. S. Cook, Rev. C. H. Cobbledick, Miss McBain, Miss Pinch, and Rev. H. Irvine.

The names of two persons for each

A resolution in reference to the

injurious influence of narcotics, signed

by a number of members of the con-

vention, was referred to the commit-

a paper by Rev. J. E. Moore, of Dut-

ton. The general secretary introduced

one of real work. About 1,200 had entered upon the course.
Rev. O. Alexander, of Brownsville.

gave an account of the working of a

constitution so that the election

of officers will be by ballot without

nomination. The resolution was car-

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other crop up all along life's pathway;

for unfortunately it is the unexpected

that always happens. There is at least

one article of acknowledged merit that

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be far advanced in consumption.

Evangelistic work was the subject of

of the offices of the convention were

lookout committee.

tee on resolutions.

his circuit.

mans.

the

committee.

Methodist Conference.

trade aiding the directors.

typhoid in Windsor.

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cessful Career.

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zon of the medical world. With the powerful cathode rays behind his subject, he gazes through a screen of prepared chemicals and sees every organ of the body as plainly as one can see the dishes upon a dinner table. With the subject close to the light, nothing whatever is seen, but if the patient steps forward a foot or two from the light the skeleton is revealed. Still further from the light and the muscles, tissues and organs of the body appear as plainly as if they were not inclosed in flesh, as the distance from the light and the focus are changed. A fluorescent screen eight feet in height is now being constructed for Mr. Edison's experiments, and when this is completed he will be able to see from the top of the head to the sole of

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Mr. Chamberlain's Speech at the Canada Club's Dinner.

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Bad for the Workingman,

London, March 26.—Right Hon. Jos. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for

the Colonies, was the guest of honor at the annual dinner of the Canada Club in London this evening. In responding to the toast "The

Governor-General of Canada and the Dominion" Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the guest of honor, declared that whatever test gauged her greatness, CANADA STOOD TODAY FIRST among the group of kindred nations, which, together with a united kingdom, formed the British Empire. He had often visited Canada, he said, and knew men on both sides of the Atlantic who once assumed that the manifest destiny of Canada was to be absorbed by the great republic upon the southern frontier. That announcement, Mr. Chamberlain declared, was in contrast Windsor people work in Detroit. The American invaders, they say, are al-most all men, while the Canadians who with the present determination of Canada to maintain her loyal institutions and draw closer the bonds uniting her work on the American side are almost to the parent stem. The recent isolation of the United Kingdom and the dangers which seemed to threaten, cided to ask the Governor-General to be the guest of the city at the opening evoked from all the colonies, and especially from Canada, an outburst of of the South Brant Fair. Every effort is being made this year to boom the Majesty's subjects was the recent fair, the city council and board of The suit of the Walkerville Brewing on her part, and unanimous voice was Company. Limited, vs, the Chatham made in the common cause with the and Banner Printing Company, came up for United Kingdom. (Cheers.) The speaka hearing at the Essex county noners of the Dominion Parliament struck jury assizes Tuesday. The plaintiffs the right note when they spoke of "Our Empire." "Could an expression of expressed their willingness to pay the This was acceded to by the defendants. loyalty from all the colonies be ask-Dr. Bryce, the Provincial health of-ficer, thinks the state of affairs in the part of both the colonies and im-

into the outbreak of typhoid fever which, he has been informed, is due sistence." Mr. Chamberlain declared that the greatest of the colonies' common obligations was imperial defense, and the greatest of their common interests imperial trade. It was difficult to deal did much damage. with the subject of deferences without first dealing with the matter of trade. They had a great example in the crealed up, through the union of the states lection is unexcelled, and dead to her own interests is the lady who neglects to cail and inspect them.

Closely and caught Mr. Pasmey under to bite his the jaw, causing him to bite his to jaw, causing him to bite his jaw, causing him to bite his to jaw, causing him to bite his jaw and her colonies.

high sentiments into practical results?

DIFFERENTIAL DUTIES. THE EPWORTH LEAGUES. Mr. Chamberlain, continuing, referred to the motion offered in the Canadian House of Commons by Mr. McNeill that a small duty be levied by each member of the empire against foreign products Proceedings of the Conference of London imported by them, and that the proeds from such duties be devoted to St. Thomas, March 26.-Three hunthe purpose of imperial intercommunidred and thirty-five delegates have recation and defense, Mr. MeNeill's progistered at the annual convention of posal, he said, was entitled to respectthe Epworth Leagues of the London ful consideration. If the English objected to it they ought to propose an Tuesday evening the large church,

capable of accommodating eleven hundred people, was filled. Mrs. Gordon Wright, of London, spoke on "The Relation of the League to Mission Work," alternative. At the same time the importance of proposal ought not to be minimized. It would involve a most serious disturbance of the trade of the and the Rev. Dr. Carman delivered United Kingdom, and a great change an address on denominational loyalty in the principles which for many years interdenominational fellowship. have guided its commercial policy. Mr. H. Ruthven McDonald, of Lon-The proposed duty would tend to inden, and Mr. C. E. Ayres, choir master crease the cost of living to the working of the First Methodist Church, renderclasses of the United Kingdom, and hence increase the cost of production, Rev. W. Hayhurst conducted the de-

RENDERING WORSE the position of the British in competition with foreign countries in neutral sion, reading the Scriptures; Rev. B. markets. Great Britain in return Clement, Rev. S. Bond, Mr. Hopkins would give a very small preference, amounting to 2, perhaps 5 per cent in Lookout committee work was introcompetition with the foreigners in colonial markets. This proposal, Mr. duced by Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, M.A., Chamberlain considered a very startling one, and he feared that it would eruit its members from new territory be impossible of adoption in its present form. He stated in detail his in the church. To get in this material reasons for regarding its adoption as and retain it was the work of the impossible, dwelling especially upon the fact that the British foreign trade Miss E. Sharpe, of Dresden, took is so much more gigantic than that up the subject of the prayer-meeting of the colonies, that the taxation would fall more heavily upon the The nominating committee recom-

United Kingdom than upon them. He referred to the dispatch of 1895 the Marquis of Ripon, then Colonial Secretary, which, although conclusive far as it concerned the proposal to which it referred, did not bar out others which were more favorable. Mr. Chamberlain suggested that the true zollverein of the empire, viz., FREE TRADE THROUGHOUT THE

EMPIRE, despite the involving of duties against foreigners, might be discussed, and would probably lead to a satisfactory agreement if the colonies were willing to consider it. (Cheers.) It had been assumed, he continued, that the colonies would certainly refuse to consider such a suggestion, but he was not convinced that they would literary work, its importance being emphasized, but it should be made do so. He contended that it would be so enormously advantageous to them that the colonies would be bound to consider it, but instanced some exceptions that would be neceshe holding, however, that the general principle would be acceptable Circuit Epworth League Board on that between the various parts of Rev. C. T. Scott moved that the general board be petitioned to amend

PROTECTION OUGHT TO DISAP-

PEAR, any duties imposed being merely for revenue, not protection. If this principle should be adopted, said the speaker, there would be no reason for calling a council of the empire to discuss the matter. In conclusion, Mr. Chamberlain declared that he spoke only for himself, and was not initiating a course of policy He wished, he said, to provoke discussion upon the sub-

never disappoints. Putnam's Painless DR. MONTAGUE'S REMARKS. Corn Extractor is sure to remove the Hon. Dr. Montague, M.P., Can-adian Minister of Agriculture, followworst corns in a few days, and as no claim is made that it will cure anything ed Mr. Chamberlain, whom he conelse, it cannot disappoint. If you have gratulated upon fully appreciating hard or soft corns just try it. Beware of the article "just as good." N. C. the idea of a greater Britain. Canadians were proud, he said, of Great Britain's past and present, but they believed that the future of the em-Bohemia is so called because it was settled by the Boil, a tribe of Gerpire would be infinitely greater. He wished Mr. Chamberlain godspeed in The great lung healer is found in that exthe work of increasing the ties of common interest and the inter-dependcellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Conence between the mother country sumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes and her colonies, and hoped he would the sensibility of the membrane of the do everything possible to encourage emigration to Canada. He urged the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, adoption of some such suggestion as that made by Mr. Chamberlain. He pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to realized that there were difficulties



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in the way, and that mutual sacrifices would be necessary, but the opportunity was great, and he undertook to say that Canada would not refuse to consider any practical proprosition which she could possibly accept. She had hitherto led the way as much as possible upon this sub-ject, and was willing to discuss it in the future.

### AFFLICTED AUSTRALIA.

Another Scorching Wave Rolls Over the Colony.

### Disease, Drought, Hurricane, Flood and Earthquake Prevail.

Victoria, B. C., March 26.-The most violent climatic disturbances still prevail in the antipodes. A second heatwave sent the thermometer upward, the mercury climbing to a point never before reached. At Adelaide the temperature reached the highest point yet recorded, while at Melbourne deaths from heat, apoplexy and sunstroke have reached an alarming number. Numerous serious fires also took place, started by spontaneous combustion, loyalty and affection. To none of her and at all the factories double guards have been placed to prevent combusshadow of war more ominous than to tion through heat generated in closely-Canada; yet there was no hesitation stored goods. In the country large on her part, and unanimous voice was surrounding settlements are threatened.

At Alexandria, Waterloo and Wagga Typhoid fever is raging, the mortality being very great. The epidemic is caused by impure water, owing to the wells being dried up.

At Melbourne the typhoid epidemic has assumed alarming proportions. The fever wards in the hospitals are full, and large numbers are being turned away.

When the steamers sailed the rivers were all rising in Queensland. The damage to the crops is terrible, and great destitution will follow. Great suffering prevails at Towns-

ville, Queensland which was almost wiped out of existence by a hurricane. tion of the German Empire, which has Contributions are being asked for all After the wind, earthquakes took Australia in hand, there being two distinct shocks from east to west.

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go, March 26. — Christopher Schrage was plundered of money and papers amounting to \$50,000 on Tuesday night.

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CROSSED ON THE ICE.

Hamilton, March 26.—Tuesday night a july party of people, employes and friends of Mr. John Gompf, brewer, enjoyed a supper at Mr. John Dynes' hotel on the A remarkable thing in connection with the affair was that a party of fifteen of the merry makers drove across the ice to the Beach, in a big heavy rig drawn by two horses. The horses, wagon and load must have weighed nearly three tons, and it is doubtful if a much heavier load has ever crossed the bay on the ice much later in the year. The ice is still as sound as a silver dollar and is thick enough to bear a fir greater weight.

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Mr. Chamberlain on British and Colonial Trade Relations.

Last night, Mr. Chamberlain, the British Secretary for the Colonies, made an important speech on the relation of the Motherland to the outlying portions of the Empire. The address is timely, as it may be regarded ential trade resolution introduced into the House of Commons at Ottawa the other day. In no uncertain terms, Mr. Chamberlain shows that the return by Britain to a "protective" system of legislation, even to the extent suggested by the preferential trade advocates, is out of the question. Mr. Chamberlain believes that the only fair and mutually advantageous arrangement that can be come to is free trade within the empire. That policy, Mr. Chamberlain says, he has been given to understand the colonies would not adopt, but he says it would be so the record for and against the Coercion very advantageous to all parties con- Bill: cerned that it is worthy of serious con sideration.

Undoubtedly, the high tax advocates in Canada will never consent to the free import of British products. The are opposed to British goods even more than to products from other countries was evidenced by the conduct of the ligh tax Government at Ottawa when Hon. Mr. Davies proposed his fair and noderate resolution in favor of the solution made the following propoition:

"Inasmuch as Great Britain admits ree of duty, this House is of the pinion that the present scale of utles exacted on goods mainly imported from Great Britain should be educed."

orsed by Hon. Wilfrid Laurier and

Canadian and British trade can be anada, that greater freedom, and itself to vindicate its good name ore intimate trade relations, are not be looked for until the men conolled by the combines are sent about eir business.

The Toronto Star points out that the actice of placing upon the bench mbers of Parliament who "eat dirt iciary. This protest is timely. But use these positions to bribe recalciint M. P.s, the bill to coerce Mani-

A Charge and a Confession.

far no speaker at Ottawa has Richard Cartwright with regard to

the law, if passed, is useless bee it provides no money to operate

The providing of money was the of the contract in this case. there was no such provision. The ernment dare not appropriate the s of Manitoba, and they dare not this Parliament for a grant. This one of the phases which opened up ista of confusion. If money were provided the bill was worthless." tax leaders, virtually confessed this fatal defect exists in the bill. all that. The country needs a change. Oulmet said:

would be glad if the hon. gentleminority the money. If he can he everer than I am, and deverer the Government. How can this wards to appropriate it, and then vide it between the majority and inority? Is there any machinery his Parliament voting the money House.

lies in Mr. Laurier's proposal tion, and afterwards full justice parties, either by Manitoba, has promised to deal justly, or Debt and Pensions.

The new volume of the Statistical Abstract of the United States gives the population at the close of last year as 69,753,000. The burden of the public debt has varied but slightly since 1892, being for 1895 \$12 93, but it is rather less than a fifth of what it was in 1867. The annual interest charge has fallen from \$3 84 per head in 1867 to 44 dents in 1895, while the annual disbursements for pensions have increased from 51 cents per head of the population in 1867 to \$2 03 last year. These returns prove conclusively that but for the war debt of our neighbors, and the liberal pensions given to participants and relations of participants, our neighbors could now have an infinitesimal rate of taxation. As it is, they have wiped out an enormous portion of their indebtedness, and from this time forward, by the natural decrease in the war pensions, their expenditure may be expected to steadily decrease, to the advantage of the taxpayers.

When Dr. Montague suddenly resolved to go to Great Britain for the benefit of his health, some of his former friends at Ottawa did not scruple to assert that the real cause for his departure was his indisposition to accept the challenge to meet Clarke Wallace. and to pursue the threatened inquiry into the famous letter case. Those critics are finding new grounds for their belief when they find that inthe British response to the prefer- stead of returning to the duties for which he is paid by the country, he is running around and spreading himself at banquets and dinner parties. A sick man would scarcely behave in that way.

How They Stand. Everywhere it is regarded as significant that in the recent division on the Manitoba Coercion Bill, Hon. Mr. Laurier's view was sustained by a majority of the M. P.s from the two great Provinces of Canada. Here is

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1-	For.
	Ontario 35
	Quebec 32
S	Nova Scotia 16
e	New Brunswick 13
v	Manitoba 4
y e	Prince Edward Island 2
e	British Columbia 6
3,	Northwest Territories 4
0	Total ost Territories 4

Total ......111 When the general elections take place, the outlying provinces will better treatment of Great Britain. That prove to the time-servers who now represent them that in this respect the decision of Ontario and Quebec, as voiced by the majority of the products of Canada into her ports their members, is the one that they, too, have reached.

If those of our contemporaries which complain that the Provincial authorites are doing nothing to aid in the in awa called on their supporters to vote vestigation of the Wingham outrage his resolution down, but it was in- would read the "Advertiser" they would astly increased by a change of Gov- vincial officials can render good sernment, but it must be apparent to vice, but to be absolutely effective ritish authorities, as it has long since their efforts must be seconded by the en made evident to the people of local authorities. Wingham owes it to

# Palace Cars at Ottawa.

Mr. Haggart was obliged to confess to Parliament the other day that the Ministers at Ottawa now have provided for them, at the expense of the public, four palace cars. These cars are constantly in use by the Ministers, functionary, indeed, loaded his potatoes and turnips into the car when he was moving his household to Ottawa, and was very angry because the conductor was heard to say that the car was not intended to carry freight. The repairs on the cars last year alone amounted to \$1,413, and the amount paid out for stewards, provisions, glassware, liquors, wines and cigars to \$2,888. When President Cleveland goes on a journey he is not above traveling like other people. He considers a Pullman car good enough for him, and he is at the head of a Government with far more spare money at its disposal than have the men in power at Ottawa. In the days of Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, too, neither he nor any member of his Cabinet thought it necessary to provide themselves with palace cars, at public expense, in which they and their families, and families' families, might travel around the counwas that a Minister of the crown should be sufficiently self-respecting to answer to a question by Dr. pay his traveling and other expenses erkin, Mr. Outmet, one of the out of his salary. But the Cabinet of selfishness and of grab have reversed

Mr. John Fraser, Liberal candidate could find a way for us to give for East Lambton, has been addressing the electors at various points. He is a man of pluck. Despite the fact that he suffered from la grippe, he kept his h the Legislature of Manitoba appointments. Our information is that be ordered first to vote money, Mr. Fraser will be the next M. P. for East Lambton. He will worthily represent that important constituency hich you can enforce that except on the Government side of the new

> Among the many bright new novels issued by Macmillan & Co. are Boothby's love story of Thursday Island, entitled "A Lost Endeavor," and F. Emily Phillips' English romance, "The Education of Antonia." Publishers for Canada, the Copp-Clark Co., Toronto.

Godey's Magazine for April is a very handsome number. It contains many illustrations and abundance of good reading. \$1 a year. The Godey Co., New York. ANONYMOUS WRITERS.

From the Missouri Editor. Again: Why not shut off the anonymous writer? Not simply the sneak who would use your columns to abuse somebody from ambush, but the less harmful party who as "Taxpayer" or "Many Citizens," or "Constant Reader" or "Old Subscriber," attempts to mould public sentiment for certain specific purposes. The public has the right to know the name of every person who writes to influence it. His personality must go along with his production, and the newspaper must not put itself between him and the outside world. The old-fashioned custom of permitting newspaper columns to be used by any and everybody, under all forms of disguises, for personal purposes, has about passed. Some journals even require each editor to sign his name to his pieces, and no reputable newspaper any longer permits an assassin to use columns. The anonymous writer ought to go altogether.

A GREAT AMERICAN.

Washington Letter. The President of the United States has just been surveyed for a new suit of clothes which will cost him \$75 and will absorb nine yards of cloth 30 inshes wide, or 67 1-2 square feet of cloth. An examination of the books of the tailor shows that the superficial dimensions of the President are gradually increasing, particularly his circumference. The following is an official statement of his measurements in the

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### TRAGEDY IN TORONTO.

Two Brothers Quarrel-Fatal Result of the Sad Affair.

Toronto, March 26.-A quarrel, which terminated fatally, occurred at a late hour Tuesday night on Bathurst street. Frank Findley and his brother John, who live at 113 Robinson street, were on their way home after drilling with the Body Guards, when they began to quarrel on some point, and Frank is alleged to have struck John in the face with his fist. John immediately seized his scabbard and struck Frank over the head with it. The blow was so heavy that Frank was knocked senseless to the ground. He was taken to his home and attended to by Dr. Watson, who recommended his removal to the General Hospital. He lay at the hospital all night in a critical condi-tion, blood issuing at times from his ears and nostrils. Findley died at 1:25 p.m. yesterday. An effort was made to obtain an ante-mortem statement, but without success.

John Findley appeared before the police magistrate yesterday morning, but was remanded for a week without being asked to plead. He will be arraigned after an inquest on the body

George Hodgkins, of Dunnville, is the latest victim of Hamilton's industrious footpads.

James G. Flint, president of the commercial Bank and one of the wealthiest and most prominent business men of Milwaukee, is dead in Chihuahua, Mexico. The only punishment imposed on the

non-commissioned officers attached to St. John's military depot for refusing to obey orders is reduction to the J. S. Spence, of Brantford, who was found on the Grand Trunk track near Sydney Tuesday morning badly in-

jured, died at the hospital in the night. He fell from a train. Alexander Reid, who was struck by a train on the Midland Railway on Tuesday afternoon, died Tuesday night

at Belleville. It was a case of deliberate suicide. Deceased was 40 years of age and was of weak mind. Fresh complications with British agents are threatened at Puerto Carbello, Venezuela, where the authorities propose to interfere with the terminal facilities of the English railway for alleged non-compliance with municipal ordinances. The British consul pro-

Twenty colonies of Dunkards from six different States passed through Chicago on their way to new homes in North Dakota last night. They number 1,500, and come from half a hundred towns in Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

John Ham Perry, registrar of On-tario county, died at his home in Whitby on Wednesday. Mr. Perry was appointed registrar of the county when it was set apart from the Home District by the Hincks-Rolph Government in 1853. He was an ardent Oddfellow many years ago, and held high office in the Independent Order. He leaves a wife and five children.

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2nd-Ladies' Black and Colored Cashmere Covered Sailor Hats, worth 25e,

3rd-Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, regular price 25c, two pairs for 25c.

4th-Ladies' All-Wool Ribbed Cashmere Hose, double heels and toes, worth 50c, for 37c.

5th-Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, worth 50c, on Friday 38c. 6th-Ladies' All-Wool Plain Cashmere Hose, double sole, heel and toes, worth 40c, for 29c.

7th—Boys' All-Wool Ribbed Hose, worth 25c, on Friday 20c. 8th-Ladies' Hemstitched Linen Finish Handkerchiefs, worth 10c each, or Friday 4 for 25c.

9th-One table of Cream and white Lace, worth 8c and 10c yard, on Friday

10th-Ribbed Combination Suits for children, worth \$1 25, on Friday 820, 11th-Ladies' Ribbed Vests, full fashioned, worth 25c, for 20c.

12th-Stamped Doilies, worth 15c, on Friday only 8c.

13th—Remnants of Dress Goods, a table full, all kinds, worth 38c, 50c and 750 yard, your choice of any end on Friday for 250 yard. A bargain. 14th—Ten pieces 42-inch Fine Twill Serge, worth 35c yard, for 25c.

15th—Five pieces Fine Scotch Tweed, in checks, worth 35c, on Friday 25c yard. .

16th—Seven pieces Princess Checks, new wash goods, worth 25c, for 15c yard. 17th-Twenty pieces Wool Challie, in navy and black grounds, with spots,

stripes and sprigs, worth 20c yard, on Friday 121/2c yard. 18th-Ten pieces Silk and Wool Crepons, beautiful colors, worth 75c yard,

19th-Ten pieces Black Mohair Crepon, 50 inches wide, worth \$1, for 65c. 20th-One piece Black Peau-de-Soie Silk, worth \$1 10 per yard, for 82c. 21st-Five pieces Black Brilliantine, 30 inches wide, fine goods, worth 75c,

for 50c. 22nd-Curtain Net, 30 inches wide, only 7c yard on Friday. 23rd-Plaid Wool Flannels, Scotch make, worth 35c, for 25c.

24th-White Victoria Lawn, 45 inches wide, worth 13c for 102. 25th-Fine Flannelette, 34 inches wide, good patterns, fast colors, worth 12 1/2 c, for 10c.

26th—Twenty-five Tapestry Table Covers, 2 yards square, worth \$1 25,

27th—White Flannel Sheeting, 36 inches wide, only 19c yard on Friday. 28th—Super All-Wool Blankets, large size, worth \$4 25, for \$3 40. 29th—Fine Bleached Cotton, 36 inches wide, worth 10c, on Friday 12

yards for \$1. 30th-Factory Sheeting, 72 inches wide, only 17c yard on Friday. 31st-Unbleached Pillow Cotton, 40 inches wide, very fine, 14 yards for \$1. 32nd-Cream Damark Table Cloths, colored border, with fringe, 2 yards

square, worth \$1 50, for \$1. 33rd-Navy Blue Serge for Boys' Wear, strong and durable, on Friday 250 per yard.

34th—Three pieces Striped Skirting, 36 inches wide, fancy border, worth 25c, for 15c. 35th-White Quilts, large size, with or without fringe, \$2 25, for \$1 69.

36th-Unbleached Twilled Sheetings, 80 inches wide, worth 28c, for 21c. 37th-Ladies' Spring Capes, in black, brown and navy, velvet and embroidered collars, today only \$1, a bargain.

38th-Four only, Frieze Capes, regular price \$7 50, on Friday \$5. 39th—See our Silk Embroidered Velvet Capes, for \$6, the correct style. 40th-Ladies' Spring Jackets in black and navy, worth \$5, for \$3.

41st-Ladies' Rain Cloaks, in black and colors, worth \$5, on Friday \$3 75. 42nd-New Cloths for Capes, in new colors, cut free, only 50c and 75c yard. 43rd-Tweeds for Ladies' Capes, in colors, worth \$1, on Friday 75c.

44th—Children's Reefers, in sizes 1 to 6 inches, black, navy and brown, at half price. 45th-Ladies' Print Wrappers, worth \$1 25, for 85c.

46th-Seven only, Ladies' Tea Gowns, lined throughout, half price. 47th-Twenty-five dozen Men's Gray Top Shirts, worth 50c, on Friday 20c.

48th-Men's Heavy Elastic Suspenders, on Friday 10c pair. 49th-Men's Heavy Ribbed Wool Socks, on Friday 10c pair. 50th-Men's Austria Serge Twill Umbrella, steel rod, shepherd crook

handles, on Bargain Day only \$1. 51st-Big Range of Boys' Caps, worth 25c for 17c.

52nd-Men's Black Sateen Shirts, fast dye, only 39c. 53rd-Great Sale of Ties, half price.

54th-Men's Negligee Shirts, assorted patterns, all sizns, worth 75c, for 50c. 55th-Men's Fine Merino Socks, worth 25c pair, on Friday 3 pairs for 50c.

These and many more bargains will be offered. Trade early.

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by no means unusual with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine has given health to suffering children, even when health seemed impossible. The secret of its success is that it purifles, vitalizes and enriches the blood.

"I wish to tell of a wonderful cure effected by Hood's Sarsaparills Five years ago my little boy was suddenly seized with a severe lameness, apparently in his right knee, which some phycicians said was rheumatism, while others said it was hip disease and that it was

During the next winter and spring he became rapidly worse. We took Jimmle to a specialist, who said it was hip disease. At this time the affliction became so severe that we could not move him without causing screams of agony. He became reduced in weight to 30 pounds, and was but a shadow of his former self. We had about given up hope when we read of a cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla of a similar case. We resolved to try this medicine. Jimmie was decidedly improved after taking the first bottle. He was even

after the second. We have since used over a dozen bottles of the medicine, and the change has exceeded our expectations. James is now able to walk without the aid of crutches and goes to school every day. He has been wonderfully cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. O. RUNDELL, Oakley, Michigan.

Druggist C. C. Tubbs says he knows the Rundell boy has been wonderfully

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by Hood's Sarsaparilla and that Lir. Rundell is thoroughly reliable. He has a good sale of Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, both of which are giving perfect satisfaction. He says Hood's Pills seem to be the coming family cathartic.

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A Batch of News from the Base ball Field.

Maple Leafs After Carney-International Lawn Tennis-Crawford Challenged to Box.

LAWN TENNIS.

INTERNATIONAL GAMES. New Haven, March 26.—The official list of tournament dates for the season was announced today by the United States Na-tional Lawn Tennis Association, Among the dates are the following: July 6, Niagara, Canada, invitation tournament; July 13, Buffalo, invitation tournament; July 20, Elmira, invitation tournament; August 3, Rochester, open tournament, and Sept. 7, Sleepy Hollow, Tarrytown, N. Y., club, open tournament. On August 25 an international tournament will be given at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Canada.

LACROSSE. THE BEAVERS OF SEAFORTH. Seaforth, Ont., March 26.—The Beaver Lacrosse Club held their annual meeting last night. The following officers for the current year were elected: Honorary president, Dr. C. Mackay; honorary vice-president, John Smith; president, R. C. Chessweight; captain, T. Johnston; secretary-treasurer, W. H. Willis; committee of management, P. Mulcahy, J. Bell, W. Payne and J. Boyd. The Beavers will support the candidature of H. O'Loughlan, of St. Catharines, for president of the C. L. A. BASEBALL.

Sunday ball will be played in Buffalo, Providence, Rochester and Syracuse the coming season. Clymer, the speedy outfielder of the

Buffalo Club, has not yet come to terms with the Bison City management. Old Man Anson is so badly disgusted with this spring's crop of young blood that he is thinking seriously of ridding himself of all of them. They have made a miserable showing in

Washington people expect great things of Eugene De Montreville, the

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The young player lives in Washington, the Canadian champion, at which Gallagher played Sutton at odds of 600 to 450, for \$1,000 a side and the

to keep in form.

Breitenstein, of St. Louis, pitched in in a majority of games in two series last season. He pitched in eight games against the Baltimores, winning five, and in seven games against the New Yorks, winning but one. He won four games out of six from the Philadel-

Jack Glasscock, with St. Paul this season, has been working in a Pittsburg gymnasium during a greater por-tion of the winter. He claims to be far from a back number.

Manager Kuntzsch, of Syracuse, predicts that Providence, Rochester, To-ronto and Syracuse will finish in the first division in the Eastern League

Ex-President Harrison was an en-thusiastic lover of baseball and frequently attended games at National Park. He understood the game in all its fine points, and would criticise a bay play or appland a good one as ve-

hemently as a crank.

Gen. Lew Wallace will sacrifice any social pleasure to attend a ball game. He goes from Crawfordsville, Ind., his home, to Indianapolis, a distance of about 50 miles, to witness a battle of

the ball-tossers.

Payne, the Toronto pitcher, who deals in curves of the southpaw varlety, has made a gallery hit with the Brooklyns. Playing with the colts against the regulars he struck out three men, and in conjunction with Pitcher Kennedy kept the veterans

down to seven hits. Buffalo has got quite a string of pitchers on the list, and the majority of them apparently will never be missed-by the organizations that they have been secured from. Roach, of Detroit and other Western League teams, has been signed to pitch the coming sea-

Pittsburg paid \$3,000 for Pitcher Menafee last year. He won five games for them during the season, and as he seems to have contracted the ailment popularly known as the "glass arm" he has been released. Mr. Menafee was certainly high-priced "goods" at

\$600 a game. The Maple Leafs of Guelph are making an effort to secure the services of Pitcher Michael Carney, of this city. Ub'quitous "Daddy" Downs, who has played with the Maple Leafs of Guelph and the Port Huron team, has signed there on the 15th of next month, leav- sel for the defense, argued that the ing Toronto on the 9th. It was reported that Downs had signed with Guelph, but he thinks that he will have a better thing of it down in the Pa- of 1894, while Mr. Nicholis was not cific League.

The recently published averages of the pitchers demonstrated that there has been a change for the better as far as batting is concerned. Young, of Cleveland, is ranked as being the best age of 1.71 earned runs made off his ordered to be taken out by the London Against a Sixteen-Year-Old Lindpitching. This is better than Rusie's record in the previous year. Hawley to Mr. Laing for another examination, and Breitenstein were the only men His second report has been received, gave 1.65 bases on balls to the game, Clark (New York) 1.76, and Nichols 1.87.

bicycle, are the following notable ones: saddle, being invisible from the out- impressed with the idea that the best A leather tool box to fit under the side, and closed with a spring lock.

A wheel with exchangeable spok A bicycle tire made of leather, without a seam, joined by splitting and cementing together the joints. The fastening of handles without ce-

ing, which is further expanded by the his own expense. introduction of a screw. around a small rubber center tube,

tion, or while standing in a room. An elastic tire for wheels, consisting of a mixture of soft rubber and cork,

covered by braided leather straps. being carved to suit individual taste. An attachment to a bicycle to turn owing me." it into an ice-sailing wheel, consisting of two slides joined to the frame, and a belt supplied with spikes, to be strapped over the rear wheel.

POLICE BICYCLES. Whether our bicycle policemen use pneumatic saddles or metallic toe clips, scorchers' hanule bars or rat-trap pedals, or whether they have developed a knee and ankle motion to be surpassed in effect by wings only, the celerity with which they emerge from where they were and arrive elsewhere, where they would be, is very striking. Nine prisoners were arraigned in the Yorkville police court on Sunday as the result of the bicycle squad's efforts. Five of them had undertaken to scorch away from the officers, two counted on the superior racing ability of their horses, and the other two took to their One of the last class was trying to cross the street when his pursuer took a flying leap from his wheel and grabbed him by the collar. The fugitive was completely exhausted from the chase, while the officer was just limbering up. The last few weeks have thoroughly demonstrated the usefulness of the cycling bluecoat, and fugitive wheelmen, reckless drivers and fleetfooted pedestrians may as well save their wind when they see him coming for them.—New York Sun.

CYCLING TRAFFIC NOT DANGER-

London News: It was only to be expected that the enormous increase in the number of cyclists which has taken place in recent years, joined with the introduction of the fast and noiseless pneumatic, should lead to some inpneumatic, should lead to some increase in the number of fatal cycle accidents. But that these were still maintained at a very moderate figure in 1894 is shown, by the statistics in the Registrar-General's report for that year. The total number of fatal ac-cidents in England and Wales attributed to fiding upon cycles and being ridden upon by them (for the returns

make no distinction) was thirty.

"A perfect holocaust!" exclaims the district councilor, who has just voted for taxing cycles and regulating their speed down to six miles an hour. But et them wait a moment. In the same tear perambulators killed 4 persons, vraction engines and steam rollers 15, ram cars 55, other road vehicles 1,166, and horses alone 252; total, 1,492. Thus of all the fatal road accidents cycles were responsible for less than one in f fty, and he would be a bold man who chould venture to contend that cycle traffic was in 1894 less than one-fiftieth of the whole road traffic.

SPOKES. Secretary H. B. Donly says that it yould be a great injury to cycling if the Quebec votes were thrown out on

a technicality. The Ottawa club will be represented by T. A. Beament at the annual meet-ing. He has been instructed to vote for Quebec for the meet.

BILLIARDS. THE CANADIAN DEFEATED, heas City, Mo., March 28.—The H-balk line billiand match beforest

gate receipts, resulted in a victory for

Gallagher, the score being 600 to 313. ATHLETICS. CHALLENGE TO CRAWFORD. The following has been sent to the the sporting editor of the Toronto Mail

and Empire: Sir,-Seeing by a dispatch from Hamilton in your columns that Jack Crawford is willing to meet me on any stage in Canada, I hereby challenge him to a sparring match for any number of rounds he names, for any amount he wants from \$100 upwards, at any place he wants, and at any time he wants. As a further inducement to Mr. Crawford, I will give him \$25 if he stays six rounds, Now, let us see whether he is bluffing or means business. I am ready to meet him or his representatives at any time or place he names, and put up deposit, and sign

This offere is open to anyone in Canada, not over 150 pounds. Yours, etc., ARTHUR SCHRAM. Toronto, March 25.

That Ex-Treasurer Nicholls Is Said to Owe London West.

At First It Was \$908-New Turn of Affairs in the Long Standing Tangle-The Suit Against Mr. Nicholls May Drop.

A new turn of affairs has just taken place in the case of London West vs. Nicholls, brought by the village to recover \$908 of the corporation money, which, it was claimed, the ex-treasurer had in his possession when he was dismissed from office.

The suit was originally instituted on the strength of a special audit of the books, made by Mr. J. B. Laing, a Government auditor, of Toronto. When it came for trial at the Middlesex Winter Assizes, Mr. J. H. Fraser, counaudit was wrong. He called particular attention to one item of \$1,400, charged against Mr. Nicholls on the tax roll village treasurer that year. Chief Justice Armour, who was on the bench, referred the matter to the local master in Chancery, to examine the ac-counts and fix the amount due the

village. to Mr. Laing for another examination. who pitched in more than 50 games. and it contains the somewhat unex-Rusic averaged 4.65 strike-outs to a pected information that instead of \$908, game, Young 3.75, McGill 3.69. Young Mr. Nicholls on 7 owes the village \$99. And now the London West councilors are wondering what is the best thing it would be shown that the village owes Mr. Nicholls, while others are thing to do is to leave good enough

alone. At a council meeting on Tuesday night, Deputy Reeve Moore moved that the reference be taken, and that Mr. Laing be requested to have his secment, by a wedge driven into the tub- ond report certified to as correct, at

In amendment Councilor Duff moved A tire made of elastic felt, rolled up that the council be guided by the village solicitor.

Councilor Collins voted with the de-A folding cover of oilcloth for the cycle, to protect it during transporta- with Mr.Duff, and Leeve Saunby broke the tie by going with Mr. Duff. A few hot words ensued, and the

meeting broke up. Mr. Nicholls is quite delighted with A handle bar for wheels made of one the turn affairs have taken. "If it piece of bent hardwood, the handles keeps on in this way," he said to the "the village will be "Advertiser."

# WADE OWEN IS DEAD.

And the City Hall Flag Hangs at Half Mast.

The Oldest Continuous City Hall Official, and a Faithful Worker for a Quarter of a Century.

The City Hall flag is flying at halfmast today out of respect for the memory of Wade Owen, who died at his home on the corner of William street and Princess avenue at 1 a.m. Mr. Owen was for a quarter of a century street commissioner, and was a familiar figure about the City Hall building. Although 56 years of age when he began his civic duties he was at the time of his death the oldest official to be continuously employed about the hall. And everybody who knows anything about his duties unite in saying that in Wade Owen the city of London had a most faithful employe, and one who did his work conscientiously up to the very last. The duties of street commissioner are onerous. That officer has to be out in ail kinds of weather, and the stormier the season the more reason for him to be about and doing. It is his duty also to keep track of all the city laborers and act as general superintendent of all street works. Although 81 years of age at the time of his death, Mr. Owen was at his office a week ago Wednesday, busily engaged in compiling the weekly pay roll. He took ill that day, his system quickly broke up under his sickness, and the end came as already stated.

L. Wade Owen was born in the State of Maine, and came to London when yet a young man. He was a contractor and bridge builder, and built nearly all the old wooden bridges across the Thames at London-namely, Kensington, Westminster, Blackfriars, and Adelaide street (north branch). He also engaged in bridge building in the Parry Sound district and helped to shingle the City Hall and the old central fire

station. Deceased served as councilman from the old sixth ward continuously from 1858 to 1866 and was one of the oldest members of St. John's Masonic Lodge, 209a. He was a consistent member of the Memorial Church. Mr. Owen married Miss Mary Ann Christie, city, and widow and six children survive. The latter are: Harry, Manitoba; Wade and Frank, Chicago; Mrs. Wm. Ward, Mrs. W. T. Hodgins and Mrs. T. N. Green, city. The funeral will take place on Saturday, and will be attended by the Board of Aldermen

and city officials. Italian Cream, the new toilet letion, price

With Reference to Time Limit in the Sewerage Bill.

Communication From Manager Carr Re Electric Street Sprinkling\_Sent to No. 8 Committee.

A special meeting of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon in the mayor's office. Ald. Armstrong (acting mayor) presided, and the aldermen present were Ald. Chas. Taylor, J. Pritchard, J. Heaman, Stephen O'Meara, A. B. Powell, Hugh M. Douglass, R. A. Carrothers, Wm. Skinner, Wm. Heaman, Neil Cooper, Joshua Garratt, Henry Dreaney, Robt. W. Bennet, John Nutkins, J. W. McCallum and John Marshall.

Acting Mayor Armstrong explained that the object of the meeting was to decide whether or not the clause in the sewerage portion of the City of London bill, providing for the taking of a vote of the people on the sewerage matter within three months of the passing of the bill, should be eliminated. It was pointed out that to take a hurried vote, before the people fully understood the matter, might be the cause of its defeat, whereas if the question was thoroughly discussed first there would be more likelihood of a rational expression of opinion when the vote was taken.

It was then moved by Ald. Skinner, seconded by Ald. Garratt, that the clause be struck out, on the understanding that the vote of the people be taken before any sewerage system

was adopted. It is understood that the question will not now be submitted to the people until January, 1897.

Manager Carr, of the Street Railway Company, wrote stating that if they were awarded the contract of sprinkling the city streets on the basis of last year's offer (\$240 a mile) they would be prepared to begin work within six weeks at least. The communication was referred to

No. 3 committee. The Street Railway Company desire to sprinkle not less than seven miles of street, and the city, when negotia-tiations ended, was not prepared to make a definite arrangement of that kind. And there the matter rests at present.

### VERDICT OF MURDER

Is He Insane ?-The Father Recovering.

Lindsay, March 26.-A coroner's jury Among the new patents recently taken out in Germany, which are directly or indirectly connected with the rectly or indirectly connected with the blevels are the following notable ones: murder. The case has excited the greatest interest here, and at the inquest, which has been continued since one. KEENE BROS., 127 King street,

Bridger whelt less a mass of evidence one. KEENE BROS., 127 King street,

The designs are elegant, coloring all name. Bedfooth sets, spring steets, fancy rockers, tables, chairs, stoves, and general house furnishing. 593 to Friday night last, a mass of evidence has been taken. A brother, Patrick Carney, is under arrest as accessory to the murder, but the verdict does no implicate him in any way.
TALK OF INSANITY.

There is a good deal of talk down here about John Carney, who is charged with the murder, not being in his right mind, and stories are circulated to the effect that his treatment of animals has been of the most cruel description, that he always took a delight in torturing them, and that his general mode of living shows that the boy is not responsible for his actions. Other stories are that the boy would never stay at home at night when he could get out, that he would sooner sleep in a barn or anywhere than at home. Then, again, he had been several times accused of theft or attempted theft. These are the points that those who favor the idea of insanity profess to go on. The Logie boys, with whom John Carney worked, state, however, that Carney was very kind to animals. Certainly John Carney has taken his arrest very callously, although Patrick, his brother, frets very much. James Carney, the father of the two prisoners, who had gone out of his senses over the affair, has recovered his sanity, and Dr. Lynch, who has been attending him, pronounces him out of danger.

# RESCUED FROM INSANITY.

Gentlemen,-To say all that I ought to in favor of B. B. B. would be impossible. It has been a great health restorer to me, and I do swear by it. I am a different man to what I was ten years ago, when it was expected I would be in the asylum, but now I am in perfect robust health, and it was the B. B. B. that did it. I suffered for five or six years from constipation, sometimes so severely that I went out

of my mind. I tried various doctors, both in the country and in the city, and took medicines too numerous to mention, but everything failed to have the desired effect. When I used Burdock Blood Bitters it succeeded beyond all expectations, requiring only two bottles to cure me. To make it still more certain that B. B. B. is the real cure for constipation, I may say that some two years afterwards I felt the symptoms returning, and took one bottle more, and from that time to this present day over eight years) I have never had any return of the disease.

I never knew any medicine to work so well. It does not seem to be a mere reliever, but a sure and certain cure, as I can testify to, for hundreds' dollars' worth of medicine and advice failed to do me any good, but three dollars' worth of B. B. made a permanent cure that has given me health and comfort. Yours truly, C. L. KILMER, Toronto.

SPRING IN CHINA, ANYWAY. The following paragraph from a recent Tien Tsin paper describes a curious custom that prevails in China: "On Tuesday last, being the spring solstice, the local mandarins went out in state in the early hours 'to meet the incoming spring,' which is supposed to come by way of the south gate. The official cortege went as far as the temple 'dedicated to the reception of spring,' after the usual obeisance before the improvised image of the I'Aisui (presiding god of the year), appointed by the Great Pearl Emperor (God of heaven), the mandarins returned to their yamen, bringing back the 'spring of 1896' with them."

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THE WEATHER TODAY. Fair; lower temperature.

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Our Millinery Parlors a scene of elaborate grandeur. Such an array of attractions never before brought under one roof in London. Everything that can make Easter buying pleasant and profitable will be found at our establishment, for the reason that each and every department will present bargains-real bargainswithout number in all that is choicest, rarest, newest and most desirable.

### MILLINERY MATTERS.

A most unique display of the latest styles in headwear fashions from Paris, London and New York, as faith in their own judgment, who have a beautiful thing bear the white pony from the poet. they are sure of their own good write: taste, can easily save half of the cost by buying one of our own make.

Come and see us on opening days -Wednesday, Thursday and Fri-

# SMALLMAN & INGRAM

149-151 Dundas St.

A Good Thing. Push It Along.-The baby cabs that we unpacked yesterday has decided that James Agnew, who are on sample today, and are the adwas shot down on Tuesday, March 17, miration of all. They are so beautiful opposite market house.

A FATAL FALL Ansonia, Conn., March 26.-Fire ly this morning practically destroyed Germania Hall, a brick block, on Maple street. The janitor, Henry Orben, fell from an upper landing, head foremost, and was fatally injured. The

loss is estimated at about \$20,000. LADY ABERDEEN'S CUP. An order has just been placed with a prominent Dublin firm of silversmiths by the Countess of Aberdeen for the manufacture of a silver bowl of quaint design. The bowl is to bear the following inscription:

The halesome parritch, chief of Scotia's food, And buirdly chiels and clever hissies Are bred in sic a way as this.

MRS. BEHRENS IS FREE. Chicago, March 26.-Charlotte Huhn known on the stage as Charlotte Behrens, the leading lady in Robert Mantell's company, obtained a divorce from her husband, Edward E. Huhn, in Judge Tuley's court yesterday. Mr. Mantell appeared as a witness on her behalf. He testified that Mrs. Huhn had been with his company for six years, and that during that time she had supported herself.

The London Carlton Club has about 4,000 members, and is the richest in the world.

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

edy to do me any good." There are 5,883 models of different kinds of steam boilers in the United

States patent office. Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What is has done once it will do again.

John Usher, who died the other day well as artistic productions of our in Scotland, was a protege of Sir Wal-own workrooms. Ladies who have ter Scott in his youth. He was fond or telling that on one occasion, when a boy, he sat on Sir Walter's knee and know a tasteful article when they see it, and who do not require to

DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION .stamp of a foreign maker before C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., write: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parmelee's Pills than any other Pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parmelee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe headache, but these pills have cured her."

No great characters are formed in this world without suffering and self-denial.—Matthew Henry. Suez Canal's annual profits: \$8.000,-

# Windsor Salt, Purest and Best.

The James F. Hunt & Sons' hair mattress and feather bed cleaning factory. Manufacturers of new mattresses and goose feather pillows; a good variety on hand. Bedroom sets, spring beds,

# WOODS' FAIR

London's Department Store.

# Gigantie Pieture Sale NOW GOING ON.

A large number of Beautiful Pictures to be sold at prices that will astonish you.

# BIRD CAGES

Get a home for your bird; this is the season of the year you should throw away your old Cage and buy a nice new one for your bird to live in. We can sell you cages cheaper than you ever bought them. We have a few of odd lines left which we will sell you at a great sacrifice. Call early and secure one, or you will be too late; this golden opportunity will be gone. Will quote below a number of kinds as follows:

Round Japanued Cage, complete, 35c. Round Japanned Cage, formerly sold at 89c, now 50c.

Round Japanned Cage, formerly sold at Round Japanned Cage, formerly sold at \$1 25, now 75c.

Square Japanned Cage, formerly sold at Square Japanned Cage, formerly sold at

Square Japanned Cage, formerly sold at Round Brass Cage, formerly sold at \$1 89,

Square Brass Cage, formerly sold at \$1 59, Square Brass Cage, formerly sold at \$1 25,

Square Brass Cage, formerly sold at \$2,

Magnificent Steel Engraving, with gilt and white enameled frames, 24x30, glass fronts, a great number of different styles to select from; would be specially cheap at \$2, selling now for 75c. Another line of Handsome Pastel Scenery Pictures, long shapes, 17½x31; square shapes, 22½x26½; these have pink, blue and white tinted frames, tipped with gilt; worth \$2 50; now selling at \$1 each. Larger size, 27x32, worth \$3; during this sale, \$1 50.

We have just received a fine assortment of Mahogany and Antique Oak Goods, comprising Jardiniere Stands, Screens, Hat Racks, Towel Rollers, Towel Rings, etc. also Bamboo Tables and Stands. Call and see these goods and be assured that our prices are right.

# GLASSWARE\_

We have just opened up for spring trade a splendid assortment of new cut glassware. Tea Sets, Fruit Sets, Pickle Dishes, Tumblers, Goblets, etc. These goods are very prettily designed and are of good clear crystal. If you require anything in this line we can suit you perfectly.

# TINWARE—

Sap Pails are reduced still lower than ever; can sell you the large size, straight and flaring for 6c each; also the straight covered sap pail, formerly sold at 9c, reduced to 6c. Tin Gravy Strainers, with handle, worth 5c and 7c, now 5c and 3c. Children's Mugs, a little damaged, only 1c each. Six-quart Flaring Pails, with wood handle, worth 10c, now 6c; 10-quart Flaring Pails, worth 15c, now 8c; 14 quart Flaring Pails, worth 20c, now 10c.

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# Carpet Sweepers ! arrive, North Bay, at 79c, with 78 1-2c

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# Commerce and Finance.

Toronto Stock Market.

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TORONTO,		Of
Montreal	Ask.	218
Ontario.	80	410
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Toronto	.241	238
Merchants	168	164
Commerce	138	13
Imperial	185	183
Dominion	241	239
Standard	164	16.
Hamilton	$154\frac{1}{2}$	153
British America	.118	118
Western Assurance	162	161
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Consumers Gas	199	124
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Bell Telephone Company	1571	156
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Dominion Savings and Investment.	80	76
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Montreal Gas Company	2013
Bell Telephone, xd	156
Royal Electric	118
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Bank of Montreal	218
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Quebec Bank	119
Union Bank	
Bank of Commerce	134
Northwest Land. pref	
Montreal Cotton Company 1281	125
Canada Colored Cotton	55
Dominion Cotton	
Postal Telegraph 87	86
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# COMMERCIAL

Local Market.
(Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.)
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London, Thursday, March 26.
Wheat, per bu
Oats, per bushel23c to 24c
Peas, per bu
Barley, per bu32c to 35c
Corn, per bu45c to 50c
Receipts were very light today, ow-

ing to bad roads and weather. Only a few loads of oats and wheat offering. No change in prices. One load of corn sold for 75c per cwt Pork was the same as tabular price. Butter scarce and firm. Eggs in good supply and easier.

Quotations

GRAIN,			
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	1 25	to	1 30
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 25	to	1 30
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs.	1 25	to	1 30
Oats, per 100 lbs	70	to	72
Peas, per 100 lbs	83	to	90
Corn. per 100 lbs	70	to	75
Barley, per 100 lbs	65	to	70
Rye. per 100 lbs	70	to	80
Beans, bu	50	to	60
Backwheat. per 100 lbs	60	to	65
VEGETABLES AND FRU			00
Apples, per bag	80	to	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	20	to	30
Carrots. per bu	20	to	30
Turnips, per bu	15	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	30	to	35
Unions, per bu	35	to	50
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, single dozen	13	to	14
Higgs fresh, basket, per doz	11	to	12
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz.	10	to	11
Butter, single rolls per lb	20	to	22
Butter, per lb, I lb rolls, baskets.	18	to	20
Butter, per lb, large rolls or			-0
orocks	15	to	17
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	10	to	17
Lard, per lb	9	to	9
Ducks, per pair	60	to	80
Chickens, per pair 3	40	to	60
Turkeys, per lb, 71c to 9c; each	75	to	
HAY AND SEED	1.0	00	1 50
Hay, per ton1	3 00	to	14 50
Straw, per load	5 00	to	7 60
Clover seed, red per bu	0 00	to	000
Timothyseed, per bu	000	to	0 00
Millet seed, per bu	03	to	0 60
Honey	12	to	13
Cheese, par lb	9	to	10
MEAT. HIDES, ETC.		-	10
Beef, quarters, per 19	34	to	51
Mutten qua ters. per lo	5	to	
Veal, quarters, per lb	1	to	6
Lamb, quarter	7	to	5
Dressed hogs, 100 1b	4 50	to	5 0
Calfskins, dry, each	25	to	5 60
Sheepskins, each	50	to	25
Lambshins, each	65	to	63
Wool, per lb.	20	to	65
Tallow, rendered, per lb	4	to	25
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	to	4
Clover seed. Alsike, per bu	000	to	0 00
Hides, No. 1, per th	5	to	0 00

# -DEALERS IN-

Flour, Breakfast Cereals, Feed, Salt, Land Plaster, Etc. 183 TALBOT STREET - PHONE 683

Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, March 26 .- Wheat-The offerings are fair, the demand is rather slow, and the market is easy; cars of red and white sold on the G.T.R. west today at 74c; some millers are only bidding 73c outside. Manitoba wheat is steady; holders of No. 1 hard are asking 82c, grinding in transit, and 81c. North Bay, on spot; on 'Change today No. 2 fall was offered outside at 75c, with 72c bid; cars of No. 1 hard sold track, Owen Sound, at 74c; No. 2 ard was offered at 66 1-2c, Midland, May; No. 3 hard was offered, Mid-land, at 66c; No. 1 hard was offered to

Flour-The market is dull and easier; a car of choice straight roller sold, Toronto freights, today, at \$3 42; on 'Change today three cars of straight roller sold, Montreal, at \$3 50. Millfeed is dull; cars of shorts are quoted at \$11 50 to \$12 50, and bran

at \$11 west. Barley is dull and nominal; No. 1 is quoted at 41c to 42c; fancy at 42c to 44c, and No. 2 at 38c to 39c, outside; on 'Change today one car of feed barley sold west at 29c and one at

Buckwheat is dull and nominal at 31c for cars on the Midland. Rye is quiet; cars outside are quoted at 43c to 44c.

Corn is quiet and easy; on 'Change today yellow corn was offered outside on a 10c freight to Toronto, at 32c, and mixed was offered outside at 31 1-2c; it was offered on track, Toronto, at 38c, May, with 37c bid. Oats are dull and easy; a car of white sold on the G. T. R. west today at 22c; on 'Change today oats were cffered on the west at 22c, with 21 3-4c bid; white were offered outside at, G. T. R. west, at 22 1-4c; white were offered on the Midland at 23c, and mixed at 22 1-2c, with 22c bid. Peas are quiet; cars sold, north and

west today, at 49c. Latest Montreal Markets. Montreal. Que. March 26—2:30 p.m. GRAINS AND FLOUR. Oats—In store, Ontario, 29c; Manitoba. 284c to

Feed Barley-38c to 39c.

Buckwheat—40c,
Peas—58c to 59c.
Flour—Manitoba strong bakers, \$4; spring wheat patents. \$4 25; winter patents, \$4 to \$4 10; straight roller, \$4 35 to \$4 40.
Feed—Bran, \$14 to \$15; shorts, \$15 to \$16.
PROVISIONS.
Canadian short cut, clear, \$13 50 to \$14.
Hams—9c to 10c.
Bacon—9c to 10c.
Lard—Pure, 8c; compound, 64c.

Lard-Pure, 8c; compound, 64c. CHEESE.

CHEESE.
Cheese—Fall, 83c.
Butter—Creamery, 21c to 22c; townships, 18

English Markets.

Wheat—Spot dull, demand poor; futures dull and unchanged.

Corn—Spot dull; ures dull and unchanged. Bacon—Steady and demand poor: Cumberland cut. 28 to 30 lbs, 29s; short ribs, 28 lbs, 28s 6d; long clear light, 38 to 45 lbs, 26s 6d; long clear heavy, 55 lbs, stocks exhausted; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 27s; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs, 26s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 25s 6d.

Shoulders-Square, 12 to 18 lbs 24s 6d. Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs. 39s.
Tallow—Fine North American. 20s 6d.
Beef—Extra India mess. 66s 3d; prime mess,
52s 6d. Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 50s; do

Lard—Dull; prime western. 26s 6d; refined, in pails, 27s 6d. Cheese—Quiet; demand poor; finest American white, 42s; finest American colored, 42s.
Butter—Finest United States, 80s; good 50s.

Turpentine spirits—W8 3d.
Rosin—Common, 4s 9d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 16s 9d.
Linseed oil—19s 9d. Linseed oil-19s 9d. Refrigerator beef-Fore quarter, 25d; hind Bleaching powder-Hardwood, f. o. b., Liv-Hops-At London (Pacific coast). £1 15s.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.) London, March 26—12:45 p.m.
Cargoes off coast—Wheat and corn quiet.
Cargoes on passage—Wheat nominally unchanged; corn quiet but steady.
Country markets—English quiet but steady!

Thursday's Oil Markets. PETROLEA.
Petrolea, March 26.—Oil opened and closed at

American Produce Markets. American Froduce Markets.

New York, March 26.

New York, March 26.

Flour—Receipts, 14,000 bbls; sales, 4,000 packages; state and western quiet.

Wheat—Receipts. none; sales, 575,000 bu; opened easier on disappointing cables: rallied later on covering, and sympathy with Chicago; May, 69½c to 69 11-16c; July, 69½c to 69½c.

Corn—Receipts, 34,100 bu; sales, 30,000 bu; quiet; July, 36%c.

Oats—Receipts, 121,300 bu; sales none; track, white state and western, 24c to 28c.

white state and western, 24c to 28c, Beef-Quiet; family, 310 to 312. Pork-Quiet; mess, \$9 50 to \$10. Lard-Quiet; prime western steam, \$5 Butter - Receipts, 2,706 packages: steady;

State dairy. He to 20c; western creamery, 13c to 22c: Elgins, 22c. to 22c: Elgins. 22c.
Cheese — Receipts, 1,178 packages; steady;
State large, 6c to 104c: small, 6c to 104c.
Eggs—Receipts, 11,293 packages; quiet: State
and Pennsylvania, 12c; western, 1140 to 114c.
Sugar—Quiet.
Coffee—Quiet; No. 7, 134c.
Talow—Market quiet; city hogsheads, 3 11-16c
to 34c; country, 3 13-16c to 34c.
Hops—Quiet.
Lead Quiet: Ibullion. \$3: exchange. \$3 14

Lead Quiet; bullion, \$3; exchange, \$3 18

DETROIT.

Detroit, March 26.—No. 1 white wheat, cash, 70½c; No. 2 red, cash, 69c; May, 70½c; July, 66¾c. TOLEDO. Toledo, March 26 .- Wheat-Cash, 70c; May,

70gc; July, 664c. Corn—May, 29gc. Corn-May, 201c. Oats-May, 201c. MILWAUKEE. Milwaukee, March 26. - Wheat, cash, 5950;

BUFFALO. Buffalo, March 26. – Spring wheat – Firm; No I hard, 71sc; No. 1 northern, 70sc; No. 2 northern, 75sc. Winter wheat—Dull; No. 2 red, northern, 75c. Winter wheat—Dull; No. 2 red, 74c; No. 1 white, 77c. Corn—Weak; No. 2 yellow, 34c; No. 3 yellow, 34c: No. 2 corn, 333c to 333c.
Oats—Weak; No. 2 white, 24c; No. 3 white, 24c to 23c; No. 2 mixed, 23c; No. 3 mixed, 21c

to 22c.

Chicago, March 25.—Bradstreet's report on the visible supply induced considerable buying in the wheat market today, and an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$ e for May and \$\frac{1}{2}\$ for cash resulted. Corn was \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c higher for May, and \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c for cash. Oats were unchanged for May and cash \$\frac{1}{2}\$ c higher. Provisions were steady.

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Provisions were steady.
The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat—No. 2 March, 61½c; May, 63c; July, Corn-No. 2 March, 281c; May, 291c; July, 30½c; Sept., 31½c to 31½c. Oats-No. 2 May, 19½c; July, 19½c to 20c; Sept.,

Oats—No. 2 May, \$3.0; 3 my, 1940 to 200 201c to 201c. Mess pork—May, \$8 221; July, \$9. Lard—May, \$5 171; July, \$5 321. Short ribs—May, \$4 75; July, \$4 85. Cash quotations were as follows: steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 60% to 61%; No. 2 red, 64% to 65%; No. 2 corn, 28% to 28%; No. 2 oats, 18%; No. 2 rye, 35%; No. 2 barley, 35c; 2 dats, 181c; No. 2 rye, 534c; No. 2 datiey, 55c, No. 1 flax, 90c; prime timothy, \$3 32½; mess pork, \$8 70 to \$8 75; hard, \$5 65; short ribs sides, \$4 65 to \$4 70; dry salted shoulders. \$4 50 to \$4 62½; short clear sides, \$4 62½ to \$4 75.

Receipts-Flour. 7,000 Wheat. 38,000
Corn. 401,000 Oats. 591,000
Rve. 12,000 Barley. 71,000
Shipments— Flour..... Corn. 91,990 Oats. 256,000 Rye. 4,000 Barley 36,000 Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
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Onicago March 26.

Open, High, Low. Close,

Wheat-May ... 621 Corn-May.... July 308 Oats—May 194 July 195 Pork—May 8 85 5 15 5 30 Lard-Nay ..... July ..... Ribs-May .... 4 75 July .... 4 85 4 72 4 82 4 75 4 87 Live Stock Markets.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Que., March 24.—There have been no new features in live stock circles during the

America were for sale at Deptford, which made from 5½c to 5½c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 25.—Hogs—Receipts, 33,000; generally 10c lower, excepting light hogs; light, \$3 80 to \$4 10; mixed. \$5 70 to \$3 85; heavy, \$5 60 to \$3 82½; rough, \$3 60 to to \$3 70.

Cattle—Receipts, 17,000, heavy grades 10c lower; others steady; beeves, \$3 40 to \$4 40; cows and heifers, \$1 50 to \$3 80; Texans \$3 to \$4; stockers and feeders, \$2 75 to \$3 85.

Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; steady.

# Physicians' **Prescriptions**

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# LOCAL BREVITIES.

-The Children's Aid Society placed out two children this week. -Miss Noll, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. H. Lang, of Berlin. -Mrs. C. E. Buller, of Thamesville, is on a visit to Mrs. C. B. Lewis, of this city.

-Mrs. Vanderlinder, of Petrolea, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Hunter, Askin street.

-Mrs. Charlton, nee Elliott, has re turned to her home in Montreal, after visiting relatives in this city. -Mr. Smallman, of Smallman & Ingram, returned today from a purchas-

ing trip to the British markets. -Mrs. Geary has returned to her home in Innisfail, Alberta, after visiting her mother, Mrs. Taylor, city. -Mr. Geo. Moncrieff, M. P. for East Lambton, was in the city for a short time last evening on his way to Ot-

tawa. -The Bishop of Huron was at Windsor last night holding service there. Tonight he will be at Christ Church in this city.

-Mr. T. R. Parker delivered a very interesting address on Children's Aid Society work at Knox Church, South London, last night. -Miss Carrie Coombs, of this city, is seriously ill in Chicago, at the home

of her sister, Mrs. D. A. Sullivan, 2,423 Gladys avenue, Chicago. -Naughty boys near the Simcoe street school set off some firecrackers on Tuesday. The noise caused a horse belonging to Mr. Robert Heaman, milk-

man, to run away, upsetting the wagon and spilling all the milk. -Miss Helen McCall has notified the police that a quantity of books were stolen from the school house on con. 5 of Westminster, of which she is teacher. She will come to the city to prosecute Wilson Evans, the tramp arrested the other day by Detective Rider while

offering the books for sale. -A dispatch from Glencoe says that George Dobie, the private banker of that place who suspended payment recently, has made a compromise with his creditors at 50 cents on the dollar. A meeting was held yesterday afternoon, when the deed of composition was signed by all the depositors pres-Mr. Doble will at once resume business.

-W. H. C. Coles was yesterday sent for trial by Squire Lacey on a charge of stealing an overcoat, vest and pair of trousers from Archie Brown, a farmer living about ment will be inserted in the part reone mile north of Belmont. This morning he elected trial by judge, pleaded not guilty and was remanded until Tuesday by Judge Wm. Elliot.

-Among the building permits issued this week are: John Mason, to build a two-story brick veneer residence on the west side of Wellington street (No. 117). to cost \$1,500; Sir Frank Smith, for \$1,-800 worth of repairs to Bradford Hodgins' store; George Terry, a \$900 house at 354 Lyle street; and George Jeffrey, a two-story brick veneer house at 137 St. James street. -Four more street cars, looking spick

and span, in their fresh coats of paint, are being unloaded at the Grand Trunk on Richmond street. The new cars afford a comparison to those in use by showing how the wind and weather tend to soften the glaring colors, and make the combination of lemon and bright yellow bearable. -A peculiar runaway accident happened on the York street hill yesterday. A man and woman were driving past Daly's wood yard with a team. when one horse kicked over the traces and swung around in front of the other. Then they both ran into the fence, which gave way, and permitted down a short embankment. The tongue broke, and liberated the animals, who ran around the yard. The man and woman were unhurt, and retained their seats during the excitement.

-A horse belonging to Mr. M. Shea took fright on the Market Square about 11 o'clock this morning, and, heade1 for Dundas street, via the Market Lane. The wagon was tossed against a pole. and a wheel taken off near the corner of the lane and Dundas street, and with the rig half upset, the horse continued to Wellington street, where it was captured. A nag attached to a milk wagon caught the runaway fever from Shea's horse, and bolted down Clarence street, to King, and thence westward. The milk was considerably

no new features in live stock circles during the past week, export business having continued as dull as ever, and shippers at the present time show very little inclination to do any business for spring in the face of such discouraging news from abroad, and ne fact that those who are interested in shipments that have gone forward via St. John, N. B., and Portland stand to lose with the markets in their present state £1 to £2 per head. The steemship Concordia sails this week from St. John, N. B., fr Glasgow, with 345 head of American cattle and 1.600 sheep. The cattle are using shipper by J. A. Hathaway, and the sheed by Armour & Inff.

Liverpool, March 23.—The market during the Liverpool, March 23.—The market during the by the accumulation of snow and ice, Germanic......Queenstown....

past week has not improved any, in fact, trade has continued very bad, and with supplies being in excess of the demand, a weaker feeling prevailed today, and prices scored another decline of ic per lb on cattle, and 1c per lb on sheep, both here and at London. Best States cattle, 10c; Argentines, 8c, and sheep, 9ic. A private cable received here from Liverpool quoted the range of the market for best States cattle at 9ic to 10c.

Messrs. John Olde & Son, live stock salesmen, of London, Eng., write Wm. Cunningham, of the Board of Trade Building, as 1 'ows: For sale were today at Deptford 2.065 ceasts and 5.107 sheep, viz.: 1,360 cattle from the United States, ex. Torhead, Baltimore and Spain, and 6.56 from South America. The principal question was whether the contributory negligence of the driver of the sleigh affected the plaintiff. E. R. Cameron, London, for defendant, opposed appeal. Judgment reserved.

—In the case of Sylvester Bros., manufacturers of agricultural machinery, Peterboro, against Lochlan Weir, and Lochlan McGill, for non-payment of money received from the sale of machinery, the judgment delivered by the chancellor at the recent sittings at St. Thomas, was confirmed in the Divisional Court, Toronto. McGill was an agent for the plaintiffs, and sold their machinery in the territory between St. Thomas and London, and Weir was his surety for the payment over of all moneys received. There was originally \$4,500 involved, but upon proceedings

moneys received. There was originally \$4,500 involved, but upon proceedings being commenced, about \$4,100 was paid over by McGill and Weir, and judg-ment was given against them for the balance by the chancellor, and he was confirmed by the Divisional Court. Mc-Evoy, Wilson & Pope, London, solicitors for plaintiff; Robinson, St. Thomas, for the defendants.

FEAST OF THE PASSOVER. Hebrew citizens will commence the celebration of their annual Passover festival on Saturday evening. A leading feature in the observance of the Passover is a scrupulous abstinence from all manner of leaven. In accordance with the Mosaic law no leaven is permitted to remain in a Jewish house during the Passover week. So sorupulously is this enactment observed by orthodox Jews that a most thorough house-cleaning takes place before the festival. Not so much as a crumb of ordinary leavened bread is permitted to remain. Speaking of the orthodox Jewish mode of cleansing a house for Passover, Sir Benjamin Ward Richardson states that it is an institution which, if carried out, would do more to cut off the spread of diseases, the poisons of which lurk in the household, than any sanitary law a modern parliament could impose. Under the head of leaven are included all liquors, into whose composition grain has entered. CLEVER THEATRICALS.

Mr. J. L. Clark and company are meeting with gratifying success at the Grand Opera House this week. The audiences have been large and always well pleased. Mr. Clark, who is a London boy, and achieved his first success before local footlights, has steadily advanced in his profession, having taken leading parts for years with first-class American troupes. His many friends here have had few chances to see him since his departure, and are delighted by the cleverness he shows. His company has been carefully picked. Miss Ella Cameron, his associate, is one of the best actresses seen here in repertoire plays. Last night the Southern comedy-drama "Lynwood" was presented with very satisfactory results, the caste being:

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# The London Bills.

No Twc-Year Term for the Alder-

City to Be Protected in Its Proposed Sewerage Scheme.

(Special to the "Advertiser.") Parliament Buildings, Toronto, March 26.-Mr. Hobbs and the London delegation have been engaged today in a consideration of the City of London bill, and as a result of the arrangements made it is practically certain that when the bill comes up in the House for its final stages an amendlating to the sewage farm, which will guard the city from vexatious damage

Mr. Hobbs' bill for the reduction of the number of aldermen did not come up before the municipal committee today, but was nevertheless shorn of the clause making the aldermanic term two years. This clause came up for consideration in Mr. Hardy's bill relating to cities, and was defeated. It was accordingly decided to strike it out of Mr. Hobbs' bill. The rest of the bill will likely come up for consideration tomorrow, and is regarded as likely to pass.

### A STRANGE CASE. Suit Arising Over Flowers for Sir John Thompson's Funeral.

Montreal, March 26.-A strange case coming out of the state funeral to the late Sir John Thompson is up in the Exchequer Court today. It is the case of W. B. Davidson vs. the Queen for flowers supplied on that occasion. Mr. Davidson claims \$1,900, and the Queen, as represented by the Executive Council, offers \$900 in full settlement. Mr. Davidson says he will fight to the bitthe horses, buggy and occupants to go ter end, and claims that his charges are the same as he would make to any private customers.

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# Chamberlain's Peroration.

Conclusion of His Great Plea for Imperial Free Trade.

Goes Into Details—Desires to Provoke a Discussion.

London, March 26.-Going into details in his great speech in favor of wardrobe-Truth. free trade between Great Britain and her colonies, Mr. Chamberlain said: "To such a general free trade arrangement, it is quite clear that the exceptions must be made in the case of articles such as tobacco and spirits, which are chiefly taxed for revenue purposes. If we are to make even slight progress in such a direction, protection must disappear, and the only duties must be revenue duties, not protective duties in the sense of protecting the industries of one portion of the empire against the industries of another. I cannot help thinking that if a council of representatives of the whole empire should be called to consider such an arrangement, although the subject would present enormous difficulty, still, with the existing good will and the ultimate goal in view, something like a working agreement would be reached, and free traders, even if they had to abandon their principles to some extent, must remember the enormous gain that would com-pensate for the loss in our dealings with foreign countries. For the states forming the empire are after all more likely to develop and increase in prosperity, population, wealth, power, commerce and enterprise than any foreign

Apologizing for speaking on the subject at such length, Mr. Chamberlain added that he spoke for himself alone, but that the subject was so important that he desired to provoke a discus-

sion above all in the colonies.
"It is a dream if you like," said Mr.
Chamberlain, "but it is a dream no man need be ashamed of, to create an empire greater and more potent than any history has ever known. Nothing can be done, however, in any direction, until Great Britain and her colonies have decided upon imperial unity

founded on the common weal. The speech of the Colonial Secretary throughout was listened to with the greatest attention, and his various points were cheered with enthusiasm. "We share that hope," continued Mr. Chamberlain, "and ask you, is this de-monstration, this almost universal expression of loyalty of all the colonies, to pass away without a serious effort by colonial and imperial statesmen to transform these high sentiments into practical results?"

Mr. Chamberlain then reviewed the growth of the feeling for imperial federation, and he said:

"Although experience has shown that the final realization of our hopes of federation is a matter of such vast magnitude and great complication that it cannot be undertaken at the present time, it does not follow on that account that we should give up our aspirations. It is only a proof that we must approach the goal differently and not try to do everything at once; but must seek the line of least resistance. The boldest might shrink appalled before an attempt to create a new government for the British empire with large powers of taxation and legislation over country separated by thousands of miles of seas. We may, however, approach the desirable consummation by a process of gradual development. We may endeavor to establish some common interests and common obligations, to deal with which it is natural that some sort of representative authority should grow up. The greatest obligation is the imperial defense. The greatest interest is the imperial trade The former must be reached through the latter, as was the case in the creation of the German empire. At first the Reichstag was convened to deal with the commercial interests of the German states. Gradually it embraced national and political objects and be-came the bond of unity and the basis of the empire."

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"Captain," said Burke, "don't you think it would be a good idea to touch somewhere and lay in a store of fancy groceries and saloon-cabin grog. If we can afford to be as jolly as we please, I don't see why we shouldn't begin

But the captain shook his head. "It would be a dangerous thing," he said, "to put into any port on the west coast of South America with our present cargo on board. We can't make it look like ballast, as I expected we could, for all that bagging gives it a could, for all that bagging gives it a could before a northeast the Miranda went out to sea as big bulk, and if the custom house offi-cers came on board, it would not do the Miranda went out to sea as gayly as the nature of her build permitted, any good to tell them we are sailing in ballast, if they happened to want to

"Well, that may be so," said Burke; "but what I'd like would be to meet a first-class, double-quick steamer, and buy her, put ou: treasure on board, and then clap on all steam for France."

"All right," said the captain; "but we'll talk about that when we meet a

steamer for sale." After a week had passed, and he had begun to feel the advantages of rest and relief from anxiety, Capt. Horn regretted nothing so much as that the Miranda was not a steamer, plowing her swift way over the seas. It must hoped were waiting for him in France. not fear that they would suffer because he did not come; he had left them that sort. He did not know whether or of his superiors, he did not consider From there it would be nearly 5,000 below.

miles to France, and he did not dare to calculate how long it would take which it is a second with the brief to calculate how long it would take which it is a second with the brief to the brief t the brig to reach her final destination. This course of thought determined him

willingly post his letter. straightforward, business-like missive, he had gone into the service of the as his letters had always been, in Rackbirds, he had, at different times, which, in language which she could understand, but would carry no intelligible idea to any unauthorized person experiences. It had been a long time who might open the letter, he gave her since he had had enough whisky to an account of what he had done, and make him feel happy. This had prob-which was calculated to relieve all ap-which was calculated to relieve all apprehensions should it be yet a long time he had gone on shore, and most likely to write again whenever there was an opportunity of sending a letter, and ing where he had gone. The conse-wrote in such a friendly and encourag-quence of this train of thought was wrote in such a friendly and encouraging manner that he felt sure there that Inkspot determined that he would would be no reason for any disappoint-

ter, he might find some merchantman,

ment regarding him and the treasure. Burke and Shirley were a little surprised when they found that the captain had determined to stop at Valparaiso, a plan so decidedly opposed to what he had before said on the subject. But when they found it was for the purpose of sending a letter to his wife, and that he intended, if possible, barely to touch and go, they said nothing more, nor did Burke make any further allusions to improvement in their

store of provisions. When at last the captain found himself off Valparaiso, it was on a dark, cloudy evening, and nothing could be done until the next morning, and they dropped anchor to wait until dawn. As soon as it was light, the captain saw that a British steamer was anchored about a mile from the Miranda, and he immediately sent a boat, with Shirley and two of the negroes, to ask the officer on duty to post his letter when he sent on shore. In a little more than an hour Shirley returned, with the report that the first mate of the

steamer knew Capt. Horn and would

glady take charge of his letter. The boat was quickly hauled to the davits, and all hands were called to weigh anchor and set sail. But all hands did not respond to the call. One of the negroes, a big, good-natured fellow, who, on account of his unpronounceable African name, had been dubbed Inkspot, was not to be found. This was a very depressing thing un-der the circumstances, and it almost counterbalanced the pleasure the captain felt in having started a letter on

its way to his party in France. It seemed strange that Inkspot should have deserted the vessel; for it was a long way to the shore, and, besides, what possible reason could he have had for leaving his fellow-Africans and taking up his lot among ab-The crew had all solute strangers? worked together so earnestly and faithfully that the captain had come to believe in them and trust them to an extent to which he had never before

trusted seamen. The officers held a consultation as to

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what was to be done, and they very nuickly arrived at a decision. To re-nain at anchor, to send a boat on shore to look for the missing negro, would be dangerous and useless. Inquiries about the deserter would provoke inquiries about the brig, and if Inkspot really wished to run away from the vessel, it would take a long time to find him and bring him back. The right course was quite plain to everyone; having was quite plain to everyone; having finished the business which brought them there, they must up anchor and sail away as soon as possible. As for the loss of the man, they must bear that as well as they could. Whether he had been drowned, eaten by a shark, or had safely reached the shore, he was certainly lost to them.

At the best, their crew had been small enough, but six men had sailed a brig,

So the anchor was weighed, the sails were set, and before a northeast wind which was not saying much. It was a good wind, however, and when the log had been thrown, the captain remarked that the brig was making better time than she had made since they left Acapulco.

CHAPTER XXXVI. When the brig Miranda was lying at anchor in the Rackbirds' cove, and Mr. George Burke had silently left her in order to go on shore and pursue some investigations in which he was interested, his departure from the brig had not been, as he supposed, unnoticed. The big, good-natured African, known her swift way over the seas. It must be a long, long time before he could reach those whom he supposed and was standing on a part of the deck from which, without being noticed him-It had already been a long, long time from which, without being noticed himsince they had heard from him. He did self, he saw a person get over the taffrail and slip into the water. He knew this person to be the second mate, and, the enough to prevent anything of having a high respect and some fear

that sort. He did not know whether of the think they were longing to hear from him, but he did know that he wanted them to hear from him. He must yet ing toward the shore, but it soon disappropriate the sort. He did not know whether of it his business to interfere with him. He saw a head above the water, moving the shore, but it soon disappropriate the sort. sail about 3,000 miles in the Pacific appeared in the darkness; toward the Ocean, and then about 2,000 more in the end of his watch he had seen Mr. Burke Atlantic, before he reached Rio Janeiro, the port for which he had cleared. as he had gone down it, and disappear

When Inkspot went to his hammock, which he did very shortly afterwards, he reflected to the best of his ability upon what he had seen. Why did Mr. to send a letter, which would reach Burke slip away from the ship so Paris long before he could expect to silently, and come back in the same Paris long before he could expect to arrive there. If they should know that he had succeeded and was on his way, all might be well, or at least bether way, all might be well, or at least bether he had gone? He must have gone to ter than if they knew nothing about him. It might be a hazardous thing to do something he ought not to do, and touch at a port on this coast, but he that Mr. Burke would like to do, except believed that, if he managed things to drink whisky. Capt. Horn was very properly, he might get a letter ashore particular about using spirits on board, without making it necessary for any and perhaps Mr. Burke liked whisky, meddlesome custom house officers to come aboard and ask questions. Accordingly, he decided to stop at Valparaiso. He thought it likely that if he paraiso. He thought it likely that if he had said conditions about the storehouse of the Rackbirds, but he did not know what it had contained by the said containe did not meet a vessel going into port Maka had said something about the which would lay to and take his letsand, but that might have been just to anchored in the roadstead, to which he keep people away from the place. If could send a boat, and on which he there were no whisky there, why did was sure to find someone who would Mr. Burke go on shore?

Fillingly post his letter.

Now it so happened that Inkspot knew a good deal about whisky. Before pefore he reached her. He promised had had some very happy hours and had come back without anyone know go on shore the next night and hunt for whisky. He could do it quite as well as Mr. Burke had done it, perhaps even better. But the Miranda did not remain in the cove the next night, and poor Inkspot looked with longing eyes upon the slowly departing spot on the sands where he knew the Rackbirds' storehouse was located. The days and nights went on, and, in the course of time, the Miranda anchored in the harbor of Valparaiso; and, when this happened. Inkspot determined that now would be his chance to go on shore and get a good drink whisky-he had money enough for that. He could see the lights of El Puerto, or the Old Town, glittering and beckoning, and they did not appear to be very far off. It would be nothing for

him to swim as far as that. (To be Continued.)

# Hints to Housekeepers.

DAILY BILL OF FARE. BREAKFAST-Oranges. Oatmeal. Shepherd's Pie. Rice Croquettes. Graham Muffins. Stewed Apricots. Coffee.

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SHEPHERD'S PIE. Butter a small platter thoroughly, spreal over warm mashed po-: tato made soft with milk, flute the : potato around the edge with a silver fork. Set in the oven to brown. When stiffened enough to retain its : shape, pour over a mince of cold : lamb, seasoned well and warmed in gravy. Serve very hot.

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# A DOG FIGHT

Causes a Riot - Forty-One Persons Arrested.

Medford., Mass., March 26.-A small riot occurred here at a dog fight, in which one man, David Monahan, of Rox-The police arrested 41 persons.

CUPID'S DART FATAL

A Doctor's Daughter Suicides Through Disappointed Love.

Deadwood, S. D., March 26.-The body of Miss Daisy Louther, of Spearfish, a daughter of Dr. Louther, of that place, was found under the floor of a dancing pavilion in a grove of trees, a few yards from her father's yard. A bullet had been fired through her head. She was disappointed in a love affair. The young woman was connected with some of the best families in

HALF A MILLION!

Another Windfall for McGill-A Millionaire Dead, March 26 .- "What's Montreal.

matter with old McGill?" and all responded, 'She's all right." Mr. W. C. McDonald, the millionaire tobacco manufacturer, has donated another half million dollars to the University for the purpose of providing a building for the study of chemistry, mining and architecture. This brings Mr. Mc-Donald's donations to McGill up to \$2,000,-

Robert Anderson, vice-president Merchants' Bank of Canada, is dead. He leaves an estate probably worth \$4,000,000.

DON'T AGREE.

A Chatham Doctor and His Wife Figure in the Court.

Chatham, Ont., March 26 .- The domestic infelicities of Dr. and Mrs. Dixon were further ventilated at the police court Tuesday, when the doctor appeared to answer to a charge of non-support. Since the trial of the suit in the High Court Mrs. Dixon has been writing letters to the doctor, in one of which she informed him that she did not care if it cost her \$3,000 or \$30,000, she would prosecute him and get what she was entitled to. The doctor thought that if she was so flush of cash she had no reason to bring a charge against him for non-support. Mr. J. A. Walker appeared on behalf of the defense, and asked for a remand for a day, which was granted. The doctor asked Judge Houston to issue an order compelling Mrs. Dixon to remain away from his office, but the judge said he would not do so.

GOT \$102 FOR A STAMP. Alden, Mich., March 26.-Frank Van Denmark about three years ago paid an English collector \$1 80 for a postage stamp. The stamp was sold at auction in New York city on Saturday, for \$102. It is a Great Britain 4 penny rose, on blue paper, 1856 issue, and is a very rare stamp. LEFT HIS BRIDE TOO LONG.

Kalamazoo, Mich., March 26.—Sam Wyman kissed his bride of three days good-bye on the street corner near his home last night, while he went up er, Capt. Gonzales, decided to order the town to complete arrangements for going to work for the Michigan Buggy Company. She besought him to be back in an hour. He remained over time, and when he reached home his bride had gone. She took his grip, money and her good clothes, and nothing can be found of her. Her name before last Saturday was Nina Lashell.

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# IN A PERILOUS PLIGHT.

Colony of Fishermen Afloat on an Icefloe-Hairbreadth Escapes.

Bay City, Mich., March 26.—The heavy gales of the past three days have parted the ice a short distance beyond the breakwater almost to the east and west shores. It is feared many fishermen are imprisoned upon the drifting ice.

Many of the shanty fishermen set their lines 10 miles from shore, and have been out for several weeks, coming home Saturday night and returning Sunday morning. A score of them left the ice Saturday afternoon at Oak Grove, It has been difficult since Saturday to keep the shanties right side up, and they bend and slide about like shells.

Capt. Clarence Miller, of the Tempest, and Joe Rolio, of Banks, are supposed to be among those on the floating field. The two fishermen's shanties were close together, and fully ten miles from the mouth of the Fred Jean, of Banks, saw a crack in the

river. Miller has been out for three weeks. ice widen and ran for shore. Joe Mills, proprietor of the Oatka Beach, had a narrow escape. The ice left the shore before he was aware of it. He could not escape by jumping, and coolly broke off several yards of ice from the drift with a pike pole. The float held him safely until he poled to

Old mariners say the ice will hold until it strikes the Charity Islands. The only salvation for the fishermen is a chance in the direction of the wind. Ice will pile up for over 100 feet on the Charities and shatter the enormous floating field.

As high winds prevail it is believed that the fishermen will reach shore with their shanties, each of which is on runners, Some of the fishermen are supplied with boats for use in cases of emergency such as this. The number of men on the ice is placed as high as 150.

# TOWN DESTROYED

In Cuba - Insurgents Attack It - Torn Down to Cheat the Flames.

Havana, March 26 .- Full details have now been received of the burning by the insurgents of the town of San Antonio De Las Vegas, in Pinar Del Rio. An official report of the destruction of the town has been made from which the following points are taken: On the night of Sunday, March 15, a numerous band of insurgents, under the leadership of Pedro Diaz Castillo, invaded the handsome town of San Antonio De Las Vegas with the two-fold purpose and determination of converting it to a heap of ashes and rubbish and of compelling the Spanish garrison to surrender by burning and smoking them out. The first part of the plan succeeded, making paupers of thousands of industrious workingmen. The second part of the plan for the capture of the garrison failed, though it was frustrated only after a bitter

struggle. The sentinels on watch gave the alarm when the insurgent forces first made their appearance, and the officers and the garrison were promptly at their posts. A shower of bullets was thrown into the ranks of the invading enemy through loopholes and from be-hind parapets. But this did not prevent the spread of the fire in the town. It was already feeding upon the houses adjoining the fort, when the commandwhole force of the garrison into the streets to demolish the houses which were supplying food for the flames. This was done immediately, the soldiers using their pickaxes and rifles alternately to fight the insurgents and the fire. The attack by the insurgents lasted two hours, when the insurgents were finally routed with heavy loss.

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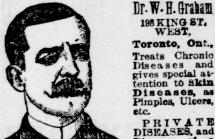
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# Wingham's Sensation.

Provincial Detective Rogers Appears on the Scene.

Summoning Witnesses for the London Inquest-Much Excitement.

Wingham, Ont., March 26.-The excitement over the Fields case is running very high. It is now over two weeks since the assault on Fields was committed, and those interested were beginning to think the authorities were not going to pay any attention to the matter. There was, however, a rude awakening yesterday, when Detective Rogers, of the Provincial Detective Department, appeared to subpoena witnesses to appear at the adjourned inquest to be held in London on March 31. Much uneasiness is felt by all intested, even by those who did not take part in the assault, but went as on-

When the assault was committed, the feeling here was that justice had been meted out to Fields. But when death occurred, a wave of horror swept over the community. Since then, however, a partial investigation of Fields' past life has been made, and many horrible stories of cruelty and immorality are being told, and some of the older citizens recall facts that had been forgot-But it will require a thorough legal investigation to unravel the mys-

Two of the ringleaders have left town, but it is supposed they can be found when they are required. The balance of those who are alleged to have taken part in the assault are apparently not making any attempt The difficulties which will face the detective are very great, as so many people were concerned in the affair, and, of course, all the citizens are acquainted to a certain extent with

those engaged. The farmers of the neighborhood take great interest in the case, and many of them drive long distances to obtain information about the case.

THAWED THE CARTRIDGES. Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 26.-In a dynamite explosion on the Gorge railway near Lewiston yesterday morning, the result of an attempt to thaw out a number of cartridges, an Italian named Tobey was killed, and Seymour Eddy, son of Dr. Eddy, of Lewiston, was so badly injured that he will die,

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farther west. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 6-40; Battleford, 4 below-8; Qu' Appelle, 4—22; Winnipeg, 12—20; Parry Sound, 20—44; Toronto, 24—42; Ottawa, 8—40; Montreal, 8—36; Quebec, 2—38;

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the equator last week. -According to the almanacs and the astronomers we are now in spring. No doubt they know, but really it does not look as if they did.

-No. 3 committee of the council will inspect the market and fire halls this afternoon and see what alterations, repairs and supplies are required.

-The \$3,300 general stock of Bartlett & Robinson, of Mount Brydges, was sold by J. W. Jones at auction yesterday at 44 cents on the dollar. Skinner Bros., of Bismarck, were the pur-

-Polly Patrick was before the police magistrate again this morning for being drunk. She explained that she had been out yesterday seeing the town prior to her departure for California on Monday next. She was discharged, but warned that if she came in again she would go to the Mercer.

-Lent is usually prolific of missions Church. Christ in the Anglican Church. Christ Church, Wellington street, is not behind the times, having for ten days had Rev. J. S. Kerrin, of Mitchell. He is an earnest and forcible preacher, and his labors here have been blessed in a marked degree. He leaves for home today, followed by the loving goodwill of those who have listened to him and have partaken of his ministry. The services will be continued the balance

of the week by different capable speakers. -The young men of the King Street Presbyterian Church tendered a benefit concert to Mr. Sim Fax in the school room of the church Tuesday night. The room was crowded to its utmost capacity, the crush being so great that the seating accommodation was early taken up and about 200 chairs had to be borrowed from the Adelaide Street Baptist Church. The programme was furnished by the young men of the church, and included a number of choruses, solos by Messrs. Wilson, Saunders, Alf. Marriott and Sim Fax; violin solo, by Master Lave Murray; recitations by Sim Fax and Archie Black; instrumentals by Messrs Williams and Giese, and a quartet by Messrs. James Begs, S. Fax, A. Marriott and J. Wilson. The concert was such a great success that it may be repeated at an early date. The young men were served with refreshments at the conclusion. The pastor, Rev. D. Robertson, presided.

THE W. C. T. U. There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U., held in Somerset Hall on Tuesday afternoon. It was a mother's meeting, and the devotional exercises consisted of singing and the quoting of passage of Scripture by the members, which had been helpful to them as mothers in their home life. This was followed by a number of sentence prayers. Mrs. Gordon Wright then made a very touching appeal, showing the need of

immediate help being given to the Ar-The educational part of the meeting consisted of papers on "Ventilation," by Mrs. T. B. Escott; "Pre-Natal Influences," by Dr. Jamieson; "Children's Diet," by Mrs. Rev. E.B. Lanceley. All were much appreciated and followed

by interesting discussions. The members were urged to attend a meeting to be held in the B. M. E. Church, Grey street, on Thursday evening, to be addressed by Miss Phelps, of St. Catharines.

A stirring announcement was made for the next meeting, which will be particularly interesting. It will be in charge of Mrs. Evans, and the subject will be "The Lord's Portion," or "Systematic Giving." Literature will also be distributed with reference to the subject.

A THOUGHT AHEAD. It is time to think of Easter and the

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WOMEN ON A JURY. Brookings, S. D., March 26.-By order of the court and consent of counsel on both sides, six men and six women compose the jury empaneled here to hear the case of Phipps vs. Phipps, an action for divorce and custody of a minor child, now in progress here be-fore District Judge Andrews.

THE BIG COAL BOATS. Erie, Pa., March 26.-The two Shenangos, which were reported in trouble again on the north shore of the peninsula, have been released, and are now on their way to Conneaut. Conneaut, Ohio, March 26.—The steamers Shenango Nos. 1 and 2 were yesterday lying about three miles off this port. The two vessels are appar-

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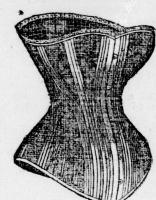
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