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WHOLE NO. 11,046.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

WILSON-Suddenly, at Ingersoll, on Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1899, James H. Wilson, V.S., aged 56 years.

Funeral will leave his late residence, No. 846 Richmond street, on Friday, Jan. 20, at 3:30 p.m.; service at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

WALKER-Suddenly, on Tuesday, Jan, 17, 1899, John Walker, aged 58 years.
Funeral from the residence of Richard Bisset, No. 457 Quebec street, on Thursday, Jan. 19, at 3 p.m.; service 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

SALMON-At Thorndale, on Jan. 18, Alice H. Salmon, aged 22 years and 10 months. Funera on Friday, Jan. 20; service at the ouse, 1 a.m. Interment at Woodland

DIBB-In this city, on Jan. 18, 1899, Wm. Dibb. aged 88 years.

Funeral from the residence of his son, Edward Dibb, 244 Horton street, on Friday, at 9 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral. Private.

Amusements and Lectures

GRAND HOUSE

Special return visit, Saturday, Jan. 21, matinee and night, JOHN GRIFFITH, in R. H. Sothern's great romantic drama "AN ENEMY TO THE KING," supported by Kathryn Purnell, and a powerful company. The full Lycoum Theater. New York, production will be given. Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1. Seats now on sale, 45k MUSICAL SOCIETY BAND-PRINCESS tonight. Ice in fine condition.

JUBILEE RINK - BAND TONIGHT -Manhattan Club carnival Monday evening

REDLIGHT RINK - BAND FRIDAY night. Children's carnival Saturday af-

A HOTTIME—FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL
—Starlight Rink, Friday evening, Jan. 20.
Three cash prizes. Tickets 10c. DRINCESS-HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP League game, 8 p.m. Band and skating. Admission 25c. Coupons canceled.

DON'T MISS A SERMON TO HUSBANDS, with a few pointers to wives. Jessie Alexander, Dundas Center Church, Monday, Jan. 23.

A UDIFORIUM — THURSDAY, JAN. 19—
Popular Concert Course. Inez Ethelyn
Smith, soprano; Edwin C. Crane, baritone;
George L. Angus, violinist; Henry S. Saunders,
cellist; Miss M. Raymond, planist.

44c

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY - SPECIAL -Have you seen the "Society Cakewalk?"
Newest dance out; sure to be very popular.
We can accommodate you with a private lesson any hour. Dayton & McCormick. 37,155 PASSENGERS WERE LANDED at New York, via the Cunard steamships, during 1898, according to report received by F. B. Clarke, Agent Cunard Line, 416 Richmond street, next door to Advertiser. S. S. Campania sails Jan. 28.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING-Rapid teaching: low rates. All who desire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of the state of dancing, 345 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

KILWINNING LODGE, NO. 64, A., F. AND A. M., meets tonight (Thursday), Masonic Temple, 7:30 sharp. Regular communication. Visiting brethren welcome. Thomas Scandrett, W.M.; John Overell, P.M., Secretary.

MASONIC-EMERGENCY MEETING OF St. John's Lodge. No. 20, will be held Fri-day, the 20th inst., at 2:30 p.m., for the purpose of att piding the funeral of the late Wor. Bro. J. H. Vilson, to Woodland Cemetery. Jas. D. Shaw, W.M.; M. D. Dawson, Sec. A O. U. W.-WOODBINE LODGE MEETS this evening. Visitors welcome. G. A. Werner, M. W.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF EAST MID DLESEX Reform Association will be held Saturday, 21st January, 1899, in Duffield Block, corner Dundas and Clarence streets, at 2 p.m. All members requested to be present. J. B Gorwill, Vice-Pres.; W. B. Laidlaw, Sec.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED - GENERAL SERVANT-AP-PLY 567 Queen's avenue. 46bu WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; no washing. Apply 90 Elmwood avenue.

WANTED - EXPERIENCED COOK-Apply Mrs. T. H. Smallman, "Waverley, South London. 44tf WANTED-A GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT, in a family of three. Apply Mrs. Depper, 239 Hamilton road.

Situations Wanted

WANTED — POSITION AS CHEESE-MAKER — Understand the business thoroughly. W. E. Winter, Scottsville P.O. 46c bw

Agents Wanted.

AGENTS-WE GIVE EVERY MAN OR woman a Solid Gold-laid Solitaire Bolivian Carbon Diamond Gem Ring, which we will buy back at \$5 if not as represented. It is solid gold pattern and unsurpassed for beauty, brilliancy and durability. We give it free for disposing of twenty cases of perfumery among your friends at 5 cents a case. Simply send name and address and we will mail 'perfumery postpaid on consignment. When sold send money and we will mail ring which few can tell from genuine \$75 diamond. We take perfumery back if you cannot sell. Addre s W. S. Simpson, Postoffice Box 180, New York City.

WANTED -AGENTS TO SELL NURSERY stock for the old reliable Fonthill Nurseries, established over 25 years ago. Our acreage today, 700 acres. Newest specialties, largest and best assortment. Permanent place. Good pay. Supplies free. Stone & Wellington, Toronto.

TEA ROUTE IS BETTER THAN ANY agency. For particulars address Mar-shall & Co., London, Ont.

Female Help Wanted WANTED-TWO LADY CANVASSERS—Good wages. Apply Lusterine Manufacturing Company, 394 Richmond street. 45c

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and Typewriting is the best profession for a lady or gentleman. It can be acquired in from three to six months, if you attend

Coo's Academy,

76 Dundas St., London, where the art is taught by professional shorthand writers. We secure a situation for every graduate. During present week we placed pupils temporarily with Geo. White & Son and the city clerk. For terms apply

W. C. Coo, C.S.R.,

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Men's Sample Shoes selling at \$3 worth \$5. Hathaway & Co., of Boston, Mass., best makes, all shapes and styles, tan or black, all sizes and weights. Materials, wax-calf and willow-calf—oak sole-leathers.

This lot of 320 pairs will not last long at the low price. They go on sale this Saturday morning. Come with your cash—our good values will interest you.

Pocock Bros.

Lost and Found.

L OST-RIBBON BELT AND BUCKLE— Finder would greatly oblige by returning same to 328 King street. FOUND-LARGE BRASS KEY-APPLY Advertiser. FOUND-INSITTING ROOM OF ATLANTIC House, city, a pocket-book. Owner, by giving description, can have same. J. Howe.

L OST-AN ENVELOPE CONTAINING 12 tickets. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to Sifton & Co., Dundas street.

DOG LOST-SATURDAY, 14TH-FAWN collie dog. Notify H. Worster, at Asylum, and receive reward. LOST — GREYHOUND, ANSWERS TO Jack, marked white and slate color. Return to 386 Dufferin avenue. Reward.

Miscellaneous.

DRESS SUITS TO RENT, IN FIRST-CLASS condition. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King

Business Chances.

CHEESE FACTORY FOR SALE IN A good farming locality; will be sold cheap. Address Box 119, Advertiser Office, London. 43h

FOR SALE - TWO WAREHOUSES AT Clandeboye station, immediate possession, price easy. Apply, J. Cobledick, Exeter. 42n FOR SALE-STORE WITH POSTOFFICE and dwelling-house; also stock of general merchandise. Address Box 32 Orwell, Ont.

Real Estate.

POR SALE-SELECT FARM AND CITY ply G. W. Francis, 90 Dundas street. London,

FARM FOR SALE-SOUTHWEST CORNER lot 20, con. 3, West Nissouri; brick house; frame barn; two orchards. Address, or call on R. Scott, Thorndale. R. Scott, Thorndale.

10 Por SALE—50-ACRE FARM. CON. 6, LOT 22, six miles west of London; choice land; good buildings; well watered; eight acres fall price \$2,800.

22, six miles west of London; choice land; good buildings; well watered; eight acres fall wheat, twenty acres plowed. Price \$2,800.

Apply 441 Piccadilly street, London, Ont. 40bn eod

POR SALE, OR LEASE FOR A TERM OF years, The White Sulphur Springs and Mineral Baths, Swimming Bath, Boating Business, 300 feet of land. For particulars apply 60 Elmwood avenue, South London. FINE 2-STORY HOUSE, WITH ALL MODERN ERN conveniences, for sale, or would rent to suitable tenant. avenue, very cheap this season.

Three lots on Hellmuth for party that will build J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street.

Wanted.

WANTED - 100-ACRE FARM, WITH first-class improvements, close to railway station or city. Box 118, Advertiser. 42c tyw WANTED IMMEDIATELY—TWO UN-FURNISHED rooms. State price. Ad-dress Box 120, Advertiser. 45k

WANTED TO PURCHASE-MEDIUM OR W large sized fire proof safe. Must be in good condition. Address "Safe," this office.
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HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE clothing. A. P. Sains bury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

Educational.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS' SCHOOL LIMITED.

Spring term commences Feb. 8. Kindergarten branch is he d in a room in Conservatory of Music building, Jundas street. For calendars and other information apply to "rs. J. E. Wells, 661 Talbot street. Londor

Articles For Sale.

FOR SALE-A QUANTITY OF YOUNG white oak timber, from 8 to 20 inches, standing; suitable for piles. Wm. T. Hawken, Warwick Village Postoffice. 44n&wb FINE GROCERIES A SPECIALTY—DOM INION. laundry agency. Trading stamps given on all purchases. T. H. JANES,

Wortley road,
South London

TISSUE PAPER—ALL COLORS—FOUR full size sheets for one cent. Large assortment of school books and school supplies. J. H. Cunningham, 778 Dundas street, East Lon-

CAUSTIC SODA IN HUNDPED POUND CAUSTIC SODA IN MUNDIND FOUND drums, soda ash in bags, rosi, in barrels, soft soap in barrels. Guaranteed chemical steam boiler purge very cheap. Chip soap for laundries. Water tanks and barrels. London 49tf Soap Company.

PRING SKATES, 35c PAIR. SKATES hollow ground, 10c. Bicycling repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

\$15 BUYS A SIX-PIECE PARLOR suite, nicely upholstered, regular price \$20. Keene Bros. Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

OR SALE-ONE SLIGHTLY USED UP-RIGHT mahogary piano, 7½ octaves, only \$200, and one Thomas organ, slightly used, \$35. Lasy terms. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas

FIRST-CLASS WOOD-HARD AND SOFTstove lengths or cordwood. Prompt de-livery to any part of the city. Prices reason-able. Phone 1,312. S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD J. T. Westland, 340 Elichmond street, up stairs ELECTRIC BELLS KEPT IN PERMANENT repair, only 50c per year. R. M. Millar, 434 Talbot street.

PORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA, FOUR pounds 25c; smoked ham and bacon, 10c; pickled bacon, 9c; shoulders, 6c; long clears, 8c, at Park's, corner Market Lane. BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DE LIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1,134.

76 Dundes Street. KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture.

years, if you do not pay your premiums, your policy will be continued in force by the application of the cash value until the cash value is exhausted. During that period or within thirty days thereafter, cash payment of premiums may be resumed, without medical examination. All the privileges of the policy remain intact during the operation of this clause.

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TO LET-NO. 427 KING STREET-APPLY at 383 King street. 96tf O LET-COVERED MOVING VANS-When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

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THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE PAID for information that will lead to the conviction of any person or persons intentionally sending a false alarm from any of the fire alarm boxes in the city. By order.

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+000000000000000000000000000 HAPPENINGS OF THE HOUR

Miss Lindbloom is an applicant for membership in the Chicago Board of

The barns and stacks of D. J. McDonald, a farmer living just north of Wallaceburg, were burned Wednesday. The loss is about \$1,000. Miss Eva Roch, of Montreal, who has passed the last 28 days in a lethargic sleep, was awakened yesterday by the

doctors applying a cautery to the neck. Hon. James D. Lewin, senator, who has been on the directorate of the Bank of New Brunswick for 48 years,

has just been re-elected president for the 42nd term. On Tuesday night, at Vancouver, Chess Champion Pillsbury played 23 games of chess and six games of checkers simultaneously. He won 20 of

the chess games. Gen. Leonard Wood, United States military commander of the department of Santiago, estimates that as many as 50,000 troops should be stationed throughout Cuba to maintain order in

the provinces. It is reported from Jamaica that the directors of the Royal Mail Shipping Company have in contemplation the establishment of a line of steamers between Jamaica and Canada. They have a line between Southamtpon and

Propositions of America capitalists to control the Cuban tobacco production and manufactures are taking definite shape. The value of the product of the Vuelta Abaja and Partidos districts is estimated at from \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000.

A borax trust, with \$7,000,000 capital, is the latest combine proposed. The Toronto street railway is a gold The net profits last year were \$404,738.

It is proposed to utilize the force of Niagara whiripool rapids by turning the water into a raceway, generating a 35,000 horse power.

THE DAIRYMEN

Western Ontario Cheese and Butter Men in Council-Second Day.

Guelph, Ont., Jan. 19.—The opera house was filled at the second day's proceedings of the Western Ontario Cheese and Butter Men's Association convention. The programme embraced paper by Dr. Conell on "Bacteria Infections in Cheese," and an address from D. Derbyshire, president of the Eastern Ontario Butter and Cheese Makers' Association, in which he ex- ed with Zwingli. In view of the tended fraternal greetings; a paper by tressing controversies of our forefath-Mr. F. C. Harrison, O. A. College, on ers, it is profoundly significant and "The Fecal Bacteria in Water as a gladdening to be able to add that Possible Cause of Bad Flavor in every question and every answer in Cheese"; a paper by Prof. Dean, O. A. this catechism has been finally adopt-Cheese"; a paper by Prof. Dean, O. A. College, on "Curing rooms, including the sub-earth duct, the methods of construction, cost and advantages of curing cheese." Mr. A. J. Bell, Tavistock, gave a short talk on "Ice in Curing Rooms.'

Mr. Aderhold, instructor at the Wisconsin Dairy School, gave his ideas with regard to curing rooms and other topics in connection with cheesemak-

Prof. W. H. Jordan addressed the convention on "Feding Standards." Mr. Fisher, Dominion minister of agriculture, during the evening presented the medals won for dairy exhibits.

RIVAL CLAIMS DISCUSSED

Chamberlain Speaks on "Threatening Foreign Questions."

Especially the Dispute With France in Re Newfoundland.

How the French Have Strangled the Colony.

Russian Designs on Herat-Important Religious Movement Which Has Arisen in England.

London, Jan. 19.-The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, speaking last evening at the banquet of the Wolverhampton Chamber of Commerce, reviewed at great length the various threatening foreign questions confronting the gov-

In connection with the withdrawal of the French demand for an extension of the settlement of Shanghai, Mr. Chamberlain congratulated his hearers that Great Britain's opposition to the French proposal had been strenuously supported by the representative of the United States. "That, I think," he said, "a significant and noteworthy fact. Nay, I think and hope it will become history. It shows that circumstances are bringing about the community of interests between Anglo-Saxons which in the future may have far-reaching and beneficent results."

He welcomed the changing tone on the part of France, declaring that if the French Government desired an amicable settlement of all remaining difficulties they would meet France more than half way.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND DISPUTE. Dwelling elaborately upon the Newfoundland matter, he said: "In spite of charges to the contrary, nobody here has the slightest desire to evade the objects of the treaty of Utrecht, but we do desire that the rights conferred upon France by that treaty should not be extended and abused to the injury of our pockets. If when those rights are properly defined they are found to possess a value for France, we shall be perfectly willing to observe them; or, if France is willing, to arrange for their extinction in fair and reasonable terms of compensation." Mr. Chamberlain described in detail

how the French had been CONTINUALLY ENCROACHING and striving to extend their claims on the French shore, while at the same time their interest in the fishery had been continually decreasing. "In fact," he said, "by means of alleged rights, under antiquated treaties, they have strangled our colony of Newfoundland, and have done so without a pennyworth of advantage to themselves. If they are sincerely desirous of amity with England, it will be an easy matter for them to abandon their antiquated rights for a satisfying compensation."

OPEN DOOR POLICY. In conclusion, Mr. Chamberlain paid a high tribute to the success of Lord Salisbury's foreign policy, remarking:

"It is cause of satisfaction that two great nations, Germany and the United States, both protectionist at home, have proclaimed their intention to adhere to the principle of the 'open door' in their foreign possessions. We shall regard their expansion without jealousy, and shall welcome their co-operation, and, I think, without being too sanguine, we may rely on their sympathy and assistance in securing the general adoption of a principle to which we attach so much importance.'

FEDERATION OF DISSENTERS. One of the most important religious movements the world has known since the days of Martin Luther has been inaugurated by the National Council of Evangelical Free Churches of England and Wales. It is no less than an attempt to unite the dissenting churches of the country under one creed. Should it succeed Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians, Congregationalists, Primittive Methodists, Methodist New Connexionists, Bible Christians and mem-bers of the United Methodist Free will gain the strength which consolidation always brings.

REASON FOR THE MOVE. It has long been felt that the Roman, Anglivan and Russian churches, owing to their vast and unified organization, are possessed of a strength which the numerous Protestant deno-minations do not possess owing to their lack of cohesion. The movement for the federation of all these churches has therefore taken its rise, and its practical outcome has been the preparation of a catechism by a committee representing each body. This catechism has just been issued, and combines the creeds of all dissenting denominations into one. The Rev. Hugh Price Hughes, chairman of the committee, states: "The great object has been to express the Christian doctrine held in common by all Evangelical Free Churches. The theologians who have prepared this catechism represent the beliefs of not less than 60,000,000 Christians in all parts of the world. No such combined statement of interde-nominational belief has ever been previously attempted since the lamentable day when Martin Luther contended without a dissentient vote.

THE PHILIPPINES. London, Jan. 19.-The Spanish Cab-

inet, according to the Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail, has decided to submit a bill to the cortes, sanctioning the cession of the Philippines before presenting the peace treaty for ra fication.

The French steamer Cachemire arrived at Barcelona from the Philip-pines with 1,170 repatriated Spanish soldiers. There are 300 sick, and there Carlists says that everything is now ready for a rising in Spain, and that Don Carlos is absolutely resolved to take the field, and that all are waiting for the signal.

BOTH BUSY. London, Jan. 19.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "In the event of a disturbance following upon the death of the Ameer of Afghanistan, the Russian Gen. Beguljuboff, governor of the Trans-Caspian district, who has a force of 20,000 men, has direct instruction to take Herat, 360 miles west of Cabul, and a post of

great military importance.' The British Government has decided to purchase all the western portion of the Island of Liu-Kung-Tuo, which protects the harbor of Wel-Hai-Wei.

THE REVOLT IN SAMOA

That Followed the Choosing of a King.

The Capital Looted and Fired by Rebels-British Blue Jackets Landed -Mataafa and His Chiefs Recognized as a Provisional Government.

San Francisco, Jan. 19. - A cablegram from Auckland, N. Z., under Oceanic steamship Alameda left Apia on Jan. 12, a revolution had broken being waged with much bloodshed and great destruction to property. The warships Falke and Porpoise-the latter under the command of Capt. Sturdee-were taking part in suppressing the rising. On Dec. 10 the chief justice determined in favor of Malietoa Tanus, claiming Mataafa was barred by the treaty of Berlin. On Jan. 1, 5,000 of Mataafa's followers rose in rebellion and defeated 2,000 of Malietoa's men, ambushing them and killing 13 natives and wounding many.

The rebels burned 400 houses and razed the town of Upolu. The bread fruit trees were cut down in many places. The foreigners were not injured. The crew of the Porpoise is guarding the mission as a refuge for Malitoa. The three consuls have signed a proclamation, recognizing the Mataafa's party provisional government, pending instructions from the powers, with President Rafael as executive head. On the 6th inst, Rafael proclaimed the supreme court and took possession, declaring himself chief justice. He asked Mataafa for 500 men and was refused. The British and American consuls united in a strong protest against the action of the posident of the municipal council. On the 7th Capt. Sturdee, of the Porpoise, and the two consuls declared the action illegal. The Porpoise cleared for action and landed a force of marines. Her force was unopposed and took possession of the court. Chief Justice Chambers was reinstated and the British and American flags hoisted over Chief Justice Chambers' house and the court house. The provincial government wrote to Capt. Sturdee on the 12th that he would seize Malietoa and take Tamesese off on the Porpoise by force. if necessary, deprive them of their titles and banish them. Chambers is living on the Porpoise. The British and American consuls have protested against any infringement of the Berlin treaty. British residents have taken refuge in their consulate, and the American residents have taken refuge in

the mission. London, Jan. 19.-The Times, commenting on the troubles in Samoa, says that the only satisfactory feature appears to have been the cordial co-operation of the British and American au-

MORE BRITISH WARSHIPS SENT. Wellington, N. Z., Jan. 19.—It is reported here that owing to the trouble at Samoa, growing out of the election of a successor to the late King Malietoa, three British warships will pro-ceed there, and that one American warship will start for the islands from Honolulu.

THRILLING **EXPERIENCES**

Of "Those Who Go Down to the Sea in Ships."

A Steamer Short of Fuel Has to Burn Sugar-Everything Swept From the Deck-The Lake Huron, With the Doukhobors on Board Overdue.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 18.-The steamer Grangewood, which dropped anchor in Halifax harbor this evening, brought into port the most thrilling tale of ocean experience told here since the present tempestuous winter season opened. The Grangewood was out from Hamburg 32 days, bound to Philadelphia, with a cargo of sugar. Her hardships began the week after she started on her voyage. Christmas day a gale descended, which moderated somewhat in the afternoon; but on the following day it became a hurricane, which lasted until the 27th, and the ship labored heavily in the high-rolling sea, shipping immense quantities of water. On the 28th the storm subsided into an ordinary one; then, with night, once more increased to a hurricane, with a rearful sea, which swept over the vessel from all sides, flooding the cabin, forecastle and chart room. At 3 p.m. a tremendous sea tore away the starboard lifeboat and deposited it on the engine room skylight.

SWEPT BY HUGE WAVES. Cabin and mess room funnels, boat skids, accommodation and poop lad-ders and a quantity or deck fittings were swept into the sea by the torrent of water rushing over the ship's deck. At 4 p.m. the next day, with the storm still raging furiously, the port side of the bridge was wrecked, and the forewere 44 deaths during the voyage. castle had started leaking. For sev-One of the principal chiefs of the eral days stormy weather continued

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and the ship's belongings were more or less damaged. On the 11th January the engineers reported the coal supply dangerously low. To make it last as long as possible the crew set to work sawing up the 'tween decks and bulkhead for ruel, and all the empty casks and boxes in the storerooms were cast

into the furnaces.

SUGAR FOR FUEL. On the 12th the stoke hole bulkheads were burned and six bags of sugar were thrown in as fuel. On the 13th the shifting boards were used as fuel. The gram from Auckland, N. Z., under stormy weather showed little abatedate of Jan. 15, says: When the ment, the only variation being from gales to hurricanes and back to gales. The cabin funnel was torn off, and the out on the Samoan Islands, and was More shifting boards and more sugar forecastle stoves smashed to pieces. had to be used to help keep the machinery in motion until Tuesday morning Cape La Have was sighted and the American fishing schooner Bertha D. was hailed to pilot the almost helpless steamer to a safe anchorage. There the worn-out and exhausted crew were given a rest until today, when the Grangewood headed for Halifax. She will proceed for her destination to-

morrow. THE LAKE HURON DELAYED. The steamer Lake Huron, which is bringing the Doukhobors, is now out 27 days from Batoum, and her arrival is expected shortly. The steamer is reported to have passed Gibraltar on the 4th inst. It is possible she may have encountered the bad weather reported by other steamers, and if so may not reach this port before the end of the week. The Huron is a staunch boat and a splendid sea vessel, and her overdue arrival is not causing any un-

easiness here.

IN DISTRESS. The steamer Manhauset, from Swansea, bound to Baltimore, put in here yesterday badly strained, and with her engines disabled, water in the forepeak,

and her coal supply exhausted. THE ALESIA SAFE IN PORT. Queenstown, Jan. 19.—The Hamburg-American Line steamer Alesia, which left Hamburg on Dec. 27 for Boston, Mass., and which signaled Kinsale yesterday that her rudder was damaged, and that her machinery was working very badly, has reached this

port in safety.

ABANDONED TO THE WAVES

Loss of the British Steamer Glendower

-Her Crew Rescued. New York, Jan. 19 .- The Atlantic Transport Line steamer Menominee, Capt. Bocquet, which arrived this morning from London, brought safely to port Capt. Honeyman and 22 members of the crew of the British tramp steamer Glendower, wnich was abandoned at sea in a sinking condition, on Jan. 12, in latitude 49.23, longitude 35.37, while on the voyage from Phila-

delphia for Sligo with a cargo of The Glendower left Philadelphia Dec. 27, clearing the capes of the Delaware on the 28th. Soon afterwards she experienced bad weather. The wind coming from the west and shifting to northwest with a very heavy sea on Jan. 2, the storm increased and blew with great fury, causing enormous seas to board the vessel. Peter West, able seaman, was washed overboard and

On the 7th an enormous wave broke over her, washing everything before it, causing the steamer to dip her stern and fill rapidly. Every effort was made by the crew to clear the vessel, but without success. The pumps became choked with cargo. Fortunately on Jan. 12, the Atlantic Transport Line steamer Menominee hove in sight bore down, launched her boats, and safely rescued the entire crew.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Bark-well's Balsam cures Grippe.

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Staples

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special Large Size Cotton Toweling, 38x20,

wide, regular 20c and 25c, Friday, Table Linen, warranted fast col-

1% to 3½, were 50c to \$1 25 per yard, Friday, half-price.

Wrappers

Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers, regular \$1.25, \$1 50, \$1 75 and \$2. Commencing Friday, and until sold

out 98c
American Wrapperettes, fleece
back, seven colors; regular 10c,
12½c and 15c. Friday, per yard..7½c

VEILINGS All shades, black spots and plain colors, Friday, per yard21/2c

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Chances

SKIRTS. Ladies' Skirts, trimmed with five rows of tucks, insertion and 12-inch embroidery frill (dust frill); regular \$1 75 and \$2. Friday 98c Ladies' Skirts, trimmed with embroidery, deep flounce and tucks; regular \$1 25. Friday 50c GOWNS.

Ladies' Gowns, trimmed with embroidery, sailor collar, best Eng-lish cotton; extra special. Friday. 85c Ladies' Gowns, with deep sailor collar, trimmed with embroidery and insertion; all sizes; regular \$1 90. Special for Friday\$1 19

172 Boys' 3-Piece Knicker Suits, in All-Wool Scotch Tweed. light and dark colors, sizes 26, 27, 28, 29, regular price \$3 50 to \$4 50. We let them go like this:

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8c per yard.

3 pieces only 27-inch Gray Flannel, was 10c and 12½c yard, Friday

5c yard.

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Lot 1-27 only, Ladies' Black, Fawn, and Brown Jackets, 24 inches long; odd lines and sizes; worth \$4, \$5, \$6 and \$7 50, to clear Friday\$1 50 Lot 2—11 only Ladies' Jackets, in

Brown, Fawn, Black and Myrtle; this season's up-to-date goods; were \$8 to \$15; Friday, only.....\$5 75 3 only Ladies' Black Astrachan Fur Jackets, quilted farmer's satin linings; sizes 36, 38 and 40; were

edged with Thibet fur, were \$25. Friday\$12 50 Any Ladies' Trimmed Fur Felt Hat

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LONDON'S HORTICULTURISTS

Annual Reports and Election of Officers.

Mr. W. J. Reid President for the Com ing Year-Suggestions by Retiring President R. Shaw-Wood - The

The 32nd annual meeting of the Hortleultural Society was held at the city hall last evening, and attended by about 100 members. Secretary Thomas A. Browne was chairman in the absence of President R. Shaw-Wood, who is laid up with la grippe.

The annual report of the board of directors for 1898 was read by Secretary Browne. The report was as fol-

Your directors, in submitting this their report for the year 1898, must again call your notice to the fact that the object of this society has been the advancement of the interests of the Western Fair Association since its in-Their energies, and also the funds of the society, have been an-nally devoted to this purpose, not having for a good number of years heid an independent fair of our own; this society has been no small factor in the building up and fostering the interests of the Western Fair, which, from small beginnings, has steadily advanced until they have obtained the proud position they now occupy, of the leading agricultural fair in the

Dominion. "This being the position taken by your directors during the past year, brevity must necessarily be a characteristic feature of this report.

"The membership has been well maintained, and shows an advance on that of preceding years, having paid over to the Western Fair Association, after deducting current expenses, the balance, amounting to \$412 28, the larg-

est sum for many years. "Your directors beg to call particular attention to a very important matter which has engaged their consideration at their meetings, but too late

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for action to be taken during the past | balance in the bank was between year, viz., the advisability of improv-ing the position, and also the internal arrangements, of the present agricul-tural, horticultural and dairy buildings connected with the Western Fair, and which will at the same time greatly improve the appearance of Queen's Park, and therefore strongly recommend to our successors in office to give this matter their earnest consideration. The proposed changes will be submitted by the secretary at their first regular meeting, that they may be perfected and properly prepared, and submit to the Western Fair direc-

in their estimates of the year, if acceptable to them. "Before closing the officers desire to express their appreciation of the trust reposed in them, and hope that in the selection of their successors you will appoint those who will accomplish greater results in the furtherance of the objects of the society, and offer this suggestion for them to considerwhether it would be wise to hold a

tors in time to have the same included

spring or summer show of our own. "Also, we would suggest that those interested in the various 'cults' embraced in the scope of the Horticultural be induced to become active members of the society, thus enabling it to take the position it should have as an educator of the public, and not merely an adjunct of the Western Fair. 'Your directors wish to express their satisfaction at the manner in which

the officers of the society have performed their several duties. The financial statement was as follows:

Receipts-Legislative grant \$350 00 Members' subscriptions 174 00

Total\$525 69 Expenditures-Grant to Western Fair, 1898.... \$412 28 Working expenses 113 41

Mr. Shaw-Wood was named by Mayor Wilson for re-election as president. Ald. McPhillips seconded. Mr. Wm. Moore moved, and Mr. J. W. Jones seconded the nomination of Mr. W. J. Reid. Messrs, J. W. Jones and H. Craig

were elected scrutineers. Mr. Reid was elected president. Col. Leys, M.P.P., was elected first vice president by acclamation. Messrs. A. M. Smart and R. Shaw-Wood were nominated for second vicepresidents. Mr. Smart's name

withdrawn in favor of Mr. Shaw-Wood, who was declared elected. The following were nominated for directors by Mr. W. R. Hobbs: Messrs. J. H. Brown, W. M. Spencer, Col. Gart-shore, J. D. Sharman, W. Yates, J. W. Jones, Geo. Taylor, R. Carrothers and W. R. Hobbs. Mr. George Taylor sec-

Mr. Craig nominated Mr. Wm. Gammage, president of the Dominion Horticultural Association. Ald. McPhillips nominated Mr. D. C.

Macdonald. Nine directors were to be chosen from the eleven names put forward. and the nine moved by Mr. Hobbs were

elected.
Mr. Thomas A. Browne was re-elected secretary-treasurer. In thanking the society, Mr. Browne said last year was the best in the history of the Western Fair. The association was never in a better position. The gross

\$8,000 and \$9,000, and the net balance \$5,500.

Messrs. J. S. Dewar and A. G. Smyth were re-elected auditors. Mr. Gammage was urged by Mr. Craig to address the meeting on horticulture. "You have some suggestions to make," said Mr. Craig.
Mr. Gammage declined. "In composi-

tion, the society," he said, "is so far removed from horticulture, anything I can say would be of no interest." Mr. J. W. Jones reminded the members that some very good horticultural shows used to be held in the City Hall florists. The society would render the florists every assistance if they

would arrange one now.

Mr. Craig said the society, and not the florists, should take the initiative. Mr. Jones differed. That was the florists' part, as they were more interested.

After the usual votes of thanks the meeting adjourned. At a subsequent meeting of the directors six representatives will be elected to the Western Fair Associa-

CATASTROPHE AT BELLEVILLE

Bank Clerk Drowned While Skating With a Lady-His Companion's Skirts Saved Her Life.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Belleville, Ont., Jan. 19.-About 8:30 last night, while George C. Ritchie, correspondence clerk of the Bank of Montreal, and Miss Mary Ward were skating on the bay, they slipped into open water near the bay bridge. Mr. Ritchie sank almost at once, but

Miss Ward's skirts sustained her, and she was rescued in a greatly exhausted condition. She was taken to Rossmore and is still there. Mr. Ritchie was about 20 years of age, and came here from Nova Scotia

Several hundred men and women, employed in the big building at 153 Market street, Chicago, were thrown into a panic Wednesday by a fire, which broke out on the fourth floor. Although no one was injured, many had narrow escapes. Loss, \$100,000. Th place was used by makers of hats and gents' furnishings.

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EVERGLADES OF FLORIDA

Their Strange Flora and Fauna Described.

Tropical Profusion-The Seminole In dians and Their Traits.

The extreme southern portion

Florida is covered by one vast morass,

consisting of mud, jungle, swamp grass and forest. This vast swamp has an area of about 9,000 square miles, which drains into Lake Akechobee, and covers practically the entire the entire surface of Dalle and Monroe, and a goodly portion of Lee counties. The foundation is assumed to be coral structure, as nearly the entire state has that substructure, but the great masses of oozy, miry mud make scientific investigations nearly impossible. Many attempts have been made to penetrate the fastnesses, without success, and consequently there are many miles of lagoons, whose dark, unknown depths have never been viewed by the eyes of, nor traveled by, the energetic explorer. This great wilderness has within its confines immense morasses, vast thickets of cane and palmetto, a tropical paradise of beautiful flowers, sweetly perfumed shrubs and ferns, whose defleacy and beauty of pattern defy all attempts at artificial production in lace. Birds, insects, reptiles, and all animal life find little to disturb the even tenor of their way, except such as their own pugnacious instincts lead up to, ending oftentimes in the destruction of the participants; birds rise screaming in the air, while bellowings reverberate roars and throughout these vast recesses, testifying to a mighty struggle between the

monstrous inhabitants of the jungle. The native cracker asserts that the swamp is inhabited by animals of prehistoric times, using as argument the finding of the jaws of a mastodon and the skeleton of a giant tapir upon the banks of the Kississee River. With-in these confines are to be found bear deer, catamount, hogs, chameleons, gopher, turtle, turkey, quail, every species of tropical water-fowl, and last, but not least, the largest specimens of rattler, water-moccasin, and "'gators," of which last the largest taken on record measured nearly 23 feet and weighed as heavy as an ox. Regarding rattlesnakes, the writer has seen living speci-mens of the diamond back, 6 feet long, and a stuffed skin which measured 12 feet. Frogs also grow to an uncommon size, as they are frequently met with in the outskirts, ranging from four to six pounds. The Seminoles, who are very fond of chamms, make use of the ivory-billed woodpecker, whose great energy in the hunt for a wife. It is bill commands their awe and respect, related that Chief Mianola has two and which, when polished, forms one of their most potent defenders from evil. The beautiful humming-birds are probably more interesting than any other example of the feathered tribe, flit-ting here and there, in and out among the roses, and other flowers, resembling the flash of aerial diamonds, and while taking but a small part, yet have the most pleasing memories.

vironment; hunting and developing an innate rascality in securing his ends, which would put the denizens of other latitudes to the blush. While wandering through the woods, he hears the gobble of a turkey or the grunt of a hog, upon which he immediately stretches himself flat on the earth, and awaits the turn of affairs. Along come the turkey, picking assiduously, when, without a moment's warning, there is a swift stroke, and his dinner is secure. Or, if it was a hog, his greedy eyes are too intently bent upon the

varies his usual habits to suit his en-

search for toothsome morsels any particular attention to that shaggy mass partially covered by leaves, and the same course ensues. The midwinter season offers the best opportunity during which to visit the everglades, and even then countless hordes of mosquitoes harry you, and reptiles are both in front and rear. Vast cypress trees entwined with parasitical vines, and others festooned with great masses of Spanish moss, give a very venerable appearance to the forest, hide the sun, and at times leave you in total darkness, while from surrounding trees hundreds of pairs of eyes are perhaps watching you, and in some instances the owners watch your progress while making every preparation for flight. Vast colonies of bees are to be seen flitting in all directions, gathering the sweet extracts which, in countless years gone by, have made the everglades the greatest apiary in the world. Many of

the intelligent class of inhabitants have

built good boxes for the use of these

busy little creatures, and secure an in-

creasing revenue with little trouble, and barely any expense.

The Seminole Indians are to all intents and purposes the only human beings who can enter into these shades of darkness and waste, either in summer or winter, as pests and reptiles have no terrors for them. The extreme heat of the midsummer sun only adds zest to their excursions, from which they always return without annoyance or disaster. These Indians claim the everglades as their heritage, and are without exception the most interesting of all remaining tribes of redmen. Some 500 of them are still in existence, who lead a nomadic life, hunting and fishing, and in some cases cultivating a small patch of land or practicing taxidermy upon plumed birds, and also weaving fancy baskets and fern ware from the materials so ready to their hands. The nation is divided into many tribes, but all acknowledge the chieftain in the person of Osceola, the grandson of the famous Powell, or Osceola, with whom the United States waged war so

long and so unsuccessfully. Their moral, religious and personal ideas have a tendency to bigotry. Unchastity in women, married or single has but one punishment, that is, death and all marriage between those of the slightest blood relationship is strictly prohibited; this, when, in addition, all marriage outside of the tribe is tabooed, causes a young man who has amative desires to develop a surprising pretty petite daughters, who are doomed to a life - of single blessedness, for the simple reason that all the young bucks eligible for such a marriage are wkin to the dusky rosebuds. So strict are they in the enforcement of these marriage laws that it is a common occurrence to see a young man with a wife of 50 or so. the reverse as the case may be. The Bruin is a native of these wilds, and gradual encroachment of civilization in

the form of railroads and settlements, together with the inroads of the hunter, sportsman and naturalist, have a tendency to increase the sullen hatred with which they view the white man, and cause the last remnant of this splendid tribe to isolate themselves in the almost pathless tracts of everglades, where, in hiding, t desire to be left to their own devices, suffering gradual extinction by the exercise of a morbid pride of blood. RICHARD GRAY. Clarence street, city.

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Embossed Table Covers, works, selling for	50C	Art Sateen, fine, worth 20c, for	15c
Art Table Covers, worth \$250, selling for	\$1.25	Art Drapery, 5 inches wide, worth 40c, for	25C
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Printed Wrapperettes, large assortment, cashmere finish, 12 1-2c, for 8 1-2c yard.

German Wrapperettes, flannel finish, fast colors, 14c,

for 8 1-2c. German Wrapperettes, stripes and figures, large assort-

ment, 15c, 18c and 20c, your choice for 12 1-2c. Flannelette, in plain and fancy colors, worth 10c, selling for 5c yard.

Ladies will also remember that our annual sale of Gray and White Cotton Sheetings and Pillow Cottons is more attractive this season than ever before.

Cracksatthe Target

Gathering of Expert Shots in | McCarthy 7, A. J. Bennett 7, Harrison Hamilton.

Progress of the Big Bonspiel at St. Paul.

Hockey, Skating, Ice Racing, Turf and Othe Sporting Events.

TRIGGER.

THE HAMILTON SHOOT. Crack shots of Canada and the United States are now in Hamilton to the number of about 70 for the Canadian handicap live bird and the various events of the Hamilton Gun Club shooting tournament.

Yesterday, in the handicap for \$600 in by A. King, a Hamilton man, not known to fame. Seventeen men completed their scores in this event, and the international handicap at the St. 15, Smith 14, Brooks 14, Noxon 14, Nor-Thomas shoot, last week, had poor | ton 14, Anderson 9.

Seventeen complete scores in the handicap are: A. King 19, H. Kirkover 18, R. Backus 18, E. C. Binkhardt 18, A. Wilson 18, G. D. Cooper 17, A. Peart 17, E. N. McCarney 17, H. Reynolds 16, M. Reardin 16, H. D. McConochie 16, Wm. Ellison 15, B. Lewis 15, J. G. Wheeler 1:17. 14, J. Moore 13, C. E. Hebard 13, W. J. Sully 12.

The 20 men who shot at 12 birds made the following scores: J. Crooks 12, H. Bates 12, T. Rice 12, J. Wayper 12, C. Crew 11, J. Smyth 11, M. Fletcher 11, C. Forsyth 11, A. Smith 10, H. Graham 10, George Brigg 10, T. Donly 10, J. Phillips 10, A. J. Gay 9, S. Brooks 9, H. Westcott 8, J. White 7, A. Bates 7, A. J. Bennett 6.

The other scores of the day were: Ten live birds, sweep-C. E. Hebard 9, Geo. Brigg 9, W. Ellison 9, D. Lewis 9, G. D. Cooper 9, H. Noxon 8, J. Moore 8, C. G. Burkhardt 7, R. Emslie 7, Wm.

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7, B. H. Norton 6, R. H. Hebard 5, H. McDonald 5, Green 5.

Ten live sparrows—L. Norris 10, B. Lewis 10, D. Miller 10, E. C. Burkhardt 9, W. L. Cameron 9, C. Crew 9, George Brigg 8, A. J. Gay 8, W. H. Brady 8, W. J. Sully 8, Gen. Grant 7. Eighteen others shot, but retired when they had missed two birds.

Fifteen targets—Wm. Ellison 15, Weir 15, Kirkover 14, Burkhardt 14, B. Lewis 13, McDonald 13, Wilson 13, Talsma 13, Thomas 13, A. B. Smith 12, McCarney 12, Backus 12, Hibbard 12, Cooper 12, Norton 11, Long 11, "99" 11, Virtue 11, Reid 11, F. Bennett 11, Crew 11, Norris 11, Dracey 10, Lewis 10, Robins 10, Green 9, Phillips 9, Briggs 7, J. H. Cam-

eron 6, Barrell 6. Twenty targets-Dr. Wilson 18, Morris 18, Emslie 18, Fletcher 18, Kirkover 18, Lewis 17, Burkhardt 17, Talsma 17, Crew 16, Ellison 15, Wheeler 15, Hunt gold, the top score of the day—19 out 14, Norton 14, Cooper 14, Green 14, Gay of a possible 20 live pigeons—was made 13, Hibbard 13, Burton 7.

Twenty targets-F. Lewis 20, Kirkover 20, Burkhardt 19, Wheeler 19, Green 18, Dr. Wilson 18, Ellison 17, Norris 17, 20 more shot at 12 birds. National Wayper 17, B. Lewis 17, Emslie 16, League Umpire Bob Emslie, who won Thomas 15, Crew 15, Parker 15, Graham Thomas 15, Crew 15, Parker 15, Graham

AT INGLESIDE.

San Francisco, Jan. 19.—Results at Ingleside yesterday: First race, selling, 6 furlongs-Kamsin won, Torsion 2, Castake 3. Time,

Second race, selling, 1 mile—Elidad won, Frank Jaubert 2, Ping 3. Time,

Third race, over 6 hurdles, 1½ miles—Viking won, Rossmore 2, Ockturuck 3. Time, 2:54½. Fourth race, Balbon Boulevard stakes, 1 mile—Ballista won, Corsine 2,

Survivor 3. Time, 1:44.

Fifth race, selling, 5 furlon 3—Arch won, Sir Urian 2, Casdale 3 Time, Sixth race, 7 furlongs-Rubicon won,

Sombre 2, Novia 3. Time, 1:311/4. AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Jan. 19 .- Summary of yesterday's events: First race, selling, 7 furlongs—Eight Bells won, Loiterer 2, Tragedy 3. Time,

Second race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Bolandies won, Our Clara 2, Tom

Shaoon 3. Time, 1:52½.

Third race, selling, 1¾ miles—Admetus won, Friar John 2, Rockwood 3. Time, 3:101/4.

Fourth race, handicap, 7 furlongs—Boanerges won, Lillian Belle 2, Deyo 3. Time, 1:30. Fifth race, selling, 7 furlongs-Sutton won, Tom Kingsley 2, L. T. Caton 3. Time, 1:38.

Sixth race, selling, 6 furlongs-Jim Gore II. won, Ben Frost 2, Locust Blossom 3. Time, 1:161/4. WINDSOR ASSOCIATION.

The Windsor Driving Park Association cleared about \$5,000 last year. The old board of directors has been re-elected. Several parties are negotiating for the lease of the track for running

FISTIC.

ROUGH ON A "PUG." New York, Jan. 18.—Young "Pluto," the Australian prize fighter, who was beaten here last night by George Dixon, appeared in the police court today, and was granted summonses for his trainers. "Pluto," or William Dudley Brown, as the young colored prize fighter is known in civil life, alleged that Wm. Akers and Wm. Shannon, his trainers, both of San Francisco, had appropriated his share of last night's

Cyclists' Sore Throat.

AT LISTOWEL. In a well-fought hockey game Strat-"After a spin along a more or less dusty road the cyclist sometimes expeford second beat Listowel second las night, 9 to 0.

riences a dry and subsequently sore and inflamed throat. Headache and depression often follow, and the symptoms generally simulate poisoning of some kind. When the germs to be found in road dust are considered, these effeets are hardly to be wondered at. Hundreds of millions of bacteria are found in a gram weight of dust, and the species isolated

The London "Lancet," the leading

medical journal of England, says:

ganisms. Indeed, there can be no reason for doubting the infective power of dust." This applies to people in perfect health. To those with weakened, inflamed throats and bronchial tubes the danger is infinitely greater. When the first symptoms appear take Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, which is sold by druggists under a positive guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to cure. 25c., 50c. and \$1 a bottle in Canada and the United States. In England, 1s.2d., 2s.3d. and

have included

well-known

pathogenic or-

purse, \$325. Further, Pluto said that when he asked his trainers for the money they knocked him down, beat him, kicked him, and finally threw him out of the room. Tom O'Rourke, manager of the Lenox Athletic Club, where Pluto had previously been pounded by Dixon, told Pluto that his money had been handed over to the

JUNIOR SKIPS' MEDAL. Two rinks of the Forest City Club played a match at the Simcoe street rink yesterday afternoon for the junior skips' medal. Score: C. H. Ward, E. C. M. Graham, C. W. Davis, Col. Macbeth, W. T. Strong

THE ST. PAUL BONSPIEL. In the curling bonspiel at St. Paul,

In the curling bonspiel at St. Paul, Minn., yesterday, the morning contests were the preliminary and first draw for the trophy, resulting as follows: Harstone, Winnipeg, 13; A. Mc-Cullough, St. Paul, 9. Mackenzie, Winnipeg, 11; Hastings, Minneapolis, 10. Kelly, Winnipeg, 11; Cameron, St. Paul, 10. Paine, Winnipeg, 17; Griggs, St. Paul, 9. Kibbe, Chicago, 9; Hall, St. Paul, 12. Pellon, Winnipeg, 14; Roberts, Milwaukee, 11. Defiel, St. Paul, 23; Masserot, Baraboo, 5. Rineldeffer, Minneapolis, 10; Lorimer, St. deffer, Minneapolis, 10; Lorimer, St. Paul, 12. Mould, Baraboo, 5; Fullerton, St. Paul, 22. Smaill, Winnipeg, 6, Cooper, Portage la Prairie, 16.

ICE RACES. TROTTING ON THE ICE. AT BELLEVILLE.

Yesterday's ice races were as largely attended as those of Tuesday, and the sport was excellent. Kitty R. won the deciding heat of the 2:25 unfinished class, in 2:22. Harry Wilkes was second, and Looking Glass third. The regular events yesterday resulted as follows:

2:35 class, purse \$100: Johnny P., b. g., C. H. Clarke,

Green race, purse \$30: Joe Cane, b. g., J. R. Cummings,

Free-for-all, purse \$125: Golden Prince, b. g., F. Miller,

SKATING. DONOGHUE WON.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Jan. 19.-Joe Donoghue defeated Oscar Julius, the Swedish champion, in a ten-mile skat-ing race on Spring Lake yesterday. Donoghue won easily in 37 minutes. 521/2 seconds.

HOCKEY. AT GUELPH.

The second hockey match at Guelph between the Victoria Intermediates and the Ontario Agricultural College, was warmly contested. The first match resulted in a tie. The score last night was 10 to 9 in favor of the O. A. C. HURON CHAMPIONSHIP.

The first hockey match in Goderich this season was played there last night, between Clinton and Gode-

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rich, for the championship of Huron county. The score was 8 to 0 in favor of Goderich.

OLD QUEBEC **WAKING UP**

Getting Trade Which Used to Pass Her Doors-Harbor Facilities.

Quebec, Jan. 19.—Quebec seems to be waking from its long sleep, and is trying to get some of the trade which passes its doors. Recently the harbor board granted an exemption from har-bor dues to any ocean steamship line which would make it a regular port of call, and the energetic Elder-Demp-ster line at once made a contract. On Saturday the board gave permission to the Great Northern Railway to erect on the quay an elevator with a capacity of 1,000,000 bushels to be fin-ished by May 1, 1900. It is needless to say that the citizens were delighted with Sir William Van Horne's speech on Saturday night, regarding a fast Atlantic service with Quebec as a terof call, and the energetic Elder-Demp-Atlantic service with Quebec as a ter-

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Will the United States Withdraw?

There can be no doubt that the antiimperial agitation in the United States is gaining strength. With regard to Cuba and Porto Rico the people are unanimously with the administration, but the thought of annexing the Philippines has been repugnant from the first to a large section, including some of the most eminent Americans in public and private life. The prospect of armed collision with the natives if American authority is to be asserted has, it is said, led President McKinley to modify his views as to the disposition of the islands. It is generally believed that the recent speech of Senator Foraker, of Ohio, who has intimate relations with the White House, indicated the changed attitude of the President. Senator Foraker declared that the United States did not contemplate the annexation of the Philippines, but would withdraw from the islands as soon as the natives had demonstrated their ability to govern themselves. The inference that this represents the opinion of the President is strengthened by a paragraph in the Chicago Times-Herald, a paper that is credited with being Mr. McKinley's personal organ. The Times-Herald says it has absolute assurance that Admiral Dewey is opposed to taking over the Philippines. The public assume that the Times-Herald's absolute assurance comes from the President. The British Government prefers to

see the United States hold permanent possession of the islands. Great Britain does not want them herself and she does not want a rival European power to have them, because of their strategic value in relation to the Chinese question. Were the United States to withdraw, the islands would become derelict and a scramble for them would ensue among the land-hungry nations, which would upset the peace of the world. This the United States is pledged to prevent, as it assumed moral responsibility for the future of the Philippines when it compelled Spain to relinquish them. Consequently the republic is in a perplexing position. It is not even certain that the Filipinos will consent, under a promise of ultimate independence, to allow the United States to act a tutelary part. Yet all accounts go to prove the incorrigible incapacity of the natives for selfgovernment. To leave them to the devices and desires of their own hearts would be almost a crime, especially at this time, when they are intoxicated with a new-born sense of power. Besides, President McKinley and the Republican party have so openly committed themselves to the policy of imperialism that they cannot revoke it now without humiliation to themselves and without giving their political opponents a strong weapon of attack on the Administration.

The plain duty of the United States, if annexation, pure and simple, be rejected, is to try to give the Philippines firm, just and wise rule under cover of a protectorate, which will keep off covetous nations. The experiment, if earnestly undertaken, will be invaluable to the United States, whether it succeeds or not. No one can deny that Imperial responsibilities have been a wholesome discipline for Great Britain, and have developed those administrative powers which are the glory of the empire. Our American friends have a chance to do for the Philippines what the British have done for Egypt, and with this advantage, that the United States will have the sympathy and moral support of Great Britain, while the latter had to recreate Egypt in hostility to all Europe.

The convergence of British and American interests in the Far East render it desirable that such a coign of vanage as the Philippines shall be retained by the great republic.

The Titled Yankee.

The recent severe reflections by Pro-Tessor Goldwin Smith, on the craze of American heiresses to wear British titles, have suggested the compilation of the names of those who have already landed their coveted prize. They are as follows in alphabetical order: Lady Abinger, Marchioness of Anglesey, Lady Bennet, Lady William Beresford, Lady Terence Blackwood, Hon. Mrs. Robert Boyle, Lady Buckley, Lady Arthur Butler, Lady Randolph Churchill, Lady Cook, Countess of Craven, Lady Cun-Lady Curzon of Kedle-Viscountess Dearhurst, Hon. ston. Herbert Eaton, Countess of Egmont, Counters of Essex, Lady Evans, Lady Fairfax, Viscountess Falkland, Lady Gordon-Cumming, Lady Graham, Lady Grey-Edgerton, Hon. Mrs. George Haldane-Duncan, Baroness Halkett, Lady Harcourt, Lady Hesketh, Lady Home, Lady Francis Hope, Hon. Mrs. Octavius Lambert, Hon. Mrs. Charles Lawrence, Hon. Mrs. Dudley Leigh, Hon. Mrs. Rowland Leigh, Lady Lister-Kaye, Lady McGregor, Lady Malcolm of Poltalloch, Duchess of Manchester, Hon. Mrs. Archibald Marjoribanks. Duchess of Mari orough, Lady Menteth, Lady Molesworth, Hon. Mrs. Ranulph Mostyn, Lady Naylor-Leyland, Countess of Orford, Hon. Mrs. Charles Ramsay, Lady Reade, Countess of Strafford, Hon. Mrs. William Venables-Vernon, Lady Wolseley. This list is completed up to the new year; but since it was compiled information comes that two more great American heiresses, "one of them bearing the

golden name of Astor," are being hotly and might repay further study from pursued by English dukes, who have those who contend that the flag has nothing to do with the trade." a fair chance to catch them, as they are alleged to be only feigning reluctance, and will succumb at an early

There has been some wonder why the United States exports so many millions of dollars worth of products to Great Britain more than it takes from the mother country. The excess is largely caused by the continuous payments of rich Yankee heiresses for their right calico trust in England. Trusts in to wear tiaras. There is a method in England have no terror for the conthe courtship of the acquisitive Brit-

The Progress of India.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie, in arraigning the policy of imperialism in the United States, denied that British rule in India afforded any support to the plea of the expansionists that American rule would be a blessing in the Philippines. The British in India, Mr. Carnegie asserted, were sitting on a volcano, and many British statesmen secretly wished that Great Britain were well out of her Asiatic empire.

Mr. Carnegie's statement has been ridiculed by leading British journals. The administration of India has been so perfected that the maintenance of that vast empire entails little apprehension or financial responsibility on the net increase being £764,000 dethe mother country. It is a miracle of spite the reduction in the tobacco the Anglo-Saxon genius for govern- duty, which the Chancellor of the ment. India has poured untold Exchequer calculated would entail a riches into the lap of Great Britain, but loss of £1,120,000 for the year. The whereas the British formerly got their excise revenue and the proceeds of Indian wealth by plunder, they now estate duties have exceeded all expecget it through the peaceful medium of tations. In fact everything points to commerce. Of the annual imports of unusually prosperous times in the old India, valued at \$255,000,000. Great country. Britain sends fully two-thirds. The annual exports of India are about \$350,-000,000, one-half of which goes to the British Isles.

Lord Curzon, the new Viceroy, on the eve of his departure from England, dilated in glowing language on the value, actual and potential, of Britain's Asiatic dependency. India, he said, was the pivot of the British Empire; and if Great Britain lost India, the sun of the British Empire would be We quote Lord Curzon further:

The total sea-borne trade of India for 1896-97, which was an unprosperous year, almost equaled that of the whole of our Australian colonies, and was much greater than that of the South African and North American colonie combined; indeed, it constituted nearly one-tenth of the trade of the whole British Empire, and was more than one-third of the trade of the whole empire outside the United Kingdom, India had quite recently been devastated by a serious famine; yet in the six months after the famine—viz., from April to September, 1898, India had exported by sea more produce than in any previous six months 31 per cent larger than in 1897, and 14 and 15 per cent more than in 1891 and 1894, which were the previous years of largest export. Sir George Chesney had, in his book, alluded sadly to the fact that six years the principle. It is a further guarago there were only 18,000 miles of railway completed in India, less than 500 miles opene sanctioned. There were now 20,841 miles opened, and 4,298 miles in course of construction. Long before he left India he hoped the total railway mileage would exceed 25,000 miles. There was certainly no cause for despair in contemplating the future of India's businees of finance."

Lord Curzon expressed the opinion that if anything like stability of exchange could be established in India, British capital would flow freely thither to develop the vast resources which awaited British enterprise.

Mr. Carnegie will have to look elsewhere than India for a weapon against American imperialism.

Madagascar's Unhappy Fate.

The fertile island of Madagascar has not prospered under French rule. No sooner had France, after a bloody conflict, firmly established sovereignty over the island than she began to apply the barbarous policy of restriction, with which she is bleeding all her colonies. The blue book published by the British foreign office showed to the world how British rights in Madagascar were flagrantly violated by the French in their effort to force the island commerce into French channels. The British may reap a grim satisfaction from the dismal failure of these measures. A correspondent of the London Times, writing from Mauritius says:

"We have by no means heard the last of Madagascar. The French have sent out an army of officials. Indeed the fonctionnaires (fuctionaries) far outnumber the civil population, and they are making themselves beloved of none. The law allows one month's forced labor, but the officials are enforeing as much as six months, so the laborers have taken to the push, and private employers cannot get hands to work for them. The taxes are oppressive, and in some cases uownright foolish-e.g., an annual tax on every head of cattle and every hectare of rice cultivated. The result is that the cattle are being slaughtered, so that beef is already scarce and dear, whilst rice, which was formerly exported, has now to be imported. The natives are cutting down the indiarubber trees, and the whole country is unsettled. A fonctionnaire close to Nossi Be tried to force the 12-year-old daughter of a chief to live with him, but she succeeded in escaping, and raised the country. About nine or ten officials have been killed, and the northwest coast is in more or less open revolt. All the residents agree that if France found herself at war or

in difficulties there would be a general massacre of French officials. "Trade is languishing. The two chief American firms have left or are leaving-i.e., they are merely liquidating old stock. The French have imposed a differential duty which gives French manufacturers an advantage of about 92 per cent. French goods are charged 4 per cent and English goods 50 per cent of their value. The coasting schooners employed by the large firms to supply their branch trading stations have to come under the French flag, and the Germans are sending theirs home rather than firm, is doing good business, but only by importing French goods instead of English. Altogether Madagascar furthe methods of French colonization,

This is in vivid contrast to the prosperity of the adjacent British colonies in South Africa. France may learn some day that the open door is the only one that leads to colonial success, but by that time she may have no colonies to govern.

Attempts are being made to form a sumers who cannot be robbed under free trade.

The late Amasa Wood was a genuine philanthropist, who believed in making good use of his wealth while he lived. His charities were munificent and practical. Better memorials can

The American consul at Liverpool offers the opinion that the productive capacity of the English mechanic is decreasing. However that may be, the swelling imports of Great Britain show that the consumptive capacity of the said mechanic is not decreasing.

The revenue of the United Kingdom for the last quarter was very buoyant,

The imports of the Turkish empire last year were \$106,000,000, the largest purchases being made from Great Britain-\$41,000,000 worth. Austria comes second with \$21,000,000, and then France and Russia. Germany is nowhere, despite all we hear about German influence and interests in Turkey. The Sultan, however, has just placed a big order with Krupp for guns for the Turkish army. The Kaiser, no doubt, regards this as one triumph of his visit to the Saviour's birth place, via Constantinople.

Mr. Chamberlain points with satisfaction to the adherence of the United States and Germany to the open door policy in the Far East. It is, perhaps, more a case of necessity than of virtue on Germany's part. It is true she has occupied the Province of Shan-Tung, China, and has maintained the open door, but she is probably aware that a closed door would have been battered down by British ironclads. Still, it is important that Germany has admitted antee that China shall be open to the world's commerce.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Generous Lumbarmen.

[Detroit Free Press.] The \$2 tariff lumbermen, in solemn session at Washington, generously agree to part with a slive from the protective plank of their platform for the sake of reciprocity with Canada.

Canada Teaches a Lesson. [Buffalo Express.]

It is perfectly plain that political union with the United States would add immensely to the wealth of Canada, but this fact is obscured by the improvement in conditions which has appeared in recent years. Better transportation facilities have done a good deal for agricultural products sent to the British market. The growth in the demand for Canadian food staples in Great Britain reported by the United States consul at Liverpool should not be ignored in this country. It is particularly to be regretted that American cheese has suffered in the foreign market through Canadian competition. This is wholly the result of indifference in complying carefully with the tastes of foreign consumers. So long our exporters are not responsive to the wishes of consumers the present advantage of Canadian producers in certain lines of food products will exist.

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Englishman-What will you take? Frenchman-I will take a drop of ze contradiction. Englishman-Contradiction! What on

earth do you mean? Frenchman-Vell, you put in ze whisky to make it strong, ze water to make it weak, ze lemon to make it sour, and ze sugar to make it sweet. Den you say, "Here's to you," and you take it yourself .- Spare Moments.

Epitaph.

In Catskill town, as I am told, There dwelt in days of yore, Nathaniel Strange, a worthy man, Well learned in legal lore.

"Good wife," spake be, "when on this In death I close mine eyes Naught on my tomb inscribe, save, Here

An honest lawyer lies."

Statesman.

"No man your name will know," quoth "Prithee your purpose change."
"Whoe'er," cried he, "those words shall

Will say, 'Why, that is Strange'" His Leisure Moments.

Mrs. Bacon (getting ready to go out) -1 can't see when Mr. Penman gets time to do any literary work; he and his wife are always on the go.

Mr. Bacon — Well, I understand he finds time to do his writing while his wife is putting on her hat.—Yonkers

A unique event has been celebrated at Buenos Ayres. A shipmaster has made 100 round voyages between Italy and the River Platt without doing any damage to his own or any other ship.

It Will Be the Largest One Ever Built,

And Will Cost \$1.500,000 - Description of the Craft.

Queen Victoria may soon enjoy the pleasure of a cruise on her new yacht, the largest ever built. The new racht, the name for which has not yet been definitely chosen, but which probably will be called the Prince Albert, is now so far advanced that it is expected she will be launched next March. The first keel plate was laid on Dec. 23, 1897, at the government dockyard at Pemoroke by Mrs. Watson, the wife of Capt. Burgess Watson, the superintendent of the dockyard.

The British Government has a remarkably well-developed faculty keeping its business to itself. The gates of the government dockyard rarely open, even to British citizene, and almost never to foreigners. Consequently, although all Englishmen in general and yachtsmen and naval architects have been curious to know what Queen Victoria's new yacht will be like, ever since parliament appropriated money to build the boat, nothing is known except the meager details the admiralty has seen fit to give out.

English curiosity became so clamorous a short time ago that the admiralty decided to depart from its declared policy of maintaining secrecy about the royal yacht so far as to give out some of the principal dimensions of the vessel. The y...cht is to be 380 feet long, and 50 feet beam. Her draught is to be 18 feet and her displacement is to be 4,600 tons. This will be by far the biggest yacht ever built. William K. Vanderbilt's yacht Valiant, which has passed muster for a pretty good sized yacht, is small by comparison with Queen Victoria's new pleasure craft. The Valiant is only 332 feet long, 39 feet beam and 16 feet draught. Her gross tonnage is 1823. Howard Gould's Niagara is still smaller, being 272 feet in length, 35 feet beam and 16 feet

The new royal yacht is as large as the cruiser Baltimore, larger than the New Orleans and much larger than the German emperor's yacht Hohen-The Hohenzollern is nothing zollern. more than a protected cruiser, arma-ment, protective deck and all, with quarters fitted up for the emperor The British royal yacht, on the other hand, will have noon of the qualities of a cruiser, but will be a yacht pure and simple.

The hull is to be of steel, sheathed with wood and covered with copper. She will be provided with double bottoms. She will have three funnels and two Speed is to be an important masts. consideration. The admiralty has deigned to inform British taxpayers that the yacht is to have two sets of triple-expansion fourcylinder engines, driving two screws, and having an indolcated horse power of 11,000. The high pressure cylinder of each engine is to be 261/2 inches in diameter, the intermediate cylinder 441/2 inches in diameter, and the two low pressure cylinders 53 inches in diameter, all having a stroke of 39 inches. Steam will be supplied by 18 Bell working at a pressure of 300 pounds, which will be reduced at the engines to 250 pounds. The grate area under the boilers will be 840 feet, and the heating surface will be 26,000 square feet. This machinery is expected to drive the versel through the water at a speed of 20 knots an hour, with the engines

making 140 revolutions a minute. Recently progress on the yacht was delayed by strikes, but men are now working overtime to make up for it. Only the best artisans to be found in the United Kingdom are employed. The vessel will have orlop, lower, main, upper and forecastle decks. It is esti-mated that by the time the royal yacht is in the water she will have cost

£237,533. Although no information concerning the arrangement, fitting and furnishing of the interior has been given, it may reasonable be surmised that her Majesty will be fairly comfortable on board, since it is estimated that the finished yacht will cost £300,000, or, in round numbers, \$1,500,000.

A PAYING POLICY.

"How is it that Smithers lectures so successfully on the collection plan? "Oh, he does the high and lofty with his audiences, teiling them that he does not want a cent from any man who cannot pay his debts. He gets liberal donations from men wno were never known to give before?"-Detroit Free

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good than that of a physician who charges high prices. Dr. Pierce is also the head of the famed Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., where hundreds of invalids and afflicted persons from all over the country go for treatment by the corps of specialists who are in constant attendance. It is because of his vast practice that the doctor is so well fitted to successfully treat every form of disease. Do not feel that you are imposing upon him when you ask for free advice, because he wishes all to know that his medicines only are to be paid for-not his advice.

paid for—not his advice.

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EMPLOYED IN THEATERS

Said To Be Nearly 100,000 in Old London-New York's Figures.

. [New York Sun.]

Some figures were recently compiled in London to show the number of persons employed directly or indirectly in the theaters and music halls of that city, and the total was found to be nearly 100,000. There are 55 theaters in London and more than 400 music halls, of various grades and character, and it is estimated that the theaters and music halls of London are visited on an average by 325,000 persons of an evening, or a total in a year of 100,000,-000. If the estimate of the number of employes is correct at 100,000, although there is good reason to doubt it, the number of such employes bears to the number of patrons in attendance the relation of nearly 1 to 3. It is presumed that these figures have been obtained by including in the number of theater and music hall employes the waiters and attaches, and perhaps many others not directly connected with su tablishment, for in London many of the music halls, and occasionally some of the theaters find their licenses in dispute, and the reason for enlarging the record of employes is therefore evident.

the present charter the licensing of music halls or concert saloons, they are called here, devolves upon the police department, and no reason exists for an exaggeration of the number of employes, which is considerably less than the total claimed for London. There are in New York 35 theaters, and the number of employes in each can be computed without much difficulty. In "the front of the house," as that part of the theater to the outside of the entrance rail to the auditorium is called, there is the manager, and usually a business manager, a treasurer and assistant treasurer, a ticket seller for the gallery entrance, a doorkeeper for the main, and another for the gallery, entrance, and an advertising agent and about four assistants, or "billers," a total for this branch of the establishment of 12, probably 15. Putting at 15 more the average orchestra, and at 8 the number of ushers, a total in front of the footlights of 38 is secured, and to this are to be added four cleaners, for theaters, like many other establishments, need constant cleaning, and the lack of it is is very quickly observed by discriminating New York audiences. These figures are, of course, approximate. In a continuous performance house the orchestra consists of two or persons, while in the Metropolitan Opera House the average is 60. Taking all the theaters through, however, an average of 15 as the complement of the orchestra is probably not very far from the fact, although it may he misleading in some cases. Putting at 12 the number of stage hands and stage employes—the gas man, the pro-perty man, the stage doorkeeper, the call boy (where there is one), and the stage carpenters—brings the total to 54, and there must further be added the janitor, the engineer, the scenic artist (where there is one), and sometimes an assistant-sometimes two-and the total is about 60, exclusive of the performers and the supernumeraries.

The average number of performers at

a New York theater playing speaking characters is about 20, and the number of supernumeraries is about the same. In opera performances, where there is a chorus, or in stage plays like "The Christian," where there are "mobs," the number is far in excess of this, but in other theaters the number is much less, and therefore 20 may do for an average. This would bring the total number of "persons employed in theaters" in New York to about 100, not counting the landlord, and a very liberal estimate, therefore, for the whole city would be 4.000, exclusive of the minor music halls and concert saloons, at which no regular stage entertainments are given. By liberally adding 1,-000 for these, 'a total of 5,000 for all places of amusements is obtained.

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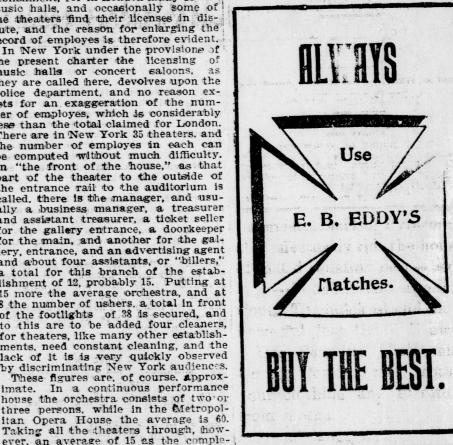
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Mining Stocks. Toronto, Jan. 18. - Following are today's losing quotations on the Toronto Mining and

Industrial Exchange:	Asked.	Bid.
Decca	25	
Foley Hammond Reef	95	
Hammond Reef	22	181/2
Hiawatha	28	26
Ohve	96	94
Bawbill	45	-::
Cariboo	150	148
MinnehahaCariboo Hydraulic	21/2	16%
Cariboo Hydraulic	100	
Tin Horn	12	:::
Smuggler	11½	103/4
Winchester	8	;;
Old Ironsides		15 80
Knob Hill	85	3
Golden Cache	1116	101/2
Superior G. and C. Co	41%	391/2
Athabasca		281/2
Dundee		15
Dardanelles		814
Waterloo Fern Gold M. & M. Co	47	42
Golden Star	50	471/6
Noble Five	161/2	14
Calmed Con	711	
Crow's Nest Pass	32.00	30.50
Van Anda	5	31/2
Big Three		15%
Commander		101/2
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Evening Star	7	634
Evening Star Giant Grand Prize. Iron Colt. Iron Mask. Jumbo. Keystone	6	
Grand Prize	4	
Iron Colt		10
Iron Mask	921/2	90
Jumbo	50	
Keystone	11	
Keystone	23	21
Monte Cristo	11	10
Northern Belle	31/2	
Novelty Rossland Red Mountain	4	••
Rossland Red Mountain	12	
St. Paul	6	54
Silver Bell	45	40
Virginia		43/
Victory-Triumph		17
War Eagle Con	520	45
White Bear	51/	4
B. C. Gold Fields	7	6
Can. G. F. S	1000	10
Manning gales Dardanelles		After

Morning sales—Dardanelles, 500 at 17. Afternoon sales—Hammond Reef, 100 at 20½: Golden Star. 200 at 48½: Smuggler, 500, 500, 200 at 11; 500, 500, 500 at 10½: Big Three, 500 at 45½: Commander, 500, 500, 500 at 10½: Evening Star, 500 at 6½. Sales reported between call—Golden Star, 250, 230, 500, 500, 500, 500 at 30: Smuggler, 1,000 at 61, 1,000, 1,000, 500, 500 at 10½; Wontreal G. F. S., 1,500 at 22½: Waterloo, 2,000 at 8½; Silver Bell Con., 500 at 6.

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Tonal Market

1 Ocal market.
London, Thursday, Jan. 19.
Wheat, white fail, per bu 691/2c to 70c
Wheat, red fall, per bu691/2c to 691/2c
Oats, per bu30½c to 30½c
Peas, per bu54c to 63c
Oats, per bu291/2c to 301/2c
Corn, per bu44c to 45c
Barley, per bu381/2c to 48c
Buckwheat per bu45c to 48c

Wheat and cats were the only kinds choice veals weak; others steady; poor of grain that offered in any quantity to choice veals, \$4 to \$8 25, mainly \$5 today; prices were steady and un-changed. A few lots of No. 2 malting barley sold at 90c.

Eggs went down with a thump; 386; sheep in light supply and steady; sales at 18c for new laid, in basket lambs active and 10c to 15c higher; all lots; 14c packed.

Butter sold off 1c. Dressed hogs were 5c to 10c lower.

	Hay was plentiful and dull. General values were as follows:	
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	Oats per 100 lbs 80 00	1 00
	Peas, per 100 108	1 95
	Corn. per 100 lbs 70 @	80
	Barley, per 100 lbs 82 @	1 00
	Rye, per 100 lbs	85
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	Honey, extracted 7	12 10
	10 3	12
	Eggs, single dozen 20 @	22
	Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen 13 "	18
	Eggs, single dozen	00
	Butter per lb. retail	20
	Butter, pound rolls, baskets 16 @	16
	Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks 14 @	15
	Direct, por 10, outon or manner	14
	VEGETABLES AND FRUIT	
	Pumpkins, per doz	1 00
	Potatoes, per bag 75 (a)	80
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	Apples, per basket 15 @ Apples, per barrel 150 @	2 50
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	Hides, No. 3, por 10 54 @ Calfskins, green 8 @	51/2
	Wool, washed, per lb	17
	Wool, unwashed, per lb 9 @	11
	Chickens, per pair 35 @	60
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	Goees, per lb	9
	Guees, per 10	
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CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 70%c; July, 68%c. Corn—Jan., 34%c; May, 36%c; July, 37%c. Oats—May, 27½c to 27¾c; July, 26%c. Pork—Jan., \$9 87¾; July, \$10 12½ Hardt-Jan., \$5 52½; May, \$6 75. Ribs—Jan., \$4 75; May, \$5 05. Cash quotations: Flour dull. No. 2 spring wheat, 66½c to 68c; No. 3 spring wheat, 62½c to 67c; No. 2 red. 70½c to 70½c. No. 2 corn, 35%c. No. 2 yellow corn, 35%c. No. 2 oats, 26½c to 27c; No. 2 white, 29½c to 29½c; No. 3 white, 28%c to 29c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 13; Northwest, \$1 17½. Mess pork, \$9 87 to \$9 92½. Lard, \$5 52½ to \$3 55. Short ribs, \$4 70 to \$4 90. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4¾c. Short clear sides, \$5 05 to \$5 15. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, firm, fresh, 18½c to 19c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 14,000 bushels; wheat, firm; fresh, 183c to 190; RECEIPTS—Flour, 14,000 bushels; wheat, 157,000 bushels; corn, 644,000 bushels; dats, 404,000 bushels; rye, 16,000 bushels; barley,

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 52,000 barrels; wheat, 50,000 bushels; corn, 272,000 bushels; oats, 180,000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; bariey,

AVAILABLE SUPPLY. New York, Jan. 18.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Brad-street's indicate the following changes in available supplies last Saturday as compared with the preceding Saturday: Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 522,000 bushels: Liverpool Corn Trade

News reports, afloat for and in Europe, increase 800,000 bushels; total supply increase 1,322,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 3,511,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 943,000 bushels.

THE APPLE TRADE.

J. Taylor, of Montreal, received the following cable from Manchester: Spys, Baldwins, Ben Davis, 20s to 24s; Seeks. C. Reds, Phoenix, 20s to 22s; Greenings, Russets, 18s to 21s. demand continues active and prospects are good, while fruit lands in sound order, and shows no great increase.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Jan. 18 .- Oil closed at \$1 17. PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 19.—Oil opened \$1 16. PETROLIA, Jan. 19 .- Oil opened and closed

English Markets.

Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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March	5	10%	5	1034	5	95/8	5	8
May	5	834	5	83/4	5	81/2	3	0
CORN-	1	^					10	•
New	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Old	3			10/2	3	10%	3	10
Jan				10%				93/4
March	3	85/8		81/2	3	81/8	3	13/
May	3				3	8	3	73/
		3	19	3	19	3	19	3
Peas	5	10	5	101/2	5	10%	5	10%
	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0
Lard		0	29	0	29	0	29	0
Tallow	22	3	22	6	22	6	22	6
Bacon, light	27	0	27	0	27	0	27	0
Cheese, white			49	6	49	6	49	U
Cheese, colored			19	6	49	5	49	0

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Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The greater part of today's offering of cattle were of poor quality, which showed a decline of 5c to 10c, buyers evincing no great eagerness to take hold; the comparatively small number of choice grades that were offered were disposed of at generally steady prices; fancy cattle, \$5 90 to \$6 10; choice steers, \$5 50 to \$5 85; medium, \$4 80 to \$5 10; beef steers, \$4 to \$4 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 65; bulls, \$2 50 to \$4 25; cows and heifers, \$3 20 to \$4; western fed calves, 15 to \$5 80; Texas steers, \$3 60 to

\$4 95; calves, \$3 75 to \$7. There was a good demand for hogs, with competition brisk and prices steady, some lots selling 5c higher; fair to choice, \$3 60 to \$3 75; packing lots, \$3 45 to \$3 57½; mixed, \$3 50 to \$3 67½; butchers, \$3 50 to \$3 75; light, \$3 45 to \$3 67½; pigs, \$3 to \$3 50. There was a fairly active demand for sheep at about previous prices, heavy lambs being, as usual, the poorest seller; inferior to prime sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 20; western ewes, \$3 50 to \$3 70; yearlings, \$4 10 to \$4 60; heavy, lambs, \$4 75 to \$4 80. Receipts—Cattle, 16,000; hogs. 32,000; sheep, 18,000.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-Beeves-Receipts, 3,827; good to choice steers are steady; others weak, closing 10c lower; bulls steady; cows steady to 10c lower; steers, \$4 75 to \$5 55; oxen and stags, \$3 40 to \$5; bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 50; choice fat, \$4 20 to \$4 30; cows, \$1 80 to \$4 10. Exports, 420 cattle, 30 sheep and 4,094 quarters of beef. Calves-Receipts, 1,362: choice veals weak; others steady; poor and un- to \$8; barnyard calves, \$3 50 to \$3 75; yearlings,\$2 80 to \$3 25; southern calves, \$3 621/2. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,-386; sheep in light supply and steady; sold; sheep, medium to prime, \$3 50 to \$4 50; lambs, common to choice, \$4 871/2 to \$5 65. Hogs-Receipts, 8,623; firmer, et \$3 65 to \$4.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 18.-Cattle-There were three loads offered and a few bunches sold at about steady prices; the choice handy kind, which are in demand, are in fair position; otherwise the market is not particularly Calves-Moderate demand satisfactory. and lower; choice to extra,\$7 25 to \$7 50; good to choice, \$7 to \$7 25. Sheep and lambs-The offerings vere about loads, with some improvement in the demand, and favorable weather conditions: the market was strong on sheep and 5c higher; choice to extra were quotable at \$5 to \$5 25; good to choice. \$4 75 to \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4 40; good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4. Hogs-The offerings were moderate, 39 loads. and with a fairly active demand, the market was firm; heavy sold generally at \$3 80 for choice; the bulk of the Yorkers at \$3 70; pigs, \$3 55; roughs, \$3 15 to \$3 25; stags, \$2 50 to \$2 75.

Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, Jan. 18 .- Cheese, 10c to 11c. Butter- Townships, 19c to 20c; Western, 14c to 15c. .

NEW YORK, Jan. 18 .- Butter steady; western creamery, 14c to 19c; do factory, 12c to 14c; Elgins, 19c; imitation creamery, 13c to 17c; state dairy, 13c to 18c; do creamery, 14c to 18c. Cheese steady; large white, 101/2c; small white, 11c to 11½c; large colored, 10½c; small colored, 11c to 11½c; light skims, 7½c to 8½c; part skims, 6½c to 7½c; full skims, 3c to 31/2c. CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Butter easy;

creamery, 13c to 18c; dairies, 11c to 16c. Cheese—Creameries, 9½c to 11c.

WOODSTOCK WONDER.

A Crippled Rheumatic Restored by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 16 .- Never, in the social history of this town since the Birchall trial, has such great interest been shown as the "Cutmore

Case" has caused. Mr. C. J. Cutmore, 90 Main street, was crippled by Rheumatism and Lumbago during five years. He couldn't stand straight, and had to be helped

from his room. Today he is straight and strong; sound in every limb, thanks to Dodd's financial statement showed receipts of Kidney Pills. Other remedies were used, but did no good. Dodd's Kidney ing a balance of \$3 16. Pills cured him.

Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure Rheumatism and Lumbago.

The first gold brick produced by a British Columbia coast mine was received in Vancouver Tuesday. It is said to be worth between \$6,000 and \$7.000, and was the production of about 4,000 tons of ore.

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

Bark-well's Balsam cures Bronchitis.

PROGRESS BEING MADE

Chalmers Church Annual Reports Are Encouraging.

Financial Statements All Make a Good Showing-The Mortgage Debt Reduced, and a Number of Improv ments Made.

The annual business meeting of Chalmers Presbyterian Church was held last night with a representative congregation in attendance. The reports were of a very gratifying nature, showing that a good work had been accomplished during the year. Those present showed deep interest as the different reports were submitted. The chair was occupied by Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor, who, in opening the meeting, made a few remarks, saying that the congregation had done much during the past year, but with an effort could accomplish something better this year. He also commented on the many improvements that had taken place to the house of worship and its surroundings.

CHURCH OFFICERS FOR 1899. The following officers were elected for

Managers-Isaac Seijohn, H.Clare, E. Spindle and Forsythe. Auditors—Messrs. Duguid and S. Milliken.

Trustee-Isaac Seijohn. Ushers-Messrs, Stilson Mapletoft and McGregor. Stilson, Swayzie,

CHURCH TREASURER'S REPORT. The treasurer's report of the board of managers showed receipts of \$1,-090 09, made up as follows: Envelope collections, \$497.75; open collections, \$137.08; and from First Presbyterian Church \$300; from Knox Church, \$150; cash on hand, \$14 26. The disbursements amounted to \$1.091 28, leaving a small balance. The building fund report showed receipts of \$567 96, of which \$334 50 was collected by the pastor. The expenditures totalled \$553 55. Out of this \$331 35 was paid

on the mortgage. CHURCH SECRETARY'S REPORT. This report was read by Mr. John McClarty. Its main feature was that the weekly collections showed a slight increase each quarter, and while envelope collections increased, the loose offerings decreased, indicating a consolidation of the funds of the congregatior. Through the efforts of the past year some \$230 had been wiped off the mortgage, leaving the debt now

only \$850. SABBATH SCHOOL REPORT.

The Sabbath school report was submitted by Secretary Alex. Craig. Owing to several reasons the membership showed no noticeable increase. Number on the roll, 146 scholars, and 23 teachers and officers; total, 169. The average attendance was 111 scholars and 20 teachers and officers. Fourteen of the scholars were present every Sabbath. and received Bibles. The library had been increased by an addition of \$20 worth of books. The officers are as follows: Honorary superintendent, Rev. Walter Moffat; superintendent, Mr. Harry Bapty; assistant superintendent, Ald. Greenlees; treasurer, J. Anderson; secretary, Alex. Craig; assistant secretary, Miss Pinney; librarian, Mr. B. Spindler; assistant librarian, Mr. B. H. Sutherland; organist, Miss Dobie; assistant organist, Miss May Baillie; Rev. Walter Moffat, teacher of the Bible class; and Mrs. McLe ighlin and Miss A. Davis have charg: of the primary class. The treasurer's statement showed receipts of \$123 27, and disbursements of \$89 98; leaving a tidy balance of \$33 29.

SESSION REPORT.

The report of the session was sub-"tted by Mr. S. Milliken. In the early part of the year it was thought by the session that the work would be greatly benefited by having a session comprised entirely of members of the church, and as a result, Messrs. W.Baillie, W. Michael, G. H. Linfoot, and S. W. Milliken were elected and ordained to the eldership. During the year the junior Christian Endeavor Society, Woman's Foreign Missionary Auxiliary and the choir were organized, all of which were doing good work, as were also the other societies connected with the congregation. There was an increase in the church membership of 26. The last annual report showed a membership of 49, and there were added during the year 8 by profession of faith and 18 by certificate, making the strength of the congregation 75. Eighteen children were baptized. The attendance at the March communion service was 41, in June 51, in August 40 and in December 55. The receipts of the various schemes of the church showed a slight increase, but the session thought that more could be done if each member realized his or her whole duty in the matter. The outlook for the congregation was bright, but while all rejoiced in this fact, they should never forget that vital godliness is the only assurance of continual prosperity and usefulness. The Bible class report showed 23

members on the roll, with average attendance good. Five members of the class became teachers in the Sabbath school during the year. The financial statement from 1st of May to 31st December showed collections of \$8 25. CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Endeavor report showed that twelve business meetings, besides the regular Sabbath prayer meetings were held. The membership is 25 active and 9 associate members, an increase of 7 over the previous year. Some months ago a junior society was organized, which has now a membership of 25 active and 15 trial members. This society is making great progress. The

LADIES' AUXILIARY. The report of the Ladies' Auxiliary was presented by Miss O'Brien. This society was organized in April last. It

now has a membership of 71. Some \$16 was raised for mission work. LADIES' AID.

The Ladies' Aid report showed a membership of 21 active and 8 associate members during the year; 12 regular and 2 special meetings were held. The attendance had been good. The treasurer's reports showed receipts of \$95 53, and disbursements of \$78 62, leaving a balance of \$16 91. The debt on the organ was considerably reduced. Regret was expressed at the departure of Mrs. MacGregor, who has left the city. The officers of the Aid are: President. Miss Batzner; first vice, Mrs. Limage: second vice, Mrs. Rutherford; secretary, Mrs. Milliken; treasurer, Mrs. Duguid; organist, Mrs. Pirie.

COLUMBIA MISSION BAND. The membership of this society was reported to be 40, with an average at- Kingston. Ont.



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tendance of 30. The financial statement showed a neat balance in hand. SCHEMES OF THE CHURCH.

Amounts raised for schemes of church, first quarter; \$14 45; second quarter, \$8 10; third quarter, \$3 32; fourth quarter, \$12 65. The pastor asked the members to try and subscribe more to this fund.

CHOIR REPORT. This report was read by Miss Mary Wallace. There are 25 members on the roll, and the average attendance is 17. The funds on hand amount to \$10 05. Miss Leach, on behalf of the Bible class, presented the church with 50 new hymn books for use of the congregation. The board of management thanked the Bible class.

After the serving of light refresh-ments by the ladies of the church, and the usual votes of thanks, the meeting adjourned at 11 o'clock.

DISGRACED

Great Sensation in London Church Circles.

Rector of St. Margaret's Horsewhipped by One of His Parishioners, and Scotland Yard Detectives Are Looking for Him.

London, Jan. 9 .- Efforts are being vainly made to suppress a grave scandal connected with the retirement and disappearance from England of the Rev. Robert Eyton, rector of St. Margaret's Church, and a canon residentiary of Westminster, which followed a private investigation of charges of immorality preferred against him. As a result of the investigation Canon Eyton immediately left the country. Should he desire to return evidence

against him will be placed in the hands of the authorities. After this evidence had been obtained, and without waiting for Canon Eyton's action, the dean of Westminster, the Very Rev. George G. Bradley, notified the press that the canon's resigna-tion had been accepted, and an attempt was made to convey the impression

that the canon was mentally unsound. His exposure was preceded by a painful and sensational series of occurrences. It is the custom to make Christmas presents to the members of the choir of Westminster Abbey, which consists of pupils from the Westminster school. One of the choir boys rejected the proffered gift, accompanying his refusal with disrespectful language re-flecting on Canon Eyton. The boy was punished by the head master of school, but on inquiry it was found that his language was justified. Then his parents were communicated with. His father forthwith

HORSEWHIPPED THE CANON. who ended a terrible scene with a confession. Thre...2 were made to hand the case over to Scotland Yard, after Eyton fled, and this may possibly have been done, but no action has yet been taken by the police, for the canon's of-

fense is not an extraditable one. Since Canon Eyton succeeded the Very Rev. Frederic Farrar upon the latter's appointment as dean of Canterbury, he gained the reputation of being the most eloquent and scholarly preacher in London, and his retirement is causing an extraordinary sensation in church circles. Canon Eyton, who was born in 1845, is the son of Rev. R. W. Eyton, rector of Ryton, author of "Antiquities of Shropshire." He is a He is a graduate of Christ Church, Oxford, and was ordained a deacon and priest in 1870. While acting as curate of St. Paul's Knightsbridge, in 1882, he was appointed sub-almoner to the Queen. In 1884 he was appointed rector of Upper Chelsea, which position he held until 1895, when he became a canon of Westminster, and rector of St. Margaret's. He is the author of several religious works, among them being "The True Life and Other Sermons," and "The Search for God and Other Sermons."

HOCKEY.

SOUTH LONDON WON. One of the fastest hockey games of the City League series was played between the Y. M. C. A. and South London teams at the Jubilee Rink, last night, before a large crowd. The latter succeeded in winning by a close score of 5 to 4. The individual play of the South Londoners was well balanced, but their combination play could be improved upon. The Y. M. C. A. team play well together. The principal feature of the game was some lively scrimmaging. At half time the score stood 3 to 1' for South London. In the second half the Y. M. C. A. entered upon matters, and it looked as if the game would end in a tie, but just be-fore the whistle sounded, the puck was put through by South London. It is understood that the Y. M. C. A. team will protest the game on the grounds of South London playing an outsider, and that the last goal was made after time was up. Mr. Jack Hobbs refereed. He gave general satisfaction. A member of the Y. M. C. A. team was laid up for 15 minutes on account of being hit on the knee-cap by the puck.

Y. M. C. A. JUNIORS ORGANIZE. The Juniors of the Y. M. C. A. organized a hockey team at a meeting held last night. Percy Williams is captain and H. Essex, M. Sanborne and W. Holt form the executive committee. Some 25 have joined the club.

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Novel Discussion in the Montreal Synod.

Is the Habit Increasing?-Resolutions Introduced Calling Attention to the Practice.

Montreal, Jan. 19 .- A novel discussion took place yesterday in the Montreal Diocesan Synod of the Church of England. The discussion arose on the following motion, presented by Dr. David-

"That this synod deplores the rapid extension and increase of tobacco and cigarette smoking amongst all classes of the community, and in particular amongst the clergy of the church, and amongst the young, and would express the hope that all members of the church, clerical and lay, may, by example and precept, do what they can

to restrain the growing evil." The motion provoked a great difference of opinion. While it was strongly supported by some of the delegates. it was denounced by others as absurd and intolerant.

Dean Carmichael said that when he came to Canada in 1854 he found that the habit of smoking among the clergy —and especially among the younger clergy—was all but universal. In a particular diocese, which he did not name, he found that out of 70 clergy there were probably 12 non-smokers, and he was not of that minority. He smoked himself. (Laughter.) He was firmly persuaded that the clergy did not today smoke in such numbers as was formally the case. They were rising to a higher conception of their position, and their example as ministers in the Church of Christ, but this was not brought about by resolution, but by inner conviction wrought by the spirit of God. (Tpplause.)

CLERGY REFERENCE EFFACED. Finally an amendment effacing all reference to the clergy, but deploring the spread of the tobacco habit among all classes of society, and particularly among the young, and calling upon the synod to do all in its power to limit the evil, was adopted.

AMUSEMENTS

"AN ENEMY TO THE KING."

No sketch of this fascinating tale can convey an adequate idea of the romantic atmosphere in which Mr. R. N. Stephens, the author, has placed his characters, which returns to the Grand Opera House on Saturday, Jan. 21. The religious persecution in France in the sixteenth century is made the setting for the play, which was written by Mr. Stephens, and produced two years by E. H. Sothern. The story relates to a series of incidents in that historical period, when the followers of Henry of Navarre were being hounded by those loyal to Henry III. The Governor of Berri has set a price on the head of Sieur de la Tournoire, a Huguenot captain, and, prompted by his secretary, he offers Julie de Varion her father's freedom from prison, where he is confined for harboring an enemy, on condition that she ensnares and traps La Tournoire. She agrees. Just as sye starts on her journey, she is rescued from an annoying and dissolute admir-er by Eranton de Launay, who is none other than the man she has made a compact to deliver to his enemies. She sets herself to the task of winning his Lahn New York Bremen love, is successful, and falls in with him herself. Duty to her father is her first consideration, and she sends word to the governor of her lover's hiding-place. The governor for-wards his garrison to take the Huguenot captain before Julie has completed her contract, and she, regretting her



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act, flies to the castle to undo what she has already done. She is followe by La Tournoire, and all meet in the presence of the governor. The captain manages to outwit his antagonists, and secures a pardor for the father of Julie, whose explanation satisfies him. He also gets a warrant of safe conduct out of the province. "Blood-stirring" is a poor word, but it describes the piece that John Griffith has chosen to charm an admiring public, and with which to hew his way to higher ranks in the profession. Almost every emotion of which humans are possessed is portrayed in the story, which is so pretty that its inconsistencies-if there any-are passed over in the thrill of interest and pleasure one feels as he witnesses its production. Kathryn Purnell, as the heroine, is said to be most charming, and the remainder of the cast is excellent and evenly balanced,

"RIP VAN WINKLE."

The advance sale of seats for the Jefferson Comedy Company, which will present "Rip Van Winkle," with Thomas Jefferson in the title role, will begin Saturday. This company is one of the most complete comedy companies now touring this country. The four principal members are Thomas, Charles. William and Joseph Jefferson. The Jefferson would be a guarname antee alone of the correct and able manner in which this comedy, and the four parts played by the Jefferson boys, will be presented. They each have had the advantage of a thorough theatrical training with their father's company. The balance of the company will include the most competent players, and the Jefferson night in this city will be one of the notable events of

the present season. Steamship Arrivals.

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Montreal Stock Market.

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New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Jan. 19.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Jan. 19.-Wheat is rather easier at 69c for red and 691/2c for white west; Manitoba wheat is steady, at 8142c, grinding in transit. Frour is dull, at \$3 to \$3 10 for cars of straight roller in barrels, west. Millfeed is firm, at \$12 50 to \$15 for shorts, and \$12 to \$12 50 for bran, west. Barley is quiet, at 46c to 47c for No. 1, west. Buckwheat firmer, at 49c to 50c, west. Rye firm, at 53c to 54c, west. Corn steady, at 35c to 36c for Canada yellow, west, and 45½c for old American here. Oats steady, at 29c for white, west. Peas steady, at 65c to 66c, west. Eggs steady, at 22c for new laid, 18c for held fresh ,and 16c for limed. Butter steady, at 13c to 14c for large rolls, and 11c to 13c for dairy tubs; creamery steady, at 20c to 21c for prints, and 19c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs easier, at \$5 10 bid, and \$5 20 sked for cars here.

Engusa Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 19-12:30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot easy; No. 1 Cal., no stocks;
No. 1 red northern spring, 6s: spot No. 2 red
western winter, steady, 6s 2½d.
Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new,
stocks exhausted; do old, 3s 10d; futures, quiet;
Jan., old, 3s 19d; March, 3s 8½d; May, 3s 8d.
Elon-St Louis forcy winter steady 7s 9d.

Flour-St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 9d. Peas-Canadian. 5s 10 d. Beef-Dull; Extra India mess, 65s; prime Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, steady, 35 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, duli, 27s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 27s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 75 6d; short ribs, 26 to 24 lbs, strong, 32s; blear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 34s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 37s.

Lard-Prime western, 29s 3d. Butter-Finest United States, 88s; good, 65s. Cheese—American, finest white 49s; do

Folored, 49s.
Tallow-Prime city, firm, 21s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—33s.
Rosin—Common, 4s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined, 6s 8d.
Linseed oil—17s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 14s 9d. Wheat—Spot. No. 2 red western, winter, steady, 6s 3d; No. 1 red northern spring, dull, is; No. 1 cal., 6s 10d to 6s 10½d; No. 1 cash.

firm, 8s 27sd. Corn-Spot American mixed, old, quiet, 3s 10%d; spot do, new, stocks exhausted; futures, steady; Jan., 3s 9%d; March, 3s 7%d; May, 3s

1740.
Flour-St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 9d.
Peas-Canadian, 5s 10d.
Pork-Steavy; Prime mess, fine western, 50s;
50, medium, western, 47s 6d.

o, medium, western, 478 6d.

Beef—Steady; Prime mess. 60s; extra India
ness. 65s; do. medium. western. 478 6d.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 368 6d. Bacon—Cumberland cut. dull, 28 to 30 its., 2786d; short rios, 20 to 24 ibs, dull, 28 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 278 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 7d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 278 6d;

the short clear backs, 15 to 18 los, dult, 21s thear beilies, 14 to 16 los, dult, 32s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 los, firm, 23s.
Lard—Prime western, steady, 23s.
Butter—Finest American, 86s; good, 65s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 3d.

to £5 10s. Linseed oil—17s 9d. Petroleum—Refined, 65%d.

American Markets. BUFFALO, Jan. 19 .- Flour-Steady.

red, 71½c; No. 1 white, 74½c. Corn-No. 3 yellow, 39c; No. 4 yellow, 381/2c; No. 3 corn, 38½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 33½c; No. 3 white, 32½c; No. 4 white, 311/2c, on track; No. 3 mixed, 31c,

DETROIT, Jan. 19.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 714c; No. 2 red, cash, 704c; May, 73%c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 19.-Wheat-Cash, 70%c; May, 73½c; July, 70%c. Corn—Cash, 36c; May, 37c. Oats—Cash, 28½c; May, 2834c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 19.-Wheat No. 1 hard, cash, 70c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19-Flour-Receipts, 18.838 harrels; eates, 2,400 packages; state and western held more steady, but not active; rye flour steady; sales, 150 barrels; good to fair, \$3 20 to \$3 30; choice to fancy, \$3 35 to \$3 50. Wheat-Receipts, 159,200 bu; sales, 275,-000 bu; options advanced this morning by sentimental buying of local character, inspired by activity in stocks; March, 78½c to 78 516c; May, 74 15-16c to 75½c. Rye—Dull; state, 60c; No. 2 western, 65c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 42,900 bu; sales, 40,000 bu; options quite, but firmer with wheat; May, 413%c to 42%c. Oats Receipts. 41%c to 42%c. Oats-Receopts, 68,400 bu; dull; track white, 34½c to 58½c. Butter—Receipts, 3,047 pack-18½c. Butter—Receipts, 3,047 pack-18½c to 19c; western, 18½c to 19c; southern, 18½c. Sugar—Raw, easy; fair refined, 3¾c; refined, dull. Coffee —Weak; No. 7, 6½c to 6½c. Hops— Lead-Strong; builion, \$4; ex-

change, \$4 22½ to \$4 27½. Chicago Exchange CHICAGO. Jan. 19.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butier,
broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

Wheat—May. 70%

July... 68%

Corn—May... 36%

July... 37%

Oate May. 274 9 87 10 10 5 55 5 75 4 75 5 05 Corn – May ... 36% July ... 37¼ Oats – May ... 27½ July 26%
Pork—Jan 9 87
May 10 10
Lard—Jan 5 55
May 5 75
Ribs—Jan 4 75
May 5 05 9 87 10 12 5 55 5 77 4 75 5 05 Puts-70. Calls-71.

Live Stock Markets CHICAGO, Jan. 19 .- Estimated receipts of hogs today, 28,000; left over, 4,837; fairly active, strong to 5c higher; light, \$3 45 to \$3 70; mixed, \$3 50 to \$3 771/2; heavy, \$3 50 to \$3 80; rough, \$3 50 to \$3 60; Yorkers, \$3 65. Cattle—Receipts, 8,500; steady to strong; beeves, \$4 to \$5 90; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4 90; Texas steers, \$3 40 to \$4 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 15 to \$4 50.

ENGLAND. Liverpool, Jan. 18.-The market in Liverpool and London for Canadian and American steers was firm today.

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Toronto, Jan. 19-11 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region + ♦ for the next twenty-four hours: ♦ Southerly and southwesterly + → winds; fine; rising temperatures. Friday-Fine and quite mild. *+++++++++++++++++

LATELOCAL ITEMS

-Mr. R. M. Carmichael, of Russell, Manitoba, is at Arva, on a visit to his friends.

-Mr. Allan Stewart, of Seattle, Washington, is at present visiting friends in Arva and vicinity. -Miss Sylvia Warren, of this city,

has been engaged to sing at the Choral Club concert, at Tilsonburg, on Jan. 24. -The members of the Arva Methodist choir are back to work again, after

spending their Christmas holidays in various places. -Mr. E. Anderson, of Arva, left on Monday morning for Ottawa, where he will attend the Normal School. Ernest's many friends wish him every success.

-A Sabbath school entertainment will be given in the Methodist Church, Arva, on Monday evening, the 24th. Refreshments will be served in the basement for the children, after which a good programme will be given.

-F. B. Clarke, steamship passenger agent, has received word from England that denotes universal prosperity in industrial circles. Bills for various schemes are before parliament, in-volving expenditures of millions of money.

-An enthusiastic meeting of the subscribers for the St. Andrew's ball was held last night. The subscribers now number 125. The date for the ball has been fixed for the first week in April, when Lent will be over. The affair promises to be a grand success.

-The many friends of Mr. John Mc-Legarie, of 177 Kent street, blacksmith at Stevens Manufacturing Company's, met with a very painful accident, owing to a heavy weight falling on his foot, badly crushing his toes. He is doing nicely under the doctor's care. -Mr. John Lind, of Pond Mills, will start on his return trip to Dawson City early next week. He expects his partner, Mr. Wilfred Wilkinson, to ar-

rive here from London, England, Monday, and on their trip west they will join another fellow-miner. Mr. Monday, and on their trip west they will join another fellow-miner. Mr. John Criste, of Wisconsin, in Chicago. Tallow-Prime city, firm, 22s 3d. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, firm, 15s 3d.; LONDON LIFE WELL NOT AMALTurpentine spirits—Steady, 32s. Hops—At London (Pacific coast) dull. £4 10s 55 10s.

perance and General, Excelsior, Imperial and London Life Insurance Companies are to be consolidated, is published in this morning's Toronto Mail Spring wheat—No. 1 hard, 8014c; No. 1 and Empire. At the head office of the Rectory street. The matter will not be northern, 761/2c. Winter wheat—No. 2 last-mentioned company the statement. dealt with at the regular meeting of

so far as the London Life is concerned. is said to be wholly incorrect. SUCCESSFUL ITALIAN SOCIETY.

The first annual meeting of the Christopher Columbus Society was held recently, and the reports submitted by the officers were most gratifying. A very successful year has just closed, and the members are full of enthusi-The financia! statement showed the handsome balance on hand of \$300. Following were the officers chosen for President, Jos. Dambra (reelected); vice-president, D. Cusolito; corresponding secretary, A. Mascaro; financial secretary, M. Caravello; treasurer, A. Briglia; councilors, F. Fench, A. Liccardo, A. Cortese and F. Briglia; auditors, A. Dambra and C. Paladino; standard-bearers, S. Sanzone, D. Aveta B. Sidoti A. Furana. D. Aveta, B. Sidoti, A. Furanna; guard, F. Raffale.

TWO YEARS FOR WILLFUL PERJURY

John Miller, Discharged Soldier From Wolseley Barracks, Sentenced for a Despicable Crime.

John Miller, the ex-soldier from Wolseley Barracks, was convicted before Judge William Elliot this morning of willful perjury.

Miller was the principal witness in the case of Margret Ridler vs. Pte. Cooper, of Wolseley Barracks. The charge against Cooper was of a criminal nature, he having led Margaret astray under promise of marriage. At the trial Miller swore away the girl's character, and was largely instrumental in Cooper's escape from justice. The girl denied all Cooper's and Miller's statement, and swore that she had never saw Miller until she saw him in the witness box.

Pte. Culing and Pte. Gammon gave positive evidence that Miller had never seen the Ridley girl, and that the story told by Miller was an extravagant concoction. The prisoner was undefended by coun-

sel, without witnesses, and had noth-

ing to say.

Judge Elliot, addressing Miller, reminded him of the shamefulness of his crime. He was a young man, only 21 years of age, but in regard to the serious charge against him there was not one mitigating feature in his favor for leniency. "I can scarcely imagine anything," said the judge, "more unman-ly, more disgraceful, or more cowardly than that which you have done. The story was the means of allowing a man to escape justice, but that was not its worst feature. In allowing the offender to go unpunished it imputed infamy to an innocent girl. If you had one principle of a man about you you would have shrunk from such an act." The judge pointed to the fact that many men had served fourteen years in the penitentiary for the same crime, but as Miller's previous character was unknown to him he would make the sentence a comparatively light "The sentence is," concluded the judge, "that you be imprisoned in the Central Prison for two years, less one

Miller turned pale, then recovered

QUARELERS IN COURT

Bound Over to Keep the Peace-Troub-

Louis Cake and Thomas Gibson aired their troubles in the police court this morning. Cake was charged by Gibson with having used threatening and insulting language towards him. Mr. Gibson alleged that for two years past, every time he met Cake the latter called witness a "chicken thief." A few days ago he met Cake on the street, when the latter again called him a chicken thief. Mr. Gibson spoke to Cake about it, and he claims that Cake threatened to "punch his face in, and break him all up in little pieces.

Cake swore that Gibson had been the prime mover in the trouble. Gibson, he said, was in the habit of telling him that he should be in the penitentiary with the rest of the Cakes. A day or two ago Gibson had challenged him to come down out of his wagon. Cake said he accepted it, and that was how the language was used. Both Cake and Gibson were bound over to keep the

Arthur H. Cooke charged George Emerdy, a colored man, with using threatening language. Emerdy is an employe at the Ross House, and the other night Mr. Cook was going along Egerton street, when Emerdy put his fist in front of Mr. Cook's face, and threatened to smash it in. Mr. Cook had never seen the fellow before, and laid complaint against him. Emerdy's excuse this morning was that people had been teasing him about his black face, and he understood that Mr. Cook was one of them. Emerdy was warned and bound over to keep the peace. George Lee and Robert Maxwell, for furious driving and disorderly conduct,

were each fined \$2. Ira Halliday was found guilty vagrancy, and of abusing his wife. Mrs. Halliday told her troubles to the court. Ira went down for two months.

CITY HALL NOTES

Col. Hamilton, of Toronto, provincial inspector of vital statistics, paid an official visit to City Clerk Kingston's office this morning, and found the registers in a satisfactory condition. Col. Hamilton was in Stratford last week.

The sewer committee will meet tonight for organization. Ald. McPhillips, it is said, will be the chairman. Ald. Garratt had an eye on the position, but has withdrawn from the contest, some of the members say.

At its next meeting, No. 1 committee will deal with Capt. D. C. Macdonald's suggestion to invite Lord Minto to distribute the medals to veterans of There is a popular idea in favor of the distribution of the medals at the Western Fair. The ceremony might then take place in front of the grand stand and be witnessed by many thousand people. It would be an impressive event, and would no doubt be a source of great gratification to the recipients of the medals.

A new street railway timetable, which is being favorably considered in the municipal circle, provides that the new Rectory street. Hamilton road and Dundas street belt line be done away with. and that the cars run both ways on Rectory street, and also on the Hamilton road line, "Y"ing in each case at the corner of the Hamilton road and



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the board of works tonight, but will be considered at a special meeting.

The lawver-aldermen will look after their own and confreres' interests in the Bartram lawsuits, the city solicitor deeming it inadvisable that he should act for the aldermen in their private capacity.

A scarlet fever card has been placed at 187 Sydenham street.

The London Cold Storage Company will erect a \$3,000 boiler house on in her 86th year. Bathurst street.

Lively Times in the Capital of Samoa.

The German Consul Tried to Run the Whole Show.

John Bull and Uncle Sam Have Something to Say-The Gordon College Fund Reaches \$118,000-Midgets

London, Jan. 19 .- All parties at Apia, fighting which has taken place between and also \$15. the rival kings. It is pointed out that in violation of all agreements the consul accompanied Mataafa's forces when vigor, the claimant invaded the town, and en- the Sarnia structure will be completed couraged the opposition to Malietoa in advance of the building at the Port Tanus. When the British and American consuls were informed as to the situation, they adjourned the court, and locked the building. The consulthen demanded the keys, which were refused him. He then broke open the doors, removed the locks, and replaced them with others. He afterwards brought the German municipal presisembled on the square: "I am the su-preme court! I am the chief justice!" Walker have sunk many holes, but with little success. The well just The crowd replied with jeers, and the struck yields from four to five barrels British consul demanded the keys of of oil an hour. the building, which were refused him.

A SCOTCHMAN HOISTED THE FLAG. A Scotchman named Mackie thereupon climbed on top of the building, and hoisted the Samoan flag, while the British and American consuls, and a number of marines invaded the building, forced the doors open, and pushed the German consul into the street.

Then the two consuls "formally and legally," according to the special disence with its jurisdiction, threatening to promptly arrest and imprison anyone attempting to do so.

now quiet, and the German consul remains in his consulate. PUT OUT THE GERMAN CON-

SUL.

A special dispatch from Auckland, N. Z., says the British and American consuls were compelled to force to of the supreme court at Apia, Samoa, in which the German consul had established himself, and to push him into the street.

1.000 TO 10.000.

Auckland, N. Z., Jan. 19.-Further particulars regarding the disturbances at Samoa show Mataafa's followers numbered about 5,000 men ,and that the adherents of Malietoa Tanus were only about 1,000 in number. There was two hours' firing between the rival forces, during which several of the warriors were decapitated. The American consul issued a proclamation claiming that the Berlin treaty had the same force as a law of congress, and that an insult to the supreme court of Samoa is. therefore, equivalent to an insult to the government at Washington.

THE CANFORD ABANDONED. Liverpool, Jan. 19. - The British steamer Nasmyth, which arrived here yesterday from New York, landed seven of the crew of the British steamer Canford, which was abandoned Jan. 13 while on a voyage from Cadiz to St. Johns, Nfld.

\$118,000 SUBSCRIBED. London, Jan. 19.-At a meeting of the general committee of the Gordon memorial college, it was announced that the subscriptions amounted to \$118,000.

MIDGETS MARRY. London, Jan. 19 .- A pair of dwarfs, Charles Morris, a widower, 36 inches in height, and Miss Goddard, 361/2 inches high, were married at Bolton yester-

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## WESTERN ONTARIO

Bad Accident to an 11-Year-Old Boy at Sarnia.

Port Burwell-St. Thomas Train men's Ball.

The St. Thomas trainmen's ball, held last night, was a big success. The London Harpers furnished music. The death is announced of Mrs. Eliza-

beth Coutts, relict of the late John Coutts, one of Sarnia's oldest residents, A company has been organized in Windsor for the promotion of roller

The curling rink will be obskating. tained during the summer. Col. Sam Hughes, M.P., has disposed of his paper, the Victoria Warder, to Mr. George Lytle, the present editor of the Watchman. Both papers will be

combined. Mrs. Joseph Renaud, mother of Rev. Fr. Renaud, of Amherstburg, was on Wednesday found dead in her bed. She was 81 years of age, and resided directly opposite the Canard Church.

Messrs Grass & Hymmen, general storekeepers, Berlin, have assigned to Mr. E. J. Henderson; assets and liabilities are said to balance at about \$25,-000. The creditors will meet on the 25th inst. John Henry Brooks, a young colored

man, was arrested in Detroit on Tuesday by Detectives Maloney and Campeau, charged with complicity in a burglary committed in Chatham in December, 1897. Joseph Le Fave, who lives alone near Belle River, left a neighbor's son warm-

ing himself near the kitchen fire while the special dispatch continues, unite in he went to milk the cows. When he condemning the German consul for the returned he found the young man gone, Work on the new Grand Trunk round-house at the St. Clair tunnel is being pushed ahead with all possible and the indications are that

> Huron tunnel station. The death of Mrs. George Ward, of Carroll street, Ingersoll, took place on Sunday. Deceased was a native of England, and came to Canada while very young, having resided in Ingersoll about fourteen years. The funeral took place

to the Ingersoll Rural Cemetery. An oil well was struck by McNaughdent into the chamber, and the latter ton & Knight on Monday on the farm went up on the balcony, and shouted to of Mr. Langford, within half a mile of the British and American marines as- Kent Bridge. Messrs. McNaughton &

The residence of Wm. White, of the G. T. R. freight office, Sarnia, was burglarized on Sunday night while Mr. and Mrs. White were at church. Some burned matches were found on the floor, and the carpet was scorched where they were dropped. This is the second time that Mr. White's residence has

been visited by burglars. A Port Burwell correspondent writes: The house belonging to W. Y. Emery, and occupied by George Raymond and patch, opened the court, and issued a sister, Myrtle, was burned to the warning against any further interferground Saturday morning. Nearly everything in the house was destroyed. The cause of the fire is unknown. There was an insurance of \$150 on the house, Matters, the dispatch continues, are but none on the contents. Owing to the heavy rainfall at the time the fire was prevented from spreading to Mr. Emery's residence, which is situated near by.

A serious accident happened at a Sarnia public school on Tuesday at noon, by which Ralph Simpson, the 11year-old son of Dougald Simpson, may lose the sight of one of his eyes. At the time mentioned the lad, in company with some others, was playing at the school. Another lad, named Fred Longley, threw a stick, and as he did so young Simpson turned his head and the stick struck him in the eye. He was taken home and medical attendance secured. Owing to the bad condition of the eye, the physician in charge is unable to say yet whether the sight will be lost to the lad or not.

DISCOUNT RATE REDUCED. London, Jan. 18 .- The Bank of England's rate of discount has been reduced from 4 to 31/2 per cent. 600 PEOPLE THROWN OUT OF

WORK. New York, Jan. 19 .- The fire which destroyed the Cammeyer building burned until 6 o'clock this morning, when it was finally extinguished. Three-quarters of a million dollars is the estimate of the loss. Nearly 600 persons, of whom over 500 are women, are temporarily thrown out of employment. The shoe firm employed 200 these, and they will hardly be put to work for some time, though Mr. Cammeyer said he would resume as quick-

ly as possible. MR. DINGLEY'S FUNERAL.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 19.—The funeral services of the late Nelson Dingley were held here yesterday at the Pine Street Congregational Church. Prior to this a prayer service was held at the family residence. The floral decorations at the church were very beautiful. The center-piece was a reproduction of a familiar writing desk of Mr. Dingley, which was the offering of the employes of his newspaper, the Lewiston Journal. The wreath of the president and Mrs. McKinley occupied a prominent position, as did the bank of flowers from the governor of Massachusetts.

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## POISONOUS PORK

Prostrates a Family of Twelve Persons -A Daughter Dead and the Mother Dying.

Ohlowa, Neb., Jan. 19 .- The family of John Peterson, 12 in number, residing Oil Struck at Kent Bridge-Burglars | near here, are the victims of trichinosis at Work in Sarnia-Serious Fire at | poisoning. They are the flesh of a hog which not only contained the germs of the disease, but which was suffering from an abscess. The eldest daugnter, Mary, died Tuesday, and the mother cannot recover, while the condition of the other members of the family is serious.

The words of praise bestowed upon Hood's Sarsaparina by those who have taken it prove the merit of the medi-

THE KEELY MOTOR A DELUSION. Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—The Press publishes an article covering over a page in space, giving the details of an investigation made by that paper of the dismantled workshop or the late John W. Keely, which invention the Press contends, clearly proves the mysterious Keely motor to have been a delusion and deception, and that its alleged mysterious forces were the result of trickery.

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# THE QUEEN OF THE SEASON

"But you had pledged yourself to at-tempt it before I knew anything about t." he was reminded. "I happened, as have just said, to know when, and how, Lord Esselyn went to Paris; and was so convinced that, during the break from him. short time of his stay there, he had neither possessed time nor inclination to commit the villainy laid to his charge that I-more bluntly than politely, I fear-refused to believe Lady Esselyn's tale, and would not leave her till I had extorted all she knew, and the names of her informants.

"I felt the necessity of this," he went on to say; "for a slander once disseminated may crop up where least expected, and Aymer's career might be irretrievably injured if it were not up-

"Why did you not tell me what you had heard, and let me vincidate my-self?" demanded the earl, hotly. "My dear old boy," was the affectionate response, "was there any necessity for it? Could I not answer for your honor as for my own? Besides, you

ere in trouble enough just then"nis glanced significantly at the now owncast face of Marie—"and so I took what I thought to be the wisest course. I went off to Paris, and put myself in communication with the person who had favored the countess with such highly-spiced reports of your-reputed, mind you-sayings and doings. I went with him to the low cafes you were said to have frequented; I was introguced to the doubtful-very doubtfulcharacters, who boasted of their intimacy with by Lord Anglais; I was also introduced to the home of the family with whom milord had resided, and from whom, when he left, he carried such portable articles of jewelry as lay in his way.'

I am really very much obliged to this second self of mine," ejaculated Aymer,
"but I shall be still more obliged to you if you can bring me face to face with the scoundrel."

"Let me finish my story," said Sir Innis. "I was also taken to the chapel where he wedded a certain demoiselle in the belief that he should secure with her a sufficient sum of money, besides other valuables, to enable him to leave a neighborhood where he was in hourly danger of detection. But he had to fly before he could grasp his booty, for though the lady was not forthcoming at the appointed time, the wife was, whom, for similar reasons, he had married some weeks previously."
Claire exclaimed at this:

Then he had been married before I

Two or three times, if report may be believed. But of this I am very certain, that the marriage to the widow, from whose lips I received corroboration of these details, rendered your own in-

Claire threw herself into her cousin's arms, weeping loudly in her joy. 'Ah! Marie, beloved one; thou hast borne with me in my sorrow; wilt thou

not share my gladness?" "But who is the person who has been personating my brother?" demanded Vivien, when Claire had composed her-

"If Mademoiselle du Mornay will answer me one question, I may be able to reply to yours," said Sir Innis, and he held a photograph for her inspection, demanding if it were not the likeness of the so-called Earl of Esselyn to whom she had been privately united. She shuddered as she gazed.

"It is he; yes-yes-it is he!"

The baronet passed the carte to Lord Esselyn. "Great heavens! this is the portrait

of the tutor who accompanied me abroad, Leverson Grayly. I disliked him from the first, but bore with him rather than make a fuss, till he cheated the landlord of an inn at which we stopped so unblushingly that we quareled about it. After that he went his way and I took mine."

"But his way led him to Paris," said Sir Innis, promptly; "and there, taking advantage of his intimate knowledge of your affairs, he personated you with varying success, till the clamors of the jealous widow he had married compelled him to retreat."

"He shall pay dearly for his inso-lence," exclaimed Aymer, angrily. "He has already paid the price of his folly, and is in the hands of a wiser Judge than you or I," was the grave response. "His excesses have brought him to the tomb. He was dying when I succeeded in finding him. I was present at his funeral. If you had seen how much he suffered, both in mind and body, I think, Esselyn, that you would feel as much inclined to forgive the un-

happy wretch as I did." Vivien, now remembering the claims of hospitality, rang for coffee to be served; and while she congratulated Claire, and talked to the patient Madame Mercler, Aymer contrived to hedge Marie in a corner.

'Am I acquitted in your sight, Mademoiselle de Villefort?"

"Ah, my lord, shall I not always hate myself for having distrusted you?" she

cried, impulsively. Aymer's gay laugh made her lower her head to hide her blushes, which deepened yet more as he began to rally her without mercy.

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over a cliff!" 'Oh, you are cruel to speak of that!" cried Marie, tearfully. "Has not the recollection of my mad act haunted me daily and nightly, till I have wished I could die to escape the torturing thought?"

'My poor Marie," said Aymer, drawing her towards him; "shall I promise to tease you no more?"
"If you please," she said, with mar-

velous humility.

"And what will you promise in return? To be mine?

"Some other time we will talk of this," she faltered, endeavoring to "As often as you please, but let it be

now also. Marie," and he changed his tone of tender persifiage to one of the deepest earnestness, "I have loved you so long—I have suffered so much through the mystery of your flightthat surely you will be pitiful now. Will you, then, be as generous as you are charming, and pledge yourself to be my own-my very own?"

She could not speak, and for a little while she could not look up; but when she did, it was to bashfully raise her face to meet his kiss; and a few minutes afterwards she was proudly pre-sented to their friends as his promised

[To be Continued.]

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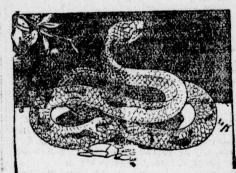
Made By Indians by Tipping the Points With Poison.

When Vegetable Poisons Failed Them the Aborigines Had Recourse to that Deadly Advance Agent of Death. the Rattlesnake-Extracting the Poison and Tipping the Arrows.

Before the white traders thoughtfully furnished the North American Indian with long-range rifles and ammunition the primitive bow and arrow were the red man's greatest protection against his enemies. To make the arrow more effective the Indian poisoned its point. When a white man was struck by one of these, even if it made but a mere scratch, his life usually paid the forfeit. The Indians did not always use these deadly weapons, but when on the warpath carried a few of them to be utilized in the case of emergency. The intimate knowledge that Indians possess of roots and herbs served them well in some sections of the country, as they were able to distill a fatal vegetable poison. On the plains, however, where there is no foliage, and, in fact, no loots or herbs, the aborigine turned naturally to the snake to obtain his headly ammunition. As rattlesnakes could be found in thousands upon the plains, it was only necessary to collect the venom from the wriggling advance agent of death.

The usual method of the dusky brave was to repair along toward the latter part of June or the early part of July to some locality where rattlesnakes were known to abound in large numbers. Every summer parties of Indians made up of braves, squaws and pappooses visited such points and opened up business. The squaws and children went out and hunted the rattler, while the buck either sat crosslegged or lay down in the shade of some friendly bowlder and calmly inspected the results of the hunt when brought into camp.

In the hottest part of the summer the rattlesnake is believed by the Indians to be the most venomous and ugly, especially during the period when he is shedding his skin. It is also a tradition that the snake goes blind for a short time, and, consequently, strikes at every sound he hears. In the heat of the day the



THIS BEAUTIFUL SNAKE WOULD FURNISH POISON ENOUGH TO POISON A REGI-MENT OF SOLDIERS

anakes crawl out of the ground and back in the sun, the warmth of the earth and rocks being extremely grateful to them. The squaws took a piece of raw meat, generally liver, weighing less than half pound. This was dangled temptingly means of a piece of string and an ordinary stick, six or eight feet long, over the nose of a huge rattler.

The snake sprang his rattle and gathered his sinnous length into a coil, with his rattles in the center and the head towering above the body, rearing and slowly moving backward and forward, so as always to keep the liver in front of him. So the piece of meat was swung sbout the snake to the left, to the right and over him, but just beyond his reach. This irritated him, so that when finally the bait was permitted to pass within his reach his head darted from the center of his coil and the bait was fairly struck. The snake hung there a moment and either disengaged himself or was gently shaken off by the squaw. The strike of a poisonous reptile always seems to enervate them for a moment or two, consequently the rattler in this instance re-

sumed his coil but slowly. Again the meat swung within his reach, and now he was thoroughly angry, as the object of his bite did not seem to show the faintest sign of his blow. This he could not understand and gathered himself for another attempt. Three or four times this act was repeated until all the venom had been extracted. Another snake was immediately sought and again the tantalizing proximity of what to them was an enemy caused them to bury their fangs as often as possible in the bait. Many pieces of meat were treated in this manner until the savages believed that they had obtained a sufficiency of

A fire was built quickly and an iron kettle produced. The impregnated meat was thrown into the kettle and boiled, a trifle of water having been added to it, until but a small residuum was obtained. This, if kept warm, remained in a liquid condition, but congulated readily when taken from the fire. During the boiling of the meat, a duty of the squaws, it was frequently tasted, as the aborigines depended in some manner upon that sensation as to the proper time when the boiling should cease. Rattlesnake poison is not harmful if taken in small quantities into the stomach, but it was not a pleasant sight, especially if one knew the contents of the kettle, to see the har gard Indian crone calmiv lift the iron spoon to her lips and taste this devil's broth. The virulence of the poison was estimated by the Indians in accordance to its effect upon some other animal. The Indian boys of the tribe generally caught a few rabbits. An incision was made in their skins sufficient to draw blood, and a drop of this decoction was applied to it. If the rabbit died quickly, with all the symptoms of snake poisoning, the distillation was correct. Should it take the rabbit longer to die or should the symptoms not be as violent as the Indians think neces-

The arrows, which in those days possessed, for the greater part, sheet-iron heads, were arranged so that the tips remained in the poisonous mass while coagulation was in process. When it was cool the arrows were withdrawn, but the head was covered with a gelatinous sort of matter that meant death. These particular arrows, which formed only a small part of the usual number carried by an Indian warrior, were placed in a separate quiver, and the point of each missile, as far as possible, was kept wrapped in green leaves until the emergency came when the deadly weapon was to be used. There was little, if any, escape for the victim who received one, and those who shot the arrows acted much as the rattlesuake does after having

made a lucky, accurate strike. The ratile-snake, after having bitten that which it wishes to destroy for food or otherwise, remains perfectly quiet, but keeps its eyes upon the victim. Ten minutes have elapsed and the victim may have staggered out of sight before the snake will begin to search. He knows that his work is done, and all that he has to do is to look up the result. He rarely fails to find it. As a parallel, when the Indians were convinced that they had shot a poisoned arrow straight at the mark they took to cover and remained in safety until the poison had accomplished its work.

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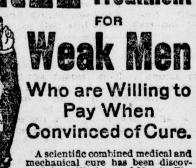
Mme. Adelina Patti, is a young Swedish nobleman of excellent family, but with positively nothing in the way of a fortune. However, that will make small difference, for the divine singer has a castle and enough money for both. The baron is only 28 and Patti is 51. The match, nevertheless, is by no means grotesque, for Mme Patti doesn't look a day older than she did when she came to America in the early '80s, and she was then only 85. She met Baron Cederstrom in his London gymnasium, where he was engaged in teaching the young English noblemen how to work up their Bicycles muscles, fance, shoot wrestleand accurre muscles, fence, shoot, wrestle and acquire all sorts of athletic and calisthenic accomplishments.

The baron's father is Baron Claes Edvard Cederstrom, an old lieutenant in IN ONE QUALITY ONLY. the Royal Swedish Life Dragoous. His mother, before her marriage, was Baronesa Martha Leisonbufyud. The family of Cederstrom is one of the best in Scandinavia. It was ennobled in 1684, and although not prominent in the way of wealth, it has been always highly respected, and its male members have taken no emall part in the military, civil and prosimple and courteous in manner and highly educated. The family being poer, he was expected to earn his own living. True, he might have joined the army, but the idle, good-for-nothing life of an officer in peace times had no attraction for him. He went to London, opened his athletic institution and soon had a fashionable and profitable chentage. Mme. Patti was much impressed by the young Swede's manliness, and invited him to Craig-y-Nos, her castle in Wales. It was from there the formal aunouncement of the engagement was made.

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Probabilities: Toronto, Jan. 19-1 a.m. -Lower lakes: Fine weather; rising temperature. Friday—Quite mild. Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Wednesday, were: Highest, 25.5 above; lowest, 10

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-Miss Jennie Carrothers, of Thorndale, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Arch. Black, King street. -Miss Myra Pickard has been offered the position of alto soloist of the First

Methodist Church. -Mr. H. D. Arnold, Collingwood, is spending a few days with Mr. J. Gibbins, 509 Colborne street.

-Miss Florence Swan, of Woodward avenue, Detroit, is the guest of Miss Bertie Ashplant, King street.

-Miss L. Irwin, of South London, is away on a month's visit to her aunt, Mrs. C. J. Irwin, Campbellford, Ont. -Dr. Stanley Francis, of Milwaukee, Wis., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Francis, of William street.

-Among the visitors registered at the offices of the high commissioner for Canada, London, during the week ending Jan. 3, was Mr. J. Day Baldwin, of London, Ont.

-James Baillie, of Missoula, Mont., formerly of London, who is now running on the Great Northern Railroad, is home on a visit to his mother, Mrs. John Baillie, 234 Wellington street,

-Mrs. Emma Hart, of Detroit, and formerly of London, died in the former city on Sunday, aged 73 years. Mrs. Hart first went to Detroit in 1853, and had resided there continuously since 1872.

-Master Otto Wonderly, of Washington, D. C., formerly news agent at the G. T. R. station here, a lad training as a jockey, broke his leg on Monday, while exercising one of Doc. Graydon's horses.

-Mrs. H. Carmen Leech (nee Miss Jean Phillips), of Detroit, and Miss Alice Davidson, of Louisville, Ky., are on a short visit to this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howie, Princess avenue.

-The London Hockey Club will play a return match with Ingersoll at the Princess Rink tomorrow night, when a rattling good game may be expected. A large crowd will, no doubt, witness the game.

-The new coal chutes in the G. T. R. yards here, which were tested by the company's superintendents yesterday, will be put into operation at once. By their means locomotives can be loaded in very much less time than by the old method.

-Mr. Montgomery Carrothers, formerly of Westminster, but now settled in Manitoba, near Brandon, is on a visit to relatives and friends here. Mr. Carrothers went to Manitoba about twenty years ago, and has succeeded well there as a farmer.

-Squadrons A and B of the First Hussars, under Captains Booker and Stothers, held the first drill at their military headquarters last night. Squad movement was practiced for an hour, and also sword exercise, under the instruction of Major Baxter. The recruit drill was under command of Sergt. Liddle.

-At a recent meeting of the King's Daughters of Dundas Center Methodist Church, a handsome basket of flowers, tied with the ribbons of the order, was presented to Mrs. I. M. Mayell, who, with her family, intends taking up her residence in Kingston shortly. The presentation was accom-panied by a neatly worded and eulo000000000

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gistic address, read by Mrs. W. H Winnett. The presentation was made by Mrs. A. Keenleyside. NONE CAN COMPARE WITH IT.

Again The Advertiser was the means of returning a fur collar which was advertised in the city papers for the past two days. Mr. Walter Percival. Central avenue, handed into The Advertiser this morning the collar, which has since been returned to the owner. The department of "Lost" and "Found" in The Advertiser has an established reputation, and its success fully proves that The Advertiser is the one medi-um through which to reach the people of the homes-that it is "The old family paper, The Advertiser."

DEATH OF WM. DIBB.

The death of Mr. Wm. Dibb, of this city, occurred last evening after five weeks' illness from gangrene of the foot. Mr. Dibb was born in Yorkshire, America in 1830, spending a short time in New York, before taking up land in Dorchester township. He moved to London about 1350. He was employed on the Grand Trunk Railway for nearby 40 years, retiring about three years ago on account of his advanced age. A family of five sons and three daughters survive-William H., John R. and J. M., of the Union Stock Yards, Chicago; Edward, brakeman on the G. T. R. city; David of the postoffice depart-ment; Mrs. T. Mercier, Imperial, Neb.; Miss Julia, of the Bell Telephone Company, city, and Mrs. George W. Russell, of New York. Mrs. Dibb died in October, 1897. Mr. Dibb also leaves two brothers residing in Dorchester, and one in Minnesota, and a sister, Mrs. Robert Stringer, in Elgin, Ill. funeral will be held on Friday morning.

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of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was held in the basement of that edifice last night and was largely attended. The questions before the congregation were of a serious nature, and another meeting will be held next Wednesday night to finally dispose of them. The meeting began at 8 o'clock and concluded at 11.

ALTERATIONS TO THE EXTENT

OF \$25,000. Mr. M. H. Rowland, chairman of the building and improvement committee, reported that subscriptions amounting to \$6,267 had been made in sums ranging from \$2 up to \$250. Of this amount \$760 had been paid to the church treasurer. In speaking of the work of the committee, Mr. Rowland said a complete canvass of the congregation had not been made, and that many were anxious to know what the congregation was going to do before they subscribed. A great deal of thought had been given the matter, and the committee had three propositions to submit. The congregation could do as it deemed best with them-adopt any of them or reject the whole. Something would have to be done, and done quickly. seating accommodation was always at a premium, and more seats would have to be provided.

The first proposition is to enlarge the church with transepts, thereby increasing the seating capacity of the edifice 250 seats. This, together with the cost of erecting a new Sunday school building would total up probably \$25,000.

expenditure of \$2,500, for reseating it that 60 more seats could be added. It would also entail an expenditure of \$500 for a new floor; \$800 for painting the interior and \$1,200 for the exterior, bringing the amount up to \$5,000, which with \$10,000 for the erection of a new

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total \$15,000. The third proposition is to renovate the church, and retain the basement as a Sunday school, at an expenditure of \$5,000. To do this it will be necessary to spend \$4,500 to install a steamheating apparatus, which, with \$500 for other necessaries, would bring amount up to \$10,000. These alterations would increase the number of seats by

60 only. The majority of those present favored laying the matter over for a short time, so that it might be dissed by the managers, and a report brought in as to the most advisable step to take. A motion to this effect was carried, and the managers will report on Wed-

nesday night next. TO HAND OVER THE NORTH

MISSION. A deputation comprising Rev. D. C. Johnson, Mr. Neil McNeil and Mr. Gray, appeared before the meeting and asked for assistance in the move which St. James' congregation contemplated to the north end of the city. The deputation in-formed the people of St. Andrew's as to the action taken at their annual meeting on Tuesday night. They could not go north with any hope of success un-less they had the hearty co-operation of the Presbyterians of the city of London. The congregation was small numerically, and the majority of the members were people of meager means. They asked that some assurance be given them of the co-operation and sympathy of St. Andrew's Church, as it would naturally strengthen their hands before the presbyterial council. Mr. R. A. Little asked what the peo-

ple of St. James' most desired. In reply to this the deputation said speakers. the venture would be undertaken with every prospect of building up a thrivhand over the Oxford Street Mission, unincumbered, and aid them for a year St. James' Congregation Wants Oxford
Street Mission and a Grant in the
Event of the Church Being Removed which the mission now stood could be With the amounts realized they sold. calculated to erect a good edifice, and The annual congregational meeting gather together the very large number of Presbyerians in the north end, who were finding their way into other denominations.

Mr. C. R. Somerville moved to grant the request of the deputation. Rev. Mr. Johnston pointed out that although the people of St. James' might feel assured of every reasonable assistance, it was a matter in which the First Presbyterian Church was equally deeply interested. The North Mission might be given over, but as the erection of a church in that section would take away a portion of the revenue of both St. Andrew's and the First Presbyterian churches, the matter had better be considered before any definite action is

A committee consisting of Messrs. C. R. Somerville, Alex. Fraser, Thos. Bland, Frank Love, Walter Bell and R. A. Little was appointed to consider the question and report next week, when the matter will come up for final action.

PROPOSITION TO ASSIST WEST

LONDON. Mr. George A. McGillivray moved to have the remaining \$440 of the bequest of the late George Dawson devoted to the erection of a new edifice in West London. The present place of worship was characterized as a relic of the dark ages. The motion was defeated, and the money will be paid over to the mission association of St. Andrew's Church.

THE SESSION REPORT. Mr. John Lochead, clerk of the session, read the annual report of that body, which said it was with pleasure the session noted the progress of and The second proposition is to renovate increased interest in the different orthe church. This would require the ganizations of the church. During the ganizations of the church. During the year there had been a large increase in the membership, and also a greater at-tendance at communion. The communion in June was the largest ever held in the history of the congregation. The usual thanks were tendered to the choir for their faithful service. The heartfelt sympathy of the session is extended to all who have in any way been bereaved. During the year the session had endeavored to make a systematic visitation of the congregation before communion seasons, but as they were business men their many engage ments had prevented as intimate an

acquaintance with the members in the different districts as the session desired. The membership on Dec. 31, 1898, was 831, and there were added during the year 51 by profession of faith, and by certificate, 53; a total of 104. There had been removed by death during the year 7, and by certificate 28, leaving a

total membership of 900. The session during the year were glad to see parents occasionally bringing their children for baptism, and trust that a greater number of Christian parents will adopt the practice. Early in the year Mr. George Armstrong had requested that he be permanently relieved from session duties on account of ill-health and business

pressure. Mr. Armstrong had been persuaded to reconsider his resignation, and will remain until the end of the KIND WORDS AND MORE SALARY. Mr. C. R. Somerville, in a neat speech, introduced the following reso-

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tor, the Rev. Robert Johnston, our hearty appreciation of his untiring and successful efforts, and our sympathy with him in his arduous duties. pledge him our loyal and undivided support in his ministrations, and trust we may long work together for the furtherance of the Master's kingdom

in this place. "That we are not indifferent to the manner in which he has discouraged offers from other congregations who are desirous of securing his services, and we earnestly frope and pray that nothing may transpire to cause a separation between us for many years

to come; "And in thus expressing our appreciation of our pastor, all that we have said applies with equal force to his partner in life, and we commend them both to the grace of the God of all goodness, praying that he will give them health for the work and joy in the service."

Dr. Macarthur seconded the motion. Mr. Johnston, he claimed, was an unexcelled preacher, and a leader in the community in which he dwelt, and he was sure the people appreciated his power. Mr. Johnston was a man of principle, and one imbued with a vigorous determination to go on and push the good work, and the congregation, he thought, should give him every encouragement.

Mr. James Mills heartily indorsed all that had been said by the previous Dr. McCallum expressed the pleasure

he felt at the unanimous approval by ing church in the north end, if St. all the members who had been made Andrew's congregation would agree to acquainted with the recommendation. Other speakers followed in a similar strain, and the motion passed unanimously by standing vote.
Mr. Johnston, in reply, thanked the

congregation for their kind words and generosity. A new bond, he said, had been made by which the pastor was bound more closely to his congregation. His work was not without discouragements, but he rejoiced in seeing the fruit of his labors among them. wished to see St. Andrew's Church and congregation stand out alone and prominently before the other Presbyterian churches in Canada.

The pastor's stipend was increased by the sum of \$500 per annum.

MUSICAL MATTERS DISCUSSED. The report of the board of managers was adopted with little discussion or alteration. The estimates provided for only \$150 for music, etc., but this, on motion of Mr. Frank Love, was raised to \$400, the same as last year. Mr. James Tytler moved a resolu-

tion to do away with paid singers. He thought if the congregation did their duty there would be little need of them. Mr. Wheeler said great care was taken to select only the best singers in the congregation.

Mr. Tytler did not get a seconder, and Mr. Love's motion carried.

THE OFFICERS. The following were elected as the board of managers: Alex. Gillean, Jas. McSween, James Smith, M. H. Rowland, John Ferguson, Sam Stevely, J. W. McIntosh, James Houston, George Laing, O. B. Leslie, F. G. Rumball,

Alex. Purdom. Secretary-Treasurer-J. Gordon Mc-Intosh. Auditors C. R. Somerville and F. W. Merchant.

NOTES.

The usual grant was made to the Sunday school. On motion of Messrs. Alex. Fraser and J. W. McIntosh, it was decided that all moneys paid to the church treasurer for missionary purposes be handed over to the treasurer of the

missionary association. Mr. Tytler drew attention to the dilanidated condition of the Scotch burying ground, contending that it was in a disgraceful condition, and asked that \$150 be expended in its improvement. As no provision had been made for this in the estimates, the matter was referred to the board of managers.

Cowley's Sunday School Class Book The second edition of Cowley's Com-Class Book for Sunday School Teachers has just been published. This book is designed and copyrighted by Mr. C. C. Cowley, secretary of Dundas Center Sunday school, and is acknowledged by Sunday school workers to be unexcelled by any class book on the market. It was primarily intended for use in the above school only, but so many requests were made to Mr. Cowley from other schools, to be permitted to adopt it, that a larger quantity was issued. The book is simple in plan, comprehensive in detail, and fills a long felt want. Schools that have introduced this book are loud in

their praises as to its merits! Sunday school workers desiring to see these books should drop a line to Mr. Cowley's address, 453 Horton street, inclosing 9 cents for sample copy.

Electric Turkish Baths. At the Electric Turkish Baths, 320 Dundas street, last week, Mr. John Henry, of Toledo, and R. Templeton, of Cincinnati, testified to great benefit

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received for Rheumatism.

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#### FRANKLIN'S **EDUCATION**

Had Little Schooling-Disapproval of the Dead Languages.

Though Franklin was highly educated, he had little respect for the higher education as represented by the This is pointed out in Paul L. Ford's paper on "The Many-Sided Franklin," in the January Cen-

tury. Mr. Ford says: "In a more concrete form, too, Franklin testified to the slight value he placed upon college training. He saw to it that both his son William and his nephew James were properly taught, but he sent neither to a university. When William Franklin put his son into the Pennsylvania College, the grandfather did not hesitate to withdraw him that he might take him to France, thus ending his further education. So, tco, with his other grandson, though having a choice of all the universities of Europe, he gave him only an ordinary education at a school in Geneva.

Joke as Franklin would, however, at "Mr. Fogg," who explains "English by Greek," and at the man who "was so learned that he could name a horse in mine languages; so ignorant that he bought a cow to ride on," one of the compliments which especially pleased him was the recognition of his contributions to science by the colleges. When Yale and Harvard both gave him the degree of master of arts, he was proud that "without studying at any college, I came to partake of their honors;" and when the Universities of St. Andrew's, Edinburgh, and Oxford in succe grees of L. L. D. or D. C. L., he was heedful to advertise the new honors

on the title-pages of his books. Franklin's disapproval of the dead languages was not akin to that of the fox and the grapes. Though the boy had only one year at the Boston grammar-school, most of the Dogood letters were headed by a quotation from Cicero, Seneca, Terence, or some other Latin author of repute. In the years following, however, he seems to have paid more attention to other tongues, and allowed his knowledge of Letin to grow rusty.

THE PREVAILING FASHTON. Here's to the man who is clear out of

style: Though pleasure oft gives him the

At present his face wears a radiant smile, For he hasn't been ill with the grip.

-Washington Star.

THE ALL-EMBRACING. "What have you here?" asked the fresh young man of the waiter at a first-class restaurant.

"Everything, sir."

"Hash for one!" yelled the waiter .-Detroit Free Press.

"Everything?" sneeringly. "Have it served at once."

Pleasant Moments. It has been said with a great deal of truth, that you can never really become acquainted with a man until you have supped with him. In order to insure a pleasant time, good tea must During the past five years, "SALADA" has become a familiar word to every newspaper reader, and, judging from the immense consign-ments which are being sent out every day, "SALADA" Tea must be just as familiar in the homes. In the face of keen competition that has arisen since it was first put on the market in the package form, the fact that the demand is steadily increasing requires no comment; it tells its own story, "SAL-ADA" is King. NOTICE eb

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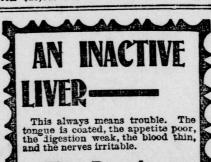
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