

After 20 Years.

The Irish Borough Franchise Bill Likely to Pass.

Mr. Gladstone's Early Return to England Looked For.

Big Detachment of Barnardo Boys En Route for Canada.

Terrible Explosion of Dynamite With Great Loss of Life and Property.

Belgium's Embargo on Canadian Cattle May Soon Be Removed.

DEATH OF PRINCE WALDEMAR. BERLIN, March 20.—A dispatch from Detmold announces the death there this morning of Prince Gouthier Frederic Waldemar, the reigning Prince of Lippe, aged 71 years.

A GREAT COLONIAL SHOW. LONDON, March 20.—A monster exhibition of colonial resources will be opened in the Agricultural Hall next July. Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, will organize the exhibits of Canadian produce.

BARNARDO BOYS FOR CANADA. LONDON, March 20.—Dr. Barnardo will sail for Canada tomorrow with 250 lads under his care, while 100 Manchester Strangeways' homes children and 140 Scottish orphan lads also leave in a short time for Canada.

THE ORIENT TOURISTS. CONSTANTINOPLE, March 20.—The French steamer La Touraine, Capt. Sartell, with a large number of American excursionists touring the Orient, arrived at this port yesterday. After a three days' visit she will proceed to Athens.

TO LET IN CANADIAN CATTLE. LONDON, March 20.—There is reason to expect that Belgium will soon remove its prohibition of Canadian cattle, as the results of consular inquiries disproving the existence of disease having been communicated by the Government to the Cabinet.

AGAINST CANADIAN COPYRIGHT. LONDON, March 20.—The Society of Authors secured more than 1,000 signatures to its petition against the Canadian copyright. All the most conspicuous writers and publishers signed it. The petition is now in the hands of Lord Ripon, Secretary of the Colonies.

HELP FOR NEWFOUNDLANDERS. LONDON, March 20.—Sir Herbert Murray, formerly chairman of the customs department, will start tomorrow for Newfoundland to distribute a relief fund for the Imperial Government. In colonial circles the appointment is criticized severely on the ground that Mr. Murray has had no official or other experience in the colonies.

THE G. O. M. LONDON, March 20.—It is announced that Mr. Gladstone will return to England at the end of the present week, and it is expected that he will deliver an address in the House of Commons as a tribute to Right Hon. Arthur Wellesley Peel, the retiring Speaker. The leaders in the House are in hopes that the ex-Premier will act as a mediator in the Speakership deadlock.

FUR PRICES IMPROVED. LONDON, March 20.—At the Hudson Bay fair this year there has been a decided advance in prices. Marten jumped 75 per cent above the price realized last year, while mink went up 15 per cent. Otter, fisher and lynx maintained the prices of last year, but there was a slight decrease in foxes. The same is a whole, however, is regarded as most satisfactory.

MARINE MISHAPS. LONDON, March 20.—The British steamer Nubia, from London for Calcutta, is ashore fifteen miles west of Aden. She will be obliged to lighten in order to get afloat. Assistance has been sent to her.

A dispatch from Seville says the Spanish steamer Carpio, which sailed hence for that port on Feb. 27, is supposed to have been lost in recent heavy gales, and it is believed all her crew has perished.

THE ELBE DISASTER. ROTTERDAM, March 20.—The trial of action of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company against the owners of the British steamer Crathie for damage for the loss of the Elbe was called in court here today. Counsel for defendants said it had been impossible to prepare their case in the short time that had elapsed since the action was commenced, and asked that the trial be postponed for eight days. The request was granted. The court sat with closed doors.

AFTER TWENTY YEARS. LONDON, March 20.—In the House of Commons today the bill introduced by Mr. Timothy Healey, member for the north division of Louth, giving to every taxpayer in Ireland a vote in the borough in which he is rated, passed its second reading. Though the measure is simply similar to the Municipal Franchise Act, which has been in force in England, it has been brought forward annually for the last twenty years and its progress blocked by the Conservative members of the House.

Mr. Balfour and other Conservative speakers today announced that they approved the measure.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION. AMSTERDAM, March 20.—A terrible explosion of dynamite has taken place at Oberwesel, on the Rhine. Twenty-five persons are said to have been killed, two shops are reported to have been destroyed and many houses wrecked by the explosion. Oberwesel is a town of Rhenish Prussia, about nineteen miles from Coblenz, on the Rhine. Its population is estimated to be about 2,500.

It is now stated that 20,000 kilos of dynamite, on board the ship Elizabeth, at Salmorth, in the district of Dusseldorf, blew up thirteen persons, five were injured and one went mad.

Latest reports from the vicinity of the accident say a church in the village of Eiten was shattered by the explosion. Fifty houses collapsed in En-

merich and Keeken. It is now said 20 persons were killed.

PARIS, March 20.—A decision was rendered today in the suit brought by Sir William Eden against James Whistler, the artist, to compel the latter to deliver Lady Eden's portrait and to pay £40 damages for having delayed the delivery. The portrait was exhibited in the Champ de Mars salon, and when the case first came to trial Whistler stated that he had effaced the head of the portrait. Today's decision directs Whistler to return the picture and to return Sir William's check with interest at 5 per cent. The artist is also condemned to pay £20 damages and the cost of the proceedings.

THE HYAMS CASE.

Medical Testimony Looks Serious for the Prisoners.

Close of the Preliminary Examination—The Accused Sent for Trial.

TORONTO, March 20.—The expert medical testimony given by Dr. Arthur J. Johnson in behalf of the crown was the important feature of this morning's session of the Hyams case. The doctor swore that it was impossible that all the injuries found on the skull could have been caused by one blow. There must certainly have been two blows, perhaps two more. One blow was dealt from behind and the other in front. If the eight had fallen from the story above the skull must have been crushed in. It was impossible for the weight to fall on a man standing erect, knock him down and then tilt over on the head, as the head to be in the condition in which it was. Such a blow would cut like a knife. The bones of the neck and body are all right—a fact which could not agree with the theory of the head being struck vertically, as claimed in the prisoners' statement.

The cross-examination did not shake the doctor's evidence in any way.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL. The Hyams brothers, H. P. and Dallas, charged with the murder of Wm. C. Wells two years ago while he was an employe of a warehouse on Colborne street, run by them as a commission and storage place, and on whose life a large insurance was carried, were this evening committed for trial by Police Magistrate Denison, after a preliminary examination extending over several days.

Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, Q.C., made a strong plea against the committal of Dallas Hyams. He claimed the crown had not produced an atom of evidence to connect him with the alleged crime.

Mr. Curry, on behalf of the crown, replied, detailing the evidence and claiming it was impossible to disassociate the two men.

The police magistrate, in giving his decision, declared that although the case of Dallas Hyams was weaker than that against his brother, several matters were brought out upon which he did not feel justified in rendering a decision. The case, he said, should go to a grand jury. The prisoners were, therefore, committed.

The strong point for the crown was the testimony of Dr. G. H. Richardson, who as an expert fully corroborated the evidence of Dr. Caven and Dr. Johnston. He agreed with them that it was inconceivable that the falling weight could have left the head in the condition in which it was found, or that the injuries could have been all caused by one blow. He was rather emphatic in his view that the fracture on the right side of the head was caused by a blow from a hammer or some other instrument, thus corroborating the theory of the crown that the blow was struck down by a weapon before the weight fell or was placed on him.

The prisoners took their committal with comparative indifference.

CHOSEN FRIENDS.

The Convention Chose Officers and Decided on Reception of Members.

TORONTO, March 20.—The Canadian Order of Chosen Friends at today's convention elected the following officers: W. P. Bell, Kingston, grand chancellor; Rev. H. T. Allen, Napanee, grand vice-chancellor; S. Broadfoot, Guelph, grand treasurer; W. P. Montague, Hamilton, recorder. The order has decided to still admit members up to 65 years old.

Grand councillor, W. P. Bell, Kingston; grand vice-councillor, Rev. H. T. Allen, Napanee; grand recorder, W. P. Montague, Hamilton; grand treasurer, S. Broadfoot, Guelph; grand medical examiner, Dr. Wolven; grand Hamilton; grand prelate, Rev. Wm. Johnson; grand marshal, J. A. Matthews; grand warden, J. B. Ross, Exeter.

"DON'T WANT IN."

A Host of Newfoundlanders Opposed to Confederation.

ST. JOHN, Nfld., March 20.—About 6,000 persons attended a meeting last night in British Hall, which was called for the purpose of denouncing the proposed confederation of Newfoundland with Canada. Resolutions denouncing confederation were unanimously adopted. Intense excitement prevailed throughout the meeting, which was one of the most representative gatherings ever held here.

LYNCHED A WOMAN.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 20.—A colored woman named Henrietta Taylor was hanged by a mob near Petersburg, Lincoln county, last night. She was accused of burning a house a few months ago.

COSTLY STABLES.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 20.—The magnificent stables of the late D. Edgar Crouse were sold today at auction for \$170,500. The actual cost was over \$250,000. These stables were sumptuously fitted as a club house and bachelor's quarters, and contained nearly \$100,000 worth of valuable furniture, rugs and bric-a-brac.

ACCIDENT TO AN ACTRESS.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 20.—Mrs. Beerbohm Tree, the English actress, who is playing at the Chestnut Street Opera House, met with a painful accident during the matinee performance there today. The play was "Captain Swift," and during the second act Mrs. Tree made a misstep which threw her heavily on the stage. She fell on her arm, which was severely injured. A physician was summoned, and the fall was remedied with a substitute in Mrs. Tree's part.

Majority of 39!

Against an Opposition Amendment in the Legislature.

The Conservative Vote Reduced to Low Water Mark.

Attempt to Foist the Butter Bonus Fad on the Local House—Deputation of License Holders Heard and Answered.

(Special to the "Advertiser.")

LICENSE HOLDERS' DEPUTATION. TORONTO, March 20.—A large deputation of the members of the License Holders' Protective Association, which is in convention in the city, waited upon the Government this evening with President Moxley at its head and Lawyer Haverson as its spokesman. Their requests were numerous, and were contained in a series of resolutions which had been adopted during the day at their meeting down in the city. In their behalf Mr. Haverson made a lengthy and clear argument. Some of their propositions were as follows:

To have the number of licenses to be issued in various municipalities fixed for a term of years.

To adopt a uniform closing hour for the whole Province.

To allow holders of shop licenses to sell tobacco, cigars and cigarettes in unbroken packages.

To leave transfer of licenses entirely in the hands of the license commissioners.

That taverns be allowed to supply grog to travellers and boarders with liquors during prohibited hours.

That license holders be competent, but not compellable witnesses in charges against themselves.

That holders of shop licenses be allowed to sell liquor in sealed half-pint packages.

That druggists should not be allowed to sell liquor except for dispensing purposes.

All the members of the Government were present. Sir Oliver told the deputation he did not think there would be any legislation this session dealing with the license law.

THE SESSION. The majority against the Opposition reached high-water mark today, for Mr. Whitney's attempt to get the Government to endorse the Dominion Government recently announced determination to give financial help to the butter men was defeated by no less than 39 Conservatives mustering only 21 votes.

Mr. Whitney had two resolutions upon the subject upon the order paper. The first, of a general nature, that the Government should encourage the industry selected by the Opposition was the chief one, which was on a good basis. The trouble with the butter industry, he said, was not that Canada does not produce good butter, but there were no facilities for putting it on the English market in good condition, and that the best butter is not sent to England.

The second one was to the effect that the Dominion Government's offer to buy creamy butter at 20 cents a pound, and urged upon the Government that it provide such other aid as might be found necessary from time to time.

Mr. Whitney's remarks upon this subject were brief, his contention being that in the depressed state of the country this industry should be aided, and that the House should recognize that the Dominion Government's offer to buy creamy butter at 20 cents a pound, and urged upon the Government that it provide such other aid as might be found necessary from time to time.

Hon. Mr. Dryden made a strong speech in opposition to this proposition. He first made the point that industry selected by the Opposition was the chief one, which was on a good basis. The trouble with the butter industry, he said, was not that Canada does not produce good butter, but there were no facilities for putting it on the English market in good condition, and that the best butter is not sent to England.

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There was some further debate, Hon. Mr. Ross effectively showing that the motion was a campaign dodge on the part of the Conservatives, and saying that the House was not called upon to endorse the whole of the Government's offer to buy creamy butter. After a few more short speeches the amendment was carried by a vote of 60 to 21. Even the three P. P. A. members deserted the Conservatives and voted with the Government, while Mr. Kidd deserted the Patrons and voted with the Conservatives.

In the evening the House did a good night's work, sending a large number of bills on to the various standing committees.

ANOTHER WORLD'S FAIR.

Montreal Anxious to Achieve Fame and Fortune.

MONTREAL, March 20.—At a public meeting of citizens held here this afternoon it was decided to have a world's fair in Montreal in 1896. A committee of prominent citizens was appointed to make the necessary arrangements. A joint stock company will be formed and as soon as \$400,000 is subscribed by the citizens the Dominion Government and the city of Montreal will be asked to make grants towards the project. It is expected that the fair will be opened on May 24, with the Queen's Birthday, 1896, and will be left open for five months. The leading hotels and railway are booming the project.

MILLINERY OPENING.

In the spring, when the sun makes quick work of the snow, ladies begin to think they must don new head gear. Mrs. Martin is showing some of the latest styles. See her opening announcement in another column.

Turn Over the Page

Amusements, Meetings, Situations Vacant, To Let, For Sale, Lost, Found, Etc.

Late Canadian News.

Disastrous and Fatal Boiler Explosion Near St. John, N. B.

The Nova Scotia Legislature closed Wednesday afternoon.

G. C. Crosby, business and commission merchant, Yarmouth, N. S., has assigned for £18,000. The Ottawa Ministerial Association has placed itself on record against the location of the proposed new Dominion Reformatory at Alexandria.

The cargo of the steamer Ulunda, which sailed from Halifax for London Wednesday afternoon included 105,000 barrels of Nova Scotia apples.

Jos. Booth, laborer on the Dartmouth (N. S.) branch railroad, was killed by a pile of falling earth at an excavation Tuesday afternoon. He belonged to Prince Edward Island.

Thomas Lee Baker, of St. Catharines, died at his home on Tuesday. The accident that caused his death occurred on Thursday night last, when he was thrown out of his sleigh in his yard and his skull was fractured.

Mr. John Armstrong, of McKellar, died at Parry Sound on Monday from pneumonia. Deceased was a brother of the late Sheriff Armstrong, who died on the 3rd inst. Mr. Armstrong was a pioneer of the district, having resided here for 28 years. He was an earnest Methodist in religion and a Reformer in politics.

The Hamilton Presbytery on Wednesday passed a resolution endorsing the action of the Lord's Day Alliance in its efforts to have the Government insert into the proposed bill to be introduced in the Legislature a clause forbidding electric railway companies from carrying on their traffic on Sundays.

A terrible boiler explosion occurred shortly before noon Wednesday in S. T. King's steam sawmill at Kingsville, near Fairville, N. B., in which one life was lost and several persons were injured. The mill had only been in operation about a fortnight. Wellington Smyth was instantly killed and four others—McGuire, Murphy, Galbraith and Sonwell—were more or less hurt.

TORNADO AND ELIZZARD.

Buildings Blown Down and Persons Injured.

A Blinding Snow Storm Traverses the State of Kansas.

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 20.—A tornado struck this place at 9 o'clock this morning, demolishing a score of houses, uprooting trees, and seriously injuring seven people. The fire and the police departments rescued them from the ruins, and it is thought none of them will die. The Central Railroad property suffered severely.

A whirling storm of snow and sleet was hurled through the roof and into one of the big rooms of the Miller flour mill.

Three residences were leveled on the Alabama side. The Columbus Fertilizer Company's building was partly unroofed.

ROANOKE, Va., March 20.—Roanoke was given another touch of winter today. A blizzard raged during the forenoon and snow continued to fall all the afternoon and evening. Trains were delayed.

CAPE CHARLES, March 20.—About five inches of snow fell on the peninsula today.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 20.—The snow storm in this vicinity has been general during the past 24 hours. Reports from St. Louis, Missouri, and Illinois show that the storm has been severe in these sections. Railway traffic is greatly impeded. The storm is still raging in its most severe in years.

The snow is six inches deep and is drifting. At Percy, Ill., a steady north-west gale, with blinding snow and minute particles of ice, is blowing at the rate of 42 miles an hour. The snow has drifted three and four feet in places.

DENISON, Tex., March 20.—A terrific simoon, filling the air with sand, swept over this section last night. Houses were unroofed, trees blown down and a great deal of damage done. It was the most violent wind storm ever experienced in this section. It is not known that any lives were lost.

WORK OR THE WORKHOUSE! That is the Demand of a Cleveland Army—The Police Preparing.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 21.—Robt. Bandow, a local labor agitator, is organizing an army of 1,000 men from among the city's unemployed. He says that in a few days the army will march to the city hall and demand work of the directors of public works. If work is refused they will apply to the director of charities for sustenance. If this is refused they will demand that they be sent to the workhouse. Should this demand also be refused, Bandow says he will order the men to commit some breach of the law that will compel the authorities to commit them to the workhouse. There have been many unemployed in the city all winter, and the condition of some of them is pitiable. The police are arranging to keep the mob within bounds.

ABDURRHMAN, Ameer of Afghanistan, is one of the most interesting despots in the world. He is over 50 years of age, a man of great stature and colossal in strength. With a broad, massive countenance and brilliant black eyes. He is dignified and commanding in bearing, and can be genial if he chooses to be. He is a man of great intellectual power and of a wide range of information.

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Cut Flowers. We make a specialty of Cut Flowers and our collection includes Roses, Carnations, Violets, etc., is one of the finest in the city. We superintend and control our own greenhouses and are careful that none but the finest flowers go to our stores. Have your order a day or two in advance of the time of delivery and get first choice of fresh flowers. Funeral designs and wedding arrangements promptly attended to. GREENWAY, 218 Dundas street. Phone 743.

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE, THURSDAY, March 21, "The Amazons," with Miss Johnstone Bennett, presented for arrangement with Daniel Frohman, by a special company under the management of Charles Frohman. Seats on sale Tuesday. Prices \$1, 75, 50 and 25 cents.

INTERNATIONAL ENTERTAINERS - (Edwin Fox's company) - Grand Opera House, Thursday, March 22.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, THE recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Last term of the season closes week of Monday, March 14. Beginners classes: Gentlemen, Monday evenings; ladies, Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock. Ladies and children, Wednesday afternoons at 3 o'clock. Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. All the latest dances taught in advanced class. Private tuition at any hour not occupied with classes. DAYTON & McCORMICK, members of the N. A. M. of D. Academy, 473 Richmond street. Residence, 541 Oxford street.

MEETINGS. (Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

KILWINNING LODGE, No. 66, A. F. AND A. M., meets on Thursday, at 7:30 o'clock. Second degree. Visiting brethren welcome. FRANK M. LOVIE, W. M., JOHN OVERKILL, P. M., Sec.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION OF TALBOT Street Baptist Church, city, March 17 to 24, 1905. Program of service for Thursday, March 17, 8 p.m., Anniversary of the Organization of the Church, Jubilee Prayer Meeting and Thanksgiving Service, H. Porter, M. A., President. Addressed by W. H. Porter, M. A., and W. M. Walker, B. A., members of all the Baptist churches in the city are invited to be present and expected to participate.

THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY LOCAL branch, Thursday night; orchestral concert, Wednesday 8 sharp, Full attendance requested at 18 Dundas street, St. JOHN HYTTENREICH, conductor; S. CHADWICK, secretary.

Lost and Found. (One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

LEFT IN ADVERTISER'S OFFICE - WALKING stick. Owner can have same by applying at counting room. 40c.

LOST - SUNDAY - ENGLISH HORSE blanket, blue and red check, initials E. B. London, Side Sables, 411 Queen's avenue. 40c.

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WANTED - AT ONCE - GOOD COOK - Apply Mrs. WOODFORD, 266 Dundas street. 40c.

WANTED - A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; must have good city references. Apply 619 Waterloo street. 40c.

NOTICE TO THE GIRLS - IF YOU WISH a situation in private home or hotel, call at DOMONN'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street. 40c.

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NOTICE - I WILL NOT AFTER THIS date be responsible for any debt contracted by my wife, Ellen Conway, or any person unauthorized by me. DAVID CONWAY, 551 Grosvenor street, London. 40c.

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HERBERT MATTHEWS - ARCHITECT (formerly with C. C. Haight, New York). Carling Block, Richmond street.

MCBRIDE & FARNOCHE - ARCHITECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street, Dundas Block. E. C. McBride, F. W. Farnoche.

MOORE & HENRY - ARCHITECTS and civil engineers, Albion Building, London. JOHN M. MOORE, FRED HENRY.

REMOVED - J. A. GAULD, ARCHITECT - has removed his office to 180 Dundas street, east of Richmond. 40c.

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## ALLAN BOGUE WITHDRAWS

From the Dominion Contest in South Middlesex.

Resignation Caused by Ill-Health—Nominations for a Successor Made—Nobody Chosen.

The Patrons of the south riding of Middlesex are at present without a candidate to represent them in the coming contest for the House of Commons. Mr. Allan Bogue, who for months has been in the field as the representative of Patron principles, has withdrawn. His resignation was handed in some time ago and it was decided to take immediate steps. Accordingly a convention with closed doors was held in the county building yesterday afternoon, and every lodge in the riding was well represented. President T. Lane, of Dorchester, was in the chair.

The resignation of Mr. Bogue was read. It gave the cause of the withdrawal. Mr. Bogue's action was regarded with regret, but it did not put a damper on the ardor of those present. The resignation was accepted, and nominations were called for. The following being named: D. Steele, of Lobo; D. Currie, Westminster; L. A. Welsh, Stratford; J. W. Crinklaw, of Westminster; and T. Lane, of Dorchester. The first ballot was decidedly in favor of Mr. Steele, but that gentleman declined for private reasons. Otherwise he would have had to go to the electors. The second choice was Mr. Crinklaw, but he, too, declined to stand, and the election of a candidate was adjourned until Thursday, April 4.

A resolution by Wm. Foster and J. W. Crinklaw was carried as follows: "This convention expresses its appreciation and approval of the course pursued by Bro. Wm. Shore, representative for East Middlesex in the Legislature, and its confidence in the Patron members of the Legislature, who have manfully stood together in what they believe to be in the interest of the people. We also take this opportunity to express our disapproval of the action of Bro. Barde in voting against the abolition of the Government House, as moved by Bro. Haycock."

A copy of the resolution will be forwarded to Mr. Shore.

Other matters of interest to the order were discussed and the convention adjourned at 6 o'clock.

## EXPRESSIONS OF REGRET.

Ottawa Desires That Further Information Should Be Disseminated.

OTTAWA, March 21.—Regrets have been pretty generally expressed throughout the city that the details of other cases similar to that of Mr. G. H. Kent, whose marvelous restoration to health is now so widely known, have not yet been chronicled. It is being urged that, in the interests of humanity and in view of the expressed opinion of doctors that so many people are suffering with Bright's disease more or less advanced, steps should be taken to disseminate still further all particulars tending to bring Dodd's Kidney Pills before the public, that being the remedy which these cures have been unhesitatingly ascribed.

The demand for our elegant line of furniture at the ridiculous low price tells more plainly than words just what the people want. Try for yourself. WM. TRAFFORD, 95 and 97 King Street.

## Buffalo's Sensation

Close of the Montgomery Gibbs Murder Trial.

Sadie Robinson Creates Several Scenes in Court.

Counsel for Defense Make No Argument—Case Given to the Jury, Who Are Locked Up for the Night.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 20.—Curiosity as to what the line of defense would be in the Robinson case was speedily set at rest when the court opened this morning. Judge Hardesty, counsel for the prisoners, arose and moved the dismissal of the charges on the ground that the prosecution have not made out a case; that the alleged confessions had not been shown to have been voluntarily made; that the evidence therein referred to another crime than that charged in the indictment, and that there is no evidence that the defendants were in the vicinity of the crime when it was perpetrated.

Judge Hatch overruled the motion, and then Judge Hardesty said: "Your honor, we put in no further defense. We stand upon the questions of law." A breathless silence followed this unexpected announcement. District Attorney Kenefick, addressing the jury, said that despite the fact that the attorneys of the defense believed it their duty in the interests of their clients to dispense with argument, he felt it to be his duty to present them the facts bearing on the murder of Montgomery Gibbs by Sadie Robinson. Mr. Kenefick then went over the case from beginning to end, making a terrible arraignment. When he asked if the false words of Sadie were to be considered against those of responsible witnesses Sadie broke down and sobbed pitifully. Again, when he referred to her adventures she sprang from her chair and shouted, "I'm not an adventuress." Her sister forced her back into her seat and tried to quiet her, but the strain was tremendous and she was unable to restrain herself. Again when Mr. Kenefick asked, "What is this Clarence Robinson?" Sadie fairly screamed, "Better than you," and struggled to free herself from her sister's grasp. Finally he ceased forward and attempted to comfort his wife, but she turned and gave him a venomous slap in the face and then buried her head in her hands and renewed her weeping.

At 11:05 o'clock the district attorney ceased speaking and left the case to the jury. Sadie evidently realized the gravity of the situation, for again she broke down and sobbed bitterly, but Clarence sat calmly and made no sign. Finally he leaned forward and attempted to comfort his wife, but she turned and gave him a venomous slap in the face and then buried her head in her hands and renewed her weeping.

The jury retired at 1:25 p.m. At 9:30 o'clock they had not reported and the court adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

## A Lady's Thankfulness.

RESCUED FROM FATAL DISEASES.

She Says: "I Thank God for the Wonders Paine's Celery Compound Accomplished for Me."

ANOTHER PROOF OF THE VALUE OF THE GREAT SPRING MEDICINE.

The following letter from Mrs. H. Barbour, of Winipeg, Man., should give strong encouragement to all who suffer from heart disease, kidney trouble and general weakness. Such sufferers should take warning of the dread results that are sure to follow if disease is neglected in the spring season. Now is the time to cleanse and put away loads of disease; a month or two later may be a hopeless one. Paine's Celery Compound is the only cleanser and disease-banisher that can meet successfully the worst cases. It succeeds when all other medicines fail; it is the only true health-restorer, and our best Canadian people testify to its virtues and wondrous health-imparting qualities.

Mrs. Barbour says: "It is with great pleasure that I write to thank you for your wondrous medicine, Paine's Celery Compound. A month ago I was very sick and happened to see one of your publications, in which I read of others being cured. I concluded to try Paine's Celery Compound myself, and I now thank God for the wonders it accomplished for me. I was suffering from heart disease, kidney trouble and general weakness, and some days was not able to stand without experiencing great pain. My appetite was also very poor. Since I used the Compound I am able to get about my house and work, and can now eat anything put before me. "I trust my testimony may lead many to try your valuable remedy."

WOMAN SUFFRAGE VOTED DOWN. AUGUSTA, Me., March 20.—In the Senate today the Woman's Suffrage Bill which had passed the House, was rejected.

Facts for Electors—\$13 will buy the best oak finished bedroom set ever sold in London for the money. They are worth \$18. KENNEDY BROS., 127 King Street, opposite Market House.

You can never get rid of a difficulty by running at it.

## A FORTUNE FOR A SONG.

THE AUTHOR OF "AFTER THE BALL" TELLS HOW IT WAS COMPOSED.

5,000,000 Copies Have Already Been Sold—All His Famous Ballads Founded on Incidents in Real Life, Which Helped Their Popularity.

Mr. Charles K. Harris is a man who has earned popularity by writing a famous song. As the author of "After the Ball" he has made himself both a musician and rich. And yet he is not a musician, don't know one note from another, and turns out entirely by ear the airs that later are sung up and down the land, and are printed by hundreds of thousands.

Mr. Harris was an obscure banjo teacher in Milwaukee. He had written several ballads, but none of them "caught on" until one morning in the spring of 1893 he awoke to find himself famous. Orders for "After the Ball" came from leading dealers in 5,000 lots, and he began to enjoy an income of over \$1,000 a day.

His first songs were sold to publishers, but he decided to become his own publisher, and one of his songs, written before "After the Ball" and entitled "Kiss and Let's Make Up," netted him \$3,000. Mr. Harris is about thirty years of age. He lives in Milwaukee in a six-room house, built by him a year ago. He is married.

The other day Mr. Harris was asked where he got his ideas for his descriptive ballads. He said in reply:

"Well, ordinarily, a man gives no thought to his surroundings. But with me it is different. I notice many little things on the street, in the cars, or in a theatre, which most people wouldn't



C. K. HARRIS, AUTHOR OF "AFTER THE BALL."

bother themselves about. I happened to be in Chicago about two years ago. I was waiting for my train, and by my side stood a handsome man with a beautiful golden-haired child. The train from Milwaukee drew in and a beautiful, stylishly-dressed lady stepped from a car and was passing through the gates when she spied the child. The child at the same moment gave a scream of delight and was rushing to her outstretched arms, when the gentleman quickly drew the child away and sprang into the car.

"It seemed that they were parted, and I found out from the conductor afterwards that she had left her husband, who was a prominent insurance man, for an actor. From that scene was originated 'Fallen by the Wayside,' which is one of the hits on my catalogue."

"Will you tell me how you came to write 'After the Ball'?"

"I attended a ball in Chicago given by one of the prominent clubs there and stood talking to a handsome business man. I noticed that his eyes constantly followed a certain young lady in the ballroom. I found out subsequently that they had been engaged, but had parted through some lovers' quarrel. While he was dancing with other girls she would anxiously watch him. I knew by the expression of their faces that their hearts were aching. "On my return home I was in my office completely tired out, when a member of the Wheelmen's Club came and asked me to compose a song for an entertainment to be given by the club. I told him I was too tired after the ball, but if he would leave me alone I could perhaps compose something for him in time for the entertainment. The words 'after the ball' kept ringing in my ears, and I could not rest. I sat down at the piano, and at that moment I had the entire idea, music, subject and all. In an hour the song was finished. "It was sung at the Wheelmen's Club. The singer forgot the third verse and the song fell flat. I put the manuscript away in disgust and forgot all about it. One day I received an order from Chicago for ten copies of the song. I wrote back that the song was in press, quickly resurrected the manuscript, sent it over to my printer and had a thousand copies struck off. Orders came in very slowly for the first six months. Really, I did not give much attention to it, as my mind was on other songs which I had just published, mainly 'Kiss and Let's Make Up,' which was proving a great hit.

"I placed a small advertisement in the dramatic papers and received several orders from professionals for the song. All at once, before I could realize it, it was being sung in nearly every theatre and home in the English-speaking world. There have been more copies of 'After the Ball' sold than of any other song known in history, excepting 'Home, Sweet Home.' Three million copies have been sold up to the present day. I am continually receiving large orders for it. For months my income from this song alone was from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a day."

Don't forget, 219 Dundas street is the place to get an easy shave and a fashionable haircut. JOHN L. FORNER.

## THE JUBILEE.

Continuation of Special Services at Talbot Street Church.

Rev. Dr. Thomas, of Toronto, Discusses "Baptistic Christianity."

The third successful lecture of the Jubilee celebration at the Talbot Street Baptist Church was largely attended, and after a few complimentary remarks introduced the speaker, Rev. B. D. Thomas, D.D., pastor of Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, who gave an interesting history of "Baptistic Christianity, Its Genesis and Its Ministry."

Dr. Thomas said: "I am very much pleased that you have invited me to participate in these services. I do not think Mr. Thomas asked me to do anything which I refused. What a grand record has this church of 50 years standing! It must not be supposed the Christianity of which I am to speak is limited by each denomination as large-hearted and as clear-visioned as any body of Christians in the land. We cannot forget the grand principles which underlie our spiritual manhood and essential being. Each denomination is doing an admirable work in its sphere. What is Baptistic Christianity? There are 3,000,000 of Baptists on this continent and 10,000,000 of the earth's population are members of the Baptist creed. One of the most essential things in their belief is a supreme loyalty to the inspired Word of God. We have ever regarded it as the only standard of moral and spiritual life. The church, as instituted by Christ, was a body of baptized disciples—not a club joined by social circumstances, but a regenerated people. Infants were not baptized because the Bible does not warrant it, and it would be directly contrary to the regenerative idea of New Testament teaching. Infant baptism must give those baptizing to it a wrong idea of their standing before Christ."

Our sincere reverence for God's Word compels us to differ from the majority of modern Christianity in this particular. We do not believe, as we hold it, is not, as many believe, a mere water ceremony, but a symbol of Christ's burial and resurrection. Another essential is the untrammelled individualism. We have not emphasized the church, Baptists have emphasized the individual. We submit to but one authority in the realm of conscience, and that is the will of the Master. Baptists through the years have stood up for individualism with regard to personal salvation. There is nothing clearer to a Baptist, except the Word of God, than the Soldier's Baptism. Through-out the world have men and women been burned at the stake rather than give up their principles. Baptists have not only suffered and died for themselves, but for all mankind.

Another essential is missionary enthusiasm. This is not confined alone to Baptists, for there cannot be a true body of Christians unless they are animated with the zeal for the betterment of the world. This is the mission of Christianity. How estimable is the influence of this church. Principles which a few years ago would have been scoffed at are now being lived by the leading men of our nation. Baptists have gained high positions among the prominent divines of the world. They have been much for the advancement of the young method, for the foundation of the Home and Foreign Bible Society was the idea of a Baptist preacher. It is a wonderful thing to see what this church has done in the past, but let us not stop at the past, but look forward into the future.

TO SELECT A HYMNAL.—TORONTO, March 20.—Rev. D. J. McDonnell, another member of the Toronto Presbytery, to be selected, will sail for Edinburgh in a few days to represent the Canadian Presbyterian Church at the conference, to arrange a common hymn book for Presbyterians in Scotland, Australia, Canada and England. Mr. McDonnell expects to be away a month.

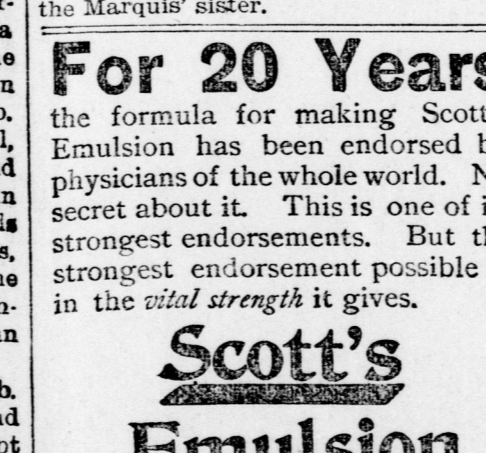
SHORT LOBSTERS.—BOSTON, Mass., March 20.—Three thousand short lobsters were dumped into the Charles River yesterday morning. They had been shipped from Canada. The law says that whoever sells or offers for sale or has in his possession short lobsters under the statutory length shall forfeit a fine of \$5 for each lobster. In the present instance this would make the Boston agent liable to a fine of \$15,000.

LADY GWENDOLEN CECIL, Lord Salisbury's daughter and secretary, is making quite a mark as a writer of fiction. She has published several successful short stories, and is so good as the one which has the place of honor in Blackwood this month. It is unsigned, deals with the supernatural, and Campbell with Lord Hamilton of Dalhousie, and is entitled "The Closed Cabinet." The Cecil family all took great interest in the wedding of the Hon. George Beresford Campbell with Lord Hamilton's daughter, the Hon. Alice Hamilton. The bridegroom is Lord Salisbury's relative, for his grandmother was the Marquis's sister.

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### BOOTS AND SHOES IN EVIDENCE.

Our city contemporary tardily admits that the N. P. has not raised, or maintained, the wages of boot and shoe operatives, but it pretends that a tariff which taxes the manufacturers' raw material to an extent, in many cases greater than the so-called "protection" on the manufactured article, is a benefit to the manufacturer and to the worker.

Boot and shoe manufacturers who know their business a great deal better than the politics manufacturer of our contemporary, take issue with the Free Press.

Experienced boot and shoe workers in this city and elsewhere take no stock whatever in its special pleadings, or in the anonymous "Montreal authority," which it quotes in support of its contention that the "N. P." has been the salvation of the business.

The "Montreal man" is wisely discreet in keeping his name a secret, for it saves him landing himself in ridicule. This anonymous authority says that from 1878 to 1886 the increased production of boots and shoes in Canada was 73 per cent, and from 1885 to 1894 it was 52 per cent, or a total increase for the year 1894 of 125 per cent over the production for the year preceding the inauguration of the protective tariff. The Hamilton Times promptly exploded this contention, by reference to the official Trade and Navigation Returns of the Dominion, which are compiled by the high tax authorities, and, therefore, will be accepted as correct by our contemporary and by its Montreal man. These returns show that the imports of boots and shoes into Canada in 1878 were valued \$246,256, while the exports were worth \$239,827; that is, the net imports were worth \$6,768 for the whole Dominion. The report for 1894 is not yet distributed. But in 1893 the imports of boots and shoes were worth \$307,261 and the exports were worth \$394,297. Net imports, \$213,064. Thus it appears that the Canadian shoe factories in 1878 produced as many shoes as the people of Canada wore, with the exception of \$6,768 worth, or enough for one small village. But in 1893 the imports in excess of the quantity made in Canada were worth \$213,064. Imports increased and exports decreased. The population was 4,324,510 in 1881 and 4,833,239 in 1891, an increase of 11.76 per cent. We have not the figures for 1878 or 1893, but they may be roughly assumed at 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 respectively, say an increase of 25 per cent. No more people went barefooted in 1878 than in 1893. If, then, the production of boots and shoes more than doubled between those years, what became of the product? It was not consumed in Canada, and it certainly was not exported.

There will be an infinitely better showing for the boot and shoe business under a tariff for revenue only, with free raw material. Manufacturers as well as workers will be benefited by it.

There is no need to ask the boot and shoe workers, "Has the 'N. P.' made you rich?" The president of their organization but a few weeks ago showed most effectively that it had not.

"Look at the matter as you please. You will find that the only true road to national wealth for the farmer, the mechanic, or the manufacturer, is to remove all restrictions from trade that it is possible to remove."—Hon. Alex. Mackenzie.

### NEWFOUNDLAND.

Newfoundlanders seem to be divided as to whether or not it will be advantageous for them to confederate with the Dominion, even before they know the terms upon which Canadians would be willing to receive them. That is the lesson to be learned from the great mass meeting opposed to Confederation held this week in St. John's, the capital city. Whatever is done, no sap verdict should be accepted, for if Newfoundland joins Canada it should be with the entire good-will of Canadians, and with the desire of the large majority of the islanders. A forced union would be decidedly injurious to the people of the Dominion, as past experience has proved.

Before saying good-bye for the present to our city contemporary on the subject of the Normal School, and the criminality of Mr. Hobbs in not having it in running order in this city at the present moment, we beg to remark that we are inclined to think that Mr. Hobbs will arrange to have the Normal School running here long before Mr. Beattie comes measurably near securing election as M. P. for London.

### MORE OBJECTIONABLE BONUS-ED IMMIGRATION.

A cablegram from London announces that three batches of waif and stray boys collected from the streets of old world cities, and numbering, all told, some 600, are this week being shipped to Canada by Dr. Barnardo and other professional philanthropists.

The shipments are made under arrangement with the Dominion Government, which pays a bonus of so much per head for every one of these waifs sent to Canada.

This is done despite the fact that thousands of our own workers are out of employment or are working on short time, and despite the fact that we have thousands of poor and needy in this country, who ought certainly to be our first care.

The fact that every labor organization is opposed to this species of assisted immigration, and, in fact, to every species that will have the effect of adding to the number of the unemployed, and further beating down the rate of wages obtainable, seems to have made no impression upon the authorities, or upon their agents, who are ready to aid the old world rich poor law guardians in shirking their responsibility of providing for their own waifs.

Is it not time that the pernicious system were abolished?

Have the workers of Canada no influence at Ottawa? The country needs a change of men and measures.

The Dominion "butter policy" is only timed to last for a month and a half. The Ontario policy is continuous, progressive, helpful, fair to all.

The worst crime charged against Mr. Hobbs, M.P.P., by the Free Press so far is that he does his duty as a representative when delegations from London and Western Ontario go to Toronto on business with the Legislature.

If Mr. Hobbs were cheerful and unselfish, and a flyer-off-the-handle, he would be a bean ideal representative, if the "argument" of our contemporary means anything.

### WHERE BUTTER IS HANDICAPPED

Mr. McPherson, Patron M. P. P. for Glengarry, who is known as the dairy king of Eastern Ontario, made a very practical speech in the Ontario Legislature when an attempt was made to have the house indorse the election dodge of the Dominion Government with regard to creamery butter marketing. He asked "What can the Government fairly do to promote the dairy interest of this Province?" He began with the Dominion Government, giving a carefully prepared estimate that the duties which have been imposed upon the machinery and furnishings used in the manufacture of butter increase the cost of production to the farmer from one to two cents per pound. The Government at Ottawa could give a bonus of that amount to butter-makers by throwing off that tax. Then, too, by increasing the cost of living, the customs duties increase the cost of labor, and the Dominion Government could relieve the industry of that burden. He also advocated the expenditure of Federal money in improving the shipping facilities. As for the Province, its function was to devote itself to reducing the cost of production, improving the qualities and educating the dairymen to meet the requirements of the market by shipping the right article at the right season. The Legislature took this view of the matter, for it overwhelmed Mr. Whitney's motion by a majority of 33.

A Montreal dispatch says that Mr. Laurier is reported to have much improved in health. He is expected in Montreal on Friday or Saturday, and will then proceed to Ontario.

### LONG SKIRTS IN PARLIAMENT.

The Parliament of Prussia two weeks ago seriously debated the expediency of forbidding women to wear trains on the public promenades. The subject was introduced in the House by Deputy Count Douglas, Conservative, social reformer, and intimate friend of the Emperor. The condensed report of the debate is:

Count Douglas—In view of the spread of infectious diseases, I regard it as desirable to direct the Government's attention to the wholesome action of the Meran police in prohibiting women from wearing trains on the public promenades. I think that public opinion should be aroused on this subject by the press. It is the opinion of all authorities that street dust is filled with the germs of infectious diseases, and that it carries these diseases into the lungs of the pedestrians. If women can once be convinced that when they sweep the streets with their skirts they are spreading disease far and wide, I believe their consciences will triumph over the tyranny of fashion and vanity.

Dr. Langerhaus, Radical Unionist—I do not deny that women stir up a poisonous dust in the streets with their long skirts, and that many bacteria are thus scattered through the air we breathe. This is not the main point, however. The worst of dress trains is that they gather the filth of the streets, and carry it, laden with the germs of disease, into the home, the nursery, and the bedroom. It is very hard to conquer a fashion, however. Perhaps the best means of countering the danger in this case is to teach women that they should carefully cleanse their street dresses upon returning from a promenade.

Government Councillor-in-Chief Lindig, replying for the Ministry—I can assure the gentlemen who have taken part in this noteworthy discussion that the Cabinet will consider carefully the suggestions just made. Special attention shall be given to the suggestion that the existing police regulations need amendment regarding the wearing of long skirts in streets.

The dress reformers of Berlin have hailed with joy the reply of Councillor Lindig. But it should require no sweeping skirts if half what the scientific investigators assert is true.

—If it were a bread and butter policy that this House were asked to support, it would be worth something; but it is a mad policy which will enable the machinery for the next election. I protest against degrading the great butter industry for the purposes of the Dominion election. Ours is the liberal, broad-minded policy which will enable the farmers to take care of themselves; the manly, independent policy which will carry his butter to the English market, as it has carried his cheese. If you seek to improve the efficiency of the farmer, cut him free from your N. P., let him assert his manliness and independence, and he will go into the markets of the world and take care of himself.—Hon. G. W. Ross, in the Legislature.

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### Doing Good Work.

Dispensing Relief to Worthy Applicants at Labor Hall.

A Brief Glance at the Distributing Department.

The Queer Use to Which a Printing Office Is Put—Work Done by the Union Relief Bureau During the Winter.

A small room, fifteen by seven feet, at one end a type frame, in the center a small printing press and a box stove, and at the further end of the room a small-sized grocery store—loaves of bread by the dozen, paper bags of flour, oatmeal, rice, barley, sugar, split peas and beans, and parcels of tea and coffee—imagine this conglomeration of food for the brain and stomach, and you have the relief bureau in connection with the Trades and Labor Council. Here twice a week since the commencement of January relief has been served out without regard to color, creed, or even trades unionism. All that was needed was a bona fide that the case was deserving. The venture was launched, however, with the original intention of helping only union families. But this idea was dropped after the very first week. It was found that the number of union men who sought relief was small, while the number of non-union families in dire distress was great.

"If we had only to help union men we could have shut up shop long ago," said one of the men engaged in the distribution last night. "We find that the majority of applicants never think of the union until they get out of work." Able-bodied men professing to have trades flight shy of the Labor Hall relief office. They send their wives or their children, but stay away themselves, and have even been known to come as far as the boulevard surrounding the Labor Hall and sit down outside while the children would go in.

"Where is your father?" they asked of a boy last night. "He is dead, sir," answered the little fellow, with a note of sadness in his voice. "How many children are there of you?" "Seven, sir." "Seven loaves," added the assistant. This was evidently a deserving case, and was vouched for by a third ward alderman in a note.

All applicants bring notes. The majority come from clergymen and men enjoying municipal honors. "Who wrote this note?" was asked of one woman. "My husband," said Mrs. F. "Mrs. F. keeps a grocery store, doesn't she?" "Yes, sir."

"Well, why don't she help you?" "Well, you see she did, Rev. Mr. wrote the note the last time I came, and I could see that the writin' was hardly readable. So I got Mrs. F. to write the note for me. She writes much plainer, you know." This woman was helped.

Another woman said that her husband expected work in about three weeks. "When did he work last?" "Not for three months or more." "She might have added, 'He is in the Central Prison' with a good deal of truth, but even if she was poor she was proud.

The husband was asked for in each case. One woman said hers was a carpenter and was at home. "Why didn't he come up?" "Well, he had a headache." "It's all right this time, but send your husband up next time." One of the men came back on the Saturday night. She was making a practice of coming too often. "Since inaugurating the system of relief the committee has distributed 1133 66 worth of groceries, and has relieved on an average of 100 families a week in the busy season. The stream of applicants has greatly decreased since the spring, and it is expected that the work of relief will be ended by the beginning of April.

twenty-five pound bags; oatmeal, five pounds; rice, three pounds; sugar, two pounds; tea, or coffee, half pounds; barley, four pounds; and peas, beans and bread in miscellaneous measure according to the wants of a family.

Labor Hall Relief Bureau has done a good work this winter. "And we will call on the citizens for aid about Labor Day," said a member.

### Blown to Bits.

About 90 Men Killed in a Wyoming Mine.

No Hope of Rescuing Anybody Alive.

A Terrible Explosion at Red Canyon—The Mine Was Considered Safe.

EVANSTON, Wyo., March 21.—A large number of miners were killed and injured by an explosion which occurred at 6 o'clock last night in the Rocky Mountain Coal and Iron Company's mine, No. 5, at Red Canyon. Eight bodies have been recovered, but some are burned beyond recognition.

It is thought that between twenty and forty miners were killed. THE DEAD are: James B. Bruce, foreman; Wm. Sellers, jun., roop runner; J. Clark, Edward Coach, head carpenter; O. W. Malby, superintendent of mine power; Jerry Crawford, John Lamb.

In the mine, and supposed to be dead: Wm. Brown, — Burton, John Fern, Samuel Hutchinson, Wm. Sagers, sen., Wm. Sagers, jun., Samuel Thomas, — Thomas, son of Samuel.

All hope of rescuing anybody alive has BEEN GIVEN UP. The death roll now numbers fifteen. Superintendent Malby died shortly after he was taken out of the mine, as did also Jerry Crawford. It is thought Andrew Mason cannot live.

About 150 men were employed in the mine, but most of them had gone out. The covering of the slope and buildings at the mouth were blown to atoms. The mine was considered perfectly safe. SALT LAKE, Utah, March 21.—The explosion at the Rocky Mountain coal mine, No. 5, at Red Canyon, Wyo., is believed to have killed 90 men, and to have imprisoned in the mine, in addition to ten, who were in the power house above ground or near the shaft openings. The slopes and entrances to the lower workings are all blocked by wreckage, and it is thought that at least three days will be required for rescuing parties to reach the bodies. The horror occurred at 5:45 yesterday afternoon, at No. 5, Central Pacific mine, five miles north of Evanston. The explosion in the mine SHOCKED THE WHOLE COUNTRY, wrecked the power plant, a fan house and several other buildings, entailing heavy loss, but the death toll far overshadows other considerations.

Edward Cox, the outside carpenter, James Bruce, outside boss; James W. Clark, Wm. Sellers, jun., and James Gerty, an Austrian, were killed in the power house, while O. Malby, foreman, and Jerry Crawford and Andrew Mason were injured, and died soon afterward, the last three being about the power house at the time of the explosion. A few hours later the dead bodies of James Lamb and Fred Morgan were brought from the slope only a short distance down. A great throng of people gathered about the mine anxiously inquiring for friends known to be in the mine. All hope of them being alive is gone. No one seeing THE GHAZLY SPECTACLE presented by the bodies brought out of the slope could have any hopes of anyone in the mine being alive.

How many were in the mine at the time of the explosion, it is hard to say, but the best information obtainable places the number at over 80. Nearly all known to be killed leave large families.

### THE LATEST STYLES.

Mr. Harry Lenox Has a Large Stock of Goods

For the Spring Trade—Reasonable Prices Will Prevail—What to Wear and Where to Get It.

Yesterday afternoon saw the advent of that season of the year which is so gladly welcomed by all—Spring. It brings to the mind of the average woman the fact that they will have to visit the showrooms and purchase their millinery; the man it reminds that the time has come for the purchase of a new suit or a light overcoat. The question which naturally arises in the minds of the men is, "Where can I best get my wardrobe supplied?" Mr. Harry Lenox, the fashionable tailor, corner of Richmond and Carling streets, is as usual to the front again. He has secured exactly what gentlemen are looking for—a large stock of goods from the leading markets—and he is now ready to meet the demands of his old customers, and new ones, too. Mr. Lenox's goods comprise one of the most carefully selected stocks in the city. He has some very nice lines for spring overcoats, which are offered at astonishingly low prices. Then, as for a nobby suit, you can find the newest cloths and patterns in the city, and all marked away down. The line of trimmings is complete.

The spring overcoats will be very much shorter this year than last; trousers are made narrower; sack coats will be all the rage, and a happy medium has been struck as to length. Mr. Lenox has been very successful in the past. He guarantees to do better than ever this year.

### \$50

To Anyone Who Tries Dr. Chase's Ointment for Itchy Piles

Saying It Will Not Cure or Relieve.

Itching piles is an exceedingly painful and annoying affliction, found alike in the rich and poor, male and female. The principal symptoms are a severe itching, which is worse at night when the sufferer becomes warm in any part of the body, and is frequently so troublesome that it is impossible to procure sleep. Often the sufferer unconsciously during sleep scratches the parts until they are sore, ulcers and tumors form, excessive moisture is exuded. Females are peculiarly affected by this disease, causing unbearable irritation and trouble. These and every other symptom of itching piles or irritation in any part of the body are immediately allayed and quickly cured by Chase's Ointment. It will instantly stop itching, heal the sores and ulcers, dry up the moisture. Price, 60 cents, of dealers; or by mail by addressing EDMANSON, BATES & CO., 45 Lombard street, Toronto.

# FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY,

## MARCH 22.

We ask for special attention to the following items. Every one is a bargain. The fine weather is booming business. Shop early.

# CHAPMAN'S

### Smallware Department.

- 1st—Satin Ribbons, fancy patterns, 5 inches wide, worth 20c, on Friday 12 1/2c.
- 2nd—One case of New Lace, new patterns, also insertions, on Friday 4 yards for 10c.
- 3rd—Black and Colored Girdles, worth 25c to 50c each, on Friday 10c each.
- 4th—Fancy Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 12 1/2c, on Friday, 8c each.
- 5th—One table of White Cambric Embroidery, worth 8c and 10c yard, on Friday 5c yard.
- 6th—Over 60,000 yards of New Laces will be opened out for your inspection. Our 5c line is worth 10c; the 10c line is worth double. See them.
- 7th—Ladies' White Cambric Nightgowns, regular price 50c, on Friday 38c.
- 8th—Colored Garter Elastic, regular price 7c, on Friday 3c yard.
- 9th—Fancy White Metal Belt Buckles, worth 18c, for 12 1/2c.
- 10th—Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves, Josephine make, in colors only, worth \$1 25, for 88c.
- 11th—Ladies' Heavy Wool Hose, worth 20c, for 16c.
- 12th—Children's Plain Wool Hose, spliced, worth 18c, for 12 1/2c.
- 13th—Books, a few left from our Xmas sale of popular authors, worth 50c, for 19c.
- 14th—9 only Large Leather-bound Albums, worth \$2 50 and \$3, your choice \$1.
- 15th—10 dozen bottles fine quality Perfume, worth 65c each, on Friday 35c bottle.
- 16th—White Enameled Water Jugs, will hold 4 quarts, worth 75c, on Friday 50c each.

### Dress Goods Department.

- 17th—8 pieces Heavy All-wool Serge Dress Goods, worth 40c, on Friday 25c yard.
- 18th—2 pieces 46 inch All-wool Serge, navy and black, worth 60c, for 45c.
- 19th—2 pieces Black All-wool Serge, 38 inches wide, worth 40c, for 25c.
- 20th—3 pieces Check Tweed Suiting, 40 inches wide, great value, only 25c yard.
- 21st—10 pieces of All-wool Crepon Dress Goods, in evening shades, worth 50c, for 30c.
- 22nd—4 pieces Black Figured French Dress Goods, worth 75c, for 50c.
- 23rd—10 pieces 38-inch Henrietta, all wool, in new shades, worth 40c, for 30c.
- 24th—35 pieces All-wool Debiege, wide width, assorted shades, worth 40c, for 25c.
- 25th—2 pieces Shepherd Check Dress Materials, worth 45c, on Friday 35c.
- 26th—10 pieces Scotch Tweed Dress Goods, on Friday only 10c.
- 27th—10 pieces Art Muslins, new patterns, worth 10c, for 7c.
- 28th—Lace Curtains—Our new curtains are all in, the best value we ever offered.

### Clothing Department.

- 29th—Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$6, Bargain Day \$4.
- 30th—Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$7, Bargain Day \$5 50.
- 31st—Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$8 50, Bargain Day \$7.
- 32nd—Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$10, Bargain Day \$8 25.
- 33rd—Men's Fine Black Worsted Suits, worth \$15, Bargain Day \$11 75.
- 34th—Young Men's Fine Black Worsted Suits, worth \$10, Bargain Day \$8 50.
- 35th—Youths' Fine All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$6, Bargain Day \$4 50.
- 36th—Boys' 3-piece All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$3 50, Bargain Day \$2 25.
- 37th—Boys' 3-piece All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$4 50, Bargain Day \$3 50.
- 38th—Boys' 2-piece German-made Suits, worth \$4 50, Bargain Day \$2 25.
- 39th—Boys' 2-piece Fine Tweed Suits, worth \$3, Bargain Day \$2 25.
- 40th—Boys' 2-piece All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$2, Bargain Day \$1 25.
- 41st—Men's All-wool Tweed Pants, worth \$2 50, Bargain Day \$1 50.
- 42nd—Men's Fine Worsted Tweed Pants, worth \$3, Bargain Day \$2.

### Staple Department.

- 43rd—Red and White Table Linen, 58 inches wide, worth 40c, for 30c.
- 44th—15 pieces Fine English Longcloth Cotton, 36 to 38 inches wide, slightly soiled, worth 12 1/2c, for 7 1/2c, or 14 yards for \$1.
- 45th—A few Tapestry Quilts, with fringe, large size, worth \$3 50, on Friday \$2 50.
- 46th—50 pieces Sateen Dress Goods, light and dark shades, worth 18c and 20c, for 12 1/2c.
- 47th—5 pieces very serviceable Wool Tweeds, for boys' suits (cut free), worth 40c, for 30c.
- 48th—100 10x4 Tapestry Quilts or Table Covers, worth \$1 25, for \$1.
- 49th—3 pieces Double-fold Art Drapery, for doors or windows, worth 75c, for 45c.
- 50th—1 piece Bleached Table Linen, 58 inches wide, worth 35c, for 29c.
- 51st—10 pieces Unbleached Cotton, 40 inches wide, on Bargain Day 16 yards for \$1.
- 52nd—Bleached Twilled Cotton, 36 inches wide, worth 16c, for 12 1/2c.
- 53rd—5 pairs Union White Blankets, very large, 8 pounds, worth \$3 50, for \$2 75.
- 54th—Navy Serge, for boys' suits, all wool, worth 38c, on Friday 30c.
- 55th—3 pieces Fine Striped Tweed, for men's pants, worth 75c, for 50c yard.
- 56th—6 pieces Oxford Shirting, good patterns, stripes and checks, worth 15c for 10c.
- 57th—A bargain in Scotch Chambray, pink and blue, fast colors, only 6 1/2c yard.
- 58th—Victoria Lawn, 46 inches wide, a few pieces left, only 12 1/2c yard.

### Gents' Furnishings Department.

- 59th—Men's Fancy Embroidered Twilled Cotton Night Shirts, worth 85c for 60c.
- 60th—Men's Navy Blue All-wool Top Shirts, worth 75c, for 60c.
- 61st—Men's Navy Gray Knit Top Shirts, worth 50c, for 37 1/2c.
- 62nd—Men's Gray Flannel Top Shirts, worth 85c, for 65c.
- 63rd—Gents' Four-ply Linen Collars, worth 15c, on Friday 3 for 25c.
- 64th—Gents' Fine Lambswool Socks, worth 25c, for 20c.
- 65th—Gents' Fine Natural Wool Socks, worth 25c, for 18c.
- 66th—Boys' Heavy Mitts and Gloves, worth 25c, for 15c.
- 67th—Men's Black and Brown Fedora Hats, the 75c quality, for 50c.
- 68th—A few large Goat Robes left, only \$5 each today.

### Mantle Department.

- 69th—Children's Capes, in all colors, worth \$1 50, for \$1.
- 70th—Ladies' Spring Coats, for present wear, worth \$6, for \$2 50.
- 71st—See our new Spring Jackets, at \$4 50, \$6 and \$7 50. Bargains.
- 72nd—Examine our new Capes at \$2 25, \$3 50, \$5 and \$7 50.
- 73rd—Ladies' Print Wrappers, our own make, made from best quality of print, worth \$1 75 and \$2, today \$1 25, all sizes.
- 74th—Ladies' Flannel Wrappers, in the leading colors, at \$2, \$2 50 and \$3, lace trimmed and very full skirts.

### TERMS CASH.

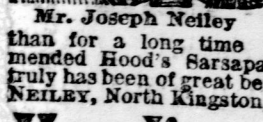
# CHAPMAN'S,

126-128 Dundas Street, London.



Health Built Up

I had a very bad cold which settled on my lungs. I was under doctor's care and was not able to get out of the house for eight weeks. I did not gain strength very fast and other remedies failing to help me or improve my case, I was induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have taken several bottles and my health is improved very much. Since I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla I feel very much stronger than for a long time past. I have recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla to others, for it truly has been of great benefit to me." JOSEPH NIXLEY, North Kingston, Nova Scotia.



Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures Hood's Pills are a mild cathartic. 25c.

IN THE SPORTING WORLD.

Thirty High-Bred English and Irish Setter Dogs Poisoned.

THE WHEEL. AT OWEN SOUND. OWEN SOUND, Ont., March 20.—The annual meeting of the Crescent Bicycle Club was held last night. Mr. R. McDonald was elected president and Mayor Kennedy honorary president. It was decided to renew the application for the C. W. A. meet.

THE OAR. GAUDAUR GOING TO TEXAS. ORILLIA, Ont., March 20.—Champion Oarsman Jake Gaudaur will likely leave next week for Austin, Texas, and commence training for the Austin annual regatta, to take place in May. The big Canadian will row in the single and double scull events. In the latter he will probably have Ed. Durman, of Toronto, for a partner.

ATHELETICS. JAKE AND JOHN. BALTIMORE, Md., March 20.—It is probable that Jake Kilrain and John L. Sullivan will soon be brought together in a boxing tournament in New York. Arrangements with that end in view are now under way.

THIRTY DOGS POISONED. PITTSBURG, Pa., March 20.—Fred Pastre, the well-known dog fancier, is in receipt of news from Wayneburg (Pa.) informing him that 30 dogs which were being conditioned for the Pittsburgh bench show were poisoned there last week and that they had since died. They were all English and Irish setters of the best breed.

Live News in a Line.

Breaker-General Adam Badan died suddenly in the Robert Hospital, New York, Tuesday night. Cause, apoplexy. The strike of New York electrical workers, who have been out for about a month, together with their sympathizers in the building trades, is now over. The demand of the United States Government for the recall of Minister Thurston, who represents the Hawaiian Government at Washington, appears to be an assured fact.

Tracy R. Morgan, cashier, and D. R. Brownson, president, of the Chemung Valley Bank, Binghamton, N. Y., have been arrested on charges of burglary and larceny.

Mr. Preston, director of the mint at Washington, confirms the report that a shortage of \$60,000 exists in the Carson, Nev., mint. Mr. Preston thinks the loss was due to theft.

Benjamin Keller, unmarried, aged 20, a switchman employed by the Lake Shore Railroad, was crushed to death at midnight Tuesday between coupling cars in the yard at Buffalo.

The steamer Horsa, with 197 colored emigrants from Savannah, Ga., for Monrovia, five thousand colored people lined the wharves as the ship passed out.

Christopher W. Larabee, cashier and head accountant for Boyd, Stickney & Co., wholesale coal dealers, Chicago, and a nephew of ex-Gov. Larabee, of Iowa, is missing and his accounts are short about \$10,000.

Collections of United States Internal revenue from all sources for the eight months of the current fiscal year show the receipts to have aggregated \$190,532,464, an increase over the eight months of 1894 of \$5,180,622.

LAMBTON ASSIZES. SARNIA, Ont., March 20.—The session of the spring assizes held here today, Chief Justice Meredith presiding, was occupied almost all day with the action of Gilles vs. the township of Warwick. Judgment for defendant. Lount vs. Laintiff, Lister for defendant.

In Irving vs. Irving, for non-support, defendant pleaded to an amended indictment and was released under suspended sentence.

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NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

Overcoatings, Suitings, Trowels, Newest Shades, Closet Fits. COME AND SEE THE Harry Lenx Cor. Richmond and Carling

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Hamilton's Conservative Machine Working Badly.

Trouble in the Party Power-House at Ottawa.

Latest Returns of the Voting in Haldimand.

Mr. Brady the Unanimous Choice of South Renfrew Liberals—Thomas Fraser the Man for East Lambton.

THE HALDIMAND VOTE.

CAYUGA, March 20.—The following are the correct returns given by the returning officer for the Haldimand election:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Liberal, Patron. Rows include Caledonia, Cayuga, Hagersville, North Cayuga, South Cayuga, Dunn township, Onesa, Rainham, Seneca, Waipole.

Total 1,920 1,640 Majority for Baxter, 280. The vote at the general Provincial election in June last was: Baxter, 1,630; Senn, 1,600.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

As showing the growth of Liberal feeling among the Roman Catholic clergy in Quebec Province, the Electeur mentions that it now has on its subscription lists nearly a dozen of prelates and over a priest, where it had only two, Cure Saxe, of St. Roch, and Cure Patry, of St. Pascal, at its start in 1880.

The Orange Sentinel (hitherto considered a "Protectionist" journal) has come out in favor of free trade. Its editor is E. F. Clarke, ex-mayor of Toronto, and a leading light in the Conservative party. A significant conversion!

THE CAMPAIGN IN ELGIN.

Mr. Geo. E. Casey, M.P., was visiting friends in Aldborough last week, and met with much encouragement. He has arranged meetings to be addressed by himself and others as follows: Argyle school house, Thursday, 21st inst.; Fleming's school house, Friday, 22nd inst.; Kerr's school house, Monday, 25th inst.; Chestnut Grove (No. 15), Tuesday, 26th inst.

LIBERAL LEADERS' MEETINGS.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier hopes soon to be able to leave for his western tour. Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. James McMullen, M.P., will be at the Bowmanville meeting; Mr. J. D. Edgar, M.P., Mr. G. R. Smith, ex-M.P.P., Dr. Coulter, of Aurora, and others will be at the Markham meeting; Mr. J. J. Barron, ex-M.P., at Lindsay; Dr. Spohn, ex-M.P., and others at Orillia; Hon. Wm. Paterson, M.P., and others at Galt and Berlin and Hon. David Mills at Elmira.

IN HAMILTON AS IN LONDON.

A Hamilton dispatch to the Toronto Star says: "At Conservative ward meetings, which are being held nightly to appoint delegates to the convention and choose other officers, the 'machine' which has hitherto had everything its way, is reported to be getting much the worse of it. Members of the P. P. A. are taking a hand in with the result that when the convention is called there is every probability it will choose only to that organization."

JOHN BRADY FOR SOUTH RENFREW.

RENFREW, Ont., March 20.—At the meeting of the South Renfrew Reform Association held here this afternoon in the Temperance Hall there was a full attendance of delegates from all parts of the riding and other members of the body of the hall. Mr. A. A. Wright, president of the association, was elected, and were also Messrs. F. Kosmack, vice-president, and Robert McCreary, secretary-treasurer. Mr. John Brady was then unanimously nominated for the Commons, and accepted the candidacy amid the heartiest applause. The vote of confidence in the policy of Laurier and Cartwright was carried unanimously, and the meeting adjourned with three hearty cheers for Mr. Brady.

EAST BRUCE PATRONS.

FORMOSA, Ont., March 20.—The Patrons of East Bruce held a convention here today and James Tolson, of Walkerton, was made their unanimous choice. He accepted the nomination.

TROUBLE AT OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, March 20.—There is dissatisfaction among the Conservatives over the result of last night's nominations. Messrs. McVeity and Cartwright, Ex-Mayor Durocher says he will run. Ad. Champagne is also on the warpath. "I don't steal the convention," said Ad. Champagne today. He had quite recovered from the shock of being defeated, and though speaking somewhat warmly he nevertheless didn't appear greatly troubled. "If Mr. McVeity thinks he is master of the situation in Upper Town he will find that the French people here will find that Lower Town. Bear this in mind, that no party can succeed without the French-Canadian support. Mr. Robillard has not the support and does not represent the French people. I do, though. I was defeated by the convention through a misunderstanding. There was no agreement between us, but although we are in the minority, and the English in the majority, our rights will claim attention. Mr. Robillard had two French-Canadian votes, and I had 53 of 58. Who is the choice? If I was a McVeity man I would be ashamed of the treatment which was accorded to the French. What business had my delegates to trust them? Any more than they had to trust me? The representation will have to be regarded, if not by the Conservative party, then elsewhere. The English think they are going to win the whole thing there. We will have to take in hand the election of our representative."

THE MAN FOR EAST LAMBTON.

Mr. Thomas Fraser is an active Liberal leader in South Huron. The careful and honorable municipal career, and he would take a good place in the House of Commons. The Sarnia Observer says: "Mr. Fraser is of Highland Scotch parentage, speaks Gaelic as fluently as he does English, and he is a good speaker in the latter language, as those who have heard him in public know, and was born and reared on a farm, leaving the latter when he reached the age of manhood to make his way in the oil trade. He made Petrolia his home, and it is not saying too much for him to state that he has not only been successful in his undertakings there, but he has earned the respect and opinion of his townsmen generally, and enjoys the esteem of all classes in that town and neighborhood. As a public man, he has enjoyed the confidence of his fellow-citizens, who honored him by electing him mayor of the town, a position he filled with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of the municipality. As manager of the Crown Loan and Savings Company, and in his oil operations, he has shown himself to be a capable and successful man of business. He is well equipped, therefore, to represent a constituency whose interests are fairly divided between the agriculturist and the oil operator, having an intimate acquaintance with the wants and requirements of both interests, and the business and experience necessary to enable him to present their claims forcibly and intelligently in Parliament."

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NOTES.

The Hamilton Times says that Mr. Samuel Barker has decided to contest Hamilton in the Conservative interest. Mr. Wm. Paterson, M.P., and Hon. A. S. Hardy will open the campaign in South Huron with a meeting in the Brantford Opera House on Friday evening.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. James McMullen, M.P., are announced to address two meetings, one in the town hall, Bowmanville, and one in the music hall, Brantford, Friday afternoon in the interests of Mr. Beth.

REMEDIAL LEGISLATION.

Report That the Order Is to be Signed Today.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 20.—It is understood that the remedial order for Manitoba will be signed tomorrow afternoon by Lord Aberdeen.

CANADIAN HOME CIRCLES.

Annual Convention and Election of Officers.

TORONTO, March 20.—At the annual convention of the Canadian Home Circles today the present officers were sustained.

Supreme Leader—F. N. Raines, Uxbridge. Supreme Vice-Leader—T. G. Cummings, St. Catharines. Supreme Secretary—Thos. Boles, Toronto. Supreme Treasurer—D. R. Foster, Toronto.

Chaplain—S. Cunningham, Waterford. Marshal—D. McArthur, Alisa, Craig. Warden—J. D. Dench, Trenton. Guard—S. W. Thompson, Toronto.

The order has yet to deal with many amendments to the constitution and other important business.

Hamilton was selected as the place of meeting for next year.

FUEL FOR FLAMES.

PEORIA, Ill., March 20.—The Dewlin building was burned today. Loss \$100,000. The quarters of the Knights of Pythias and Ancient Order of United Workmen were destroyed.

FALL RIVERS AND THE POPE.

FRENCH-CANADIAN KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, who recently had an interview with Mgr. Satoll, have made the following statement of what occurred: Saturday the delegates had audience with the apostolic delegate, at which time they presented their petitions. After listening to their reasons, the ablegate consented to order a temporary suspension of the order to receive the sacrament, and Mgr. Satoll promised to make a special report to the Holy See on the question. The delegates of Lafayette Lodge believe that some false representations had been made on the subject of the order.

WHAT MAKES A MAN SENATOR.

"Once upon a time," remarked a storytelling Congressman, "I happened to be doing some campaigning, speaking with the Senator from my State, and one of our engagements was at a small town, at a place where I thought a United States Senator would be a nice-day's wonder, not to say anything about what a plain member of Congress might be. I am free to confess, and I was feeling rather proud of the combination until I happened to overhear a conversation. I didn't intend to listen, but it happened to hear the speaking man who had come right in front of my door, and of course the speakers of the day were the topic of conversation.

"Which one's the Senator?" asked one.

"That 'un that's got the whiskers," remarked another.

"He don't look like he knowed any more than I do," was the next comment.

"I reckon he don't," said the third, and neither one don't seem to have any to give in case they had to share it."

"How does he know he is Senator?" asked the third.

"Huh," sniffed the other, "taint' what a Senator knows that makes him a Senator, it's what he knowed that makes him a Senator, and then I made a noise to let them know that they must not be giving away State secrets, and the way they went down the hill was a caution."—Detroit Free Press.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Arizona Indians have a peculiar and effective way of branding animals. The brand is made of steel, with a knife edge. It is fixed on the head of an arrow and shot with such force that it cuts the mark in the hide.

COLIC AND KIDNEY DIFFICULTY.

Mr. J. W. Wilder, J.P., Lafargeville, N. Y., writes: "I am subject to severe attacks of Colic and Kidney difficulty, and find Paralee's Pills afford me great relief, while all other remedies have failed. They are the best medicine I have ever used." In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify, that diseases of almost every name and nature are driven from the body.

PERCIVAL LOWELL.

The British astronomer, says that the planets were not well named by the ancients. Jupiter, the youngest of planets, has the name of the Father of the Gods. Venus, from a misty which she never gained ways shrouded in a veil of clouds. Mars has given his name to the planet, and whose people are working together in the peaceful processes of irrigation.

INVALIDS IN AN AIR BELL.

Pneumatic Treatment for Affections of the Lungs.

Pneumato-therapy is a rather novel method of curing certain chronic or acute disorders of the system of breathing and the circulation of the blood, especially of diseases originating from faulty or irregular breathing. Complicated pneumatics



THE PNEUMATIC BELL.

apparatus is used for the purpose. The general object is to influence the action of the lungs by the gradual change of the density of the air introduced by breathing. At first, a small pump, arranged like a gasometer was used, and the air-tight mask applied over mouth and nose of the patient. Later, however, pneumatic cabinets or bells are in use and are much superior to the old method, as the mechanical action of condensed air is exercised not upon the respiratory organs exclusively, but upon the entire surface of the body. The interior of the pneumatic bell is furnished like a room that is quite comfortable. The doors and windows are absolutely air-tight when shut. Patients at first remain in the pneumatic bell for one hour, but gradually the time is increased to two or three hours. In most cases condensed air is applied. Only in certain cases of heart disease rarified air is used. An aneroid barometer inside allows the occupants to know the density of the air they are breathing, while a physician can see it upon the indicator valve on the outside. Still, these pneumatic cabinets are very costly, still they have been introduced in all European capitals and the more important watering places.

The Sound of a Sunbeam.

One of the most wonderful of the many discoveries in science that have been made in the past few years is the fact that a ray of light produces sound. A beam of sunlight is caused to pass through a prism, so as to produce what is called the solar spectrum or rainbow. A disk, having slits cut in it, is revolved swiftly and the colored light of the rainbow is made to break through it. Place the ear to the vessel containing silk, wool or other colored material. As the colored lights of the spectrum fall upon it, sounds will be given by different parts of the spectrum, and there will be silence in other parts. For instance, if the vessel contains iron filings, the green light flashes upon it, loud sounds will be given. Only feeble sounds will be heard if the red and blue parts of the rainbow fall upon the vessel, and other colors make no sound at all. Green silk gives sound best in a red light. Every kind of material gives more or less sound in different colors, and utters no sound in others. —Philadelphia Inquirer.

Football Salaries.

Some of the well-known clubs keep the salary list a secret, but as far as is known the distinction of paying the highest retaining fee belongs to the Everton Football Club, which, in one case of a professional leaving the Blackburn Rovers to join their club, agreed to pay him \$250 down and \$5 a week. The Sutherland Club is not far behind, and to secure a Scotchman, a player of repute, gave him his own terms, which were £100 down, £150 a year and a situation of £70 a year in a shipbuilding yard.

Then two clubs, at present the leading clubs of the Association Football League, have the reputation of paying the highest retaining fees, and also securing the biggest clubs find it requisite to pay substantial sums to secure professional players, of which their respective teams for league matches tentatively consist. There are 450 registered professionals in connection with the league clubs, whose wages range from £2 10s to £5 a week. —Tit-Bits.

As to Snake Bites.

That no less than 23,000 people should have perished last year in the Indian province of Bengal from snake bites shows how little progress has been made by science toward the discovery of some antidote for the poison of these reptiles. The trouble is that the poison of nearly every species seems to affect a different organ of the body. Thus the bite of a cobra seems to paralyze the lungs, while the poison of the taboia produces terrible convulsions. From time immemorial physicians of every clime and race have devoted their energies to the discovery of cures for these bites; but judging from the heavy list of casualties from this source alone in Bengal, the most highly civilized province and possessed of the best system of medical supervision of all English colonial dependencies, it would seem that all efforts in this direction have been abortive. —New York Tribune.

To Prevent Frost Windows.

All of us know what a nuisance a steam or frost-covered window is in cold weather. The remedy that of glycerine applied to both sides of the glass will prevent any moisture forming thereon, and it will stay until it collects so much dirt that it cannot be seen through. For this reason it should be put on very thin. Surveyors can use it on their instruments in foggy weather and there is no film to obstruct the sight. In fact, it can be used anywhere to prevent moisture from forming on a surface. —House Notes.

The Broken Spell.

"Thrown over!" The rural lover gazed at the now darkened windows of the old red school-house and wept aloud.

"Parted forever by one small word!" He remembered her beseeching glance, but how was he to know where the "h" came in "Pthisis?"

"Anyway, there'll be no more spellin' bees this winter, an' if she kin stand it I kin."

Summoning his fortitude, he walked away.

Museum of Human Brains.

A collection of 290 human brains, carefully prepared and classified by Dr. Luys during his twenty years' service at the Salpêtrière and Charité hospitals, has been recently presented by him to the Paris Faculty of medicine for the Dupuytren Museum. The collection is unique; it contains all forms of mental disease, madness and idiocy, and includes the only preserved brain of a hypnotized subject in existence. —Exchange.

A woman arrested in Iron on Lac for masquerading in men's clothes had a curling iron in her hip pocket.

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said, for any grief which she had caused him; but yet how was she to be blamed, seeing that she had known nothing of his feelings? Her father and mother had said something to her of this proposed marriage; something, but very little; and she had not said anything by saying that she did not think Maurice had any warmer regard for her than that of a cousin.

JERKED OFF AN ARM. Painful Accident to a Glencoe Miller, Mr. Oldrieve—Glencoe Notes. (Special to the "Advertiser.")

THE GUNMAKER OF ILLON. Jefferson M. Clough Refuses a Tempting Offer From the Chinese Government. (From the Springfield, Mass., Union.)

WESTERN ONTARIO. Listowel Young Liberals have put two tickets in the field for the election of officers. Rev. J. H. Hodges has decided to remain in Tilbury and not accept the call from Leamington Presbyterians.

MIDDLESEX. John Crinkle, of Westminster, is constructing a large factory here, the dimensions being 45 feet by 60 feet.

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HAS LOST TWO FORTUNES. Clara Louise Kellogg Now Poor and Unable to Earn a Penny. On Twelfth street, near Sixth avenue, New York, there is a little restaurant that is known as "Maria's."

MEN IN SKIRTS. Unique Suggestion Made by a Chicago Physician. CHICAGO, March 20.—Dr. Sarah Hackett Stevenson, one of the best known physicians in Chicago, has made a unique suggestion regarding the dress reform movement.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIED. M'KAY-PATTERSON-At Cedar Dale, the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, March 13, by the Rev. W. W. Crow, B.A., Mr. Angus McKay, of East Nisour, to Miss Jennie Patterson, of West Nisour.

DIED. HARTMANN-At his late residence, 146 Center street, London West, M. Hartmann, in his 64th year. Funeral will leave the above address Friday morning, at 9 o'clock, for St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. Please omit flowers.



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TORONTO, March 20-21 p.m.—The depression over the Southwest States yesterday has moved rapidly east, and is now passing over the Carolina coast. From the lakes to the Atlantic the pressure is rising and the weather is generally fine. In the Northwest the pressure is generally low, with cloudy, mild weather.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 20-30 degrees; Battleford, 24-49; Qu'Appelle, 26-44; Winnipeg, 24-42; Parry Sound, 2-34; Toronto, 20-32; Kingston, 16-30; Montreal, 16-26; Quebec, 14-26; Halifax, 14-23.

TODAY'S PROBABILITIES. TORONTO, March 21-1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville): Fine weather; stationary or a little higher temperature.

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NEW VERSION OF TENNYSON. Come into the garden, Maud. For the white cat winter has fled; An' you got ter hustle around And see how the garden bed. The horse-reddish down by the wall Has sprouted; the rhubarb, too; An' the fennel an' sparseregrass Is calin', Maud for you.

Come into the garden, Maud: Bring the rake, the hoe, an' the spade, An' the lettis an' inyun seeds; It is time that the beds was made. An' I will look over the wall, When the robin sings you a song, And the bumblebee buzzes around To see how you get on along.

For there isn't a soul but you, An' your wheelbarrow lays by; To work in the garden, Maud; So you buckle right down to biz. For me an' the hired man 'An' the boys has plenty to do, With plowin', plantin', an' sich, 'An' pushin' the farm work through.

Go shet the plannin' up, An' your wheelbarrow lays by; Take the rings from off your hands; I'll do no good to cry. An' into the garden, Maud, Like a beautiful, clever young lass, You hustle this minute, now, Or there'll be no garden sass.

The buttercups bloomed in her hair, The roses bloomed on her cheek. She could 'mas the town up down, When she'd worked in the garden a week. —M. Phelps Dawson, in New York Sun.

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The staff of the English railroads is mostly made up of men who entered the service as lads and worked their way up. These boys come largely from the farms.

No family living in a bilious country should be without Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. A few doses taken now and then will keep the Liver active, cleanse the stomach and bowels from all bilious matter and prevent Ague. Mr. J. L. Price, Shoals, Martin county, Ind., writes: "I have tried a box of Parmelee's Pills and find them the best medicine for Fever and Ague I have ever used."

The mysterious buried wall in Evergreen township, Sanilac county, Mich., is still attracting a great deal of attention. It has been traced five miles so far.

Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is earache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are especially subject.

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—Robt. S. Rae, Petroler, was taken in drunk by the police and discharged this morning by the police magistrate.

—Mrs. Thomas Sumner, of London, Ont., is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Emmons, on Wall street.—[Port Huron Times.

—The Presbyterian Synod of Hamilton and London will meet in Knox Church, Woodstock, on Monday evening, April 13, at 7:30.

—Mr. J. J. Spettigue has returned from Cedar Spring, where he spent the winter. Though he has been severely ill from the result of an accident which he met with on the ice while there, he is now in good health.

—Insurance Inspector A. Durand, of this city, has been in Windsor adjusting the claims for loss by the burning of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The total loss was \$22,357; insurance \$13,200, leaving a net loss of \$9,157.

—Taxes continue to come in slowly and it is calculated that at the present rate of payment \$20,000 will still be unpaid at the end of the month. Of this all but \$5,000 is counted good. No writs have been issued so far, although it is in the power of the collectors to do so.

—Dr. Macdonald, agent of the Methodist Missionary Society in Japan, has written acknowledging the receipt of the request of the executive of the Mission Board that the Methodist missionaries shall state specifically the nature of their grievances, but as yet no word has been received from the missionaries themselves.

—The lime light exhibition given at the Hill Street Methodist Church last night was a decided success, the church being filled to its utmost capacity. Numerous pictures were shown and the audience highly appreciated them. The exhibition was in aid of the church, which is very pretty both inside and out. Judging from the number present, a goodly sum was realized.

—Rev. Robert Johnston, of Lindsay, Ont., preached morning and evening in Crescent Street Church yesterday. Large congregations greeted the popular preacher of the west, who in his college days, was intimately connected with Crescent Street Church. Mr. Johnston has accepted a call from St. Andrew's, London, Ont. This is one of the largest churches in the west, having about 800 members.—[Montreal Witness.

—Mr. George T. Hiseox is in receipt of a letter from Mr. J. E. Beamer, of Riverside, Cal., a former well known citizen of London. Mr. Beamer was expecting a call from the Dominion Loan and Savings Company here. He says they have had a delightful winter in California and that the crops are looking splendid. Wheat and barley are a foot high, the hills and alleys are covered with grass and flowers, mocking birds are singing, bees humming, and horned toads running in the hot sand. The lowest temperature at Riverside this winter was 28° above zero, and that lasted only a few minutes. They look for the good old times again in California, says Mr. Beamer, and the opportunities for profitable investment are abundant.

—The Jubilee Singers will appear in Heard's hall, Wellington street, on Tuesday evening, March 26.

—Mr. John Andras, of Huron College school, whose readings from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" charmed so many last year, will give readings from "As You Like It" in the "Y" rooms Friday evening.

—At their recent wedding Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kennedy were the recipients of a handsome secretarial case, presented by the employees of Messrs. James A. Kennedy & Co. Advantage was taken of the opportunity to extend their congratulations to the best wishes, and also to express to Mr. Kennedy their appreciation of the mutually pleasant relationship that they have every reason to believe exists between employer and employee, and the kind, generous consideration always accorded them by Mr. Kennedy.

—David Armstrong, a youth of 14 summers, was arrested by Constable R. W. Ward in London yesterday. He was charged with stealing 39 plugs of chewing tobacco from George Underhay, Mr. Underhay is an elderly man, and keeps a grocery store at the corner of Oxford street and the Wharfcliffe road. On Tuesday, while he was absent for a time, the store was entered and the tobacco taken. Armstrong, when placed under arrest near his home on John street denied the theft, but afterwards confessed and said that he hid the tobacco under the house. A younger brother handed the goods over to the constable, and David was remanded until Saturday by Squire Lacey. Only fourteen plugs of tobacco were recovered.

—In "The Amazons," by A. W. Pinero, which comes to the Grand tonight, the author begins at once without preliminary or introduction. The writer intend seeing this charming comedy will do well to bear this in mind and be in their seats before the rise of the curtain. The Toronto Mail says: "Mr. Charles Frohman's excellent comedy company brought back Pinero's farcical romance, 'The Amazons,' to the Grand Opera House last night and played to a large and delighted audience. The company, it will be remembered, first presented the piece in Toronto last November. It may be repeated, that this so-called 'farcical romance' is a charming production which most felicitously blends romance with satire. The satire is, however, so good natured that it is altogether stingless, even though it may leave its point. Miss Maude O'Neil was attractive and most acceptable as Lady Noeline, and her acting was distinguished by much merit."

CONFERENCE EXAMINATIONS. The annual meeting of the board of examiners of the London Conference will be

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held in the Methodist Church, Glenora, commencing at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, March 23, and continuing April 24 and 25, 1895. A public meeting will be held at 8 p.m. on Thursday, April 25. Addresses will be given by Revs. Wm. McDonagh and A. L. Russell, B.D., and certificates of standing presented.

LONDON LIQUOR DEALERS. The London Hotelkeepers' Protective Association held their annual meeting last week, and elected the following officers: President, D. Dewar; first vice president, E. B. Smith; second vice-president, J. W. Scandrett; treasurer, T. H. Carling; secretary, J. W. Fletcher; auditors, C. W. Davis and J. McMartin; executive, D. Sara, Ed. Horseman, J. A. Ross, J. W. Martin, J. Labatt, W. Avey, J. Gustin.

SUFFRAGE AND STREET CARS. "A Constant Reader" of the Boston Globe predicts that chivalry will disappear when women obtain suffrage, and says he is so disgusted by the spread of suffrage sentiment among women that nowadays he never offers his seat in a street car to young women, but only to old ones.

As it is an article of faith with the opponents of equal rights that all the women who want to vote are very old and excessively ugly, this looks like "A Constant Reader" were illogical, or else as if he had more latent chivalry than he is himself aware of, and gave his seat to ladies, not according to the progressive or conservative views on the suffrage question, but according to their greater or less ability to stand up.

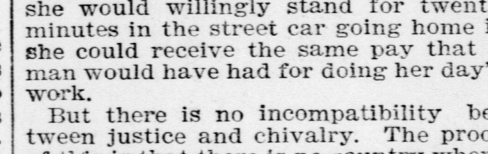
The offering of seats in street cars has nothing to do with suffrage. A young man of chivalrous disposition gives his seat to a woman because she is presumably not so well able to stand as he is. On the same principle he gives his seat to any more than the woman. It would be better for woman to have justice than chivalry, if they could not have both. A working girl put the whole case in a nutshell when she said she would willingly stand for twenty minutes in the street car going home if she could receive the same pay that a man would have had for doing her day's work.

But there is no incompatibility between justice and chivalry. The proof of this is that there is no country where women have so near an approach to equal rights with men as in the law as in America, and no country where women are treated by men with so much chivalry.

Justice and chivalry help each other instead of hurting each other. "As all the virtues play into one another's hands, so all the virtues stand shoulder to shoulder."—Woman's Journal.

AN OBJECT LESSON FOR JOHN. BRANFORD, March 20.—John Dietrich was fined \$70 at the police court today for having his bar open on Sunday and obstructing the police.

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We will also have for sale The Standard Delineator, price 10c per copy, or \$1 per year, post paid; The Standard Monthly Magazine, price 5c per copy, or 50c per year, post paid. April numbers now ready.

We will take pleasure in presenting you each month with a new fashion sheet free, if you will kindly call at our stores for them.

We Will Present Every Lady

Who visits our stores on Saturday night with a Handy Catalogue of Standard Patterns and Fashions.

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1st—Another lot of Fancy Scotch Plaids, 42 inches wide, on Saturday night 25c per yard.

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3rd—44 Inch All-Wool Crepon, in cream, pale blue, pink, Nile green, navy, fawn and black, worth 60c, on Saturday night 40c per yard.

4th—Rock Crepons in black and cream, very fine goods, extra heavy crinkles, and worth \$1 20, price on Saturday night 70c per yard.

5th—9 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, 44 inches wide, worth \$1, our price on Saturday night 65c per yard.

6th—The new "Fiber Chamois" for lining dresses, our price on Saturday night 20c per yard.

7th—A big shipment of Pearl Buttons, 18, 20, 22, 24 and 26 lines, on Saturday night 5c per dozen.

8th—Silk Spoils, on Saturday night 1c each.

9th—A new lot of Hand-Cut Black Jet Trimmings, on Saturday night at 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c and 15c per yard.

10th—Special line of Hair Cloth, on Saturday night 17c per yard.

11th—Dress Steels, on Saturday night 8c per set.

12th—Fancy Chenille Spotted Veilings in all colors, on Saturday night 8c per yard.

13th—Fancy Metal and Aluminum Belt Buckles, just imported from New York, at 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 40c.

14th—Ladies' Silk Belting, navy, white, cream, cardinal and black, on Saturday night 18c per yard.

15th—Ladies' Fine White Hemmed Handkerchiefs, worth 10c, on Saturday night 5c each or 6 for 25c.

16th—Ladies' White Band Linen Collars, on Saturday night 1c each.

17th—Silk Tassels and Pom-Poms for fancy work, on Saturday night 20c per dozen.

18th—Chenille Cord, in all colors, on Saturday night 7 1/2c per yard.

19th—Ladies' White Laundered Chemisettes, on Saturday night 25c.

20th—Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hose, on Saturday night 23c per pair.

21st—Linen Floss, on Saturday night 2 skeins for 5c.

22nd—Belding's Washing Silks and Filo Floss, on Saturday night 4c per skein, or 3 skeins for 10c.

23rd—Best Linen Thread, on Saturday night 8c per spool.

24th—Another lot of Ladies' Fine French Kid Gloves, in black and colors, on Saturday night 50c per pair.

25th—100 Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Capes, in all colors, worth \$2 50, on Saturday night \$1.

26th—A lot of Manufacturers' Samples of Capes, 93 in all, no two alike and the most stylish goods, from 90c up to \$8; these goods are worth double what we are asking for them, but as we said they are samples, and we bought at half price.

27th—60-Inch White Table Linen, regular price 50c, our price on Saturday night 35c per yard.

28th—60-Inch Turkey Red Table Linen, regular 50c goods, our price on Saturday night 35c per yard.

29th—Children's Blue Serge Sailor Suits with brass buttons, worth \$2, on Saturday night \$1 25.

30th—Very special—200 Children's and Boys' 2-Piece Suits, your choice on Saturday night \$1.

31st—200 dozen Gents' Silk Ties, light and dark, four-in-hands, knots and bows, worth 25c, 35c and 50c, on Saturday night 2 for 25c.

32nd—4-Ply English Stand Up Collars, all heights, sold all over the city at 25c, our price on Saturday night 15c, or 2 for 25c.

33rd—The "Adriatic Roll Collar, the newest thing out, sold elsewhere at 25c, our price on Saturday night 17c.

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