

## Furious Gales

Sweep the Continent From End to End.

Trains Crash Together in a Blinding Snow Storm.

Street Car Service Demoralized and Travel Seriously Impeded.

Hurricane in Chicago and Bad Blizzard in the Western States.

Terrible Havoc Created by Storms in England—Many Vessels Wrecked and Numerous Buildings Are Blown Down With Fatal Results.

"The memory of the oldest inhabitant" has to stretch away back before it finds a parallel to yesterday's weather. It was a blizzard, a cyclone, a cold snap and a snow storm combined. It seemed as if old Jupiter Pluvius was making up for lost time with a vengeance, and was determined to get even with the individuals who were growing about the mild winter. The wind blew faster than an express train, and seemed to delight in piling up huge drifts where they weren't wanted, and in hurling the snow in the faces of everybody who was out, to the special discomfort of the man with whiskers. It even crept down the necks of those with big coat collars, and many of them had to be turned down to prevent their owners from smothering. And then they were chafed about opening their mouths for fear of being blown inside out. The exertion of battling the hurricane and wading through a yard of snow, besides being blinding by it, made walking harder than sawing wood, and the streets were deserted save for the policeman on his lonely beat, who would have been out, perhaps, if they hadn't paid for their seats in advance. The great mass of London's inhabitants thought there was no place like home, and they stayed there. The wind was perfectly impartial and blew in every direction—generally the opposite way to which a person was going. The streets were in an almost impassable condition and the pedestrian's feet had to perform the functions of a snow-plow. The street railway system was paralyzed for a little while. Up to 6 o'clock the cars remained on duty. Then the blizzard commenced to build snow banks on the track. A car full of passengers started up Richmond street and stuck in a heap near St. Paul's Cathedral. The two horses tried to pull it through but the driver was forced to hitch them on the other end and drive back. All the cars were at once called in, and by 8 o'clock the company had a complete set of "hobs" and vans in the system. The drivers and horses were to be pitied, but the helpless public had to ride when they couldn't walk. Telephone subscribers were somewhat tangled. The lady subscriber who called up her bosom friend found herself talking to a stranger at the "club" and some wires sounded like a cross between a buzz-saw and a boiler factory. The policeman plodded his weary way from 8 o'clock at night until 5 this morning and listened to what the wild winds were saying. Between the icy blasts of his mustache at intervals and sighing or yawning, home and breakfast. The snow was so thick they do not remember such a night in years. The storm affected the railway systems centering in this city to a considerable degree. The C.P.R. probably escaped lighter than either of its neighbors, the day trains being on time and the midnight express from Toronto being only about an hour late. The snow drifted so badly at Richmond street that a C.P.R. freight train stuck for about three hours. The train on the Stratford branch of the G. T. R., due at 9:15, had to be canceled. The accommodation from the east, due in London at 9:30, was at Paris at 12 midnight, and got through about 2 a.m. On the Sarnia branch the snow drifted badly. The Erie express, due from Chicago at 11:30, was three or four hours late. No. 20 from Windsor, timed to arrive at 11:20 p.m., was also a couple of hours behind. The M. C. R. train left for St. Thomas at 7 o'clock, but only got as far as Wellington street. At that place it got stuck and could not get either way. That train was canceled, as was the one due from St. Thomas shortly before 11 o'clock. Country roads in the vicinity of the city are simply impassable. A huge drift, 5 or 6 feet high, formed on Richmond street between the Grand Trunk station and Dundas street, and the east sidewalk. Liverymen did a rushing business in cabs and coppers until an early hour. The attendance at all the public schools during the day was very small. As it was, the children had a difficult task to reach their homes. In London West the storm did considerable damage. The railway people managed to keep the electric car going until about 2 o'clock, when it was run into the Oxford street shed. The "bus" however, made regular trips until 10:30 p.m. The drifts on the Wharfedale are in many places three and four feet deep.

THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

HAMILTON, Feb. 12.—One of the worst storms which has struck this section in a good many years is prevailing to-day. The street railway company attempted to keep their cars running as usual, but were obliged to abandon the attempt. The snow is drifting greatly and the country roads will be blocked. RAILWAYS TIED UP AT WINDSOR. WINDSOR, Feb. 12.—The Windsor, Sandwich and Waterville street railway lines were tied up by the storm about 10:30 this morning, and the cars stood in the street where they were deserted by their crews. Traffic and business of all kinds were entirely suspended. The ferry boats were made a landing on either side. The ice in Detroit River is rapidly backing the lakes below and has risen nearly

three feet since yesterday, the current being at a perfect standstill.

ST. CATHARINES, Feb. 12.—A terrific wind and snow storm prevailed nearly all day. Traffic generally demoralized, eight-foot drifts.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 12.—The worst snow storm of years struck this town this morning. Towards evening the gale reached a terrific force, piling the snow up in heaps of eight to ten feet, completely suspending traffic on the streets. The horse cars to Drummondville shut down for the night early in the afternoon. The electric lines on both sides of the river, after fighting the storm, gave up in despair. Freight traffic abandoned.

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—The storm here was one of the worst recollected by the average citizen. The street car service was badly blocked early in the afternoon, and the electricity gave way to horse power on the outlying lines. Drifts were formed in many streets to the depth of several feet. Trains coming into the city were very late.

EXETER, Feb. 12.—One of the worst wind and snow storms ever seen in this part of the country has been raging with unabated fury all afternoon and to-night.

ACROSS THE BORDER.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 12.—There are twenty men on the new intake tunnel crib, and the wind has raised such a sea that it is impossible to take them off. The wind is now blowing about 40 miles an hour, and if it rises very much more there will be danger of the crib house being washed into the lake and all the men drowned, just as happened last spring.

NEBRASKA SNOW-BOUND. OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 12.—Nebraska is snow-bound. For the past 24 hours a terrific blizzard has prevailed throughout the State. The fall has been about twelve inches, and following the eight-inch fall of Thursday, makes the depth at least twenty inches. The cold is extremely severe. With few exceptions Omaha traffic of every description is suspended. Reports from the interior show stock to be in good condition, and farmers are pleased with the immense snowfalls, as it assures a fine winter wheat crop.

HURRICANE AT CHICAGO. CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The worst blizzard that ever struck this city, so far as the weather bureau record shows, for 23 years, is raging here. Street traffic is greatly impeded, and walking is accompanied with great danger to life and limb. Many persons have been injured by being blown to the ground against walls and street posts by the wind. The velocity is 80 miles an hour, the highest ever recorded for this city and almost double the velocity of the wind in the Western States. The wind was so furious at the corners where sky scrapers are built especially, the Monadnock and annex block, bounded by Jackson, Van Buren and Dearborn streets and custom house place, that extra policemen gave all their attention to pedestrians. Dozens of women were lifted off their feet, and blown to the ground, or else pushed across the streets until they came in violent contact with walls, posts and other obstructions. Mrs. Brohany, of 361 South Clinton street, a charwoman at the Art Institute, was lifted in the air and dashed against the fire plug at the Dearborn and Vanburn street corner. Two of her ribs were broken and it is believed she is internally injured.

STREET CAR SERVICE NEARLY STOPPED. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 12.—A severe wind and snow storm from the northwest struck this city this morning. Street car traffic is almost entirely suspended.

FATAL COLLISION IN A BLINDING SNOW-STORM. TREMONT, Ohio, Feb. 12.—In a blinding snow storm which had been raging all morning, freight train No. 28, west bound, and east bound freight No. 105, on the Wheeling and Lake Erie Railway, collided two miles west of Belleville, about 10:30 o'clock. Both engines and several freight cars were smashed and piled up in confusion. Engineer Connel, of the light freight, No. 25, Fireman McMullen, of freight engine No. 28, and Engineer Samuel Stowell, of engine No. 105, were killed.

WIDESPREAD. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—The worst snow storm in years raged all over Kansas and Missouri last night and to-day. Not a single train in the two States was on time. In many places schools were closed to-day. In towns with street railways the service was paralyzed. The snow was dry and the telegraph service was not injured.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 12.—Without warning from the weather bureau a veritable Manitoba blizzard struck this city at 11 o'clock last night and continued up to 6 to-night. Rain, hail, sleet and snow alternately swept over the city before a high wind. Two horses were shocked to death by coming in contact with a broken live wire.

TELEGRAMS FROM ALL points north and west show that the storm is widespread and disastrous.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 12.—A violent snow storm raged throughout Central Illinois all day to-day. The snow is ten inches on the level and is badly drifted. Many trains are delayed and one passenger on the Big Four is stuck in a drift near Tremont. There are drifts here five feet deep.

ON THE PRAIRIE. WARSAW, Ind., Feb. 12.—The heaviest snow storm of the season raged here yesterday and to-day. The wind blew 60 miles an hour. The thermometer stood 2° below zero, and the suffering among the poorly-clad and half-housed people on the big prairie north of here is fearful.

A TOWN WIPED OUT. NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 12.—Advice received from to-day and to-night indicate that a storm approaching in violence to a cyclone is raging in Mississippi. The town of Newton has been wiped out of existence.

FATAL CYCLONE. A special from Jackson, Miss., says: A terrible cyclone passed between Martinsville and Beauregard, 40 miles south of here, at a late hour at night. Several people were killed and a great many seriously injured.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING IN OKLAHOMA. GUTHRIE, O. T., Feb. 12.—Terrible cold has been experienced during the storm that has swept over the territory within the past few days and stories of awful suffering are coming in from various points. Twenty persons have been frozen to death. A report comes from the northern part of the territory that six persons of one family were murdered by the father to prevent their suffering while dying of cold. The seven bodies were found

in the house with their throats cut. In the house was also found a note signed by the father, who left word that he had killed his wife and children to save them from freezing. He added that he himself would commit suicide, and the evidence of his wounds and a knife clamped in his right hand as it lay beside him bears out his promise of self-destruction.

At Anandarko two Indian pupils were found yesterday buried under a snow bank. One of the children died. The other shows signs of ultimate recovery. A report reached the city late last evening that a family named Sears, residing on claim near Woodward, had been found frozen to death.

A courier just in from the vicinity of Alva, another strip town, reports a dreadful state of affairs in that locality. More than 100 head of horses and cattle were frozen, and voluntary relief committees are now scouring the country gathering together the people and taking care of them in school houses.

AN HEIRLESS MISSING. Miss Jennie Johnston, a young Indian school teacher, who went to Alva recently from Scranton, Pa., left her school house Saturday night for her boarding house. She has not been seen since. It is feared she was caught in the blizzard and died from exposure. Miss Johnston recently fell heir to \$20,000 at her old Pennsylvania home, and was immediately surrounded by a score of admirers. She thought all of her lovers were mercenary, and gathered up her effects and went west, where she secured a school.

INDIAN CHILDREN LOST. EL RENO, O. T., Feb. 12.—The storm of Sunday was the most severe in twenty years. There is much suffering in this section but only a few fatalities are recorded in the immediate vicinity. Three Indian school children lost their way in the heavy-falling snow and perished Saturday night. In the sparsely settled and in inland towns greater than in any previous winter in years. Overland mail routes are blocked and all communications are cut off by lines to this city from the west. All railroad traffic is impeded.

IN THE OLD COUNTRY. MANY BUILDINGS DAMAGED. LONDON, Feb. 12.—The gale which set in in Great Britain last Saturday night continued to gain in violence during yesterday, and in the afternoon the wind was blowing with hurricane force. At Teignmouth, in Devonshire, a church in course of erection was entirely destroyed. The spire of St. Mary's Church at Shrewsbury, county of Salop, was blown down. At Peterborough, county Northampton, the pinnacles of the parish church of St. John were blown over, and the glass roof of the Great Eastern railway station was destroyed.

The English Presbyterian Church at Holywell, Flintshire, Wales, was also among the buildings wrecked. A boarding school and many dwelling houses in the town were also blown down.

At Newport, in South Wales, the roofs have been blown off a number of houses. At Dunfermline, in Fife, a number of factory chimneys were blown down. In one or two instances the falling chimneys struck the factories, causing great damage. In this town many persons were injured. Scores of houses were unroofed.

The roof of a house at Iron Bridge, Shropshire, fell in, crushing the occupants of the house beneath it. The wall of a factory at Oldham, Lancashire, was blown down. Close beside the wall there stood three cottages. Upon these the huge mass of brick and mortar fell, crushing the buildings into splinters. Nearly all the inmates of the cottages were injured, but none were killed outright.

In West Cork the gale has caused immense damage to property.

TWO GIRLS WERE KILLED. Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, were instantly killed by a chimney falling upon them through the roof of the house. Five persons were injured by a falling roof.

The wind overturned a tramcar running between Wolverhampton and Dudley. Twenty children were slightly injured.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 12.—A heavy storm is situated on an almost isolated promontory, was exposed to the full force of the storm, and considerable damage was done in the town. Tall chimneys on a number of dwelling houses in the town were blown down. The bricks crashed through the roof of one, falling upon the family who were congregated in the top story. Two children were instantly killed, and their parents were badly injured.

At Stockton-on-Tees, also in the county of Durham, a number of dwelling-houses and shops were unroofed.

IN AUSTRIA. VIENNA, Feb. 12.—A heavy storm is sweeping over Austria. Many trains have been stopped by the trees blown across the track.

SHIPPING DISASTERS. A dispatch from Greenock states that the Norwegian bark Bertie and Tancred have been wrecked.

The British bark Wilhelm Tell, from Calcutta, which was discharging cargo at the Alexandria dock Hull, was sunk by the gale.

Several vessels have gone ashore off Margate and Ramsgate, Isle of Thanet, Devonshire.

The Yarmouth steamer Resolvent went ashore yesterday. The Calster lifeboat went out to the wreck, and succeeded in taking off the 75 passengers on board of her.

The fishing smack Favorite sank in the Thames off Greenwich. Everybody on her got ashore.

The Valisdoof is ashore at Silloth, on Solway Firth.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Right Hon. Sir Harry Verney is dead.

The Farmers' Mutual Elevator Company at Crookston, Minn., has failed. The company owns six elevators. Liabilities, \$240,000; assets, \$200,000.

The original United States Declaration of Independence is rapidly becoming indistinct and consequently has been withdrawn from public exhibition and placed in a tin box.

Steamships Arrived. Feb. 12. At Glasgow. From Scotland. New York. From London. New York. From Liverpool. New York. From Rotterdam. New York. From Antwerp. New York.

A mistake is apt to attract more attention to us than a virtue.

## Late Canadian News.

The Nova Scotia Legislature Soon to be Dissolved.

A Windsor Aldermanic Protest—Death of a Talented Young Man at Embro.

The Wilkinson Plough Company offer to compromise at 75 cents on the dollar.

Evangelists Crossley and Hunter will open a series of meetings at Belleville in June.

Joseph Cameron, caretaker of the St. Catharines cemetery died suddenly on Sunday night of heart disease.

Hugh Gillespie, dry goods merchant, of Alvinston, has assigned to Henry Barber, liabilities, \$9,000; assets, \$12,000.

President Cleveland has sent to the Senate this nomination: Geo. W. Nichols, of New York, as consul at Clifton, Ont.

The Nova Scotia Legislature was closed on Monday with the customary speech, one clause of which says: "The Assembly will be dissolved at an early day."

Word has been received of the death in Victoria, B. C., of Henry George Morgan, eldest son of P. J. Morgan, of the Secretary of State Department. Deceased was not 20 years of age.

Clarence Bigelow, who pleaded guilty on Saturday at Hamilton to forging the name of Peter Ray and James Craic to a promissory note for \$100, was, because of extenuating circumstances and previous good character, let off with three days in jail.

At the last municipal election in Windsor, Ald. Will was apparently elected to represent the fourth ward and Joseph Martin defeated by a small majority. Mr. Martin entered a protest, and on Monday morning Judge Home gave judgment unseating Ald. Will.

Leon M. Carrier, the C. P. R. absconding broker, was up at the Quebec police court Tuesday morning. He pleaded not guilty to eleven different charges, all of which were for illegally disposing of flour and meal to the amount of \$35,000. The proceedings were adjourned for a day.

The death of Donald McKay, B.A., Ph.D., a graduate of Toronto University, took place at Embro on Sunday night. He was 33 years of age and had accepted a position on the professorial staff of the above university, but owing to failing health was compelled to give it up at the opening of last session. He was highly respected by all.

Burglars have been busy in Dundas lately. The houses of well-to-do residents of that place have been entered and articles of great value carried off. Sunday night while Mr. Charles Wilson and his family were absent at church, their residence was entered and a large quantity of costly jewelry carried away. The value of the property stolen amounted \$362. Eight or nine hundred dollars' worth of jewelry was left behind.

WILL BE A BIG FIGHT.

Preparing For the Argument on Local Option.

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—Dr. J. J. MacLaren, Q.C., holds the brief for the Ontario Government in the approaching argument of the Supreme Court on the constitutional power of the Province on the prohibition question.

Dr. MacLaren will be assisted by J. K. Cartwright, Deputy Attorney-General. The two counsels have instructions from the Ontario Government to take every step that can be conscientiously done toward establishing the right of the Province to deal with the question. It will also be argued that the prohibitory powers enjoyed by the Province before Confederation still remain.

The Supreme Court will open on the 18th inst., when application will be made by Dr. MacLaren to fix a day for commencement of the argument, which the Dominion Solicitor-General Curran will oppose.

So far as known, the temperance and liquor interests have taken no steps to be represented at the argument. It is expected that the liquor party will ask to be represented by counsel when the court opens.

Other Provinces, which are as much concerned as Ontario, will probably also ask leave to be represented by counsel.

Though all sides concede that the matter must go to the Privy Council, the end of the whole business may be witnessed this year. The Supreme Court will give judgment by May. Then the appeal to the Privy Council will be argued a month or two later, and the final judgment will be had by next December.

Crushed to Death by a Sawlog.

ROSSEAU, Ont., Feb. 12.—Mr. John Richardson, of Windermere, was engaged in sawing logs when he started to roll, striking him on the head, instantly killing him.

Death Was Trump.

DENVER, Col., Feb. 13.—Billy Dentsch, the well-known New Yorker, died here last night. Dentsch was a famous gambler at Monte Carlo and was in 1875 in the theatrical business with his cousin, Maurice Grant. In his latter business he made \$125,000 profit. He won \$500,000 at Monte Carlo, and was charged with writing the book, "The Man Who Broke the Bank." He spent half a dozen fortunes.

ALL MEN

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face, itching, itching or peculiar sensation of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, hasty, nervous, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who thus abuse their bodies, and in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c in stamps for book on diseases peculiar to men, sent sealed. Address M. V. LUBON, Macdonnell avenue, Toronto, Ont., Canada. Please mention this paper.

## Ald. Parnell Attacked.

A Mean Attempt to Deprive Him of His Seat.

Because He Sells Bread to the County Jail.

Political and Liquor-Dealing Enemies Alleged To Be at the Bottom of the Lawsuit.

A dead-set is being made to deprive Ald. E. Parnell, jun., of his seat in the council chamber as a representative of No. 6 ward. It was decided to spring it while he was on his sick bed, and yesterday he was waited on by Richard M. C. Toole, a local lawyer, who served papers notifying Ald. Parnell to appear before Judge Wm. Elliot in eight days to defend a motion to unseat him. Ald. Parnell placed the matter in the hands of Macbeth & Macpherson, who will defend him when the case comes up.

The people behind the move, it is understood, are Conservative politicians and liquor dealers, though Mr. G. Park, butcher, has been prevailed upon to accept the position of nominal plaintiff. Ald. Parnell does not hesitate to say so. The fact that he announced his intention of running for the mayoralty in 1895 had a good deal to do with determining it too, he thinks. The attack has been under consideration for some time. They had six weeks after the date of the election in which to enter the protest. It was decided on the very last day permitted by law—yesterday—to make the attempt and the writ was accordingly issued.

The ADVERTISER understands that the frivolous reason for objecting to Ald. Parnell holding a seat in the City Council is that he sells bread, under tender, to the County Council, which is paid 60 per cent. of the cost of maintenance of prisoners by the city authorities, the other portion being defrayed by the county and the Ontario Government. The jail is in no sense under the management or control of the City Council, and the city in no way interferes with its affairs. The contracts for jail supplies are under the sole control of the County Council, and the bonds are prepared and certified to by the county clerk while the sheriff and jailer must certify to all accounts, on behalf of the Government, before the County Council can pass them. That the present attack is an afterthought is further shown by the fact that though Ald. Parnell has been a tenderer for jail supplies for years, no attempt has hitherto been made to interfere with his seat, and indeed it has been conceded on all hands that the jail contracts are in no sense of the word civic contracts within the meaning of the statute. Even if they were, and Ald. Parnell has strong legal advice to the contrary, it will still remain a fact that many more flagrant shortcomings on the part of aldermen have been overlooked by the individuals who are now alleged to be bound to push this attack to the end.

That Mr. G. Parke, butcher, is only the nominal prosecutor, was proved by an ADVERTISER representative who visited him this afternoon. He acknowledged that there were others in the "deal," but on being pressed to tell who they were his associates he firmly declined to say. He further states that he is personally friendly to Ald. Parnell as an alderman, and this statement buttresses the remark made by a leading liquor man, at the close of last meeting of No. 1 committee, when a threat was made that at as early a day as possible Ald. Parnell would be prevented from further voting on the license reduction by-law.

It is understood that Ald. Parnell refuses to be intimidated, and when the question comes up next Monday night, if he is able to leave his sick bed, he will be found in his place in the council chamber. Those attacking probably hope that he will take a different course, but the stalwart No. 6 representative has the courage of his convictions.

A GREAT DICTIONARY.

Far More Words in It than in Any Reference Work Ever Before Published.

The notable publication of 1894 is the "Standard Dictionary of the English Language," the first handsome volume of which has now reached us from the Canadian office of the publishers, Funk & Wagnalls, of New York (11 Richmond street west, Toronto). This volume bears unimpeachable evidence of extraordinary care and research as well as of great liberality, and the publishers' statement that over \$500,000 has already been spent in its preparation can readily be believed. The dictionary complete will cost nearly \$1,000,000. The dictionary is well printed on good paper, and the illustrations actually assist the definitions, which is not always the case. The staff of philologists and lexicographers by whom it is being made contains many noted names, and it is evident also from the opinions already ventured by learned celebrities that the whole English-speaking world of letters will hail the Standard Dictionary as a full realization of its name.

In the prospectus which Funk & Wagnalls issue with the first volume of the dictionary practical evidence of the pains bestowed upon the publication in every particular is afforded in photo-engraved pictures of the proof sheets showing the corrections made in a single page at various stages and by the different editors and specialists. As for the vocabulary, some idea of its richness may be had from the fact that it contains under the letter A alone something like 4,000 words more than any dictionary now extant. To those who have frequent occasions to use a dictionary the handy and compact size of the two volumes into which the Standard is divided will seem a great recommendation. There is to be an edition in one volume also.

During the four years that the dictionary was in preparation there have been engaged upon it 247 office editors and specialists, 500 readers for quotations, and hundreds of others, men and women, who have assisted in defining words or classes of words. The next in the statement that the publishers began it with the expectation that \$1,000,000 would have to be spent on it before a single copy was ready for market.

Concerning new words the editors proceeded on the principle: "Omit no word found in a living book—that is, in a book

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now read by any considerable number of people—and whose meaning is likely to be sought for in an English dictionary." In the matter of spelling the editors say: "Weight has been given to the phonetic canon, 'write as you speak.' That there is a drift, conservative, yet real, toward the simplest forms of spelling, has been recognized throughout the work. In all words fully anglicized it is preferred in the Standard to the diphthongs æ or œ, as in fæctus, home(o)pathy, e(s)thetics." Words in chemistry are spelled in accordance with a recommendation by the Chemical Section of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, as bromine, chlorine, morphine, sulphur, dropping the final e. Of the simpler forms of spelling the editors say that investigation has shown them to be old English forms, and shown "that the present cumbersome and awkward forms are the result sometimes of typographic error, sometimes, as Dr. Samuel Johnson would have confessed it, of 'sheer ignorance,' sometimes of the mere caprice or whim of an author."

On the compounding of words, in which there has been great confusion in the dictionaries, the editors of the Standard lay down these rules:

1. That all words should be separate when used in regular grammatical relation and construction, unless they are jointly applied in some arbitrary way.

2. That abnormal association of words generally indicates unification in sense, and hence compounding in form.

3. That no expression in the language should ever be formed from two or more words into one (either hyphenated or solid) without change of sense.

In some large dictionaries and in not a few books "black sheep" is found as "black sheep." "Black" is in regular grammatical relation and construction with "sheep" and should be a separate word, for hyphenating the words does not change the sense of the phrase.

The encomiums passed upon the work by many eminent scholars are assuredly well deserved, and prediction that it will remain the standard dictionary is made upon good grounds. We should not fail to add what was nearly forgotten, that the full-page illustrations in colors are a real triumph.

Burned.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Feb. 13.—A big tannery at the village of Sandbank, this county, has been burned, causing a loss of \$100,000. It was owned by Lane Bros., of Boston, and employed 100 men.

The Wrecked Kearsarge.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The Secretary of the Navy has received a dispatch from the Panama Railroad Company stating that the City of Para arrived at Colon this morning, and Admiral Stanton and the officers and crew of the Kearsarge, all safe and well.

The London Postoffice Entrance.

The disagreeable means of ingress to the postoffice in this city afforded by the chief entrance has for some time been the subject of adverse criticism. The Board of Trade has proven itself particularly active in demanding that the Government should do something towards remedying the defect in point. At present the doors which admit to the public portion of the interior are at the south side of the lobby; these it has been proposed to cut in the west wall. A direct and straight-ahead access would then be established. A prominent postoffice official, to an ADVERTISER reporter, has pointed out one of the chief reasons why it would be inadvisable to adopt the suggestion mentioned. Even as the doors are at present situated when a person opens a private box the contents, on a windy day, are often blown upon the floor in the enclosure. Time and patience are generally wasted in securing some one on the other side of the wall to pick them up. Sometimes they are even left undetected. The reporter was shown a scattering of letters which had been made without the boxes being opened. And, indeed, considerable draft was to be felt. All this, the official in question stated, would be greatly aggravated if the main doors were changed from their present location. What was sadly needed, he thought, was a general and complete remodeling of the interior arrangement of the postoffice building.

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Small wares.....1,308 88  
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Total.....\$12,730 88  
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**AUCTION SALE OF A VALUABLE** stock of boots, shoes, leather and findings, of David Gottschalk, of the village of Zurich, in the county of Huron, merchant, an insolvent, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Huron Hotel, Zurich, Ont., on Monday, the 19th of February, 1894, at 1 o'clock p.m., by J. E. Boushury, Esq., auctioneer. The stock list is as follows:

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Leather and findings.....1,338 39  
Findings, etc.....214 29

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**IN THE MATTER OF J. M. DUTTON,** of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, wool merchant, notice is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has made an assignment of his estate for the benefit of his creditors to the undersigned, and has a meeting of the said creditors will be held at the office of Helmut, Ivey & Thomas, barristers, 100-102 Dundas street, London, at 3 o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 17th day of February, 1894, to appoint inspectors and transact business as may be necessary; and that the undersigned will thereupon proceed to distribute the assets of the said insolvent, verified by affidavit, on or before the 15th day of March, 1894. P. H. BARTLETT, assignee; HELMUTH, IVEY & THOMAS, solicitors for trustee, London. Dated at London the 12th day of February, 1894. 2c

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In the Matter of C. A. Gillespie, Trading at London and Evanston as C. A. Gillespie & Co.

**TAKE NOTICE** that the said C. A. Gillespie has made an assignment to me for the benefit of creditors.

And further take notice that all persons having claims against the estate of the said C. A. Gillespie are required to file their claims with the undersigned, duly proved, on or before the 10th day of March, 1894, after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have notice.

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## BRUCE.

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## BRANT.

Alexander Skinner, farmer, living near Waterford, has received word that his son, a telegraph operator, has been burned to death in Dakota.

## ESSEX.

The Michigan Central Railroad is storing 500 cars in the Amherstburg yards. It is said that the mysterious death of the little Campbell girl in Windsor was partly due to a defective sewer under her home.

## ELGIN.

In December the electric light meter in T. S. Edwards' store, St. Thomas, showed no change from the preceding month, although two lamps had been lit a number of times. Mr. Brown, the manager of the company, concluded that the current for the two lamps was not strong enough to turn the machinery of the meter, and insisted that six lamps should be lighted when any were lighted, or none at all. This was done in January, but still the meter showed no change. An examination was then made, and it was found that a spider had wrapped his web around the apparatus, effectually blocking its movement.

On Saturday an order was received from the head office of the C. P. R. at Detroit further reducing the time of the night shops at St. Thomas to five hours a day, work to commence at 8 a.m. and continue till 1 p.m. It is rumored that the present reduction will only continue till the 1st of April, when full time will be restored, but as a matter of fact nothing is definitely known about it.

A handsome new Y. M. C. A. building is to be erected in St. Thomas during the coming summer.

## GREY.

Mr. Samuel Douglass, of Euphrasia, has sold his farm of 100 acres to Mr. Frank Taylor, son of Mr. Walter Taylor, for \$3,000.

## HURON.

The Wingham council have petitioned the Postmaster-General to remove the postoffice from its present site to a more central part of the town.

## KENT.

Peter McKellar has been elected chairman of the Chatham Board of Trade. A Chatham ice dealer has cut ice from the River Thames, and the Board of Health may prosecute him if he sells it.

## LAMBTON.

There are at present 552 empty freight cars in the G. T. R. yard at Point Edward. G. G. Hartley, second line, Plympton, has disposed of his farm to Thos. Smith, son of Ralston Smith, formerly of Enniskillen town line, for about \$4,500.

W. G. Fee, McCarthy's organizer, was in Sarnia last week, and says that an Independent Liberal will be nominated in West Lambton.

## MIDDLESEX.

Court Star of Lobo, No. 7,882, A. O. F., held their first assembly on Wednesday evening, Feb. 7, in their hall, Lobo village. Despite the inclemency of the weather and muddy roads, 60 couples tripped the light fantastic toe to the excellent music provided by the Rontledge band. Supper was announced at 12:30, then the merry party retired to the lodge room upstairs, where the tables fairly groined beneath their load of good things provided by Wor. Bro. G. H. Monger. After satisfying the inner man they returned to the ballroom, where the dancing was kept up till the early hours of the morning.

## NORFOLK.

At the third official meeting of the Brownsville circuit, Rev. John Veale received a hearty invitation to return to the circuit next year, and finish out his three years; and C. H. Brown, B.A., who has been supplying the young minister's place since Mr. G. N. Hazen has gone to college, was recommended to the district meeting and conference as a fit young man for the ministry.

## OXFORD.

Ex-Reeve E. L. Sutherland is being urged to take the vacant position of clerk and treasurer of West Zorra.

There is still another rumor respecting the disappearance of Jack Wright, the Woodstock porter. Sam Thompson, who has charge of the Commercial livery stable and barn, said that about three weeks or more ago, was walking home on Wellington street, when he heard the loud report of a gun near the school house. It was about 11 o'clock, at night, or soon after the time the missing man left the Caister House.

## PERTH.

The town council of Listowel has decided to raise the hotel license to \$300. This is an increase of \$70 over last year.

The death is announced of Mrs. Matthew, wife of Daniel Matthew, at the family residence, Matthew's Hotel, Stratford. She came to Canada from England with her parents, who settled in Woodstock, where she was married some 48 years since. The family removed to Stratford eighteen years ago, and Mr. Matthew has had charge of his present hotel ever since. She leaves a family of six children, as follows: Mrs. Fred Mingay, London; Mrs. Robt. Brown, Norwich; Miss Mary, at home; James, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Daniel J., of Noyahith & Co., and Albert T., Stratford. She will be buried in Woodstock.

## WATERLOO.

Mrs. S. Sipes, con. S. Beverly, and Mrs. McCormick, of Brougham, near Galt, two sisters, who have been separated since 1845, were recently brought together again by means of an advertisement.

T. F. Livesy, ticket agent at the C. P. R. station, Galt, has received notice that his services are no longer required by the company. It is said several others along the line received similar notice. The offense that caused this action was the selling of a ticket to a commercial traveler without asking to see his certificate.

Dr. Davidson Badly Hurt.

BRANTFORD, Ont., Feb. 12.—Dr. Davidson, of Cainsville, was this morning driving with a team and carriage, and when crossing the G. T. R. track four miles north of Brantford, was run into by the morning train from Brantford to Harrisburg. The buggy was smashed to pieces. One of the horses was instantly killed and the doctor had an arm badly broken, a leg broken and a bad cut on the head.

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Frank Cooper, photographer, has recovered from his recent illness, and will at his studio, where he will be glad to receive his many friends and acquaintances to fill their Xmas orders in his usual manner. Call and inspect his work.

## POISONOUS PORK.

A Family of Eight Fall Victims to Trichina.

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Feb. 12.—Some days ago the family of Chas. Kruger, eight in number, partook heartily of some pork and later were taken violently ill, suffering from trichina. Despite the efforts of physicians the family grew worse and the mother died. The physicians declare there is no possibility of any of the household recovering.

## ROYALTY AND GREENBACKS.

A Polish Prince Captures a Yankee Girl Worth \$6,000,000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Prince Andre Poniatowski, a descendant of a Polish king, an Italian by birth and a resident of Paris, arrived yesterday. He comes to America to marry Miss Bourk, ward of G. H. Carpenter, of Oakland, California, who is reputed to be worth \$6,000,000 made in land speculation. Prince Poniatowski is an uncommonly fine-looking young man. He is the grandson of Augustus Stanislaus, the late King of Poland. He is connected with the Paris branch of the Rothschilds.

## DIED AT A DANCE.

The Grim Reaper Stalks Into a Ball Room and Claims a Young Man.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The annual reception and ball given by the Kingston Club, a Twenty-fourth ward social organization, was in progress at an early hour Saturday morning, and the floor of Harmony Hall, at 145 Marion street, was filled with merry dancers, when an unusual event occurred which put a sudden stop to the festivities.

It was in the middle of a waltz, when the music was the liveliest and hundreds of merry-makers were gliding over the floor keeping step to the popular air played by the orchestra, when Death stalked into their midst and laid his hand upon Wm. Agnew, a popular young man of highly respectable family. The young man suddenly placed his hand to his forehead, reeled for a moment, staggered back a pace or two, and then complained of a dizzy sensation and a sharp pain in his side. His partner helped him to a seat, and friends gathered around. He was stretched at full length upon a bench, and such restoratives as happened to be at hand were applied. He did not rally, and his friends, becoming alarmed, sent a policeman to call in a doctor.

The policeman sent to St. Mary's Hospital for an ambulance, but the surgeon who answered the call had just alighted at the door of Harmony Hall as Agnew breathed his last. It is supposed that death was due to either heart failure or apoplexy. The dancers quickly disappeared.

## Died While at Prayer.

ENGLEWOOD, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Ellen Barlow died in the Englewood hospital Saturday evening from the effects of burns. Mrs. Barlow kept a fashionable boarding-house. She went to her room shortly before 9 o'clock Wednesday night to retire. She disrobed and was about to get into bed, when in rising from her knees after praying, her arm struck a lighted lamp standing on a small table beside her. The flame ignited a screen and Mrs. Barlow's night dress. She fell in a faint on the floor. One of the boarders heard the noise, rushed into the room, and extinguished the flames, but it was too late to save Mrs. Barlow's life.

## THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT'S TURN.

(Montreal Witness.)  
The organs of the Dominion Government are far from satisfied with Sir Oliver Mowat's reply to the Ontario prohibitionist convention's delegates. They say that the Premier of Ontario does not fully commit himself or his Government, that when pushed by the delegation he retreated to another ditch. As most of these organs have shown antagonism toward prohibition, their solicitude lest the prohibition cause be betrayed is extremely touching and magnanimous. They will, however, be glad to hear that Conservatives will have an opportunity of showing the people of Canada what a fair square pledge, free from suspicion of evasion, or mental reservation, or any other kind of political trickery, should be. The Ontario convention at the very meeting, and, indeed, in the same set of resolutions, determined to seek a pledge from the Dominion Government as well as from the Ontario Government in respect to prohibition. The clauses of the resolution upon which the delegation sought and obtained the pledge of the Ontario Government, and is yet to urge upon the Dominion Government the enactment of prohibition legislation, reads as follows:

3. That a deputation be appointed to wait forthwith upon the Ontario Government, and respectfully request them to declare in favor of the total prohibition of the traffic in intoxicating liquor to the full extent of the power vested in the Legislature.

4. That a deputation be appointed to wait upon the Dominion Government and urge the duty of the immediate enactment by the Dominion Parliament of legislation giving effect to the strongly expressed desire of so large a proportion of the electors of the country, and making effective provision for the carrying of such legislation into practical operation. And that prohibitionists of other Provinces be invited to co-operate.

Sir Oliver Mowat's pledge was perfectly satisfactory to the prohibitionists, even the advanced ones, and even to the Conservatives among them, but we have no doubt that they will be glad to get from the Dominion Government a pledge as much more complete as the Conservative organs can desire. Sir John Thompson, with the assistance of that old prohibition war horse, Mr. Foster, ought to be able to "dish the Whigs" in this matter. No one could be gladder than the prohibitionists, Conservative, Liberal and Independent, to see it.

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happen to one in life, but one must  
advance fearlessly and bravely.  
—[PRINCE BISMARCK.]

London, Tuesday Feb. 13.

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, with its morning and evening editions, covers the ground. With one exception, it is the ONLY EARLY MORNING DAILY IN ONTARIO, outside of Toronto.

—Only those communications to which the editors are willing to have their names appended in print will be published in these columns. Neither the writing nor the publication of anonymous letters can be justified.

## LONDON A MUSICAL CENTER.

We desire to see London become as decided a musical center for the West as it already is a railway, wholesale, and manufacturing center. The opportunity will be presented to citizens at an early date to show how far they are willing to aid in the movement. It is proposed to invite the Associated Choirs to hold their festival here next summer, thereby bringing many thousands of visitors to London when the city can be seen at its best.

What shall be the additional local attraction? On Thursday evening next, the London Choral Society, assisted by the symphony orchestra, will render Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise," as well as give an attractive secular concert, in the Grand Opera House. There is a chorus of over 100 voices and an orchestra numbering 40 musicians, and the society will be assisted by Mrs. Martin Murphy, the well-known Hamilton soprano and Mr. Frederick Rogers, the noted English tenor. If this attractive entertainment is a success, and conductor Pococke and his associates deserve the support of every Londoner who enjoys good music, there is a reasonable probability that the two organizations will be kept together till summer, when their promise to repeat the concert will form one of the leading attractions in the great gathering of Associated Choirs. Mr. Pococke aided in the choir assembly last year, and he maintains it is a massing of musical talent that London may well encourage, as it would bring to the city, for several days' sojourn, a very large number of visitors. Let a boom for the musical event of 1894 be set on foot at the Grand Opera House on Thursday evening next.

## THE LATE SHERIFF M'KELLAR.

Hon. Archibald McKellar, sheriff of Wentworth county, who died at the Hamilton City Hospital on Sunday last, was at one time the best known public speaker in Western Ontario. He was born near Inverary Castle, Argyleshire, on Feb. 3, 1816, so that at the time of his death he was in his 79th year. In 1817 his parents moved to Canada, and settled in Aldborough township, which was then embraced in the London district. Ten years later the family moved to Raleigh township, county of Kent, where Archibald McKellar was educated and grew up. He entered business as farmer and lumberman, and early took an intelligent interest in public affairs. When he was 40 years of age, in 1857, he was elected to Parliament as an advanced Liberal, and for twenty years afterwards, in Parliament and on the public platform, as the coadjutor of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie and Hon. George Brown, as did yeoman service for progressive legislation. From 1871 to 1875 he was Minister of Agriculture and Emigration and Commissioner of Public Works under Hon. Mr. Blake and Hon. Mr. Mowat. A man of powerful physique, towering over six feet high, with a ready command of language and an abundant fund of anecdotal illustration, Mr. McKellar was one of the most effective of public speakers. He was especially at home in a Highland Scotch neighborhood. Spending his early days in a locality where Gaelic was almost the only language spoken, he became a fluent speaker of that language, and he was able to sway his fellow countrymen in their native tongue as no other public man could. In the famous contest for the Legislative Council in the Malahide district, when Hon. Elijah (afterwards Senator) Leonard was the successful candidate, one of the hardest workers in his behalf was Archibald McKellar. In after life, the Senator often had a hearty laugh at the odd tactics adopted by his Gaelic-speaking lieutenant to get at the hearts and votes of his fellow-countrymen. Sheriff McKellar was a worthy representative of the old school of Liberals. He was an honorable, upright gentleman, and a life-long abstainer from intoxicants, and often said a good word on behalf of temperance reform. He was twice married—first in 1836 to Miss Lucy McNab, who

died in 1857, leaving nine children, and again in 1874 to Mrs. Catherine M. Mercer, widow of the late Lawrence William Mercer, and daughter of Dr. Grant Powell, of Toronto. There were no children by the second marriage, but the widow survives him. The funeral of the deceased takes place from his son's residence, Chatham, to the family burying ground to-morrow (Wednesday).

## WHY SHOULD CONDONERS OF WRONG-DOING BE TRUSTED?

When, in the bye-election of 1892, Mr. W. R. Meredith left his comfortable home in Toronto to make a house-to-house canvass in favor of Mr. Carling among his former fellow townsmen, it was made quite evident that the leader of the Opposition in the Legislature was prepared to condone not only Judge Elliot's gross partisanship, but to endorse the London Seat Steal, but was also ready to support the Administration at Ottawa about whose misdeeds Principal Grant wrote "As well defend Sodom." Before the electors of Ontario replace Sir Oliver Mowat, the veteran statesman, by either Mr. Meredith, Dr. Ryerson or Mr. Clancy, they will have to be convinced that these men have repented of their endorsement of the Ottawa Ministers, and are capable of ruling this fair Province with at least as great ability and carefulness as have characterized the rule of the Liberal Administration. Can that be hoped for? It is not at all probable. There would be too great a risk, if the change were made, that the hordes of timber limit grabbers, contract jobbers and election agent manipulators would transfer their operations from the depleted treasury at Ottawa to the solid cash and rich natural resources of this fair Province. We had a sample of how this would work in the famous Rykert timber limit scandal and in the dishonest distribution of timber and mineral lands in the disputed territory of Western Ontario, which the Ottawa ringsters seized and appropriated among their favorites while the ownership of the territory was being discussed in the courts. The Ottawa timber limit coveters have never forgiven Sir Oliver his success in that great contest to prevent the resources of Ontario from being appropriated by the centralizers at the Dominion capital, and if they only could secure the defeat of the champion of his native Province they would consider that they had been revenged. Of the petty charges against the Administration and the management of the Provincial institutions Sir Oliver had this to say in his recent great speech at Whitby:

"Looking at the timber and land policy of our opponents where they have power, and on the fruits of that policy, as compared with the policy of the Ontario Reform party, and the fruits which the Reform policy has yielded, the Opposition carpings at our financial management are absolutely grotesque. Thus, they occupied a great deal of time in the committee of public accounts to show that the officer whose duty it is to look after the supplies of groceries at the Toronto asylum had allowed the sellers to get for some of the articles somewhat more per pound than was necessary; that I cent a day might have been saved on some currants and some tapioca; that a few cents a box might have been saved on some Anchovy and Worcester sauce; that 3 cents a gallon might have been saved on some vinegar, and so on; and that an uncountable number of eggs appeared in the supplies for one of the medical officers, who lived in the asylum, and that some objectionable luxuries appeared amongst the supplies obtained by others. I suppose every housekeeper sometimes finds that he might have got this or the other item of his supplies at a little lower rate than he would perhaps have paid if he had been more wide awake and better informed; and an officer will sometimes be too lenient in regard to supplies desired by brother officers. But I do not suppose that any Government in the world has managed to avoid overcharges or waste of supplies to the same extent as the Ontario Government has. If any have occurred they are of trifling character, and nobody supposes or pretends that they occurred with the knowledge of any member of the Government. They are the merest bagatelles compared with the proved losses to the country in Dominion matters from private arrangements with contractors and grantees of timber limits, in regard to which it cannot be said that no member of the Dominion Government for the time being had anything to do with them; and yet the Provincial Opposition do not condemn them. We have taken steps, however, to prevent the possible occurrence of even these small overcharges and excesses in the future. The effort to make capital out of them is all the more absurd in view of the fact that the aggregate expenditure in the maintenance of our institutions, including all supplies, is undoubtedly very small as compared with most other institutions of the same kind in the United States and elsewhere. And yet no institutions of the same kind anywhere are conducted more efficiently or successfully than our own. Experts from other countries who have visited us from time to time so reported on returning to their own country. Let me give you some samples of the comparative cost, as taken from official reports. Thus, the average annual cost per patient in the Ontario asylums, after taking into account all the alleged overcharges for groceries, is not half the average in the like asylums in Buffalo and Utica. The averages in the asylums at Trenton, N. J., Columbus, Ohio, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Fulton, Missouri, are 50 per cent. more than the average in Ontario. The Belleville Institute for the Deaf and Dumb has a like record, the like institutions in New York State costing 50 per cent. more per patient annually. In like manner, the cost at the Brantford Institute for the Blind is greatly less than in similar institutions in New York State and city, and in Maryland, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Kentucky and Massachusetts."

Facts like these, which cannot be gained, have a powerful effect on the electorate of Ontario. The people are not likely to discharge old and tried servants, who have proved their faithfulness to the public by their works, merely to replace them by the condoners of the far greater wrong-doing in the greater sphere of

## LADY ABERDEEN'S ADDRESS IN LONDON TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Lady Aberdeen, who journeys all the way from her vice-regal home in Ottawa to address a public meeting in the Grand Opera House of this city to-morrow (Wednesday) evening, in behalf of the National Council of Women, needs little or no introduction to readers of the ADVERTISER. Since the first advent of the Laird of Haddo and his good wife in the Dominion, our columns have from time to time contained many interesting items of news regarding her Excellency and the many commendable movements with which she has been connected. Though yet in the bloom of early womanhood, this lineal descendant of the royal house of Robert Bruce has accomplished much substantial work for the benefit of common humanity. She successfully inaugurated the Haddo House Association—an organization which now numbers many members and associate members throughout the United Kingdom, and has been instrumental in improving the relations of employer and employed in the domestic circle to a marvelous extent. As a result of her life and observation in Ireland, Lady Aberdeen was chief in the work of establishing a society for promoting Irish domestic industries, and to her wonderful powers of organization was due the setting up of the unique Irish village at the Chicago Exhibition last year. Lady Aberdeen, like her husband, has always been a warm friend of Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone. She has a strong affection for Liberal principles, and at the present time she is the president of the Women's Liberal Federation, a body of women 80,000 strong. She succeeded Mrs. Gladstone in that position, and was elected by acclamation. Like many others of her sex who have studied the question thoroughly, Lady Aberdeen is a firm believer in the view that as women must obey the laws of the land as well as men they should have the same right as men to say who shall make those laws.

Lady Aberdeen comes here to address a meeting, open by the way to men as well as to women—though women are most earnestly invited to be present—on the aims and objects of the National Council of Women. The primary aim of this newly formed organization is to form a body of women representing all phases of women's work in every center of population in the Dominion. Such a council has been formed in Toronto and Montreal and to-morrow's gathering will complete the formation of a similar council for Western Ontario. It is hoped and believed that such a body will promote unity and charity amongst religious, philanthropic and secular associations, thus affording all an opportunity of knowing of what is being done for the good of the world outside their own immediate sphere. It is not intended that the organization shall in any way interfere with the individual work of the societies federating, but rather it is desired that all shall be strengthened by co-operative action as opportunity may arise. The council will be entirely undenominational and non-political, and there will doubtless be a large attendance of every class in the community, not only from London, but from many places in the West.

Those who attend the meeting, which will begin at 8 p.m. sharp, will enjoy a rare oratorical treat. Lady Aberdeen is a very effective speaker. She has a voice full of music and free from shrillness, she marshals her facts admirably, and illustrates her subject with the keenness of an "old parliamentary hand." There should not be a vacant chair in the Grand Opera House to-morrow night.

—Who asked, "Where has our old-time winter gone?"

—Surely it is not a fact that there are men in Saravia and Orillia willing to put up from \$30,000 to \$50,000 to have James Corbett and Peter Jackson engage in the "sport" of a prize fight. These exhibitions of brutality are illegal in the first instance, and we are confident that if by any means the assembly of thugs is convened on Ontario soil the authorities will take good care to gather them, and put them where they will be out of temptation for many a long day. Prize fights are demoralizing, disgusting spectacles, and there are some other so-called "entertainments" that are so perilously akin to them that they need to be opposed in every way possible.



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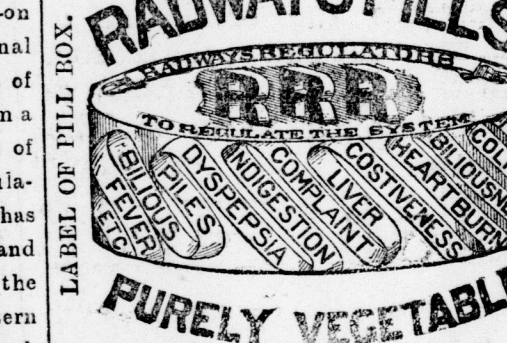
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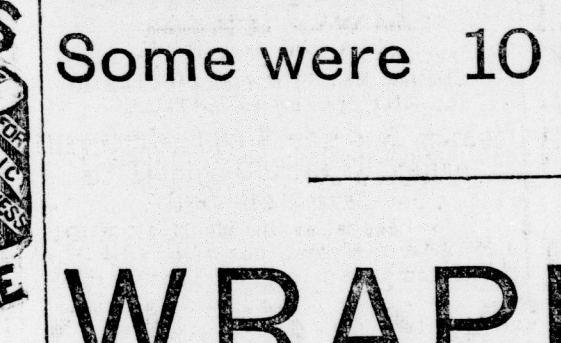
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### I Had Coitre

O swellings in the neck  
"I was 10 years old;  
am now 52. I used  
Hood's Sarsaparilla  
recently and the swelling  
has entirely disappeared.  
It has been very trouble-  
some. When I began I  
was feeling so discom-  
forted with the coitre and  
rheumatism I felt that  
I would soon be dead  
as alive. Whenever I caught cold I could not  
walk two blocks without fainting. Now I am  
free from it all and I can truly recommend  
Hood's Sarsaparilla. I received a letter from  
Mrs. Jennie Bigelow, now of Fremont, Mich.,  
asking if my testimonial in behalf of Hood's  
Sarsaparilla was true; I replied it was, and sent  
particulars. I have another letter from her  
thanking me very much for recommending

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

and stating that she also has been cured."  
Mrs. ANNA SUTHERLAND, Kalamazoo, Mich.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner  
Pills. They assist digestion and cure headache.

### THE TANKARD FINALS

Postponed Until Thursday Morning—  
Drawings Wednesday Night—Gen-  
eral Sporting News.

### CURLING.

THE FINALS.  
TORONTO, Feb. 12.—The Ontario Tankard  
finals are postponed one day. Drawings  
take place Wednesday night and play be-  
gins Thursday morning.

Monday's curling adds to the list of  
clubs eligible to take part in the finals—  
Hamilton Thistles, Parkdale and Prospect  
Park.

The Thistles, of Hamilton, and the  
Brantford Curling Club played at Brant-  
ford on Monday for the Ontario Tankard,  
five risks each. Hamilton won.

At Brampton—Parkdale 49, Guelph 42.

SEATING.  
RACING AT MONTREAL.  
MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—Breen and Mc-  
Cormick, of St. John, competed in a three-  
mile skating race here to-night for a purse  
of \$100. The race was a close one. Breen  
won by about a yard, covering the distance  
in 11 minutes 20 seconds.

THE TRIGGER.  
PORT STANLEY GUN CLUB.  
The second annual tournament of the  
Port Stanley Gun Club will be held on their  
grounds on Friday next, when \$60 in purses  
will be hung up. The first event includes  
four prizes amounting to \$10, 10 birds,  
known traps; the second \$15, 5 prizes,  
15 birds, known traps; the third \$20, 8  
prizes, 15 birds each, known traps; the  
fourth \$20, 6 prizes, 15 birds, rapid firing.  
The American Association Gun Club rules  
will govern the shooting.

OH, HAPPY DAY!

"I Am Cured Through the Use of  
Paine's Celery Compound."

A Wise Physician Requests His  
Patient to Give the Great  
Medicine a Trial.

Mrs. C. Lumley, of Cobourg, Ont., was  
wonderfully rescued from death by the use  
of Paine's Celery Compound, that marvel-  
ous medicine which is now so much talked  
of the world over. Nervousness, weakness  
and a stroke of paralysis had almost dragged  
Mrs. Lumley into the grave. All medicines  
failed to bring relief; her case was sad and  
critical. Fortunately her wise physician  
recommended her to try a course of Paine's  
Celery Compound. An almost miraculous  
cure was the result. Mrs. Lumley writes  
as follows:

"I have much pleasure in recommending  
Paine's Celery Compound for nervousness  
and weakness, with which I was afflicted  
for a number of years, and for which my  
doctor could give no relief. I became very  
weak, and had a stroke of paralysis. I was  
confined to my bed, and the doctor request-  
ed me to try a course of Paine's Celery  
Compound as the last thing that could be  
done. I did as recommended, and before I  
finished the first bottle I experienced a  
change. I am glad to say that I am cured  
through the use of Paine's Celery Com-  
pound. I have recommended it to others  
and they have been benefited by it; and I  
would urge all who need a medicine to give  
it a trial, as it has worked miracles for me."

A sensation was caused Sunday morning  
in St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church,  
Brooklyn, by an attack upon the pastor,  
Rev. William J. Hill, by his assistant,  
Rev. Patrick V. McDonald, who knocked  
the pastor down. McDonald's friends be-  
lieve he is insane.

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H. McKenna, Sole Agent.

"EVER OF THEE"

"We are fondly dreaming" and of that  
trial order which you are some day  
going to give us. It's these same trial  
orders that have brought us so much  
regular trade. If it be for one of these  
spring edition costs at \$20, we are  
sure of the result.

Harry Lenox

Cor. Carling and Richmond Sts.

### MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

#### Robin Hood Last Night—Bessie Bonehill

To-Night—After the Ball on  
Friday Night.

"AFTER THE BALL."  
Robert E. Graham, who appears at the  
Grand on Friday, is winning laurels in his  
new farce-comedy, adapted from the  
French, entitled "After the Ball." When  
Minnie Palmer was starring in this country  
in "My Sweetheart," Mr. Graham was her  
principal support. Later, when Miss  
Palmer sought to cajole smiles to the hard  
face of the London public and foreign  
America, Mr. Graham became leading  
comedian with the McCaull Opera Com-  
pany, where his success was pronounced.  
"After the Ball" is piquant, and its title  
is the result of an inspiration such as rarely  
sweeps the soul of a latter-day dramatist.

#### BESSIE BONEHILL TO-NIGHT.

"Playmates," with Bessie Bonehill as  
the leading character will be the lively  
attraction at the Opera House to-night. The  
play is termed a musical comedy and from  
the press comments it more than satisfies  
an audience. The company assisting Miss  
Bonehill are all premiers in their acts. The  
scenic effects are magnificently represented.  
Among the specialty performers are the  
Jerome brothers, with a reputation on both  
sides of the Atlantic; Signor Borelli, a  
musical wonder, whose act calls forth  
numerous encores; Minnie Thurgate, a  
clever English soubrette and dancer;  
Seely and West, musical specialists; Bessie  
Tannehill and Diana Harding. If an audi-  
ence can be satisfied, this performance will  
do it. It can safely be said that it will be  
one of the most laughable plays to appear  
here this season.

#### "ROBIN HOOD" AT THE GRAND.

Again last evening the opera-loving  
element in London had an opportunity of  
enjoying that delectable feast of music  
contained in De Koven and Smith's "Robin  
Hood." And, considering the violence of  
the prevailing storm, a surprising number  
availed themselves of it. An audience  
which would have done honor to any per-  
formance was present. It is scarcely  
necessary at the present time to say any-  
thing regarding the opera itself—music  
and libretto—as the unvarying excellence;  
of both have secured universal approval  
and besides the opera has been twice before  
presented in this city. The present company  
of singers would not suffer severely even in  
comparison with either of its predecessors,  
for the principals formed a galaxy of un-  
usual merit. They were:

Sheriff of Nottingham..... Jerome Sykes  
Little John..... Edwin Isham  
Will Scarlett..... F. S. Ventworth  
Allan-a-Dale..... Louis Casavant  
Friar Tuck..... Mary Palmer  
Sir Robert of Doncaster..... James Nickolds  
Maid Marian..... Ross David  
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Dame Durdene..... Agnes Stone  
Anabel..... Ethel Balch  
Nor was the chorus in any way deficient.  
The ensemble numbers were exceedingly  
effective.

#### WOMEN WORKERS

Brave the Weather—Methodist Mission  
ary Societies in London District.

Notwithstanding the very disagreeable  
weather a goodly number of women con-  
nected with the Methodist missionary  
societies attended the convention of the  
London district in the Wellington Street  
Church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Mc-  
Mechan, who organized the union four  
years ago, occupied the chair. Nine  
auxiliaries presented reports—Dundas Cen-  
ter, Queen's Avenue, London West, London  
South, Wellington Street and Centennial,  
in the city, and the Grove, Arva and  
Salem, in the surrounding country. Mrs.  
Griffith, of Thorndale, read a delightful  
paper on the history of the auxiliary in  
that town, while Miss Raymond rendered  
a solo and Miss Allan gave a recitation.

The reports of eight of the mission  
circles and bands were extremely encourag-  
ing. Mrs. Robertson delivered a greeting  
from the Baptist societies. It was de-  
cided to hold the next quarterly meeting  
in the London West Church. Between  
the afternoon and the evening sessions a  
supper was served in the basement.

The second meeting was well at-  
tended. Rev. J. R. Gundy made an  
ideal presiding officer. Mrs. Mc-  
Mechan read the yearly report of the dis-  
trict. There are now 15 auxiliaries, with  
5 churches as yet unorganized. The mis-  
sion circles and bands numbered 7. The  
total income for the district was \$1,812.82  
—of this amount the missionary circles con-  
tributed \$686.16. The total income for  
contributions was \$90.30. The membership  
at present stands: Auxiliaries, 438; mission  
circles and bands, 375; total 813. Miss  
Cullen recited in excellent style. Rev.  
James Woodworth, superintendent of mis-  
sions for the N. W. T., made a short speech  
on work in that district.

#### Western License Commissioners.

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—The following license  
commissioners in Western Ontario have  
been appointed: South Norfolk, John  
Murphy, James McBride and Frank Bowl-  
by; West Simcoe, Alex. McNeil McFall,  
James G. Sutherland and J. A. Bracken-  
ridge; Centre Bruce, R. M. Watson, John  
Humberstone and George C. Elliott; South  
Wentworth, E. Renkie, A. Jarvis and Ed.  
Dickenson, sen.; East Elgin, John Ogilvie,  
George North and George Lang; North  
Perth, Geo. G. McPherson, John Way and  
Henry Doshing.

#### The Late Dr. Douglas' Funeral.

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—The funeral of the  
late Dr. Douglas takes place this afternoon.  
Services will be held in the Wesleyan Col-  
lege, to which the senate of the college,  
the clergy of all denominations and stu-  
dents have been invited. The pallbearers  
will be Rev. Dr. Shaw, Rev. Dr. Williams,  
Principal MacVicar, Principal Henderson,  
Messrs. Samuel Finlay, J. B. Clarkson,  
John Torrence and James Ferrier. Ser-  
mons will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Car-  
man, Dr. Potts, Dr. Hunter and Dr.  
Jackson.

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—At the Methodist  
ministers' weekly meeting this morning a  
resolution was passed expressing the keen  
sense of the association of the loss sus-  
tained by Canadian Methodism in par-  
ticular, and by the Christian church gen-  
erally, by the death of Dr. Douglas.

The great lung healer is found in the ex-  
cellent medicine sold as Fickie's Anti-Con-  
sumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes  
the sensibility of the membrane of the  
throat and air passages and is a sovereign  
remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness,  
pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis,  
etc. It has cured many when supposed to  
be far advanced in consumption.

Post—I have called to learn what has  
become of my poem I sent you entitled  
"The Brave Firemen." Editor.—It went to  
the fire.

Flicks Flicks Flicks, Des.  
Syrupons—Moisture; inter itching  
and stinging; most at night worse by  
scratching. It allowed to consume tumors  
form, which often bleed and oozes, be-  
coming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT  
stops the itching and bleeding, heals  
ulceration and in most cases, removes the  
tumors. At druggists, or by mail, for 50  
cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.  
Lyman, Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale  
agents.

### Lived Too Long.

A Movement for Abolishing the  
House of Lords.

Evidences of a Split in the Unionist  
Ranks.

The Work of the Lords Will Be Re-  
jected by the Commons.

French Reinforcements Sent to Senegal  
—Twenty Persons in Paris Injured  
by the Explosion of a Bomb.

#### Split in the Unionist Ranks.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Duke of Devon-  
shire, leader of the Liberal Unionists, has  
called a meeting of his Parliamentary party  
for Thursday. This meeting will be asked  
to decide whether or not the party shall  
support Lord Salisbury against the Com-  
mons.

Joseph Chamberlain, Liberal Unionist  
leader in the Commons, will advise the  
Peers to surrender rather than provoke the  
decisive conflict.

#### Sent to Senegal.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—Five hundred of the  
men belonging to the foreign legion have  
been ordered to proceed to Senegal. They  
are intended to reinforce the French troops  
under Captain Philippe, who is holding  
Tombuctoo against the Touaregs.

#### Killed His Wife with a Spade.

BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 12.—Paul Locaso, a  
prominent Greek merchant, murdered his  
wife last night. Citizens heard piercing  
screams, and, running to Locaso's house,  
saw Locaso dragging the bleeding form of  
his wife across the street. The crowd pur-  
sued and caught him. Locaso killed his  
wife with a spade.

#### Serious Accident to Princess Ena.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Princess Ena, the  
5-year-old daughter of Prince Henry of  
Battenberg, and the Princess Beatrice, was  
thrown from her pony near Osborne House  
on Saturday. She lay insensible for 24  
hours. The physicians say she is suffering  
from concussion of the brain.

Princess Ena regained consciousness this  
afternoon, and is improving.

#### Another Bottled Message.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A bottle containing a  
letter was washed ashore to-day at Millton-  
Malby, county Clare, Ireland. The letter  
was dated Sept. 12, 1893. George Watts,  
the writer, said he was aboard the British  
steamship Lydiate, which was foundering at  
sea. Her latitude was then 12° north  
longitude, 47° west. The finder of the  
bottle was requested to send the enclosed  
letter to the nearest American consul.

#### The British Parliament.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The House of Com-  
mons reassembled to-day. Sir Edward  
Grey, Parliamentary Secretary of the  
Foreign Office, in reply to a question, said  
that British merchantmen enjoyed the  
same facilities at Rio Janeiro as were had  
by vessels of other nations. The Govern-  
ment would neglect no opportunity to  
secure to the commerce of Great Britain  
the same advantages as were granted other  
countries.

The business to-day was entirely routine.  
The members expect that to-morrow the  
Government will make a declaration, re-  
jecting the amendments made by the House  
of Lords to the British Councils and the  
Employers' Liability Bills.

The Daily Chronicle, commenting on the  
opening of Parliament, remarks that:  
There could scarcely be a more humiliating  
position for a popular assembly than is the  
case in Great Britain with the House of  
Commons, buffeted and insulted by a sur-  
vival of medievalism, which exists for no  
other reason under heaven but to afford a  
cover for every anti-popular reactionary  
and despotic sentiment.

#### The Lords Must Go.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—After the Cabinet  
council was concluded to-day, the executive  
committee of the National Liberal Federa-  
tion obtained permission to put a resolu-  
tion before the annual meeting of the  
Federation on Thursday declaring that no  
further mischievous meddling by the House  
of Lords shall detract from the work of  
the charter reform which the representative  
House is authorized to carry out. It is  
reported that the delegates will be asked  
to approve a resolution declaring that the  
continuance of a house of hereditary legis-  
lators has become intolerable, and that the  
House of Lords has been allowed to exist  
too long.

At the meeting of the National Liberal  
Federation in Portsmouth to-day, Robert  
Spence Watson, the president, said in his  
introductory address that he rejoiced in  
the recent conduct of the Peers. They had  
acted in the manner best calculated to  
bring to the front the question not of mend-  
ing them but of ending them. The day for  
forgiving the iniquities of the Peers, even if  
they should repent, had gone. Loud  
applause greeted this declaration of principles.

The Liberal and Radical Union at its  
meeting to-day passed a resolution deny-  
ing the right of the House of Lords to re-  
turn to the country the bills passed by the  
House of Commons. The resolution also  
condemned the institution of the Upper  
House as a danger to the state.

#### Protection and Dear Bread.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—In the Chamber of  
Deputies to-day, Jules Charles Roux, a  
well-known manufacturer of Marseilles, a  
member of the Tribunal of Commerce and  
the Chamber of Commerce of that city,  
made a speech in opposition to the corn  
tax proposals of the Government. He

declared that the acceptance of these  
proposals would lead to the destruc-  
tion of French commerce, and would  
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The man who leans on his blessings can-  
not walk straight.

All Sorts  
and conditions of men  
smoke the famous Cigars  
El Padre & La Cadena.  
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### S. & J.

THE WEATHER TO-DAY—Cold weather,  
gradually clearing.

### FEE— NOMINAL.

Our fee is nominal always,  
but on a few Spring Jackets  
left over from last season it is  
simply phenomenal. Perhaps  
you think you know what is to  
follow, but you don't, nor can  
you guess. We will guarantee  
that you never heard of anything  
like the following since you came  
to London. These are values  
you don't meet every day. They  
are only chances with us, and  
when these "left overs" are dis-  
posed of, we cannot duplicate  
them. You may have seen  
Jackets advertised at about  
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Jackets like ours, which have a  
reputation. Surely there are  
over one hundred persons in  
London and vicinity who want  
just what we are offering. If so,  
the lot will be cleared out. Don't  
hesitate. We want to clear them  
out to-day, and if you wait till  
morning—what then?

### ALL THAT'S LEFT.

25 only, job line of Short Jackets, 50c  
choice, Black and Colored, for  
15 Misses' Black Serge Jackets, choice;  
you may take your choice at \$1  
12 Ladies' Jackets, wool serge;  
loose fronts; choice; a bargain at \$1 25  
12 Ladies' Jackets, shawl collars; last  
season's goods; will clear out at \$1 50  
10 Ladies' Jackets, close fitting; braid  
trimming; well-made; stylish, at \$2  
10 Ladies' Jackets, Black Curl  
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15 Ladies' Jackets; close fitting; fash-  
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These are phenomenal values,  
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above in one day may seem a  
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### POLITICAL POINTS.

Parliament Called for March 15—  
Long Session Looked For.

West Kent Liberals Indorse the Patron  
Candidate.

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The Dominion Parlia-  
ment has been summoned to meet on  
March 15. An extra of the Canada  
Gazette will be issued at once with the  
usual proclamation. It is generally  
believed here that the session will not  
only be a long but a lively one. The great  
issue between the two political parties will  
be the tariff. In this connection it is said  
that the sub-committee of the Cabinet has  
the work of revision well advanced and  
that the Tariff Bill will be ready early  
in the session for presentation to the  
House. The last session opened on the  
20th of January and closed the 1st of  
April.

CHATHAM, Feb. 12.—West Kent Lib-  
erals met here Saturday and unanimously  
indorsed the Patron candidate for the  
Legislature, Mr. T. L. Pardo, and a com-  
mittee was appointed to notify Mr. Pardo  
of the indorsement of his nomination.

### IN LABOR'S FIELD.

Cotton Mill Operatives Strike Against  
a Cut in Wages.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 12.—The strike  
of the operatives of the Washington Mills  
on account of a proposed reduction in wages  
is now on.







## Out of the Workhouse

"Come, Lucas," said the chaplain heartily, "don't look so dazed, old friend; this gentleman is a lawyer, and he will take you to a lawyer's office, where you will find a little bit of business while this makes itself decent."

"Lucas—luck—luck for me?" stammered the old man.

"Yes, indeed," broke in the lawyer quietly, "a piece of extraordinary luck, but not undeserved, I'm sure. You've been unlucky, Mr. Lucas, lately, but we hope you've many prosperous days before you. You had a brother Samuel, who went to America in '68—that's so, isn't it?"

"Ay, sir, it is so. I had a brother Sam, three years younger than me."

"Well, Sam's lately died, and left a large fortune. You are his sole heir."

"Dye mean I come in for Sam's money?" with a momentary flash of quicker perception. The lawyer nodded, smiling. "Yes, my friend, I do."

"And how much may it be?" Lucas tottered a little. The chaplain quietly pushed a chair towards him, into which he sank, though, perceiving the next moment that he was the only person seated, the instinct of habit made him murmur, "Aixing your pardon, gentlemen, for sitting down."

"It is a hundred thousand pounds," the lawyer said slowly. The master and the chaplain both started and looked at each other. Clearly and emphatically as he spoke, Lucas's mind could not take in such an idea.

"A hundred pounds," he said slowly; "that'll keep me a'most, I reckon, so long as I live, outside of this."

"You don't understand, Lucas," said the chaplain, bending down to him, "you're a little deaf. Mr. Wilbraham said a hundred thousand pounds." There was a strange pause and hush.

Peter broke the silence with a low muttering. "A hundred—thousand—pounds! Lord save us!" Then he looked sharply at the lawyer. "You're in earnest? you mean it? you ain't a jokin' with me?"

"Upon my honor I'm not. It's a fact, a positive fact. I made quite sure of it before I came down. You're a rich man."

"And I can leave here to-day?"

"As soon as ever you please. You can return with me, if you like, to London this evening, or you can sleep at the inn at Ealing and start to-morrow."

"No, no, to-night—to-night," said the chaplain heartily; "you'll want some friend or relative with you."

"I've only one relation as I claim as such," the old man said with sudden fierceness. "I'll go round and fetch her now. Her'll come along of us. Ha! ha!" he chuckled grimly. "I'm even now with Mat, and Mat's wife too."

He rose stiffly and glanced about him. "I'm ready sir, if you be."

"Yes, certainly—I've a fly at the door. If there's anything you want to take, take it now."

"No," chuckled the old man again; "I chap don't have much property in here. I'll go fetch Bell."

Then he held out his horny hand, and with 70 years' labor, to the chaplain, and wished him good-bye to you, sir, and wishin' you good luck like mine. You done your best by me, and by us all. I hopes you'll get your due for it."

"Maybe, Lucas," said Mr. St. John, smiling, as they shook hands. "I suppose we mostly do some time or other, here or hereafter; but not a hundred thousand pounds. I don't want that. Good-bye, old friend! I hope with all my heart your money'll bring you happiness."

Peter proceeded, but this time rather glumly and without good wishes, to shake hands with the master, and with the matron, who had come in open-mouthed to hear what was going on. Then he followed the lawyer to the door, and stood on the steps a free man, a man of property, drawing deep his first breath of independence, after two long, black years of prison.

Once inside the fly, Mr. Wilbraham suggested calling first at a tailor's to exchange the workhouse garb for something more in accord with his position. Lucas was reluctant to delay taking his news to Bell, even for a little, but with a little difficulty he was persuaded to do so.

The astonished tailor could not do much at a moment's notice, but a tolerable suit of black was found at last, a tall hat, and a great coat, that covered many deficiencies. Even in this heavy attire, the old man scarcely looked his part; but his silvery locks lent him a certain dignity. When seated in the fly again, Mr. Wilbraham held out a handful of gold and silver.

"Here, sir," he said coolly, "put this in your pocket to go on with. I don't want to do paymaster longer than is necessary."

The old man did not take it—he looked angrily from the money to the lawyer. "I'm not a-going to take yours," said he; "where's mine?"

"This is yours—I'm only advancing it—you shall account for it—but you must have money about you."

The fact related a little, and Lucas thrust the coins into his pocket, stealing his hand in afterwards to feel the unwonted thrust. By his direction they next stopped at Mrs. Jenkins'. Mr. Wilbraham suggested the grandfather's interview should be a private one; he had a telegram to send from the postoffice next door. The telegram was to J. L. Wilbraham, and ordered rooms to be got ready in the sender's house in Regent's Park, for Mr. Lucas and a young lady. Meanwhile old Peter marched into the baker's shop, and confronted the stout priestess with an appearance of sang froid which his new attire helped him to maintain.

"Good-mornin', mum," said he. Not for the moment recognizing her little servant's pauper grandfather, she returned the salutation civilly. Then a look of blank surprise came into her broad, red face.

"Well, I never! If it ain't old Master Lucas—as fine as fine as a fine day!"

"I want to see my Bell, mum," the old man went on, a grim smile relaxing the muscles of her mouth at her astonishment, which was a new and agreeable hint of the wonderful change that had come over him.

"I'm a-going to take her away with me as soon as she can clean herself and come. There's no odds about her bits o' things—her won't want 'em. I'm a-going to Lunnun, and Bell's to come along."

"Going to London! Well, I'm blessed—and you think as I can spare Bell at a moment's notice—are you gone daft, Master Lucas? or have you come into a fortune?"

"Just that, mum. I'm willing to pay a fair price for it—convenancing you, but Bell must come, and quick too, for I've no mind to wait."

Mrs. Jenkins could only gasp and stare, and repeat her formula, "Well, I'm blessed!"

Impatient at the delay, Peter raised his voice and called "Bell!"

Bell quickly appeared, not recognizing, in the loud, authoritative tones, the feeble voice she was used to in her grandfather. Her hair and her coarse apron were covered with flour, and her face was pale and scared.

"Granddad," she cried, stopping short, bewildered, in the doorway.

"Ah, my wench, it's me. Be quick and clean yourself—don't stop to bring a thing—I've come in for a fortune, lass, and she shall help up and it. Be quick—there's a lawyer gentleman waitin' outside to take us to Lunnun. Mrs. Jenkins and me'll settle our little bit o' business while this makes itself decent."

He waved her away, and Bell hurried to her little attic to obey him. Had he been in his ordinary clothes she would have thought his brain was turned, but the hat and coat carried conviction of a change. Presently Mr. Wilbraham, outside, was joined by old Lucas and a snappy little girl who could hardly find words to whisper an answer to his kindly greeting.

"Where next, Mr. Lucas?" he inquired. "We have still an hour and a half."

"To Briggs & Mantion, sir," the old man answered promptly. "This girl of mine has got to be rigged out."

"Won't you wait till we get to town?" said the lawyer, taking in at a glance the sordid details of poor Bell's array.

"Not a minute," returned the other, almost fiercely. "My Bell shall look a servant no longer than I can help."

A small crowd of children, vaguely sensing excitement, had gathered round the fly, a few men and women, too, had stopped to look. One recognized Bell and her grandfather.

"En, but it's old Lucas out of the House," she cried to her neighbor, "dressed like a toff! What up? And Bell, Mother Jenkins' gal!"

Mr. Wilbraham hastily put his clients into the fly, and ordered the man to drive on to the driver's box. The blind Mr. Briggs himself, seeing a vehicle, and scenting profit, advanced smiling to receive his strange customers; the shopwomen stared wonderingly as they recognized the little servant girl.

"I want a reg'lar fit out for my grand-daughter here," the old man said, sturdily planting himself by the counter; "send a young 'oman as knows what a woman ought to wear—the best, mind. I'll sit down the while, for I'm tired. This gentleman, here, can show you as I can pay."

He sat down and watched, while Mr. Briggs, astounded, but still smiling, beckoned an elegant and haughty-looking dame with very fashionable "beed of hair," to wait on the shrinking little Bell.

"Take her along with you into a room," said the old man, pointing with his thumb at Bell; make her look smart, and be quick about it, that's all. I'll pay."

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## SHORTHORN BREEDERS.

Annual Meeting of the Dominion Association—The Officers—Presentations to Hon. John Dryden.

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—The eighth annual meeting of the Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association was held in Shaftesbury Hall, Toronto, on Friday.

The following officers were elected: President—Richard Gibson, Delaware.

Vice-Presidents—A. Johnston, Greensburg, Ont.; Hon. D. Ferguson, M.P.P., Charlottetown, P. E. I.; J. H. Lander, Lander's Landing, B. C.; D. Brims, Athol, Quebec; Josiah Wood, M.P., Sackville, N. B.; James Geddes, Calgary, Alberta; Prof. Geo. Lawson, Halifax, N. S.; John E. Smith, Brandon, Man.

Delegates to Industrial Exhibition—Hon. John Dryden, John L. Hobson, Mesboro, To Central Farming Institute, W. G. Pettit, Freeman, To Western Fair—R. Gibson, Delaware; C. M. Skimons, Ivan, Secretary and Editor—Henry Wade, Toronto.

The pedigrees on record number 43,813. Reference was made to the success of Ontario at the World's Fair. The financial statement showed that the receipts amounted to \$2,741 and that there is a cash balance of \$1,741.

A feature was the presentation of a handsome marble clock to Hon. John Dryden, Ontario Minister of Agriculture. The president explained that they had purposed presenting Mr. Dryden with a formal address, but that would be done at a later time. In the meantime they would do no more than convey to him an expression of their gratitude, and he would remember that in the earlier days of the association there were great difficulties to contend with.

Mr. Dryden replied very briefly. The president appointed Mr. Hobson and Mr. Wade to wait upon Hon. A. R. Angus, Ottawa, and Hon. John Dryden, asking them to send a delegation to Washington to confer with Secretary of Agriculture Morton for the purpose of endeavoring to secure the recognition by the United States of Canadian stock registrations.

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GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division CORRECTED Dec. 18, 1893.

## MAIN LINE—Going East.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Lehigh Express.....	3:15 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A).....	4:15 a.m.
Accommodation.....	4:30 a.m.
Atlantic Express (B).....	12:20 p.m.
Lehigh Express.....	1:30 p.m.
Atlantic Express (A) (D).....	4:30 p.m.
Mixed (C).....	5:30 p.m.
Lehigh Limited (A).....	11:40 p.m.

## MAIN LINE—Going West.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Chicago Express (A).....	5:35 a.m.
West End Mixed.....	9:30 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A).....	11:35 a.m.
Lehigh Express (B).....	12:15 p.m.
Accommodation.....	12:30 p.m.
Pacific Express (A).....	6:30 p.m.
Mail.....	7:10 p.m.
Accommodation.....	7:30 p.m.

## Sarnia Branch.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Lehigh Express (B).....	3:15 a.m.
Accommodation.....	4:30 a.m.
Atlantic Express (B).....	11:35 a.m.
Mixed.....	12:30 p.m.
Accommodation.....	8:15 p.m.
Lehigh Limited (B).....	11:35 p.m.

## Sarnia Branch.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Chicago Express (B).....	5:40 a.m.
Lehigh Express (B).....	7:40 a.m.
Lehigh Express (B).....	11:30 a.m.
Accommodation.....	12:30 p.m.
Pacific Express (B).....	7:30 p.m.

## London, Huron and Bruce.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Express.....	8:55 a.m.
Mail.....	9:40 p.m.

## St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Mixed—Mail.....	11:15 a.m.
Express.....	2:05 p.m.
Express.....	5:40 p.m.
Express—Mixed.....	9:15 p.m.

## Toronto Branch.

ARRIVE	DEPART
Hamilton—Depart.....	7:30 a.m.
Hamilton—Arrive.....	7:30 a.m.
Hamilton—Depart.....	7:30 a.m.
Hamilton—Arrive.....	7:30 a.m.

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Stations.	Exp	Exp	Exp	Mix
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Courtright.....	5:45 a.m.	5:45 p.m.	5:45 p.m.	5:45 p.m.
Chatham (C. P. R.).....	7:35 a.m.	7:35 p.m.	7:35 p.m.	7:35 p.m.
Fargo.....	8:25 a.m.	8:25 p.m.	8:25 p.m.	8:25 p.m.
Blenheim.....	8:35 a.m.	8:35 p.m.	8:35 p.m.	8:35 p.m.

## Trains North.

Sarnia (G. T. R.).....	11:45	7:40.....
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