

## AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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## "LONDON" TONIGHT

PRIZES—Wednesday, Marriage License—Saturday, Lady's Dress.

## Marks "Parisian Princess"

NEW GRAND THIS EVENING. Charles H. Yale's Gorgeous Spectacle.

## DEVIL'S AUCTION

One of the heaviest productions of the year. Beautifully staged.

## SWEDISH LADIES' QUARTETTE

Taking the place of the Mendelssohn Trio. 50c, 25c and 10c. Seats ready.

## NEXT THURSDAY EVENING

"The Sweetest Singer on the Stage." MR. CHAUNCEY OLCOTT in "Garrett O'Mahoney."

## STATUETTES AND RELIEFS, COPIED

from the best Greek and modern masters of sculpture. Public Library building. Admission, 10c.

## ADDITIONAL RECITAL THURSDAY

evening. Ellen Miriam Kurzenkabe, leader. Alice Calder, soloist. Thomas Martin, pianist. Maurice Pour, violinist. Plan at Nordheimer's.

## NEW SHIPS LOW RATES—BE SURE

you obtain rates to or from the old country from P. D. Clarke, Richmond street, next Adelphi. All rates by cable. Tickets via G. T. R. and C. P. R. in connection. Direct tickets. No trouble.

## PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY

R. B. Milard, 36 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

## DANCING—BEGINNERS' NEW TERM

now open. Gentlemen, Monday, ladies, Tuesday evening, children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Davison & McCormick.

## MEETINGS.

Headquarters, 7th Fusiliers, London, Feb. 25, 1902.

The regiment will parade at the drill shed on Thursday evening, Feb. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in bushes, great coats and leggings. By order.

W. A. McCORMICK, Capt., Adjutant 7th Regiment Fusiliers.

## DIXON COUNCIL, NO. 125, CANADIAN

Order of Chosen Friends—Special meeting, Wednesday evening, Feb. 25, 1902. All welcome. George B. Nash, recorder.

## AN EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION

of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, this (Tuesday) evening, Feb. 25, at 8 p.m. The second and third degrees will be conferred. Visiting brethren cordially invited. J. A. M. Dawson, secretary St. John's Lodge.

## FEMALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

## WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PAINTERS

at Deak & Munson's, 333 Richmond street.

## EXPERIENCED DINING-ROOM GIRL

wanted. Fraser House.

## WANTED—A HOUSEMAID. APPLY

to Mrs. W. R. Hobbs, 510 Wellington street.

## MALE HELP WANTED.

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## A STRONG, ACTIVE BOY, ABOUT 14

to learn cake baking trade. Apply George Peters, confectioner, Richmond street.

## SPLENDID WAGES PAID MEN WHO

learn barber trade with us. Can earn scholarship, board, tools and transportation if desired. Two months required. 100 wanted to prepare for spring rush. Particulars mailed. Moler Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y.

## DO YOU WRITE ADS?—SEND

ADDRESS today on your business stationery for invaluable information free. Harper Syndicate, Columbus, Ohio.

## WANTED—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG

man, with one or two years' experience, to work in cheese factory. H. B. Stevens, Scottsville.

## SITUATIONS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

## WANTED—SITUATION AS WORKING

housekeeper, by woman with one child, 4 years of age. Address Housekeeper, Mount Brindley, Ont.

## ARCHITECTS.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS, CIVIL ENGINEERS. John M. Moore, Frederick Henry.

## The Master Pianist!

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## PADEREWSKI

## AND THE

## STEINWAY

## PIANO

## are one and indissoluble.

He will play the Steinway in his coming recital at Massey Music Hall, Toronto, March 5, his sole appearance in Canada.

Sole Agents for Canada,

## The Nordheimer

## Piano and Music Co.

Limited.

188 Dundas Street.

For SALE—VERY DESIRABLE RESIDENCE

on main street of Thorncliffe. For particulars apply to Alfred Bailey, Thorncliffe P.O.

## AGENTS WANTED.

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## A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR

address and we will show you how to make \$3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you to do it. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London.

## AGENTS—WE START YOU IN BUSINESS

Good chance. You can easily make \$5 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London.

## WANTED.

COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Soapstone. They are perfect. Combustion wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 22 Dundas street.

## BUSINESS CHANCES.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

## GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE

Good chance. Address Box 90, Advertiser office.

## BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE

at St. James P. O., London South.

## ARTICLES FOR SALE.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

## THE NOBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS

and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street.

## EXHIBITION AND SALE OF PLASTER

Casts—Over Public Library. Open from 4 to 9 p.m.

## FOR SALE—UNION INCUBATORS

and brooders, at snap prices. Now is the time to get them. D. T. Green, 40 Clarence street.

## WE WILL SELL FOR TWO WEEKS

any of our goods at 50c for \$1.25. P. Hendershot & Co., 427 Park avenue.

## \$10 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS

engine, in first-class order. D. McKinnon & Co., 88 Richmond street.

## FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10

cents per line. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

## PORK AND BEEF AT LOWEST

prices. Pickled hams and bacon. Roast and boiled pork, fresh, pork and sausage. Wholesale and retail. 1 to 5 Market House. James A. Anderson.

## PRINTING BARGAIN HOUSE—THOU-

sands of statements, billheads, circulars, etc., \$1. Write for prices. Adams, Toronto.

## FRESH TENDERLOINS TODAY—

at 10c. Sausages, Pork Sausage, 3 lbs for 25c; sirloin steak, 1 lb. Just received. Wholesale and retail. 1 to 5 Market House.

## THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR

that makes the people look for the best food at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of food. H. Gilles & Co., 673 Bathurst street.

## EXTRA VALUE IN MEN'S WORKING

Pants, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50; and Overalls, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, at Cunningham's, 68 Dundas street.

## STOVES—STOVES—STOVES—WE HAVE

a large stock of stoves, comprising coal, gas, and oil. Write for prices. Adams, Toronto.

## SNAP—GOOD FIANCO. ROSEWOOD

case, 7-14 octave; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintz & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

## FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT

coal, steam coal and slack, or the best hard and soft wood, and good dry sawed lumber, apply to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. Phone 1,391.

## LOST AND FOUND.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

## LOST—SATURDAY—POCKETBOOK

containing sum of money. Finder rewarded on leaving at this office.

## WANTED TO RENT.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

## WANTED TO RENT—HOUSE AND

barn; must have city water. Box 93, Advertiser.

## SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE

MISS BUTCHART WILL START evening classes for practical work in housework on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8 o'clock. Apply at once. Class limited, 55c King street.

## BUSINESS CARDS.

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, super-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOME FOR INCURABLES, LONDON, Ont. The comforts of home, with nursing, for invalids, male and female, city or country, on moderate terms. Apply to Mrs. Pattullo, secretary Women's Christian Association, London.

REAL ESTATE.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOTS, NEAR

new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 238 Ridout street.

GOOD FARM IN WESTMINSTER—25

acres, south half of lot 11, con. 2; good buildings; water, spring creek; 1 1/2 story brick house; frame barn, granary, implement house, and other outbuildings. A1 farm for either grain or grazing. Six miles from London. For terms apply to Wm. G. Laidlaw, Wilton Grove, Ont.

FAIRM FOR SALE—100 OR 200 ACRES.

Well improved, with spring water. Apply Andrew McNair, Bttr.

FOR SALE—TWO-STORY BRICK

Nearly new; all modern, and central; brick cottage on Dufferin avenue, great cottage on King street. Small cottage on monthly instalments. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

71 QUEEN'S AVENUE—SUPERIOR

built and planned brick cottage, in excellent repair, with large lot. Price low. Terms easy. J. H. McMechan, 553 King street.

FOR SALE—VERY DESIRABLE RESI-

dence on main street of Thorncliffe. For particulars apply to Alfred Bailey, Thorncliffe P.O.

## \$2 Only.

## THE NICEST STYLES OF

## Men's and Women's Boots.

Extension sole, military heels, cordovan, dongola kid and box calf leathers, all sizes and widths. Wear the

## "Peerless"

Shoe next time. Price \$2.

## POCOCK BROS.

Largest assortment of High-Grade Trunks and Valises in the west. Have you taken advantage of our low prices? If not, why not?

## HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

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## TO RENT—A HUNDRED ACRE FARM

with dwelling house and barns, and well fenced, plenty of water; 12 acres fall wheat sown. T. T. Tilling, 200 Ridout street, South London.

## TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN

Furniture, carefully handled. John Higgs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street.

## PARCEL DELIVERY.

CITY PARCEL EXPRESS—OFFICE removed to 154 Carling street. Parcels called for and delivered to any part of city. Telephone 1,255. C. H. Anderson.

## CLAIRVOYANT.

MADAME BAKER, CLAIRVOYANT—Seventh Daughter. Room 23, Bernard House, Hours, 9-12, 2-5 and 7-10 p.m. Fee, 5c.

## BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

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## COMFORTABLE ROOMS, WITH

board, can be had at 411 King street.

## PERSONAL.

LADIES' CONSULTATION PARLORS—Specialty, health and toilet remedies. Palmistry continued by request. Madame, 40 Ridout.

## AUCTION SALE.

NEIL COOPER HAS RECEIVED IN COLLECTION from Mrs. C. E. Mossop to sell contents of cottage, No. 78 Queen's avenue, on Wednesday, Feb. 26, comprising in part new Karo upright piano, 100 yards Brussels carpet, square baseburner, dining and bedroom furniture (nearly new). Famous extra range, gas stove, kitchen utensils, garden hose, mower, and other articles. Sale at 10:30. NEIL COOPER, auctioneer.

## Judicial Sale of City Property—

McKnight vs. Jackson.

Mr. Neil Cooper will sell by auction at No. 241 Dundas street, on Thursday, March 6, at 2 p.m.:

One acre of land on the south side of York street, between Adelaide and Rectory streets, and the cottages Nos. 24, 26, 28, and 30, Rectory street.

2 Lot 5, east side of Oak street, 89 feet frontage.

3 Lot 3, south side of Mount Pleasant avenue, 68 feet frontage. For particulars see posters.

MACEBETH & MACPHERSON, Vendor's Solicitors.

## To Contractors.

BULK TENDERS will be received up to Friday, Feb. 28, 5 o'clock p.m., for the Brick-work, Carpenter-work, Painting and Glazing of alterations to City Hall.

Separate tenders will be received for Plumbing and Steam Heating and Electric Lighting.

Plans and Specifications to be seen at this office.

A. O. RAYDON, City Engineer.

## ALD. NEIL COOPER,

Chairman No. 2 Committee.

## London Waterworks.

TENDERS—SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Waterworks Office up to 4 p.m., Monday, March 3, for the following supplies required during the year, 1902:

Oil, coal, brass goods, stop-cock boxes, valves, valve boxes, hydrants, lead pipe, fire hose, lumber, and other materials.

Further information may be obtained from the office of Moore & Henry, Albion building.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Engineer and Superintendent, W. M. JONES, Chairman.

## The Philadelphia

## Record

Is the Leading Newspaper in Pennsylvania, Both Daily and Sunday.

Daily One Cent—Sunday Two Cents.

"The Record" publishes the news from all parts of the United States and from all countries; its editorial is fearless and independent. "The Record" also devotes a portion of its columns to special matters of interest to the reading public; its scientific, health and hygiene, women's page and other departments of interest are features of the paper.

The average circulation by sworn statements for the year 1901 was 18,466 daily, and 166,476 Sunday. "The Record" is served by carriers and agents for six cents a week for the daily, and two cents for the Sunday. Its mail rates are: Daily, including Sunday, per year, \$4.00. Every weekday, per year, \$3.00. Sunday Record (30 pages), per year, \$1.00. Saturday Record, per year, \$1.00. Postage prepaid.

The advertising rate of "The Record" is cheaper than that of any other newspaper, based on circulation.

Sample copies will be sent on application.

The Record Publishing Company, 217-219 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

## WILL TAKE A LONG REST

## Wilhelmina to Seek Health at the South.

A Regent To Be Appointed by the States-General.

But in the Presence of a Brilliant and Notable Assemblage.

American Board of Foreign Missions Receives Confirmation of Report That Miss Stone Is at Liberty.

Miss Roosevelt Named the Yacht and Sent the Trim Craft Careening Into Its Destined Element.

New York, Feb. 25.—In a drizzling rain and in the presence of a brilliant assemblage, amidst cheering and the roar of cannon, the German emperor's new schooner-yacht Meteor was launched from Shooter's Island, at 10:30 a.m. today.

Unlike the weather, the arrangements were perfect, and no untoward incident marred the occasion. The president, Mrs. and Miss Roosevelt, Prince Henry, and the distinguished party accompanying them, were enthusiastically cheered on arriving at the platform built just back of the bow of the Meteor.

MISS ROOSEVELT'S WORK. Without delay, after greetings had been exchanged, Miss Roosevelt stepped forward, and taking hold of a silver-covered bottle containing German champagne, broke it on the side of the vessel. Immediately she seized a silver axe and severed the rope which released the weights holding the Meteor. The Meteor went gracefully into the water, with the American flag breaking out at the taffrail. American and German national airs were played, and from the scores of crafts containing excursionists came enthusiastic cheering.

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# Seal Brand Coffee

(1 lb. and 2 lb. cans.)

Every bean effuses fragrant Coffee of absolute purity.

It is largely imitated. Examine your purchase closely.

CHASE & SANBORN,  
MONTREAL AND BOSTON.

## SOME TYPES OF NEGRO SONGS

Ragtime Music Is Only a Creation of Recent Years.

Not at All Characteristic of the Race—Melodies That Are All But Forgotten.

"Did it ever occur to you that we have had in this country during a little more than a half-century, three distinct types of negro songs?"

The speaker was a retired minstrel performer of the old school, who has been spending a few days in Washington, says the Star.

"Perhaps it would be more correct to say two, for the so-called 'coon' or 'ragtime' songs are far from typical of the American negro," he continued. "The first that I would speak of are the ante-bellum melodies of the type composed by Stephen C. Foster, 'Old Black Joe,' 'Down on the Swannee River,' 'Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground,' 'Off for Charleston So Early in the Morning,' 'Old Uncle Ned and 'Down Mobile' are of the class to which I refer. They are songs that depict to a considerable degree the conditions of the southern negro in the days before the war, or suggest some of his feelings during that period. The melodies of not a few of those songs are, of course, familiar to the present generation. Foster's melo-

## Germ, Germs.

We hear a great deal about them these days, and rightly too; for they are the direct cause of whooping-cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and other diseases of childhood.

When any of these are in the neighborhood, you should use Vapo-Cresolene. Every evening purify their sleeping rooms with this perfectly safe remedy. It is so easy to prevent the disease in this way. For whooping cough and croup, the doctors say it is a perfect specific.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vapo-Cresolene, which should last a lifetime, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresolene, 50c. and 25c. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 180 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

## THE RELIABLE BELT

OUR "EXTRA" BRAND OAK TANNED.

I. C. McLaren Belting Co.  
MONTREAL AND TORONTO.

## Done to a Turn.

That's the distinguishing feature about Tillson's "PAN-DRIED" Rolled Oats. The special cooking they receive is done all through the grain. There is no chance-work about it being thoroughly done. It is always done just the same and yet they are never scorched.

## TILLSON'S PAN-DRIED OATS

have the flavor of being done "just right." You can notice it in the flavor of the porridge and you will appreciate its easy digestiveness too.

THE TILLSON COY., LIMITED  
TILLSONBURG, ONT.

## DISASTROUS COLLISION!

On the Auburn Branch of the N. Y. Central.

Seven Trainmen Killed, Two Missing and a Number of Men Injured.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 25.—As the result of a collision on the Auburn branch of the New York Central seven miles west of Auburn, between west-bound passenger train No. 211 and a steam derrick late last night, seven trainmen are dead and two others missing. The following are the dead: Edward E. Vine, this city, baggage-man on the passenger.

Frank Hinds, fireman, of this city. John Heisman, engineer, of this city. Engineer Durand, of Syracuse. John Evans, member of derrick crew. Joe Shoemaker, fireman, of this city. Thomas Burke, of Syracuse, rigger of derrick.

INJURED. Samuel Schmuck, of Syracuse, with steam derrick, seriously hurt; is in Syracuse hospital.

It is said that two others are missing. As train No. 211, the west-bound passenger, was rounding a curve a few miles west of Auburn going at a fast clip, it met the steam derrick running "wild" from Canandaigua to Syracuse. There was

AN AWFUL CRASH,

followed by the sound of escaping steam and silence.

Conductor George Kilip, of this city, of the passenger train, hastened forward. Scattered about was the wreckage of two engines which were so badly smashed that it was impossible to tell one from the other. From the head end of the train could be heard cries for help, and, assisted by passengers from his train, Conductor Kilip began the work of rescue.

Engineer Heisman and his fireman, and after an hour's work were taken out dead. The other dead men were removed from the heap of wreckage at various intervals and tenderly laid alongside the track to wait out from Rochester, Geneva and Syracuse.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

From all that could be learned in this city this morning, the westbound passenger train had the right of the track from Auburn, and had instructions to meet first No. 226, the eastbound passenger train, at that point. This was done and after the eastbound passenger train passed, the westbound passenger train again started for this city. They were late and were going at a fast rate of speed when the two trains came together. The point where the wreck occurred is on a high up-hill grade.

NO PASSENGERS HURT.

None of the passengers were injured. This is due possibly to the passenger train being so heavy that it plowed right through the derrick train, which consisted of only an engine, tender and caboose.

## LUMBERMEN LIKELY TO SPREAD SMALLPOX.

Vigorous Protest From Health Authorities at Ottawa—A Windsor "Suspect."

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 25.—Dr. Bryce this morning received from the Ottawa health authorities a vigorous protest against what is said to be the chief cause of the continuance of smallpox at Ottawa—the permission of lumbermen to return home from camps where they have been exposed to the disease. There are 25 cases still in Ottawa, and when there is a general break-up of the camps there may be a hard fight in the capital. Dr. Bryce has sent Dr. Hodgetts up to the lumber camps to vigorously enforce quarantine, and see that no one is allowed to go out while in a condition to spread the disease.

One of Windsor, Feb. 25.—A suspected mild case of smallpox was discovered at the Sandhill Hotel, five miles from Windsor. The victim is a child, and is supposed to have caught the disease from a colored man who came from unknown parts a few days ago, to work for a farmer named Ouellette. He and several houses in the vicinity have been quarantined.

OUT OF HIS ELEMENT.

His wife could never understand how he could be so great.

When he, in public, took command, Of thundering debate.

She said 'twas past believing that One's could be so great.

Who was so unassuming in his ways, Receptions and at teas.

—Washington Star.

## Write and See.

Don't Let Prejudice Keep You From Getting Well.

NO MONEY IS WANTED.

Simply write a postal for the book that applies to your case. See what I have to say. You can't know too much about ways to get well. My way is not less effective because I tell you about it. There are millions of cases which nothing else can cure. How can I reach them save by advertising?

I will send with the book also an order on your drug store for six bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I will tell him to let you test it for a month at my risk. If it cures you the cost but \$5.00. If it fails, I will pay him myself.

The book will tell you how my Restorative strengthens the inside nerves. I know back the doctor that operates the vital organs. My book will prove that no other way can make those organs strong.

No matter what your doubts. Remember that my method is unknown to you, while I spent a lifetime on it. Remember that only the cured can tell. I will send a postal to learn what treatment makes such an offer possible?

Simply state which book you want and book No. 2 on the Heart, book No. 3 on the Kidneys, book No. 4 for Women, book No. 5 for Men (sealed), book No. 6 on Rheumatism



## Piles Cured After 30 Years.

Thos. E. Wood, 318 Seventeenth street, Sacramento, Cal.: "One 50 cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure permanently cured me of piles. For 30 years I suffered; underwent a frightful operation, nearly died, but failed to cure. I was unable to walk when I tried Pyramid Pile Cure. The first application relieved me. All druggists sell it. Quickly cures every form of piles. Book free by mail. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

## WESTERN ONTARIO

Live Items Cuffed for Busy People's Information.

Yesterday morning some person went into the Buckingham Hotel, Stratford, and stole a horse and a dog which was on the counter. It contained one or two dollars.

As a result of the Racecraft fire and explosion inquest at Stratford, in which Fireman Turner lost an eye, Coroner Rankin has at last handed in his report, which information has been laid against the McCarthy Bros.

After several months' illness, J. F. C. Haldane, lawyer of Windsor, passed away at his residence there on Saturday morning. The deceased was one of the familiar figures in the streets, as owing to the loss of both legs, he was forced to go about on crutches. He was survived by two daughters.

He was born 56 years ago at Guelph, and, after being admitted to the bar, he commenced practicing at Port Arthur. He removed to Toronto, and from there to Windsor. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Helen, at home, and John G. at 437.

The eldest child, who has appeared at Osage Hall, Toronto, for many years is Mr. Thomas Farrow, a retired farmer of this county. He is now 62 years of age and has been in the city since he saved his farm over to his son James, with whom he was living at the time of his death. He was a very successful farmer and had an annual allowance of \$25. That, at least, is what Mr. Farrow, son, claims. He is now in the city, and his pension is now \$100 in arrears, for which reason he wants the deed of conveyance nullified. Saturday his solicitor made application to the master in chambers for an order to examine the old gentleman at that point. The order was granted to Toronto. The defense of the son is that his father insisted on giving him the deed, and he was simply to support him for the rest of his life.

## HAVE YOU EVER STOPPED TO CONSIDER?

Have you ever stopped to consider the quality, composition and effects of the various foods you use? It is too extensive a subject to deal with in a short newspaper article. Take your dish of oatmeal porridge and compare it with a dish of Malt Breakfast Food porridge, that tens of thousands are now using with great success. What is the difference? Why, a vast and important one so far as your health and strength are concerned. Your oatmeal is a food heavy and indigestible, and it frequently deranges the stomach and digestive organs. Malt Breakfast Food, so highly endorsed by physicians and food experts, is a grain food entirely free from insoluble starch; it enriches the blood and keeps it pure; it soothes and cleanses the stomach; it is adapted for young and old, the weak and strong. One package makes 25 meals. Try it and be happy. Grocers heartily recommend it.

## JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

MELBOURNE.

Melbourne, Feb. 24.—Miss Nellie MacNeil is home after spending a week with relatives at Walkers. Dr. and Mrs. McEwen and Miss Kathleen spent a few days at Paris, Woodstock and London last week.

Rev. C. J. Cornille, of Maidstone, is the guest of his father, Mr. John M. Cornille, for a few days.

Miss Mayne, who is at Mulmur, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. S. McGowan.

STRATHROY.

[J. D. Meekison, Advertiser Agent.] Earnest Watch, of London, has accepted a position with T. B. Welch, druggist.

Misses E. M. Bentley and M. Heard will open up a new stock of millinery in Mrs. Auld's old stand, Front street. A deputation of farmers, consisting of Thos. Bogue, of Adelaide, Wm. Tohill, of Kapler, and D. J. Donaldson, of Cairns, were in Wallaceburg last week, interviewing the sugar company and the farmers in that vicinity.

Mr. A. P. Robinson, undertaker, Front street, has purchased the store he now occupies from James H. English.

The death of William Parker, the eldest son of Harvey Parker, of Adelaide, occurred Tuesday at the family residence. Death was due to consumption. Deceased was a student at the Strathroy Collegiate Institute for a number of years. The interment took place Friday morning in the Strathroy Cemetery, and was conducted by Rev. C. J. Cornille, of Cairns.

Councillor Henry Owens, representing Strathroy Camp, No. 9, C. O. W. W., attended the annual convention held in Woodstock last Friday.

George Macbeth, contractor, has received the contract for the erection of the new brick spanning factory, which is to be built by the Strathroy Canning and Preserving Company in Dresden this summer. The building will have 12 feet frontage, with two wings extending back 36 feet.

The Strathroy Minstrels will appear in the Lyceum shortly after Lent. Mr. E. Wright spent Sunday at his home here.

## MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"Put Me Off at Buffalo" at the New Grand.

Fisher & Carroll's "Put Me Off at Buffalo," which appeared at the New Grand last night, is well described as "a musical absurdity," with considerable more absurdity than music. Its chief purpose seems to be to allow Harry E. Fisher to show his ability to bark like a dog, an accomplishment which enables him to raise a laugh every time. The piece also serves as a rack on which are hung some very good specialties. Fisher is one of the funniest knock-about comedians seen here for some time, and to him was credited much of the laughter of the evening. Other funmakers were Joe J. Carroll as Chancey Pan; Charles Lohier, as Willie Newkirk, a tramp; Jack Sample, as Will E. Ketchum, a desperado; Joe Birnes, as Izzie Broke, a sports filled W. Jerome Mills, as Miss Carrynation. The specialties included an amusing burlesque on the Florida sextet; a musical turn by Campbell and Dore; songs and dances by the McNulty sisters, and some clever trick violin playing by Miss Reta Curtis.

Marks Bros.' Return Engagement at the London.

Marks Bros.' Company opened their return engagement at the London Opera House under favorable auspices last night, the house being completely filled. The play presented was "A Woman Wronged." The audience evinced the liveliest satisfaction with it, and gave every evidence of being pleased with both the play and the specialties. Specially good work was done by Misses Marie Barborika and Lydia Hayden. The company's offering is "Faislan Princess," a favorite drama, here. During the week three new plays will be put on by the company, while "Under Two Flags" will also be repeated. A special price matinee will be given tomorrow, and tomorrow night a prize will be given away in the shape of a marriage license, transferable, and good for five years.

THE DEVIL'S AUCTION TONIGHT

One of the very best spectacles in production of the year will be the bill at the New Grand tonight, and should be greeted by a crowded house. In all, the twentieth edition of "Devil's Auction" promises to exceed by far any former presentation of this famous show piece, which is a strong statement when one considers the many new features and novelties offered since its initial production. To quote Manager Yale, it will be "the best ever."

THE METROPOLITAN COURSE.

The eighth number on the Metropolitan Course at the New Grand will be the famous "Ladies' Quartet," this organization taking the place of the Mendelssohn Trio, which was originally announced for the same evening. The sale of seats opened this morning.

CHAUNCEY OLCOTT.

Chauncey Olcott will present his new play, "Garrett O'Magh," at the New Grand next Thursday evening. It is by Augustus Pitlor, his manager. He is a very different type to those usually seen. It affords Mr. Olcott opportunity to display his ability as an actor and singer. He is a very original and successful playwright, and his plays are successful engagements of five months. The sale of seats opened this morning.

"PEG WOFFINGTON."

Eugenia Blair, who was at the New Grand last Saturday, will play a special return engagement at the same theater next Saturday, when matinee and evening performances of "Peg Woffington" will be given.

GEORGE GROSSMITH COMING.

The Boston Journal says of George Grossmith, the renowned English entertainer, who comes to the New Grand on Tuesday, March 2, "Not to hear of the most unique and highest class entertainments imaginable."

THE FLAGGING ENERGIES REVIVED.—Constant application to business is a tax upon the energies, and if there be not relaxation, the system will break down. It is not to be a matter of stomachic troubles. These are the result of nervousness. The want of exercise brings on nervousness, and the stomach ceases to assimilate food properly. In this condition the system is in a state of collapse, and a recuperative of rare power, restoring the organs of healthful action, dispelling depression, and reviving the flagging energies.

A political puff is often a great strain on the candidate's leg.

## LIKE THE MILLENIUM

After the tortures Mr. Norton passed through to have the absolute release from suffering that South American Rheumatic Cure afforded him—it relieves in six hours.

"For three weeks I lay in bed suffering most terribly and utterly helpless from Inflammatory Rheumatism," says Mr. E. H. Norton, of Guelph, Ont. "When all that the doctors could do failed me, I was induced to try South American Rheumatic Cure. After taking one bottle I was not only able to leave my bed, but surprised my friends by walking down town. I think it a wonder."

For sale by C. McCallum & Co.



Stops the irritating cough, loosens the phlegm, soothes the inflamed tissues of the lungs and bronchial tubes, and produces a quick and permanent cure in all cases of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hoarseness, Sore Throat and the first stages of Consumption.

"I have used Norway Pine Syrup for coughs and colds of myself and family. It always did me a cold or quicker than anything I have ever tried." Miss R. E. Leonard, 25 and 50c. a bottle at all dealers.

# Distinguished Physicians

TALK ABOUT DEAFNESS.

They Point Out the Cause of Progressive Hardness of Hearing and Show Conclusively How it May be Cured.



Says a well-known ear specialist: "Deafness in ninety per cent of the cases is the direct result of closure of the eustachian tube (a little passage-way leading from the middle ear to the back part of the throat) by a catarrhal inflammation of its mucous membrane. It follows a rarefaction of air in the middle ear, with consequent intrusion of the drum, and an impaction of the ossicular articulations, and a progressive stenosis of the eustachian tube." An editorial in The Medical Review, a journal published by and for physicians, and having the largest circulation of any in the world, says (Dec. 1900, p. 1517): "Deafness is becoming increasingly common, and the frequent failure of local treatment makes it necessary that we look for systemic conditions which may play a part in the continuance of the trouble."

"At least three-fourths of the cases of deafness are due to catarrhal disease involving the eustachian tube. 'Simply cleansing diseased mucous surfaces, inflating the middle ear, injecting medicaments, etc., will make no permanent impression so long as constitutional conditions remain unchanged.'"

"Persistent medication, with careful attention to hygiene, may yield an amelioration of the trouble, but it is a very great affliction, hampering the individual in a business way and shorting out most enjoyment, even a slight improvement is well worth working for."

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets constitute the best, most reliable and economic internal remedy for catarrh of the throat, nose and sinuses, as they do through the blood, they search out and attack the disease wherever it may lurk. That this medicine cures catarrhal deafness is attested by many worthy and reliable people."

Mr. C. R. Rembrandt, of Rochester, N. Y., says: "I have suffered much from catarrh of the head, throat and stomach. I used sprays, inhalers and powders for months at a time, with only slight relief, and had no hope of cure. I had not the means to make a change of climate, which seemed my only chance of cure. Last spring I read an account of some remarkable cures made by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and promptly bought a fifty-cent box from my druggist, and obtained such positive benefit from that one package that I continued to use them daily, until I now consider myself entirely free from the disgusting annoyance of catarrh; my head is clear, my digestion all I could ask, and my hearing, which had begun to fail as a result of the catarrh, has greatly improved, until I can hear as well as ever."

Mr. James W. Brown says: "I suffered from catarrhal deafness for years, and spent hundreds of dollars with specialists, without relief. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets completely cured my catarrh, and today I can hear as well as I ever could."

F. Mitchell Haves, the famous baritone, in a personal letter to a friend, said: "I am going back to my beloved profession, and I am going back with a new lease of life. I know, for when I last saw you I never expected to sing again, but I am entirely cured of my catarrh, and my hearing is now as acute as ever. I used Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and in three weeks they had done more for me than all the specialists to whom I paid thousands of dollars, and now I am entirely cured. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by all druggists at 50 cents a box. Try them and you will become their advocate and friend."

## Omega Oil

FOR CHILDREN—If your little boy or girl comes home from school or play with a sore throat, the first thing to do is to rub the throat and chest with Omega Oil. There isn't a bit of danger in using it freely, for there is no turpentine or ammonia in it. A whole barrelful of it would not burn or blister the tenderest skin. Children like to have their mothers rub it on them, because it smells so nice and is such a beautiful green color. It is a pure vegetable oil liniment, which does not evaporate, and you must keep rubbing it in until it is all taken up by the pores. Mothers ought to remember that "a stitch in time saves nine," and keep a bottle of Omega Oil in the house all the time. A bottle of it on the shelf is a necessity in every home. It is a protection and a safeguard, much the same as a lock on your door. You may not need it very often, but when you DO need it, you need it bad.



Your druggist sells Omega Oil or can get it for you at a wholesale druggist. The Omega Chemical Co., 257 Broadway, New York, will mail a bottle, prepaid, for 50c. in cash, money order or stamp.

MEAN TRICK ON SAM'S PART. "I don't like a chile to be so sly and craftable as dat Sam Washington," said Mr. Jones, with some severity. "I'm glad he ain't any chile ob mine, I certainly am."

"What's Sam been doing now, honey?" inquired Mrs. Jones, without any great display of interest. "It's what he ain't been doing," said her husband. "I was walking 'long de road and saw dat boy little way ahead, carrying two big pineapples, one under each arm. So I say to myself, 'Sam's been lucky, and I'll step up and 'gratulate him, and den mebbe he'll offer me part ob one.'"

"So when I gets close up behind him, I whispers in his ear, 'Sam, how much you take for one ob dose pineapples?'" and dat boy Sam turn round and look at me, and say 'Twa't Sam at all. 'Twas 'nother boy entirely. "No, ma'am, I don't want any chile ob mine to be as sly as dat Sam!"

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THREE BUSY STORES,  
228, 230, 232 Dundas Street, London.

## February Opportunities

Everybody knows this is a Bargain Month at the "Three Busy Stores." We submit the following offerings  
The Prices Tell Their Own Story For This Sale.

40-INCH PLAIN WHITE PILLOW COTTON, only 80 per yard.  
42-inch Plain White Pillow Cotton, 90 per yard.  
46-inch Plain White Pillow Cotton, 150 per yard.

### Lace Curtain Sale of Nottingham Curtains.

75c Curtains, 3 yards long, 43 inches wide, sale price 50c pair.  
\$1 Lace Curtains, 8 1/2 yards long, sale price 75c pair.  
\$1 25 Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, fine patterns, sale price \$1 pair.  
A lot of Carpet Ends of good carpets, 7c, 10c, 15c, 19c each.

### Staple Department--Cut Prices Here.

Heavy Blue Denim, for smocks and overalls; regular 20c, cut price 15c yard.  
Heavy Cottonade, for pants; regular 25c, cut price 19c yard.  
12 1/2c Cottonade, in stripes, cut price 10c yard.

### The Cotton Department

Is where you are saving lots of money. We are right busy here, big parcels going out every day. Call and you will see the reason why. No such values in the city.

27 yards of Good Factory for \$1.  
Another lot of those Blankets, pink borders, in white and gray, 60c and 75c pair.

Just in, GUIPURE LACE INSERTION, in narrow and wide widths, 8c, 10c, 15c, 20c yard. All cut prices. New patterns.

Special line of beautiful quality, double-faced Satin Ribbon, in cream and white only, wide widths, have sold the same goods often for 25c yard. Here is a snap for you, ladies, at 10c yard. First come, first served.

### Our Embroidery Sale Continues Under Cut Prices.

5 inches wide, deep work Embroidery, sale price 50c per yard.  
Special line of Embroidery at cut prices, 1c, 2c, 3c and 4c per yard.  
Special lines of Fine Embroidery at 7c, 8c, 10c yard.  
Special line of Embroidery Insertion at 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c per yard. Fine goods.  
SEE OUR TABLE OF FINE CORSETS, prices up to 75c, odd sizes; one price for the lot, 25c per pair. See if we have your size.

See our Large Window for COTTON AND CASHMERE Hosiery. Sale price in window.

Special line of Blue and White, Pink and White Check Gingham; regular 12 1/2c, cut price 10c yard.

One line of FANCY GRAY AND WHITE GINGHAMS; regular 15c, cut price 10c yard.

Special line of NAVY BLUE HEAVY SERGE FLANNEL; regular 15c, cut price 10c yard.

See our Table of 10c and 12 1/2c Wrapperette, sale price 8c yard.

SEE OUR WINDOW FOR SPECIAL PRICES IN VALENCIENNES AND ORIENTAL LACES.

7 inches wide Embroidery, worked red on white, sale price 10c and 12 1/2c yard.

CASH'S FRILLING; regular 15c and 20c, selling now at 8c and 10c yard.

Special line of MANUFACTURERS' LACE CURTAIN ENDS; regular 20c and 25c, cut price now 15c and 19c each for this sale.

### Clearing Out Gents' Underwear Department.

Cut Prices on Everything.  
A lot of Men's Undershirts, no drawers; shirts sold at half price.  
Men's Black Cashmere Hose, 15c pair.

## CAR JUMPED THE TRACK

And Fourteen Persons Were Injured.

A Keeper Trampled to Death by a Vicious Bull at Niagara Falls.

Young Rancher Poisoned by Eating Canned Chicken--Another Victim of the New York Fire.

FELL BENEATH A CAR.

Toronto, Feb. 25.--William Foley, 151 Farley avenue, an elderly man, slipped on the snow and fell beneath a car on Bathurst street yesterday morning. He was probably fatally injured. His left arm was amputated at the emergency hospital.

CANNED CHICKEN DID IT.

Calgary, N. W. T., Feb. 25.--A young rancher named Eric McKay has been poisoned by eating canned chicken. He died after two days' illness.

SHOT HIMSELF.

Banff, N. W. T., Feb. 25.--Wm. Jack, a shoemaker, committed suicide here by shooting as a result of despondency from ill-health.

FOURTEEN PERSONS HURT.

Jackson, Mich., Feb. 25.--Yesterday a suburban car on the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and Jackson Electric Line, west bound, was wrecked while running at high speed around the sharp curve just east of the city limits, and fourteen persons were injured.

The passengers who were hurt are: Rev. Herbert, of Grass Lake; Charles Whitaker, of Chelsea; and Whitaker, Sandwich; M. J. Lehman, Detroit; Mrs. Emma Simpson and daughter Mary, Chelsea; Fred Schmidt, Ann Arbor; P. A. Rowley, Van Wert, Ohio; Otis Hough, Marcellus; Ora Moore, Sunfield; Fred Brosamle, Chelsea.

The car was thrown from the tracks and rolled over on its side, the trucks running on for some distance. It is little short of a miracle that no one was killed.

KILLED BY A BULL.

Niagara Falls, Feb. 25.--Telephones Selg, a brother at the Carmelite monastery at Fall's View, was killed by a Jersey bull on Saturday. Brother Telephones, who was employed as a farm hand, is supposed to have gone into the stall where the bull was kept to feed him, when the bull attacked him, killed him and trampled him to death. The brother was found dead with the animal standing over him. Brother Telephones had been connected with the monastery and had been in the past fifteen years, he having come from Germany, and was 50 years of age. The bull was never known to be a vicious one.

KILLED ON THE WABASH.

Minneapolis, Feb. 25.--Frank Way, aged 24, who lived with George Dible, one-half mile north of Cone, was struck by an east-bound fast train on the Wabash, due here at 11:10 a.m., and instantly killed. Way was walking on the track.

BRACKMAN KILLED.

Philadelphia, Feb. 25.--Two freight trains on the P. and R. Railway collided yesterday near Ridgeport, Pa., about five miles from the city. Conductor George Delancy, of Philadelphia, was instantly killed, and Brackman Cook, Brackman McKimney and Brackman Schwenk, also of this city, were badly injured. The wreck was due to the lack of signal facilities, owing to the destruction of wires by the recent storm.

ANOTHER FIRE VICTIM.

New York, Feb. 25.--Mrs. Carolina L. R. Hall, of Newark, N. J., who was burned in the Park Avenue Hotel fire Saturday morning, died yesterday in New York hospital. She was 80 years old, and was the widow of the Rev. Dr. Samuel E. Hall, who was secretary and treasurer of the Seamen's Friend Society.

EXPLAINED.

"There is a very intimate nervous connection between the brain and the stomach," said the scientific man. "That explains it," answered the humble man who is willing to learn. "What?"

"The reason why nearly every big political alliance or financial deal has failed, owing to the destruction of wires by the recent storm."

STARRING HIMSELF

Lacroix, the Montebello Murderer, Breaking Down Under the Strain.

Ottawa, Feb. 25.--Stanislaus Lacroix, the condemned murderer, still refuses to eat anything. His last meal was dinner on Thursday. Since then he has refused all food. The enforced fast and the terrible mental and nervous strain he is suffering under are developing signs of a break in his health. Unless he partakes of food soon there will be a collapse, followed perhaps by death. In normal health he was a robust man. There is now a drawn, haggard look about his face, and the cheekbones accentuating the gaunt appearance.

Before he received news that his case was hopeless, Lacroix spent a great part of his time reading religious books. He does so no longer. The phantom of the gallows seems to be always in his mental eye, and he cannot get away from it. He is watched day and night by a double guard.

NEW THEATRE FOR QUEBEC.

Quebec, Feb. 25.--The building of the new grand theater in this city is now definitely decided upon. A. J. Small, of Toronto, the famous lessee and manager of Western Canadian theaters, arrived in the city on Saturday, accompanied by W. S. Plater, of New York, the American theatrical architect to look at the site and arrange for proceeding with the work at once.

## MUNYON'S DYSPEPSIA CURE

When Prof. Munyon says his Dyspepsia Cure will cure indigestion and all forms of stomach trouble, he is not bluffing. It will cure a stomach that has been abused by over-eating and over-drinking. It will cure a stomach that has been weakened by old-style drugs. It will do much toward making an old stomach act like a sound one. At all druggists, 25 cents. Fifty-six other cures. Munyon, New York and Philadelphia.

MUNYON'S INHALER CURES CATARRH.

A SHARP BLOW TO THE STOCK MARKET.

Henry Clews & Co.'s View of President Roosevelt's Recent Decision.

New York, Feb. 24.--Henry Clews & Co.'s circular of Feb. 23, says: "The action of the administration against the Northern Securities Company was a sharp blow to the stock market, and will be likely to deprive it of much of the support given upon the expectation that the merger would be sustained in the courts. As other important mergers than the Northern Pacific and Great Northern were under way, and would undoubtedly have been carried through in event of a favorable decision, the various bankers' plans for combination will meet with much delay if not final defeat, depriving the market of one of its recent supports. It is not to be supposed, however, that these plans will be quietly abandoned. The case will be stubbornly contested in the courts; and, if this method of controlling competition or giving community of interest some tangible form through security-holding companies is not successful, other means will unquestionably be attempted. It is far better, therefore, that the uncertainty should be settled before the creation is ventured of a vast mass of securities whose legal status could be upset after they had been distributed among the public.

"The market will require some time to recuperate from the disappointment of the Northern Securities developments. Considerable liquidation has resulted and more may follow, as large quantities of stocks have been held in anticipation of a favorable decision. The outlook now is for a prolonged contest between legal giants. The issues are finely drawn, and no one can foresee the final decision of the Supreme Court, which it may be months and perhaps years in rendering. Stocks will now have to sell more closely on their merits, and the holders must educate themselves that their value is now dependent upon present national prosperity and not upon indefinite 'community-of-interest' actions."

Drugging Will Not Cure Catarrh.

This loathsome disease is caused by germs that invade the air passages of the head, throat and lungs, and can be cured only by inhalation of medicated air. Stomach medicines, atomizers, snuffs are ineffectual, because they fail to reach the cause of the trouble. Catarrh is successful because it is inhaled to every part of the breathing organs, and has power to kill the germ, heal the inflamed tissues and prevent droppings in the throat. Catarrh treats more than one thousand square feet of the mucous surface with every breath taken through the inhaler and affords instant relief. It perfectly cures catarrh, asthma and bronchitis. Sold by druggists. Two months' treatment, price, \$1. Small size, 50 cents, or by mail from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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T. W. SCANDRETT-BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., 38 Dundas street, London.

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WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS, 215 Dundas street, near Edw. Bros., over Calhoun's & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 23.

McDONALD & CUNNINGHAM-DENTISTS, 133 1/2 Dundas street. Phone 702.

DR. W. S. WESTLAND, DENTIST--Furgraduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago. Edge Hotel, Richmond street. Phone 25. Residence, 257 Queen's avenue. Phone 420.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST--Successor to the late Dr. Davis. Specialty, preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dundas street. Phone 25.

INSURANCE.

Queen Insurance Co.

Funds available for security of Queen policy holders. J. A. NELLES, Agent, 22 Richmond street.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY  
176-178 Dundas Street,  
London, Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1902.

## Big Sale of Handy Things in Wire Goods.

"A man can work from sun to sun,"  
But a woman's work is never done."  
So runs the old adage, and the truth of it is exemplified every day. But men are constantly inventing new devices for the saving of labor. Our Wire Goods Department is full of them. Some specially priced goods for Wednesday's selling:

10 dozen Anchor Sink Brushes, regular 10c, Wednesday, for 5c	New Improved Egg Whips, Wednesday, 10c
5 dozen Toasting Forks, regular 5c each, Wednesday, for 3c	Large Wire Vegetable Broilers, regular 12c, Wednesday, for 9c
18 only, Dover Egg Beaters, Wednesday, 10c	12 only, Teapot Stands, Wednesday, for 4c
25 dozen Wire Egg Whips, regular 10c each, Wednesday, 2 for 5c	5 dozen Pot Chains, with handle, Wednesday, 5c
27 only, Wire Clothes Lines, 50 feet long, regular 25c, Wednesday, for 15c	2 dozen Wire Toasters, with wooden-tipped handle, Wednesday, for 5c
25 dozen Coat and Hat Hooks, nickel or brass plated, regular 20c, Wednesday, for 15c	Wire Vegetable Lifter and Drainer, regular 7c, Wednesday, for 5c
3 dozen Potato Mashers, Wednesday, 4c	25 only, Wire Knife and Fork Trays, regular 25c, Wednesday, for 15c
6 only Wire Broilers, Wednesday, 5c	Large Wire Pot Chains, with handle, Wednesday, for 15c
	Improved Potato Mashers, special offer for Wednesday, 10c

**Pretty Shirt Waists, 38c.**  
This line of shirt waists includes black sateen, black muslin, and pretty light waists in chambray, muslin and prints. Some nicely trimmed with insertion. Different styles. These waists sold regularly for two and three times as much, Wednesday, your choice. 38c

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### "RUSH" WEDDINGS

Romantic Sequel to a Snow-Blockade--A Soldier's Rapid-Fire Marriage.

DUTY WON.

Chicago, Feb. 25.--While his comrades of the Twenty-Ninth Infantry Regiment looked on from the windows of the train that was to bear them away to San Francisco, Corporal Herman Johnson, of Company I, was married at Fort Sheridan to Miss Bessie Wilson, of Fort Wayne, Ind. The chap



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## Ontario.

The Ontario Minister of Agriculture has issued a valuable pamphlet on New Ontario as a field for settlement, and Old Ontario as the banner agricultural Province. From the contents of the pamphlet we propose to draw freely in the following article.

It is contended with truth that no portion of the American continent offers greater advantages to the settler who with little or no capital desires to establish himself and attain a comfortable independence than does the Province of Ontario. Embracing a total land area of 219,650 miles or 140,516,000 acres, lying within the great grain belt of North America, endowed with magnificent natural resources in the fertility of its soil, the wealth of its mineral deposits and the value of its timber, and possessing a climate eminently healthful and bracing, Ontario ranks as the most progressive and advanced agricultural community in America. Indisputable evidence of her superiority in this respect was afforded at the World's Fair in Chicago in 1893, when Ontario was adjudged the front place as to live stock, dairy and fruit exhibits and stood equal to any competing Province or State in the variety and excellence of her general farm products. Today there is no division of the continent that produces in such perfection and variety the grains, grasses, roots, fruits and live stock to be found on the farms of Ontario. The natural energy, industry and intelligence of the people are unsurpassed elsewhere, and the advantages of the soil and climate have been supplemented by the adoption of the most advanced scientific methods of agriculture. For many years the government of the Province has devoted special attention to the encouragement of agriculture in all its branches, in which they have been heartily supported by the Legislature. The liberal appropriations of public money made for this purpose have placed within the reach of the farming community the latest results of scientific research and investigation in relation to practical agriculture. The total amount expended by the Government for the encouragement of agriculture during twenty-nine years, ending with 1900, is in round numbers about \$5,000,000.

The agricultural instruction and experimental work carried on at the Guelph Agricultural College has done much to raise the standard of agriculture throughout the Province. Trained specialists in every department have placed their knowledge and skill at the disposal of the farming community, more especially in the important branches of live stock, dairying and horticulture. The result has been the attainment of such a high standard of excellence in many Ontario farm products as to lead to a continually increasing demand in Britain for our agricultural staples, more especially Ontario cheese.

Since the establishment of dairy schools and the sending out of traveling dairies as a means of instructing farmers in the best methods of butter making equal progress is being made in that department, and the butter produced in the Province is attaining an excellent reputation abroad as shown by the great increase in quantity exported.

Cheese in Ontario is produced entirely in factories, mostly run on the co-operative plan, and the same system is being rapidly introduced in the manufacture of butter, though most of the latter product is still produced by the domestic dairies. The number of cheese factories in operation in the province in 1899 was 1,203, producing 123,329,923 pounds of cheese, valued at \$12,120,857, while the number of creameries or butter factories was only 232, producing 9,113,964 pounds of butter, valued at \$1,746,562. Even this shows a rapid increase in butter factories, as there were only 74 in 1893. The area under pasture in 1899 was returned by the municipal assessors as 2,710,263 acres. In connection with the dairy industry the following figures for live stock in the province for the year 1900 are of interest: Cattle, 2,429,330; horses, 617,309; sheep, 1,797,213; hogs, 1,771,641; poultry, 9,541,241. These figures fairly represent the relative proportions of the various kinds of live stock under the mixed farming pursued in Ontario.

The latest returns of the Ontario Department of Agriculture for 1899 show that the assessed farm lands of Ontario comprise a total of 22,670,558 acres, of which 13,111,292 acres are cleared and under cultivation. The yield of the principal products in 1900 in bushels was as follows: Fall wheat, 23,369,737; spring wheat, 6,940,335; barley, 16,969,751; oats, 89,693,251; rye, 2,357,655; peas, 14,058,188; buckwheat, 1,514,251; beans, 529,373; potatoes, 2,476,433; mangel-wurzel, 54,728,625; corn, 3,469,125; turnips, 50,260,265; corn (maize), 27,062,561. Hay and clover were produced to the extent of 2,132,145 tons, and the tobacco crop amounted to 2,654,900 pounds.

During the last generation the province has witnessed a complete revolution in agricultural methods and processes—largely owing to the educational work carried on by the Government. This has resulted in the substitution of mixed farming for the system of raising little else besides grain,

which was formerly general. The advantages of the change are obvious from every point of view. When the farmer places his sole or main dependence upon the wheat crop the failure of the harvest for a single season entails severe hardship, if not absolute ruin. With mixed farming in operation, the loss of a season's grain crop is much less heavily felt, as there are other sources of income in stock and dairy produce. In addition to this consideration, mixed farming on a stock-raising basis contributes greatly to maintaining the fertility of the soil, which is rapidly impoverished by successive grain crops unless its productivity is renewed by lavish manuring.

The great amount of attention now devoted to stock-raising and dairy production has given a great impetus to the prosperity of Ontario farming, despite the decrease of prices which has affected agriculture throughout the world. Other branches which have made specially noteworthy progress are fruit-growing and poultry-raising, which have materially increased the farmer's source of income and enlarged the sum total of agricultural production. The character of the soil and climate of Ontario are admirably adapted for mixed farming. All kinds of stock and poultry thrive well with proper care, and the greater attention now devoted to breeding and the choice of the best varieties has been abundantly rewarded by the position now held by the horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry of the Province and their various products in the markets of Britain and the United States.

## Significance of the Lisgar Victory.

The victory of Mr. Stewart, the Liberal candidate in Lisgar, is even more significant than at first evident. The Legislature of Manitoba was adjourned in the closing weeks of the campaign, and their followers flocked into the constituency to aid their candidate, Mr. Toombs. When election day came, however, it was found that he was hopelessly in the rear, not polling enough of votes to save his deposit. This is explained by the fact that a few days before the election, when it became evident that he could not win the word was passed around by the Conservative managers that he should be sacrificed, and that all hands should vote for Mr. Richardson, the "Independent," who, it was hoped, might by this means beat the Liberal nominee. The venture proved a disastrous one to Opposition prestige, for while it put the Conservative candidate entirely out of the race, it was far from sufficient to overcome Mr. Stewart's personal popularity and the strength of the Government case. The outcome of the election is another personal triumph for the Minister of the Interior, for while it is true that the policy of the Ministry was subject to some attention, the great effort of the opponents of the Liberal candidate was to bring Hon. Mr. Sifton into disrepute with the electors. This is not the first contest in which such tactics have been put in use against the Minister of the Interior, but he has never flinched in face of his antagonists, and he has invariably brought them to confusion and disaster. We congratulate this talented son of Middlesex on his latest noteworthy achievement.

## Euthanasia.

The silly season is not yet due, but we note that the Spectator (London) has opened its columns to a correspondence on the euthanasia, or what, for those who prefer English to Greek, we may call "The Happy Dispatch." It is suggested that those who are weary of the world may be allowed to depart in the pleasantest fashion possible. Men do not believe in Dante's hell of suicides, and they question Shakespeare's statement that the Creator has fixed his canon 'gainst self-slaughter. It is stated in the course of this controversy that the famous Mr. Nobel offered to endow a death chamber in Italy to be used by those whose sufferings made life unbearable; they were to have a good banquet, and good cigars after, and then the gas was to be turned on, and in a few minutes would be the deadly business. It is stated that this remarkable man always carried an effective poison, to be ready in case he was struck by a painful and mortal malady. In his case nature did the business so speedily that no assistance was needed from science. Such discussions may serve a purpose, but from our point of view they are decidedly morbid. In justice, we must say that the Spectator itself decidedly opposes any lessening of the responsibility with regard to bearing one's own burdens and doing one's own duty. The temper and religion of Britons, as a rule, leads them to take a healthy view of this subject and to regard life as a sacred trust, so that it is a shameful, cowardly thing to flee from one's post. Although we must confess that the condemnation of suicide expressed in a barbarous fashion, yet the instinctive feeling of such condemnation was just. It is better for some to suffer than to have the sense of life's sacredness lessened. Then as for the suggestion of ridding society of those whom "the man of science" counts pests, in the carnival of death, it may be found that people who are not "scientific" can play at that game.

A Montreal judge has decided that "heckling" a public man in a meeting called to discuss public questions is legal. It is certainly justifiable to question a public man on his record at the close of his address, and those who object to it are not the best

friends of the side he espouses. In Great Britain it has always been recognized as one of the best methods of getting things sifted out for the information of the taxpayer. In Canada we have always been a little impatient in dealing with the "heckler," but now that his legal standing is upheld he may be given a show.

## Mr. Hyman and the Railway Committee.

The Toronto Globe, speaking of the appointment of Mr. C. S. Hyman, M. P., to the Chairmanship of the Railway Committee, has the following to say:

"There could hardly be a better choice for Chairman of the Railway Committee of the House of Commons than Mr. C. S. Hyman, of London. This committee is perhaps the most important of all the committees of Parliament, and it is only at its meetings that measures sought by railway promoters and railway corporations are thoroughly considered. Mr. Hyman is far from being a popularity-hunter, and as yet has taken a very modest part in the business of Parliament. It is questionable, however, if there is an able man in the Liberal contingent from Ontario, and he is certain if he remains in politics to become one of the very first men in the House. He is quick, firm, even-tempered, and we believe, sufficiently resolute when the public interests need to be protected. As Chairman of the Railway Committee he has it in his power to do very great public service."

Mr. Crawford, M.P.P., says he did not invest a dollar in American ranching lands. Neither did Hon. Mr. Dryden. He simply had an interest in the cattle that occupied the Dakota ranches. The Conservatives papers do not yet seem to have caught on.—Kingston Whig.

They do not wish to catch on. In the absence of legitimate cause for finding fault, they are ready to make a mountain out of a molehill. The public, however, are sizing up the situation, and not to the disadvantage of the progressive Administration of Hon. George W. Ross and his colleagues.

## A Well-Known Fact.

[St. John Telegraph.] New bridges are being built, the old ones strengthened and new rails laid and the roadbed ballasted on the old sections of the I. C. R. to permit of the employment of the new heavy engines. Whole divisions of the old I. C. R. have been relaid with heavy rails, etc., for this purpose. It is a well known fact that when the present minister of railways took over the management of the I. C. R. the roadbed, etc., was in a disgraceful condition.

## SUN CHANCES HANDS

Paul A. Dana Said To Be No Longer in Control.

New York, Feb. 24.—The Sun is now in the absolute control of W. M. Laffan, it is believed. For two days the name of Dana has been conspicuously absent from the editorial page of the Sun, immediately underneath the title. No announcement was made by the paper, but it is believed that the famous editor of the Sun, the paper, it has been understood, has been in charge of his son, Paul A. Dana.

In the newspaper world he has been considered the owner and publisher of the Sun, and the surprise that came with the apparent declaration that the Sun had passed from his control was great.

## LITTLE DROPS OF WATER.

One of the Chinese modes of punishment, especially when it is desired to extort a confession from a criminal, is to place him where a drop of water will fall on one certain spot of his shaven crown for hours. This is a sure cure for the torture this inflicted was once experienced by Sandow, the "strong man," says the World's Events.

When Sandow was in Vienna a few years ago a schoolmaster made a wager with him that he would not be able to let a half-liter of water drop on his hand until the measure was exhausted. Sandow laughed at the idea.

The measure was procured and a hole drilled in the bottom sufficient to let the water escape on his hand drop by drop. The experiment began. Sandow chatted gaily at first. The schoolmaster stood by and counted the drops as they fell. At the two hundredth Sandow became less jovial, then became sober, and an expression of pain crossed his face. At the three hundredth his hand began to swell and grow red. The pain increased and at length became excruciating. Then the schoolmaster finally at the four hundred and twentieth drop Sandow acknowledged his defeat.

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## THE PRINCE MEETS ALICE

Henry of Prussia Entertained at the White House.

Split in Vanderbilt Family Over Entertaining the Royal Visitor.

Crooks on Kron Prinz—One Had \$40,000 of Unset Diamonds on His Person—The Emperor's Yacht.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Special preparations have been made for the reception of Prince Henry of Prussia and his suite at the White House. All of the state departments on the first floor had received much attention from the government florists, but the decorations of the three communicating parlors, the blue room, where the president and the prince met and exchanged greetings, the red parlor, occupied by Mrs. and Miss Roosevelt, and the green room, where there were assembled the members of the cabinet and their ladies and a few invited guests, were exquisitely beautiful.

The prince and his party were received with all the honors due the occasion, and the party was ushered into the east room, and from there the prince alone was conducted to the blue parlor, where the president was waiting to receive him. In conformity with diplomatic etiquette the president received the royal visitor in private and without introduction. After greetings had been tendered the president led the prince into the red parlor and introduced him to Mrs. Roosevelt and his daughter, Miss Alice. After a few moments in the green room and introduced to the members of the cabinet.

The party then proceeded to the east room, where the members of the prince's suite were introduced to the president. The entire ceremony occupied just 30 minutes. The conversation between the president and the prince was of a purely formal nature, and had no political significance further than that it contained the usual general expressions of international amity and good-will.

AT THE GERMAN EMBASSY. Prince Henry arrived at the German embassy shortly after 11 o'clock, the approach of the party being announced by the shrill notes of cavalry bugles. A battalion of engineers fringed the embassy. As the party entered the engineers' band broke into "My Country, 'Tis of Thee." Once within the German embassy his imperial highness was indeed at home. Tremendous cheering from the crowds at 11:40 announced the coming of the prince, and the prince returned the call of Prince Henry.

As the president stepped out of the carriage the German ambassador was at the door to greet him. There was a momentary exchange of greetings, and then the president passed up the stairway to the drawing-room, where the prince was awaiting his coming. Prince Henry stepped forward and greeted the president most cordially, and there was an exchange of greetings between the president and prince remained together for about ten minutes, being left alone at first, and later being joined by an antechamber.

Following the call of the president, the German ambassador of the District of Columbia, who extended to the prince the welcome of the city of Washington.

Extremes Case of Nervousness. Female Weakness and Exhaustion—Had a Very Painful Operation—Was Pale and Weak and Fainted Often—Doctors Failed to Help Her.

There is scarcely a limit to the sufferings which women endure when their nervous systems become run down and give way beneath the burden of their lives. There are many cases where the sufferer is unable to do her duty, and where the result of a low state of vitality and depletion of nerve force is a nervous breakdown.

Every woman who reads with interest the following letter from a lady who has been cured of a serious illness by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, will be glad to see the testimonials she reads are not half strong enough.

Mrs. Benjamin Hatfield, Hilliard, Ohio, writes: "For three years I was a sufferer from extreme nervousness and female weakness, and found it necessary to undergo a most painful operation. I was pale and weak, had no appetite, and would sometimes faint two or three times a day. For seven weeks I was under the doctor's care, but he seemed unable to help me. Despairing of recovery I took the advice of a friend, who told me that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food would build me up and make me strong and well again. After four months' use of this preparation I found myself greatly improved, and continued the treatment for one year, using in all sixteen boxes. I have been blessed with a young daughter now, and believe that I am as strong and well as ever in my life. As a result I cannot say too much in favor of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. It has performed a complete and healthy cure, and I am now as strong and well as ever in my life. The testimonials I see are not half strong enough. I am my friend and acquaintance, and many of them join me in pronouncing Dr. Chase's Nerve Food the most effective restorative obtainable. Deriving the greatest benefit by my happy experience with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I willingly give you permission to use the testimonials in your advertisement. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is an up-to-date scientific preparation of most extraordinary merit. It has proven itself the most effective nerve restorative of the age. It is certain to benefit everyone who uses it, because it forms new red corpuscles in the blood and creates new nerve force. It is especially new nerve force in the case of female weakness and nervousness. A box, six boxes for \$2.00. At all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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## After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heavily, to prevent constipation, take

## Hood's Pills

Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

## THE MARKETS.

## THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SONS' REPORT.  
London, Tuesday, Feb. 25.  
Wheat, white, per bu. 78c to 80c  
Wheat, red, per bu. 78c to 80c  
Oats, per bu. 41c to 42c  
Peas, per bu. 11c to 12c  
Corn, per bu. 52c to 53c  
Barley, per bu. 52c to 53c  
Buckwheat, per bu. 52c to 53c

Very little grain came in today, and prices were steady and unchanged. Only a few oats offered. Hay was scarce, and sold at \$10 for good and \$9.50 for poor. Quotations as given below are based on latest transactions.

## GRAIN.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. 1.20 @ 1.23  
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs. 1.19 @ 1.22  
Oats, per 100 lbs. 1.15 @ 1.18  
Peas, per 100 lbs. 1.15 @ 1.18  
Corn, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.12  
Barley, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.12  
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.12  
Rye, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.12

## HAY AND SEEDS.

Hay, per ton 10.00 @ 10.50  
Straw, per ton 5.00 @ 5.50  
Timothy seed, per bu. 2.00 @ 2.50  
Clover seed, red, per bu. 1.50 @ 2.00  
Clover seed, white, per bu. 1.50 @ 2.00

## FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

There was an exceedingly small attendance of farmers at the market here this morning. The light offerings is partly due to the bad roads and the fact that farmers as a rule have very little produce to sell. We need not expect any large attendance till Easter.

Hay and Straw—Only about 10 loads on sale, and as yesterday's offerings were light, the price advanced 50c to \$1 per ton, selling at \$9 to \$10 per ton; the demand is good.

Butter and Eggs—The offerings in this line are light with prices as quoted; there is an excellent demand for both butter and eggs.

Apples and Vegetables—Very few of the first-named article on sale; prices are unchanged.

Potatoes—More plentiful, and prices are inclined to be easier. 70c per bag was paid for a couple of choice loads.

Poultry—In fair supply, at 11c to 12c per lb for turkeys; geese, ducks and chickens hold their own, with prices steady.

Dressed Hogs—About 20 on sale; mostly at \$7.50 to \$7.75 per cwt, and in a few instances \$8 per cwt, as per bag was paid for a couple of choice loads.

Meats—Firm; the supply is fair. Wool—Easier in price; washed selling at 11c to 12c per lb; unwashed at 6c to 7c per lb.

## WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES.

Eggs, store lots, doz. 18 @ 20  
Butter, store lots, doz. 17 @ 18  
Butter, creamery, lb. 20 @ 22  
Butter, store lots, doz. 17 @ 18

## VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag 70 @ 80  
Onions, per bag 40 @ 50  
Caulery, per doz. 20 @ 30  
Savory and sage, doz. 20 @ 30  
Mint, per doz. 20 @ 30  
Parsley, per doz. 15 @ 25

## LIVE HOGS.

Hogs, small, per pair 4.00 @ 6.00  
Hogs, select, per pair 5.00 @ 7.00  
Hogs, light, per 100 lbs. 5.50 @ 6.50  
Hogs, singers, per 100 lbs. 5.75 @ 6.75  
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs. 5.50 @ 6.50

## DRESSED HOGS.

Dressed hogs, light, 7.00 @ 7.25  
Dressed, 100 lbs. select, 7.50 @ 7.75  
Dressed, 100 lbs. heavy, 6.00 @ 6.25

## DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, lb. rolls, baskets, 20 @ 22  
Butter, cream, lb. 20 @ 22  
Butter, creamery, lb. 20 @ 22  
Butter, store lots, doz. 17 @ 18  
Eggs, doz. 18 @ 20  
Eggs, doz. new laid, 20 @ 22  
Honey, per lb. 10 @ 12  
Cheese, per lb. 10 @ 12  
Lard, per lb. wholesale, 11 @ 12

## POULTRY.

Geese, per lb. 7 @ 7.50  
Turkeys, per lb. 11 @ 12  
Ducks, per lb. 11 @ 12  
Chickens, per lb. 4 @ 5  
Hens, per pair, live, 40 @ 50

## MEATS, HIDES, ETC.

Beef, per lb. 7 @ 7.50  
Beef, carcasses, 7 @ 7.50  
Mutton, quarters, per lb. 6 @ 7  
Lamb, quarters, per lb. 6 @ 7  
Lambkins, green, 20 @ 25  
Lambkins, 20 @ 25

## Tomato SEED

Should be started now, in a sunny window or hothouse.

Hamilton's near King St.

## OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 24—Oil closed at \$1.15.  
OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 24—Credit balance, \$1.15; certificates, no bid.  
LONDON, Feb. 24—American Petroleum, American refined, 41.50; spirits, 76d.  
ANTWERP, Feb. 24—Petroleum, 17 francs 50 centimes.  
BREMEN, Feb. 24—Petroleum, 6 marks 35 pfennigs.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 25—Oil opened at \$1.15.

## TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Feb. 24—Baled hay—There is a good demand and a steady market. No. 1 timothy on track here brings \$10.50; medium sells at \$9.50 to \$10; on the board of trade on call \$10.50 was bid this morning for two cars of No. 1 timothy on track here, but there were no sales.

Baled straw—Demand is good and the market steady, with fair offerings; prices are steady at \$5.50 on track here.

## AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24—Grain prices tumbled at the opening of the board of trade today. Then the bears gave them a vigorous push and everything went downhill and struck low level with a pretty hard bump. The warm weather and prospects of grain in plenty was the cause of the slump. May wheat closed with a net loss of 1/8c. May corn 1/8c, and May oats 1/8c. Provisions lost 2c to 1/4c here. Local receipts of wheat were 11 cars, 1 of contract grade; Minneapolis (three days) and local receipts were 11 cars, 1 of contract grade; Minneapolis (three days) and local receipts were 11 cars, 1 of contract grade.

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## 80 PERSONS WERE ON HER PARLIAMENT

French Sailing Vessel Given Up as Lost.

Mr. Charlton Introduces His Tariff Resolution.

British Liberals Have a Good Chance to Win in the Near Future, Says a Well-Informed Unionist.

Favors a Tariff Based on the Principle of Reciprocity in Trade Conditions.

Calais, France, Feb. 25.—The maritime authorities here have posted as lost the sailing vessel Jules Jean Baptiste, bound for St. Malo, France, which has been long overdue. There were 80 persons on the vessel, including 60 passengers, mostly working people.

A LIBERAL HOPE IN TAXATION. London, Feb. 25.—The prevailing depression on the Liberal side is regarded by practical politicians as unreasonable. One of the best informed Unionists has admitted to me that a reform of taxation, both imperial and local, is the great question on which the party is divided. He believes that the future, and that the Liberals may return to power sooner than anybody now expects, if the ministers are unable to adopt a practical policy for relieving the burdens of the people with moderate means. The most influential class in the community is that of the middle class, and it is this class which is now taxed to the point of exhaustion and is ripe for a revolt against the ministry, if their burdens are increased.

NO INQUIRY INTO WAR CONDITIONS. Pressure upon the government for a thorough investigation into remounts and purchase contracts of all kinds for the army is steadily increasing. Lord Tweedmouth, supported by Lord Spencer and Rosebery, contended in the lords that a strong prima facie case has been made out already for an inquiry of a sweeping nature. Lord Tweedmouth contended that the demands of the united opposition, Mr. Bredrick is under fire daily in the commons on the same question, Mr. Lauchlin Currie, minister of agriculture, is also menaced with the revolt in their own ranks, unless they face the music and take adequate measures for the improvement of the military service. They have been playing with this serious subject in the absence of effective opposition.

BLOCKING SALE OF CANAL. Kingston, Jamaica, Feb. 25.—A letter received here from an important business house at Cartagena, Colombia, says that a large number of industrial people, including merchants, are turning to the support of the Liberals, through conviction that the present government of Colombia is not all possible to block the sale of the Panama Canal property to the United States.

CABLE NOTES. The new Japanese alliance is approved by the British cabinet. Permits for the return of refugees to the Rand are being issued at the rate of 1,000 monthly.

PROTEST FILED IN LAVAL. Montreal, Feb. 25.—Mr. C. A. Wilson, the defeated Liberal candidate in the recent bye-election in Laval, has taken proceedings to contest the election of Mr. J. L. Levesque, a Conservative, on the ground that the latter had used the usual statutory charges are alleged.

NEW C. P. R. HOTEL FOR OTTAWA. Ottawa, Feb. 25.—It is stated on reliable authority that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has purchased a site on Mackenzie street, near the intersection of the street with the river, for a new hotel. The site is situated on the corner of Mackenzie street and the river, and is a very desirable location for a hotel. The company has purchased the site for \$100,000, and it is expected that the hotel will be completed within a few months.

A MOUNTAIN OF ARSENIC. Seattle, Wash., Feb. 25.—John T. Davis and associates have discovered a mountain of arsenic in the vicinity of the city. The mountain is situated in the mountains of the Pacific Northwest, and is a very large deposit of arsenic. The discovery is of great importance, as arsenic is a valuable mineral, and it is expected that the mountain will be mined in the near future.

TOOK TWO YEARS TO DEVELOP LABIES. Covington, Ga., Feb. 25.—Liddell Childs, a 12-year-old boy suffering from hydrophobia, has been taken to Atlanta for the Pasteur treatment. The boy was bitten by a dog two years ago, and he has been suffering from hydrophobia ever since. He is now in a very bad state of health, and it is expected that he will die within a few days.

MURDER AND SUICIDE. Chicago, Feb. 25.—Angered because his persistent demands for a dowry sufficient to give him a start in housekeeping were refused, and seeking revenge, George Childers, a stenographer, yesterday shot and killed Henry Meyer, the girl's father, and slightly wounded Emma Meyer, his sister. The girl, who was 18 years old, was found dead at the door of her sweet heart's room.

ROBBED BY ROMANS. Rome, Feb. 25.—The Rev. Horace Dutton, of Boston, was robbed of seven hundred lire yesterday. He was bicycling in the country when his machine broke down and he accepted the offer of two men, who were driving in a cart, to take him to his room. When he arrived he found his money gone, and he was unable to find the thieves.

WILL you allow a cough to incite your throat to a consumptive's grave, when by the timely use of Bickel's Great Peppermint Cure you can prevent the danger avoided. This Syrup is pleasant to the taste and unobtrusive. It cures all the ailments of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., etc.

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preference that it was now enjoying its greatest prosperity; and the more we lowered it, the more prosperous would we become. His belief was that if Canada had never had the curse of protection, our population would have been twice what it is today, and our manufacturers twice as many.

The debate was continued tonight by Messrs. Bell (Picton), Heyd (Brandon), Spruille (East Grey), and Maclean (Toronto).

Hon. Mr. Fielding adjourned the debate. He said that it would not be expected that the government would make an announcement of its views at this stage, as such questions were always left to be dealt with in the budget speech. By adjourning the debate the question could be taken up again or merged in the budget speech. He informed Mr. Borden that he would be given the floor at 10 o'clock.

The house adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Riding an Avalanche.

"In all my wild mountaineering I have enjoyed only one avalanche ride," writes that lover of nature, John Muir, "and that was so sudden and the end of the danger that goes with this sort of travel, although one thinks first of snow several feet deep that Mr. Muir set out to climb one of the mountains in the Yosemite Park.

"Most of the way I sank waist-deep. In some places out of sight, and after spending the day to within half an hour of sundown in this loose, baffling snow work, I was still several hundred feet from the summit. But I still hoped to reach the top for the sunset.

It was not to get top views of any sort that day, for deep tramping near the canyon head, where the snow was strained, started an avalanche. The plodding wallowing down to the foot of the canyon as if by enchantment. The mile and then all day, the undoing descent perhaps a minute.

When the avalanche suddenly gave way, I instinctively threw myself on my back and spread my arms to try to keep from being hurt. For a moment I was free of the canyon was steep, it was not interrupted by steep levels or precipices big enough to cause outbouncing or free plunging. I was only moderately embedded on the surface, or a little below it, and I was not hurt.

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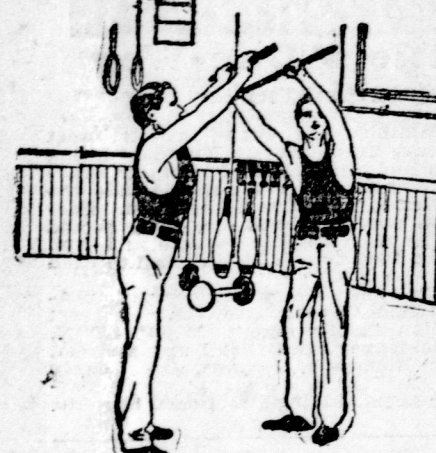
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Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., will  
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Goose feathers sold by the pound. Up-  
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Richmond street. Telephone, 997.

### \$10—Washington Excursions.—\$10

The next two excursions to Washing-  
ton, via Lehigh Valley Railroad,  
March 6 and 28. Tickets only \$10 from  
Suspension Bridge to Washington and  
return. Tickets good 10 days. Good  
for stop-over at Philadelphia on return  
trip. For tickets and further particu-  
lars call on or address Robert S. Lewis,  
Canadian passenger agent, 33 Yonge  
street, Board of Trade Building, To-  
ronto.  
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### Ballad's Black Marvel Polish

"Marvel Polish" is made on honor.  
The intelligent study of its use in-  
sures utmost benefit and satisfaction.  
It benefits all leather shoes and is  
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Polish is oil, and preserves shoes. It  
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MADE NEW.  
How? Bring it to us.  
Cost much? No, very little.  
When? Now, while the weather is  
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Bearings need cleaning.  
Perhaps fresh enamel.  
Some few parts should be re-  
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Any sickness we will doctor.  
Do a good job for little money.

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Provide for old age a competency, and  
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Collectors call weekly for deposits of 5 cents  
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### A Genteel Air

about the clothes that come from  
us. We show that the suit was made  
for the man.

### Southcott's,

361 Richmond St.

### METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Feb. 24-8 p.m.—A few snow  
flurries have occurred today in the  
Province of Quebec, but the weather  
in the Dominion generally has been  
fair and quite mild, and there is no  
indication of any change.

Minimum and maximum tempera-  
tures: Dawson, 14-24; Victoria, 46-50;  
Calgary, 36-38; Edmonton, 18-26;  
Prince Albert, 12-24; Qu'Appelle, 14-40;  
Winnipeg, 18-38; Port Arthur,  
20-30; Parry Sound, 26-40; Toronto, 29-40; Ottawa, 10-22;  
Montreal, 14-32; Quebec, 10-34; Hal-  
ifax, 30-40.

Local temperatures—The highest and  
lowest readings of the thermometer at  
the observatory on Monday, Feb. 24,  
were 39 and 59.

Today (Tuesday) the sun rose at 7:02  
a.m. and sets at 6:00 p.m. The moon  
rises at 9:10 p.m. and sets at 8:16 a.m.

### How Is It That

**Johnston Bros**  
**XXX Bread**  
Takes the Lead?  
BECAUSE IT IS GOODNESS ITSELF.

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Plated Ware of  
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Our Silver Plate has a style and finish  
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Our prices for these RELIABLE  
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twelve year guarantee on each  
piece.

### Thos. Gillean,

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Official Licensor of Marriage Licenses.

### STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Feb. 21. Reported at From  
La-Chapaigne-New York... Havre  
Rotterdam... New York... Rotterdam  
Pulista... New York... Hamburg  
Ullina... Boston... Liverpool  
Sarmatia... Glasgow... Boston  
Kaiser Wilhelm... New York  
der Grosse... Plymouth... New York  
Celtic... Malta... New York

### It Will Give You an Appetite

and a stomach to take care of it, a di-  
gestion that will fill your veins with rich  
blood. If weak, it will strengthen the  
heart; it will make the liver discharge its  
proper functions. Ferrerozine will do all  
this, and more, too. Ferrerozine will in-  
crease your nerve force, and capacity for  
mental labor, and will make work a real  
pleasure. Every man, woman and child  
can derive benefit from Ferrerozine. At  
Stong's.

Manchester (England) is to test the  
utility of a system of wireless tele-  
phony by a series of practical experi-  
ments.

### FILES—ITCHING, BLIND OR

BLEEDING.  
Symptoms: Moisture; intense itching  
and stinging, most at night; worse by  
scratching. If allowed to continue tumors  
form, which often bleed and ulcerate,  
becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment  
stops the itching and bleeding, heals ul-  
ceration, and in most cases removes the  
tumors. At druggists' or by mail, for 50  
cents. For a free sample address Lyman  
Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

### SLEEPLESSNESS—When the nerves

are unstrung and the whole body given  
up to wrenching, when the mind is  
filled with gloom and dismal forebodings,  
are result of derangement of the diges-  
tive organs, nerve weakness comes to  
the distress. If only the subject could  
sleep, there would be oblivion for a while  
and temporary relief. Ferrerozine and Ve-  
table Pills will not only induce sleep, but  
will act so beneficially that the subject  
will wake refreshed and restored to hap-  
piness.

The biggest schooner in the world is  
now being built in Boston. She will  
have seven masts.

If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any  
such trouble, use Vapo-Crescense, All Druggists.

The new stone viaduct in Luxemburg  
will be the largest stone arch in the  
world. It will have a span of 273.6  
feet.

There is no form of kidney trouble,  
from a backache down to Bright's dis-  
ease, that DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS  
will not relieve or cure.

### Swell Diamonds.

You can be perfectly sure about the  
quality of the Diamonds you get at this  
store. We pride ourselves on the fact  
that we select only stones of perfect color.  
Our display of Diamond Jewelry is one  
that appeals to all admirers of the  
jeweler's art. Lowest prices.

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### A LOCAL BUDGET.

**CURTAIN RAISER.**  
Time—The present.  
Place—New York city; dock, North  
River.

The cast—All sorts of reception com-  
mittees; public sentiment; a yacht  
whistle.

Chorus of committees:  
Oh, lovely yacht,  
Oh, husky Hohenzollern,  
Oh, imperial, sacred, royal,  
Roosting place of kings  
And emperors,  
And principalities and powers,  
And things  
Of which the Poet sings,  
Although we know,  
Oh,  
Yacht,  
That you have really and truly  
Arrived upon the spot,  
And we are quivering with delight  
At the entrancing sight,  
We do not welcome thee,  
Because you have not yet arrived  
Officially.

See?  
And now to welcome thee  
Would be less majestic.  
Public Sentiment—Well, I declare!  
Yacht Whistle—Touche!  
—New York Sun.

—Mrs. A. G. McLeod has returned  
from the millinery openings in New  
York.

—Mr. L. D. Brown, of Missouri, is  
brother of Jos. Brown, auctioneer, in  
the city on real estate business.

—All persons interested in fishing in  
the River Thames are asked to attend  
a meeting to be held in the London  
House on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 8  
p.m.

—The Chicago and Northwestern  
Railway advise that low fares, which  
have been announced to British  
Columbia, Oregon, Washington, and  
other North Pacific coast points, will  
be put into effect during March and  
April to San Francisco, Los Angeles,  
and all principal California points, the  
rate from Chicago being \$38.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance  
of New York will hold an all-day  
meeting at the Christian Church on  
Thursday next. The meet-  
ings will be conducted by Rev. P. W.  
Philpott, of Hamilton, and will con-  
sist of 9 a.m., 2 and 7:30 p.m., con-  
tinuing in each case for two hours.  
Mr. Philpott also preaches in the same  
church on Wednesday evening.

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review: W.  
H. Martin thinks he can establish the  
identity of the girl, Bessie Clarkson,  
who is held in London on a charge of  
vagrancy, and who says she has an  
aunt in Woodstock who so ill-treated  
her that she ran away from home. The  
name of the girl who some months  
ago stole the bicycle from him after  
which he had so lively a chase to  
Princeton, she claims, was the judge  
on the charge of theft and was allowed  
to go.

—Rev. Dr. Johnston gave the third  
of the series of talks for the Sunday  
school in the lecture room of St. An-  
drew's Church last evening. The sub-  
ject was "Napoleon," and it was beau-  
tifully illustrated by one hundred views  
representing incidents in the career of  
the "Little Emperor." Miss Wilson  
gave two vocal numbers, and Miss  
Deamans an instrumental selection.

Dr. Hugh Stevenson will give the last  
lecture of the course next month. His  
subject will be "Our Common Friends  
and Foes."

The Ontario Gazette announces the  
incorporation of D. S. Perrin & Co.,  
Limited, the applicants for incorpora-  
tion being Daniel Simmons Perrin,  
manufacturer; Herbert Philip Allen,  
merchant; Thomas Wellington Mc-  
Farland, confectioner; William Lionel  
Underwood, commercial traveler; Mary  
Alice Perrin, married woman, and  
Elaine Perrin, spinster, all of the city  
of London, Ont. The share capital is to  
be \$250,000, divided into 2,500 shares of  
\$100 each, the first three mentioned  
names to be the provisional directors  
of the company.

### ILLUSTRATED SONGS AT CHURCH

Mr. Thomas Wilson last night gave  
his series of line-light views, illus-  
trating hymns and songs, at the King  
Street Presbyterian Church, before a  
large audience. It was necessary to  
place chairs in the aisles to accommo-  
date the crowd present. Well-known  
city talent sang the airs fitted to the  
views. Among those who assisted were  
Miss Agnes Thompson, Charles  
Wheeler, the Wheeler Quartet—Messrs.  
Charles Wheeler, E. Moule, Webster  
and Galpin—and Melvin Wilson, the  
4-year-old son of the pastor of the church.

### RECRUITS GO TO HALIFAX TO- NIGHT.

The 25 recruits from Chatham who  
enlisted at Wolsey Barracks on Sat-  
urday for service at Halifax, leave to-  
night by the 6:45 o'clock C. T. R. train  
for that city. Surgeon-Major Bolton in-  
spected the men yesterday, and it is  
said, found several unfit for service.  
Those who applied for admission were:  
W. Meredith, Wm. Kerr, F. Secord, A.  
Wrightman, Daniel Rine, J. Guilfoyle,  
D. Odette, V. Morden, H. Payne, A.  
Wrigley, T. Annett, W. Trudell, Jun., G.  
Ward, Percy Hawson, Roy Burgess,  
R. Wilcox, F. R. Simmons, Ed  
Primeau, Harry Wood, W. Wonnacott,  
F. Barrat, T. Leroy, Joseph Labom-  
barbe, George Rice, Herbert Darr and  
L. Faulbert.

### In Having a Baker

call at your door with Bread, don't have  
him because his Bread is a little cheaper  
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We use nothing but the best of every-  
thing in making our Breads. It  
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**Co., Limited,**  
Phone 929. 75 Bruce Street.  
LARGEST BREAD SHIPPERS IN THE  
WEST.

### NEW CARETAKER FOR

**ISOLATION HOSPITAL**  
Harry Smith, of Hamilton Road, Succeeds  
Charles Thomas.

The board of health met yesterday  
afternoon, and on motion of Ald. Doug-  
lass, appointed Harry Smith, of the  
Hamilton road, caretaker of the iso-  
lation hospital in place of Charles  
Thomas, who was appointed by Chair-  
man Taylor a few days ago. Thomas  
will receive a month's wages for his  
few days' work. Smith engages to do  
the work for \$1,000 per year. Those  
who voted for the motion were Ald.  
Beattie and Douglass and Mr. R. A.  
Carrothers. Those against the motion  
were Ald. Campbell and Mr. H. C. Mc-  
Bride.

The attention of the authorities at  
Victoria Hospital was called to a re-  
port that the best service at the hos-  
pital was in a filthy condition.

The board's estimates for the year's  
expenditure amount to \$5,000.

### WHEN DANGERS THREATEN YOU, BE FULLY ARMED.

**Paine's Celery Compound**  
Will Enable You to Vanquish  
Every Foe.

When dangers threaten you, common  
sense and attention should direct  
your course.

If you are a victim of disease and  
looking for restoration to health, as  
soon as you stop the raging of the  
boisterous ocean by a wave of the  
hand as of getting rid of your trou-  
bles by use of any of the various medi-  
cines in liquid and pill forms so com-  
mon in our land at the present time.  
Medical investigations, tests and  
proofs of cures point to the one infa-  
lible disease banisher—Paine's Celery  
Compound, the only medicine that goes  
directly to the very root of your trou-  
ble. It nourishes nerves and brain,  
purifies the blood, cures dyspepsia, neu-  
ralgia, rheumatism, liver complaints,  
kidney troubles, tones up the system  
and makes the weak strong.

—Mrs. Victoria, B. C.,  
says: "I would prove an ungrateful  
woman if I refrained from doing jus-  
tice to Paine's Celery Compound. Hav-  
ing suffered for many years from  
chronic constipation and general debility,  
I at last got low. I was given up  
to die by the doctors. Just at this  
time I was introduced to Paine's Celery  
Compound, by a friend, and in two  
days found some relief. After using  
the medicine for three months I am as  
healthy as ever before, and enjoy good  
health."

### LONDON AUXILIARY

TO McALL MISSION

The Annual Meeting Reveals Gratifying  
Year's Work.

The annual meeting of the London  
Auxiliary to the McAll Mission was  
held yesterday afternoon at the home  
of the secretary, Miss L. Fraser, 358  
King street. The president, Mrs. J.  
H. McMechan, occupied the chair, and  
35 members were present. The officers  
for the year were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. J. H. McMechan;  
first vice-president, Mrs. Marshall;  
second vice-president, Miss Seabrooke;  
third vice-president, Mrs. Weld; treas-  
urer, Mrs. F. E. Leonard; secretary,  
Miss L. Fraser; Leaflet secretary, Miss  
Boyle; organist, Mrs. (Dr.) Jarvis.

The reports for the auxiliary were  
submitted by Miss Fraser and the  
treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Leonard, and let-  
ters on the French work were read by  
Mrs. (Dr.) Johnston. Mrs. Merchant  
and Mrs. Gibson. Solos were rendered  
by Miss Constance Fraser and Miss  
Ethel Gunn. Miss Ethel Brock acting  
as accompanist. The Bible reading  
was given by Mrs. McKenzie, of South  
London.

A letter was received from Mrs.  
Thompson, of South London, acknowl-  
edging the resolution of sympathy  
passed by the auxiliary on the occa-  
sion of a recent bereavement.

During the past year more was done  
by the auxiliary in behalf of the work  
established in France by Dr. McAll  
than has been accomplished in any  
preceding twelve months of its exis-  
tence. The members appeared to take  
an exceptional interest in the move-  
ment, and one of the results was the  
donation of thirteen chairs—one more  
than was given in 1900. The auxiliary  
meetings throughout the year were  
bright and full of interesting reports  
of the great work. There were 67  
members, an increase of three. The

### The Men's Sale a Great

Success.

### MEN'S BOOTS AND

SHOES

### THE LADIES' SHOE PARLOR

Will be ready as soon as we have sold all the

### Men's Boots and Slippers

Call in if in want of some cheap footwear.

### TRUNKS, VALISES AND LEATHER GOODS.

**C. D. JOHNSTON,** 198 Dundas St.  
Marriage Licenses.

### CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE GENERAL SOCIETY

amounted to \$125.  
The next meeting of the auxiliary  
will be held at the residence of Mrs.  
W. E. Saunders, Central avenue. The  
meeting to mark the anniversary of  
the opening of the first mission hall  
in Paris will be held in the new St.  
James' Presbyterian Church in April.

### BIG WHOLESALE

**BUSINESS CHANGES**  
D. S. Perrin & Co. Secure Incorporation as  
a Joint Stock Company—Extensive im-  
provements in Prospect.

As already noticed in another col-  
umn, the current number of the On-  
tario Gazette contains the announce-  
ment that the firm of D. S. Perrin &  
Co., biscuit and confectionery manu-  
facturers, has been incorporated as a  
limited liability concern under the  
name of D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited,  
with capital stock fixed at \$250,000.

From the company itself comes the  
announcement that it is the intention  
to proceed at once with the erection  
of a large addition to the already ex-  
tensive premises occupied. The addi-  
tion will consist of a six-story and  
basement building, adjoining on the  
west of the annex on Carling street.  
The annex will also be raised to the  
height of six stories, and when the  
work is completed the Perrin Com-  
pany will have the highest and one  
of the largest manufacturing buildings  
in the city.

This business was started by Mr. D.  
S. Perrin some 40 years ago in a little  
shop on the Hamilton road, and the  
institution has grown so that it is diffi-  
cult to credit that the big factory, with  
its hundreds of employees, its branch  
houses and representative offices, cov-  
ering the whole Dominion, is identifiable  
with such a modest beginning. Its  
success has been built up alone on in-  
tegrity of methods and excellence of  
product. Perrin's biscuits and Perrin's  
confectionery have not only made a  
name for themselves in Canada, but  
are recognized as the leading manufac-  
turers in the United States as being  
among the best of their class made in  
America.

In visiting the many departments  
which compose the establishment, one  
is struck by the cosmopolitan charac-  
ter of the raw materials handled. It  
would be difficult to name a country of  
the world from which some of the  
products of the factory are not brought  
some product to enter into the  
manufacture of some one of the com-  
pany's hundreds of lines. For example,  
there will be leavening fruits from Spain,  
France, Italy and Asia Minor; sugar  
from Holland, Belgium, Germany and  
Austria; chocolate from Trinidad, and  
cocoa butter from England. Nuts of  
all varieties from Europe and North  
and South America, and so on ad in-  
finitum.

The Perrin factory provides its own  
electric light and storage and heating  
systems. The factory is equipped  
throughout with a private telephone  
system. On the premises are made all  
the wood and paper boxes used in  
the packing and shipping of goods.  
The artistic manner in which the sam-  
ples of goods manufactured are dis-  
played in the sample room is of itself  
well worth observation.

A striking feature of the establish-  
ment is the cordiality which exists  
between employer and employee, result-  
ing in a mutual confidence, which is  
beneficial to both. A number of the  
employees have been with the establish-  
ment for twenty years and upwards.

Large success is merely ability to  
select those who will efficiently ex-  
ecute the plans outlined. In other  
words, it is a question of executive  
ability in generalizing, and a judicious  
selection of lieutenants to carry out  
in detail the general plans laid down.  
To the observer who obtains an in-  
sight, slight though it may be, into the  
underlying principles upon which this  
business is conducted, the continued  
success and advancement of the con-  
cern will be easily understood.

Crystal-gazing has been superseded  
in London by little black mirrors from  
India, in which faddists assert they  
can see future event.

### Women's Ailments.

Women are com-  
ing to understand  
that the Backaches,  
Headaches, Tired  
Feelings and weak  
Spells from which  
they suffer are due  
to the wrong action  
of the kidneys.

**DOAN'S**  
**Kidney Pills**  
are the most reliable remedy for any form  
of kidney complaint. They drive away  
poisons and make women healthy and  
happy—able to enjoy life to the fullest.

Mrs. C. H. Gillespie, 204 Britain Street,  
St. John, N.B., says:  
"I had severe kidney trouble for which  
I doctored with a number of the best  
physicians in St. John, but received little  
relief. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I  
began their use. Before taking them I  
could not stoop to tie my shoes, and at  
times suffered such torture that I could not  
turn over in bed without assistance. Doan's  
Kidney Pills have rescued me from this  
terrible condition, and removed every pain  
and ache."