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Births, Marriages, Deaths

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

DIED

MAY-At the family residence, 103 Wilson avenue. West London, on April 27, 1899, Faunie, beloved daughter of Harry and Eliza May, in her 23rd year.

Funeral on Sunday, April 30, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, at 2:30; services at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

BASEBALL—TECUMSEH PARK—MAY 1 and 2, London vs. Auburn; game called 5.20. May 5 and 6 Columbia Giants. 31c

SPECIAL—MESSRS. DAYTON & McCORMICK have secured the services of a first-class fencing teacher for May, June and July. Private or class lessons for ladies or gentlemen. For particulars apply at Palace Dancing Academy.

WHITNEY MOCKRIDGE, CELEBRATED tenor, song recital May 1, Auditorium. Tickets at Heintzman's and Y. M. C. A. Prices, 50c, 50c and 75c. 24h wtzyxwyt

MONDAY, MAY 1, THE ORIENT MIN-STRELS at the Grand Opera House. Seats now on sale at box office. Prices—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. CULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS - OPEN
Saturday and Sunday until further notice, under the new management of Cole & Edmonds, proprietors.

Song on Speech—Weak, Defective or ugly voices improved in power and quality in ten lessons or money refunded. Voices tried free wednesdays. Herbert Connop. vocal science system. Studio, Somerset Hall, 240 Dundas street.

Dundas street.

A MEETING FOR THE STUDY OF THE International Sunday school lesson will be held Saturday in Y. M. C. A. lecture room at 4:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Jehnston will conduct the class. Teachers and students specially invited. 900,040 TONS IS THE TONNAGE
of the ships represented at
Clarke's Excursion Ticket Office for the old
country, Richmond street, next door to Adver-

tiser. Established for thirty-six years, gives me special facilities for either booking passengers to or bringing passengers over. DRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING-COME and learn the new dances, the Boston Schottische and the Society Cakewalk. The same careful attention given to teaching the waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of dancing. 245 Princess

Meetings.

L ONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum will meet this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block.

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Classes commoncing March 6, 1899, in the Public Library. Evening classes, from 7:30 to

Mechanical Drawing-Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Per term, \$2.

Freehand Drawing -Tuesday and Thursday. Afternoon classes, from 2 to 4, Tuesday and Thursday. Per term, \$5.

Morning classes, from 9:30 to 11:30, Saturday only. Per term, \$2. E. ROSE, Principal.

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WANTED-GIRL-THREE IN FAMILY.
Apply Mrs. Shaw, corner St. James and WANTED-DINING-ROOM GIRL, THOR-OUGHLY experienced; good wages. Apply J. J. Cox, Domision House. 29c

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MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE—Will assist with transportation this month, give complete outfit of tools, allow com-mission and pay \$15 weekly when competent. Two months completes. Two years saved. Can't supply demand for graduates. Write at once. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ills.

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WANTED-YOUNG MAN FOR SODA Fountain; references. Apply 181 Dun-das street. WANTED - PAINTER - GOOD BRUSH NTED — PAINTER — GOOD hand—Steady work year round. Ca 29c Quigley, Lucan.

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Young MEN WANTED IN EVERY County in Onterio to put in and take orders for electric bells, annunciators, burglar alarms, telephones, medical batteries, etc. Send for particulars. R. M. Millar & Co., 434 Talbot street, London, Ont.

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POR SALE-THE JACOBS PROPERTY, facing Oxford and Wharncliffe, West London. Apply Box 51, Florence, Ont. 26n

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WANTED — GENERAL AND LOCAL agents in every unrepresented county, for a quick-selling family medicine. Exclusive territory No competition with Write at once for special terms. Medical Company, Montreal, 21n zxv WANTED-GOOD RELIABLE MEN TO W push the sale of "Shepp's Heroes of Five Wars," a book in great demand. Write for particulars; by letter. Box 831, St. Thomas.

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FROM THE EAST.

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The following letter was received by The Advertiser on Thursday, April 27. The testimonial is most remarkable and still more creditable because the firm of Stott & Jury, of Bowmanville, are large advertisers, using the mediums of known circulation. It establishes the fact that The Advertiser is yet to be outclassed by any competitor:

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Advertiser Printing Co.,

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FOR SALE-STRAWBERRY PLANTS-Select varieties. Send for price list. Phone 782. Main & Collyer, South London. 17a xvz FOR SALE-SUMMER WOOD-AT THE sawmill. East Rathurst street Call or F sawmill, East Bathurst street. Call, or phone 1312, and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co. FOR SALE-GOOD PHAETON-ALSO A light rig. Apply Taylor's Hardware, or 571 Adelaide street.

85 CENTS WILL BUY A CARPET SEAT and back verands rocker worth \$1.50, at Keene Bros. Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. BICYCLES TAKEN IN EXCHANGE ON Weiland Vale wheels. Selling at cost. Repairing promptly attended to. Stringer's,

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WANTED - HOUSE, 7 OR 8 ROOMS; rent not to exceed \$14. Write "M. A," Advertiser office. Advertiser office.

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BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL Summer term commences April 19. Physical culture and elocution classes have begun Kindergarten branch is held in a room in Conservatory of Music. For calendars apply to Mrs. J. E. Wells, 661 Talbot street, London.

Miscellaneous,

WANTED-INFORMATION OF HARRY York, who left Shenstone, England, about eight years ago. Is about 35 years of age. There is money coming to him from an estate. Kindly address Ernest York, Thorndale, On-

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every carpet disinfected. Jas. 3. Shaw. Phone
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DR. JAMES D. WILSON-REMOVED TO his new office, corner Talbot and Fullar-

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Dundas street, London. Telephone 99.
Money to loan at lowest rates.

The Pacific Cable Beauty Lends a

Course of the Imperial Govern-] is still engaged in punitive cruises. ment Gives Satisfaction.

Affairs in the Transvaal Approachig a Crisis.

Disfranchised British Subjects Seek the Aid of Canadians.

London, April 28.—Great satisfaction is expressed at the announcement in the Times today of the decision of the Imperial government to contribute a yearly subsidy to the Pacific cable. The amount is not announced, but it is understood to be equal to Canada's grant, five-eighteenths. The influence of the Pender monopolists and the dread of permanent officialdom to depart from precedent have induced the government to pay a subsidy instead of following the example of Canada and Australia, and joining in a state guarantee. All will share in the probable profits, as well as the right of nominating commissioners in case the line pays and the subsidy is no longer re-

quired. A CALL FOR HELP. Canada is being urgently appealed to to assist the disfranchised British subects to secure citizen rights in the Transvaal, where affairs are again reaching a grave crisis. The South African League, of which Cecil Rhodes is the president, representing the best British interests in South Africa, has dispatched a cablegram to the British Empire League of Canada, indicating that the hands of the imperial governnent would be greatly strengthened if Canada made known at this critical juncture her sympathy with the Uitlanders' petition now before the Queen.

CANADIAN TRADE

By the launch of the steamer Manchester Port from the Yarrow shipyard, the Canadian trade secures the largest ship that has yet navigated the Manchester Canal. The same company is adding several other steamers of the same type for the Manchester-Canadian service, believing that the biggest and fastest ships have the best chance

THE DUTY ON COLONIAL WINES. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, received the colonial agents-general and heard their views respecting the new wine duties. The chancellor received the representations of the agents in the most sympathetic manner, and the impression now exists that colonial wines will ultimately be exempted from the payment of the new duties. This is regarded as a hint to France to treat Great Britain fairly in Madagascar

Madrid, April 28.—The minister of war has received advices to the effect that Aguinaldo intends to "retain the Spanish and American prisoners, as in the event of a cessation of hostilities, it will enable him to demand better terms of peace."

MAY UPSET THE CABINET.

Rome, April 28.-In the Chamber of Deputies yesterday the minister of marine stated that he had ordered a cruiser built in England, whereupon the chamber voted that the minister should suspend his order. The vote of the chamber may result in the ministry's downfall.

THE INCREASED COST OF COPPER London, April 28. - The enormous rise in the price of copper is playing havoc with the leading industries in the Midlands. At Kynoch's, Birmingham, batches of hundreds of men have been discharged since the rise in the price of the metal began, and now, instead of 4,000 men, only 2,000 are at work there. The government has decided not to give any moreo rders for cartridge shells, while the present prices prevail, and orders have been issued stopping all the work possible. electrical fitting firms are also losing business for the same reason.

THE FIGHTING IN SAMOA.

Auckland, N. Z., April 28.-Particulars of the fighting in Samoa contained in the advices received here. from Apia, under the date of April 18, show that the battle between the friendly natives and the rebels took place at Vailele, and that the latter lost one hundred men in killed and

wounded. About two thousand women and children have sought refuge at the Maluit station of the London Missionary Society. The rebels are seizing the traders' rifles, cartridges and stores, and the traders are fleeing to Apia. Business is at a standstill, and a strong land force is urgently needed. The offer of New Zealand to send troops to Samoa caused enthusiasm at The inhabitants are also unanimous in the belief that that treaty is a failure, and there is a strong feeling in favor of annexation. Prominent American citizens and British sublects say German annexation is preferable to the triple control, and that unless Mataafa is subdued another war is inevitable within a year. The British third-class cruiser Porpoise

Situations Wanted

WANTED - SITUATION AS HOUSE-KEEPER or nurse. Apply 407 Grey

GENERAL STOCK AT AUCTION. VILLAGE OF ADELAIDE. WILL be sold by auction by Mr. J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street, Lon-

Tuesday, at 2:30 p.m., the 2nd day of May next, the general stock and book debts of Frank Parker, of the village of Adelaide, insolvent. The stock-in-trade amounts to about \$1,250, and the book debts to about \$500. The stock is fresh and in good order, and the opening a most desirable one for a general store.

store. Terms: One-third cash, balance in 30 days. secured.
Stock sheets and list of book debts can be seen at the office of E. Rowland, banker, Strathroy, or at the sheriff's office. London,
D. M. CAMERON, Assignee.
MAGEE, MCKILLOP & MURPHY,
Assignee's solicitors.

On April 17 there was a collision three miles from Apia, which ended in the retreat of the Tanu people. The number killed and wounded was about 70. No Europeans were injured. A British detachment, being in reserve, took no part in the fight.

CABLE NOTES.

Virulent smallpox has appeared simultaneously in various parts of Ger-

It is asserted here that the Emperor of Germany will signalize the opening of the peace conference by granting amnesty to political offenders.

TORNADO I

Creates Devastion in Two Missouri Towns.

Scores of Persons Killed and Over 400 Buildings Wrecked-Almost 1,000 People Injured.

St. Louis, Mo., April 28.-A dispatch from Kirksville, Mo., says that the eastern portion of that place was level-

ed by a cyclone last evening. A second dispatch reports the killing of 37 persons in a tornado at Newton, Mo., 40 miles northwest of Kirksville.

AT KIRKSVILLE.

A special from Kirksville, Mo., says: A gathering storm that had been threatening all afternoon broke upon Kirksville at 6:20 o'clock p.m. in all the fury of a cyclone. A path a quarter of a mile wide, and as clean as the prairie, was swept through the eastern portion of the city, and 400 buildingshomes and mercantile-were leveled to the ground in scattered ruins.

TWENTY-FIVE DEAD BODIES FOUND.

In the heavy rain that followed the people who had escaped turned out to rescue the injured. For two hours not much was accomplished, all was confusion, but by 8 o'clock 25 dead bodies had been taken from the ruins. It is confidently expected that the list of dead will reach between 50 and 60, if it does not exceed that.

ONE THOUSAND INJURED. Almost a thousand people were more or less injured. Daylight will

be necessary before an adequate esti-

mate of loss of life and property can SOME OF THE KILLED. The list of killed so far as known is as follows: Wm. B. Howell, Mrs. W. H. Sherbourne, James Weaver, sen.; Theodore Brigham, Ed Beeman, Mrs. W. W. Green and daughter, Miss Bersie, Mrs. Henry Billington, Mr. A. W. Glase, Mrs. A. W. Glase, Mrs. Ben Green, Mrs. John Larkin, sen., Mrs. T. Mahaffey, Mrs. C. Woods, Mr. A. Little, Mrs. A. Little, Joe Woods, Mrs. Joe Woods. A. W. Rainschott, Mr. A.

A. C. Gibbs, A. C. Beal, James Cunningham, Mrs. Mitchell.

EGYPTIAN DARKNESS. Intense darkness prevailed after the cyclone, and the rescuers were at a disadvantage for a short time until fire broke out in a dozen places in the ruins, and shed light over the scene. No attempt was made to extinguish the fires, partly because the rescuers had no time, and partly because of the need of light. On both sides of the storm's path the debris was piled high and burned flercely. In all probability a number of bodies

have been incinerated. THE STORM'S PATHWAY, The storm struck the eastern portion of the city near that part occupied by the boarding houses of the students of the American School of Oesteopathy, State Ward School, and McWard's University. It was just supper time for the students, and it is thought very probable the list of dead will be well filled with students, as a large number of boarding houses were demolished. As far as known, these three institutions of learning es-

caped the storm. The storm then went northwest, and wiped out Patterson's nursery, pulling the trees out of the ground and hurl-

ing them through the city. A second section of the cyclone follow the first twenty minutes later. It came as an inky, black cloud, widely distributed, and covered the whole town, but passed above the houses, doing no material damage.

THEY MAY STARVE

Leamington Party, Which Started for the Klondike, in Hard Straits.

Windsor, Ont., April 28.-The Peninsula Gold Mining Company's expedi-tion, which left Leamington for the Klondike a year ago, intending to make its way overland by way of Edmonton, N. W. T., has struck hard luck and is

in desperate straits. A letter just received from Dr. Burke, of Blenheim, who is in command of the party since Mayor Johnson, of Leamington, returned home, says that unless money or provisions reach the party within a few weeks they will be

in danger of stavation. MR. KIPLING RETURNING TO

ENGLAND. New York, April 28.—Mr. Rudyard Kipling is to sail for England on May 24, and has already engaged passage

on the steamer Cymric, of the White

Beauty Charm

to any woman that is worth striving for. A clear, white complexion is one of the first requirements of beauty. Hazeline, the new toilet luxury, beautifies and clears the complexion, and renders the skin soft, white and beautiful, like the velvety freshness of youth. It is also excellent for removing all facial blemishes, as sunburn, tan, roughness, etc. ONLY 25 CENTS.

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WANT PEACE

Bearers of a Flag of Truce Enter Gen. MacArthur's Lines

En Route to Manila to Confer With the U. S. Commander. Manila, April 28, 4:25 p.m.-The Filipinos will seek peace. Col. Manuel Argueleses and Lieut. Jos. Bernal, chief

Arthur's line bearing a flag of truce. They are en route for Manila by, train to confer with Gen. Otis regarding terms of surrender.

of Gen. Lunas' staff, entered Gen. Mac-

CONFERENCE FAILED. Manila, April 28-6:25 p.m.-The Fillpino advances for peace were fruitless. Col. Manuel Argueleses and Lieut. Jose Bernal, who came into Gen. MacArthur's lines under a flag of truce, told Gen. Otis that they were representa-tives of Gen. Luna, who had been requested by Aguinaldo to ask Gen. Otis for a cessation of hostilities in order to allow time for the summoning of the Filipino congress, which body would decide whether the people wanted

peace. Gen. Otis replied that he did not recognize the existence of a Filipina government

There will be another conference to morrow. NEWS FROM OTIS.

Washington, D. C., April 28.—General Otis telegraphs the war department this morning that the commanding general of the insurgents has received from the insurgent government directions to suspend hostilities pending negotiations for the termination of the war, and that insurgent staff officers are now on

their way for that purpose. Gen. Otis' dispatch also says: "After taking Calumpit, Macarthur's division crossed the Rio Grande River in the face of great obstacles, driving the concentrated forces of the enemy back on the railroad train two miles. Macarthur reports that the passage of the river was a remarkable achievement, the success of which was due to the daring skill and determination of Col. Funston, under the discriminating control of Gen. Wheaton. W. Rainschott, Mr. A. C. Gibbs, Mrs. Casualties slight; number not yet as-

certained."

FIGHTING IN THE OPEN. Manila, April 28.-At Calumpit, for the first time, a body of insurgents attempted to face the Americans in open ground. The Filipinos in the trenches were dispersed after making a ridiculously feeble resistance; but Gen. Lunas' brigade came upo the field from Macabeles on the double-quick, the two regiments preserving a perfect formation. Gen. Luna finally succeeded in getting them spread in an extended line of battle. But when the American bullets showered thickly among them, the Filipinos again showed that no amount of drilling could fortify them sufficient-

ly to make them face the American rifles.

THE TERRIBLE HEAT.

Fifty Americans were overcome by the heat, and Col. Funston droppped, utterly exhausted after the battle. The men of the Kansas regiment cheered him wildly when he went among them. If the American troops were not fighting the heat as well as the rebels. they might pursue the rebels until they compelled them to scatter into the mountains, but the soldiers are so wilted that they must rest while the insurgents have time to reorganize, dig new trenches, and fortify San Ferndinando, where it is expected they will attempt another battle.

Washington, D. C., April 28.-The dispatch from Gen. Otis was immediately telegraphed to President McKinley at Philadelphia. The officials of the war department all believe that the hostilities are about concluded.

END NEAR.

Wheat sowing in Manitoba is now progressing favorably, a week earlier than last spring, and Hunt Bros. are now hopeful of a plentiful supply of that grandest of wheats for the manufacture of their celebrated "Diamond Flour" for the coming year.

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THE FILIPINOS **BROKE AND RAN**

Successful Attack of Mac Arthur's Division

On the Enemy's Position Across the Rio Grande - Two 'Pino Towns Burned-Gen. Lawton's Force Pushing On.

Manila, April 27-9:45 p.m.-Gen. Mac-Arthur's division crossed the Rio Grande today and advanced on Apalit, completely routing the flower of the rebel army. Most of the rebels fled at Apalit station, where two trains were were simultaneously burned and evacuated by the natives. Twenty prisoners were captured. The American troops also captured a brass cannon and a Aguinaldo, quantity of arms and ammunition, bedes a Maxim gun on the railroad. The fighting lasted from noon until 4 o'clock. The American loss is one man of the Montana Regiment killed and three officers and six more than a six more regiment.

three officers and six men wounded.

The enemy were very strongly entrenched on the river bank, near both sides of the railroad bridge. Gen. Wheaton sent Col. Funston across with two companies of the Twentieth Kanswimming the swift stream with a rope under a galling fire, for the purpose of guiding the raft. The men crossed in squads of twenty, and attacked the left flank of the rebels. The rest of the re-siment was compelled to cross the bridge in single file along the stringers. All the wooden work and much of the iron work had been removed. The First Montana Regiment followed the Kansans across the bridge. The First Nebraska Regiment, acting as a reserve, attacked the rebels in three lines of trenches, driving them out, killing sixteen and wounding many.

REBELS SURPRISED. In the meantime a large body of Filipinos, estimated at no fewer than 3,000, led by Gen. Antonio Luna on a black charger, that was evidently coming to reinforce the rebels who were engaged with the Nebraskans, appeared in the open field, about two miles to the left. Emerging from the jungle the enemy formed an open skirmish line nearly two miles in length, with very thick reserves behind. They then advanced at double quick until they were about 2,000 yards from the American line, when Gen. Wheaton ordered his troops to fire. The rebels, who were evidenty unaware that the Americans had rossed the river, broke and ran in the lirection of Macabelo. The other Fili-pinos fled toward Apalit station.

The heat in the early part of the afternoon was terrific, but a drenching thunderstorm, which came up later, greatly refreshed the Americans. LAWTON'S MOVEMENTS.

Gen. Lawton's advance has been a remarkable demonstration of the resistless energy which characterizes all his undertakings. The last troops forming his column only reached Norzagaray today. The men were badly played out, as during the past two days they have dragged bullock carts over roadiess jungles and through swamps, cutting their own way for miles. They rest three days, and then, with Col. Sumner's command. will resume co-operating with Gen. MacArthur's forces.

COMMITTEE OF MEDIATION. The committee of Filipinos, organizmediate between the Americans and Aguinaldo, fear to approach the rebels after the refusal of the latter to receive the Spanish commissioners. The committee propose to tell Aguinaldo that while no terms except unconditional surrender could be offered, after the lengths to which the war had been carried, they could assure the rebels that they would be treated according to the American traditions of leniency to the conquered, and that there would be no punishments or confiscations of property if they laid down their arms.

trol of the American Government and troops from the Philippine Islands, ed three physicians to make a careful

thus leaving the natives to the mercy of

THE FIGHTING AT CALUMPIT. Calumpit was on fire when the con-certed advance of Gen. MacArthur's division, comprising the brigades of Gens. Hale. Wheaton and Hall, was ordered. The insurgents met the advance with severe fighting. The greater part of Aguinaldo's army was in the town and trenches before it, having made a stand there after thefall of

DEAD REBELS TWO AND THREE DEEP IN THE TRENCHES.

The guns of the Utah artillery did masterful work. They tore great gaps in the trenches and drove the rebels with appalling slaughter. Then the infantrymen charged the trenches. The rebels stood their ground as long as they could and then fled. The dead rebels lay two and even three deep in some places. The trenches were choked with dead bodies.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT American guns, planted in front of Apalit station, where two trains were the Calumpit church, did great execu-awaiting them. They left hurriedly. tion in the Filipino trenches. The The towns of San Vinnente and Apalit

American losses were fifteen killed and wounded, in addition to eight killed in the early fighting in front of the city.

Reports from Spanish sources state

that Gen. Antonio Luna has succeeded

The Reptile Handed to May Cook Over Footlights.

The Vaudeville Artist Took It to Her Dressing-Room and Then Fainted -Cissie Loftus Divorced.

Rochester, April 28.-When Miss May Cook, soloist and violinist, had finished the greater part of her act at the opera house last night, two boxes were handed to her over the footlights by an usher. She laid them on a chair in the wings and finished her turn. She then took up the two boxes and retired to her dressing-room. A moment later the employes heard a piercing shriek and rushed to the dressing-room, to find Miss Cook in a fainting condition, while an ugly-looking copperhead snake writhed and twisted on the floor, thrusting out his poisonous fangs viciously. One of the stage employes crushed the snake beneath his boot and resuscitated Miss Cook with the assistance of other actors.

On the floor of the room the contents of the two pasteboard boxes were strewn in confusion. The larger one was filled with a quantity of handsome carnations, while the smaller one, held by a number of rubber bands, had evidently been the resting-place of the deadly reptile. The snake was taken immediately to Peter Gruber, Rochester's local snake expert. Without hesitation he pronounced it a copperhead, and said that its bite would mean certain

Miss Cook was almost prostrated by the incident, but recovered sufficiently to tell her story. She said that she hadn't the slightest idea as to who had sent the snake. The larger box, she said, had been covered with plain paper, on which was written in an unknown hand: "Yours, etc." The smaller box was not inscribed.

The usher states that he received the packages from a small boy while he was busy seating persons in the theater. The facts in the case have been reported to the police, and the authorities will endeavor to locate the person who sent the snake to Miss Cook-

CISSIE DIVORCED. New York, April 28.-Mrs. Justin Huntley McCarthy, better known by her stage name, Cissie Loftus, was yesterday granted a decree of absolute divorce from her husband, the former member of parliament, and the son of

IN COURT ON A COT

She Claimed She Was Ill and Refused to Appear for a Hearing.

Toledo, Ohio, April 28.-Marie Cicotte THE AMERICAN COMMISSION. Burroughs, the woman arrested on a quickly away, and later Mr. Schmidt the American commission is hamper-charge of perjury, and who was taken discovered that he was minus \$10 by ed in its work of enlisting the support to jail in her night clothes, was more of friendly Filipinos by the fear, expressed by many of the latter, that the "anti-expansionists" may obtain con-She refused to go to the court room. cause the withdrawal of the American claiming she was ill. The judge order-

possession of the \$10 note.

examination of her. The doctors re-ported that she was feigning sickness. Mme. Burroughs refused to leave her bed, where she was put the day before. She was bundled in blankets, put on a

cot and carried into open court. She made no defense and was bound over to the grand jury, bond being fixed at \$1,000. She has not attempted to secure bail, and was carried back to

THE PROBLEM SOLVED.

The New Medical Discovery Tested.

Results of the Test in Various Forms of Dyspepsia.

Chronic indigestion or dyspepsia, while a very common trouble, has for some time been looked upon by able physicians as a very serious thing, and that no time should be lost in treating it properly at the start, because recent researches have shown that the most serious, fatal and incurable diseases have their origin in dyspepsia or indigestion.

Diabetes is simply one form of indigestion, the sugar and starchy food not being assimilated by the digestive organs. In Bright's disease the albumen is not properly assimilated.

While consumption and dyspepsia are twin diseases, and it is beyond question that dyspepsia makes a fertile soil for the seeds of consumption.

But the trouble has been to find a remedy that could be depended upon to cure dyspepsia, as it is notoriously obstinate and difficult to cure.

This has been the question which has puzzled physicians and dyspeptics alike, until the question was solved three years ago by the appearance of the new dyspepsia cure in the medical world known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which it was claimed was a certain reliable cure for every form of stomach trouble.

Physicians, however, would not accept such statements without first giving the new remedy many tests and

carefully observing results.

For three years the remedy has been thoroughly tested in every section of the country and with surprising and satisfactory results.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can honestly be claimed to be a specific, a radical lasting cure for indigestion in the various forms of acid dyspepsia or sour stomach, gas or wind on the stomach, too much bile, undue fullness or depressure after eating and similar symptoms resulting from disordered indigestion. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets were not placed before the public until this three years' trial left no doubt as to their value, and they have recently been placed in the trade and can be found at all druggists at the nominal price of 50 cents a package.

No false claims are made for the remedy. It will not cure rheumatism, pneumonia, typhoid fever nor anything but just what it is claimed to cure, and that is every form of stomach trou-

No dieting is necessary, good wholesome food and plenty of it and you may rest assured that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest it.

Druggists claim for it that it is a pleasure to recommend it to dyspeptics, because it gives such universal satisfaction.

Little book on stomach diseases sent free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

ACTRESS OLIVE HOMANS DEAD. Hyde Park, April 28.-Olive Homans, her home here yesterday. Her performance of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" in the dramatization of Mrs. Burnett's story won her great fame. She was about 20 years of age.

CLEVER FLIM-FLAM TRICK. Detroit, April 28.—A man entered the shoe store of Paul J. Schmidt, at 42 Michigan avenue, and tendered Mr. Schmidt a \$20 bill in payment for some shoe laces. Mr. Schmidt had carefully made change when the stranger quickly announced that he had made a mistake and had intended to give Mr. Schmidt a \$1 bill. Instead, however, he threw a \$10 bill on the counter and took back his \$20 bill. Then he walked the deal, as the stranger had the \$20 the change for that amount and the shoe laces, while Schmidt was only in

Gray hairs that can be counted don't

WELCOME TO

Interesting Session of Local Council of Women-Conveners Appointed.

The regular meeting of the local branch of the National Council of Women was held last night in the lectureroom of the Y. M. C. A., Mrs. Boomer presiding. The attendance was large.

After devotional exercises, Lady Tiluey, of Toronto, was introduced to the members, and received a most hearty reception. Mrs. R. M. Graham, on behalf of the council, presented her with a beautiful bunch of carnations. Mrs. E. M. Tilley, of London, replied on behalf of Lady Tilley.

On motion of Mrs. Graham, a resolution of welcome was tendered Lady Tilley.

The treasurer's report was presented and showed a satisfactory ballance. A resolution expressing sympathy with the early closing movement was passed unanimously.

Mrs. Boomer and Mrs. Morphy spoke on the report, which was handed in, concerning the work being carried on among weak-minded women and children in jails. Mrs. Hutchinson read an interesting paper on this subject, showing the necessity for the proper care of feeble-minded women.

Mrs. Boomer stated that she felt deeply grateful to the press for its generous aid in helping the movement to establish a children's wing at the new hospital. She hoped that by special effort enough money might be made up by autumn, to make the children's ward a success.

Mrs. Tilley asked what action had been taken by the school board re the petition for the establishment of domestic science in the schools. The president, Mrs. Boomer, stated that the petition had only been considered as representing 200 citizens, when in reality it voiced the sentiments of 1,600 or

1.700. Mrs. Tilley read a report on the circulation of impure literature. She said that a large amount of this class of impure reading was being scattered throughout Canada by persons coming from the United States.

The following conveners were appointed: Impure literature, Mrs. Gahan; necessity of state care of feebleminded women, Mrs. Hutchinson; finance, Miss Graydon; care of aged and infirm poor, Mrs. Ingram; emigration, Mrs. Macbeth; laws for better protection of women and children, Mrs. Fitz-

gerald. Mrs. Boomer, president, gave a resume of the work of the International Council. She was deputed to write a paper on the relation between home and school life, and before the meeting closed she asked for all available information re school life in London, as she wished to write a paper of local as well as international interest.

MORE MONEY NOT NEEDED

Hospital Building Committee in Easy Circumstances-No Estimates for Extras.

The hospital building committee met last night with Ald. Douglass in the The cost of the new hospital was increased by another small extra-deafening for the doctors' bedrooms (two) over the engine room-which was ordered by the committee, the cost not to exceed \$60.

Ald. Parnell wanted to know if the committee had its estimates ready.
"There are none," said the chair-

man. "Where's the money coming from for these extras?" asked Ald. Parnell. "We have about \$2,000 on hand," said

Ald. Jolly. Ald. Parnell-There's no use ordering extras if you expect to get money from the council later to pay for them. Do you think, Mr. McBride, there is ample money on hand to meet the extras? Mr. McBride-I do.

The London Electrical Construction Company asked the hospital building committee last night to have inserted in their agreement a provision that the WHATIS

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cumstances over which they have no numbness along his left side. control to prevent the fulfillment of their contract. The request was filed. The company's sureties were accepted. The architect's report that the woodwork in the contagious pavilion would receive one coat of oil and four coats

of oil and lead paint, was laid on the table for further consideration.

CURRENT NEWS

Boston starts the horseshoe trustseven millions.

Canadian bankers declare against a Canadian mint.

Hon. J. I. Tarte will lunch with the Toronto board of trade.

Tarte, Sifton and Paterson at Brantford Liberal dinner tonight.

Sheridan Shook, a noted New York theater proprietor, is dead.

Dr. Oronhyatekha was welcomed back to Toronto yesterday.

Montreal clearing house totals for last week show big advance. Cistern left uncovered at Beeton, and

15-months little tot drowned. Fred Sly, Montreal, killed through riding his wheel alongside the street cars.

Margaret Anderson, New Haven, Conn., ten years for poisoning her husband. Brig.-Gen. Fred Grant is back in

New York, and eager to start for the Philippines. Lots of stealing from the big Toronto departmental stores. Several ar-

rests yesterday. Miss Reford, of Montreal, got forty thousand dollars from her father as a wedding present.

Mrs. Mary Lease, a Kansas social reformer, lectured in favor of Socialism at Toronto on Thursday. Young Sir Charles is now telling how Hugh John Macdonald will whale

Greenway in the coming elections. Internation Congress of Hygiene, at hero. Paris, during World's Fair, proposes to revive the nomenclature of diseases. Washington dispatches say the report of the beef court will be completed this week, and will sustain the administra-

Major H. J. Snellgrove, H. C. R., of the A. O. F., was elected president of the Canadian Fraternal Associa-

tion. Canadian educational institutions want scientific apparatus admitted free, or on more liberal interpretations.

loo have nominated Dr. Lackner, their former candidate, for the Legislative Assembly. Rev. A. W. Chowne, Anglican clergyman, Elmsdale, died suddenly.

The Conservatives of North Water

Must be fine orchids at the Antwerp Exposition. Joseph Smalley and Daniel Lane, while filling a torpedo to "shoot" a well near Bradford, Pa., were blown to bits

by its explosion. Deputy Chief Edward Croker, nephew of Richard Croker, will probably succeed Chief Bonner, resigned from New York's fire department.

James Enright, a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railway, was taken suddenly ill after bringing his train into Windsor on Tuesday. He was taken into to his home on Louis avenue by friends, Pills

contractors be not held liable for cir- and shortly afterwards was selzed with physicians are in doubt as to whether it is paralysis or some nervous disorder. A small fire at W. H. Futcher's

grocery store, on Center street, St. Thomas, Wednesday evening, did damage to the extent of \$1,000. It is asserted that President McKinley had no intention of removing Capt.

Coghlan from the command of the United States cruiser Raleigh. Miss Florence Hazard, of New York, daughter of E. C. Hazard, wholesale merchant, is engaged to Prince Francis

Auersperg, of Austria, extravagant Thirty-five thousand acres have been swept by a prairie fire south of Mitchell, S. D. In an attempt to save prop-

Frank Howard and Al Smith perished. The Canadian Fraternal Association have passed a motion asking the government to defer the proposed bill re-

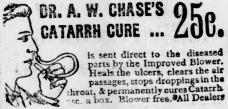
lating to fraternal societies for more consideration. E. Gus Porter, counsel for W. H. Ponton, is trying to get some guarantee that the expenses of witnesses will be met more promptly in the coming re-

trial of his client. The Manhattan Club is moving out, and the famous old A. T. Stewart man-sion, Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth which cost \$2,000,000, may be torn down to make way for a business

United States exports for March aggregated \$102,165,985, of which agricul-tural products amounted to \$59,025,031, and manufactures to \$36,025,733; March, 1899, exports are \$8,600,000 less than those of March, 1898.

At the head of the Confederate memorial day parade in Savannah, Ga., marched two companies of the Second United States regular infantry. They fired a salute to the dead when the Confederate monument was reached. The equestrian statue of Gen. Grant.

presented to the city of Philadelphia by the Fairmount Park Art Association, was unveiled with appropriate cere-monies yesterday by Miss Rose Mary Sartoris, granddaughter of the dead



But few angels have cause to boast of the attention shown them when they happen to be entertained un-

awares. To Cure a Cold in One Night Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets.

All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents. Some of the ancients were pretty swift, but Sampson was the first to get

a gait on him. FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a

depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills—ill a granders in restarting health will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrane and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's

he best known J. A. S. Brunelle, M.D., C.M., Montreal, Professor of Surgery, Laval University Medical Faculty; Surgeon to the Hotel Dieu, etc., says: "I have found it particularly beneficial in the treatment of engements of the liver and of the digestive organs, and conder that the regular use of a preparation of this nature has a scided tendency to prolong life. I am using it in my hospital

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Lute Johnston Drops the Bat for the Shingle.

The Quakers Get in Twenty Runs at Philadelphia.

Racing in England-Tod Sloane Gets Two Firsts and Two Seconds -Other Events.

BASEBALL.

At Philadelphia-

At Brooklyn-

NATIONAL LEAGUE-THURSDAY.

R. H. E.

Philadelphia20	11	1
Batteries-Klobedanz, Streit,		hl
and Clarke; Fraser and McFarla	ınd.	
At Chicago-		
Chicago 4		
Cincinnati 3	8	0
Batteries-Taylor and Donahue	;Ha	w-
ley and Pietz.		
At Washington-		
Washington 2	6	3
New York 7		2
Batteries-McFarland and Mc	Guir	e;
Doheny and Grady.		

Baltimore 2 7 1 Brooklyn 6 8 1 Batteries-McGinnity and Robinson; Hughes and Farrell. WESTERN LEAGUE GAMES. At Indianapolis-Buffalo 3 6 1 Indianapolis 2 10 3

Batteries-Gray and McAuley; Scott and Kahoe. At Detroit-

Columbus 4 . Detroit 3 . Other games prevented by rain. GROUNDERS.

Pitcher Luby is dead at Charleston. All pitchers look alike to Walter Wilmot, who is hitting as hard as ever Eastern fans have discovered that

Tom O'Rourke is a ball player of no mean ability.

Recently Delehanty made five hits in one game. This feat was accomplished only fourteen times last year.

It looks as though the national game is going to enjoy a prosperous year. The attendance at opening games of the National League this year was 70,-877, to 55,518 last year.

Harry Steinfeldt has finally forced Irwin to vacate third base on the Cincinnati team. The former Western Leaguer's batting and fielding are of a superior order this spring.

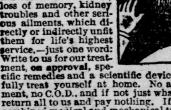
The Inter Ocean pays President John-

son the compliment of having a stronger staff of umpires comparatively than the big league. The men who will do the deciding in this league are Sheridan, Haskell, Cantillon and Mannassau. A letter has been received by a friend in this city from Lute Johnson, addressed from Ballard, Wash. Lute has been located at that place for some

PHYSICAL ERFECTION—the PROMISE and OSSESSION

read these lines.

The manliness of a man depends often on the strength, the vigor of his nature. To those suffering with physical decline, unnatural waste, the results of excesses, loss of memory, kidney troubles and other serious ailments, which directly or indirectly unfit them for life's highest service,—just one word:



ment, on approval, spe-cific remedies and a scientific device, and faith-fully treat yourself at home. No advance pay-ment, no C.O.D., and if not just what you want, return all to us and pay nothing. If you find the combined medical and mechanical treatment the greatest thing on anyth. greatest thing on earth, you keep it and send our reasonable fee. Sent on honor if you'll try on honor. Write for most valuable information, sens rou under plain letter seal.

months. He has a position with a large manufacturing concern in the red cedar shingle business. Ballard has the largest producing factories for shingles in the world, and is in an exclusively lumber country. Johnson has given up baseball altogether, but still retains a fondness for London news.

Dugdale, the well-known catcher,

vho was last year with the Peoria, Ill. team, has endeavored to form a Pacific league, and is now at Seattle, trying

TURE.

racing of the Newmarket first spring meeting yesterday, Mr. J. M. Hanbury's Lowland Beauty won the welter handicap plate of 20 sovereigns. Tod Sloan rode Mr. C. F. Dwyer's Miss Nellie, filly, 6 to 4, but was unplaced. Thirteen

Mr. P. Lorillard's Dominie II., ridden by Sloan, finished second to Mr. Wallace Johnstone's bay colt Harrow, in the race for the Shippenham stakes.

Seven horses ran. The Newmarket two-year-old plate of 200 sovereigns was won by Lord William Beresford's Blacksmith, 1 to 2, with Sloan up. Cutaway was second, and Isaac II. third.

In the March stakes, Tod Sloan, on Lord William Beresford's Borzak, fin-ished second. Mr. W. C. Cooper's New Haven Ti was the winner. This race is 25 sovereigns each for starters, with 500 sovereigns added. Five horses ran. Lord Harewood's Free Companion, 8 to 1, ridden by Sloan, captured a maiden plate. Ten horses ran. This event is of 100 sovereigns. Palmay was second and Wolf third.

The Peel handicap of 100 sovereigns was won by Mr. J. S. Curtis' Pearl Rover, Sir James Miller's Kerosko, ridden by Sloan, finished second. horses ran. AT THE AQUEDUCT.

New York, April 28.-Yesterday's First race, about 7 furlongs-Royster-

er 1, Sir Florian 2, King Barleycorn 3. Time, 1:26%. Second race, 41/2 furlongs-Queen

Anne 1, Tampion 2, Her Ladyship 3. judge a type of himself and employs Time, :56%. the scene of a courtroom to set forth the grandeurs of the great judgment Third race, 5½ furlongs—Boney Boy 1, Dr. Parker 2, Florenzo 3. Time, 1:08. day? Book of Genesis, "Shall not the judge of all the earth do right?" Book

Fourth race, Ozone stakes, 4½ furlongs, selling—Kitchener 1, Peaceful 2, Advance 3. Time, :55½.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Tyrschena 1, Glenoine 2, Dan Rice Sixth race, about 7 furlongs, selling—Maid of Erin 1, Athy 2, Camatop 3.

Time, 1:261/3.

AT NEWPORT. RACING IN ENGLAND. Cincinnati, April 28.—Dohly Weithoff, London, April 28.—At the third day's the hot favorite in the last race, was bowled over. Sim W. beat her a head at the post. Summary: First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Lil-lian Reed 1, Rena Campbell 2, Nellie

Prince 3. Time, 1:291/4. Second race, 41/2 furlongs-Highland Lad 1, Edna Gerry 2, Dramburg 3. Time,

Third race, mile, selling-Piccolo 1, Flop 2, Albert S. 3. Time, 1:42.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs, selling —
Brigade 1, Gen. MacCruder 2, Scrivener Time, 1:15%.

Fifth race, 1% miles, selling-Kris Kringle 1, Henry Launt 2, Fintan 3. Time, 1:55%. Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Sim W. 1, Dolly Weithoff 2, Sauterne 3. Time, 1:141/2.

AT MEMPHIS. Memphis, Tenn., April 28. - Summaries: First race, 4 furlongs, selling-Muey

Chica 1, Gussie Fay 2, Hackmeyester 3. Time. :501/2. Second race, mile, purse-Sea Lion 1, Kentucky Colonel 2, Johly Roger 3. Time, 1:441/4.

Third race, 1½ miles, selling—Jack-anapes 1, Traveler 2, Forget Not 3. Time, 2:381/2. Fourth race, 5 furlongs, the Memphis stakes, 2-year-olds-McMeekin 1, Mark Cheek 2, F. W. Brode 3. Time,

1:03% Fifth race, steeplechase, about two miles-Jack Hayes 1. Partner 2, Captain Kane 3. Time, 4:43¼. Sixth race, 1 mile—Branch 1, Peal 2, Red Pirate 3. Time, 1:441/4.

A Great Man Fallen

Rev. Dr. Talmage on the Life of the Late Stephen J. Field-Worldly Success in Connection With

Christian Character.

Washington, April 24.-Rev. Dr. Tal- | opinion. The Free Church of Scotland, mage took for his text yesterday II. under Chalmers and his compeers, was Samuel, iii., 38: "Know ye not that a dissenting movement. The Bible itthere is a prince and a great man fallen this day in Israel?" He said: Here is a plumed catafalque, followed

by King David, and a funeral oration which he delivers at the tomb. Con-cerning Abner, the great, David weeps Sinai repeated ten time "Thou shalt out his text. More appropriately than when originally uttered we may now utter this resounding lamentation: 'Know ye not that there is a prince Boston 3 6 7 and a great man fallen this day in Philadelphia 20 11 1 Israel?"

the dead shall rise.' Our departed friend come forth a boy

from a minister's home in New England. He knelt with father and mother at morning and evening prayer, learned from maternal lips lessons of piety which lasted him and controlled him amid all the varied and exciting scenes of a lifetime and helped him to die in peace an octogenarian. It is no small advantage to have started from a home where God is honored and the subject of a world's emancipation from sin and sorrow is under constant discussion. The Ten Commandments, which are the foundation of all good law, are the best foundation upon which to build character, and those which the boy, Stephen J. Field, so often heard in the parsonage at Stockbridge were his guidance when, a half-century after, as a gowned justice of the supreme court of the United States, he unrolled his opinions. Bible, hymn books, catechisms, family prayers, atmosphere sanctified, are good surroundings for boys and girls to start from, and if our laxer ideas of religion and Sabbath days and home training produce as splendid men and women as the muchderided Puritanic Sabbath and Puritanic teachings have produced it will a matter of congratulation and thanksgiving.

Notice that our departed friend was a member of a royal family. There were no crowns or scepters or thrones in that ancestral line, but the family the Fields, like a score of families that I might mention, were "the children of the King," and had put on them honors brighter than crowns and wielded influence longer and wider than scepters. That family of Fields traces an honorable lineage back 800 years to Hubertus de la Field, coadjutor of William the Conqueror. Let us thank God for such families, generation after generation on the side of that which is right and good. Four sons of that country minister, known the world for extraordinary usefulness in their spheres, legal, commercial, literary and theological, and a daughter, mother of one of the associate justices of the supreme court. Such families counterbalance for good those families all wrong from generation to gen-

Among the most absorbing books of the Bible is the Book of Kings, which again and again illustrates that though plety is not hereditary, the style of parentage has much to do with the style of descendant. It declares of King Abijam: "He walked in all the sins of father which he had done before him," and of King Azariah: "He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, according to all that his father Amaziah had done." We owe a debt to those who have gone before in our line as certainly as we have obligations to those who subsequently appear in the household. Not so sacred is your old father's walking-staff, which you keep in his memory, or the eyeglass through which your mother studied the Bible in her old age, as the name they bore, the name which you inherited. Keep it bright, I charge you. Trample not under foot that which to your father and mother was dearer than life itself. Defend their graves as

they defended your cradle. Notice also that our illustrious friend was great in reasonable and genial dissent. Of the 1,042 decisions he rendered none was more potent or memorable than those rendered while he was in small minority and sometimes in a min-ority of one. A learned and distinguishlawyer of this country said would rather be the author of Judge Field's dissenting opinions than to be Erie Medical Co., Buffalo, N.Y. the author of the constitution of the United States. The Declaration of Am-We pay Canadian daty. No delay, no expesses | erican Independence was a dissenting

self, Old Testament and New Testament, is a protest against the theories that would have destroyed the world, and is a dissenting as well as a divinenot." For ages to come will be quoted from law books in court rooms Justice Field's magnificent dissenting opinions.

Notice that our ascended friend had

such a character as assault and peril srael?"
alone can develop. The young lawyer of whom we speak today arrived in San the Sabbath day that the soul of Ste-phen J. Field, the lawyer, the judge, pocket. Williamstown College was only phen J. Field, the lawyer, the judge, the patriot, the statesman, the Chris- introductory to a post-graduate course, tian, ascended. It was sundown in which our illustrious friend took while the home on yonder Capitol Hill, as it was sundown on all the surrounding fianism amid the mining camps of Cali-hills, but in both cases the sun set to fornia. Oh, those "forty-niners," as be followed by a glorious sunrise. Hear they were called, through what privathe Easter anthems still lingering in tions, through what narrow escapes, amid nosures ministering and executing law among Yea, village bells, ring softly, ring, outlaws never has been an easy under-taking. Among mountaineers, many of whom had no regard for human life, and where the snap of pistol and bang of gun were no unusual responses, re-

quired courage of the highest metal. Behind a drygoods box, surmounted by tallow candles, Judge Field began his judicial career. What exciting scenes he passed through! An infernal machine was handed to him, and inside the lid of the box was pasted his decision in the Pueblo case, the decision that had balked unprincipled speculators. Ten years ago his life would have passed out, had not an officer of the law shot down his assailant. It took a long training of hardship and abuse and mininterpretation and threat of violence and flash of assassin's knife to fit him for the high place where he could defy legislatures and congresses and presidents, and the world when he knew he was right. Hardship is the grindstone that sharpens intellectual faculties and the sword with which to strike electively for

God and one's country. The reason that life to so many is a failure is because they do not have opposition enough. Opposition develops courage. I like the ring of Martin Luther's defiance when he said to the Duke of Saxony, "Things are otherwise ordered in heaven than they are

at Augsburg.' Notice also how much our friend did for the honor of the judiciary. What momentous scenes have been witnessed in our United States supreme court, on the bench and before the bench. What mighty men stood before that bar pleading in immortal eloquence on questions of national import! Edmund Randolph and Alexander Hamilton and Pinkney and Jermiah Mason and Caleb Cushing, and the weird and irresistible Rufus Choate and George Wood and Charles O'Conor and James T. Brady and Francis B. Cutting and men now living just as pow-

The supreme court has stood so high in England and the United States that the vices of a few who have occupied that important place have not been able to disgrace it, neither the corruption of Francis Bacon, nor the cruelty of Sir George Mackenzie, nor Sabbath desecration of Lord

Castlereagh. To that highest of all tribunals Abraham Lincoln called our friend, but he lived long enough to honor the supreme court more than it had ever honored him. For more than 34 years he sat in the presence of this nation and of all nations a model judge. Fearlessness, integrity, devotion to principle characterized him. No bribe ever touched his hand. No profane word ever scalded his tongue. No blemish of wrong ever marred his character. Fully qualified was he to have his name associated in the history of this country with the greatest of the judiciary.

Ah, how the law honors and sanctifies everything it touches! Natural law. Civil law. Social law. Commer cial law. Moral law. Ecclesiastical law. International law. Oh, the dignity, the impressiveness, the power of It is the only thing before which Jehovah bows, but he bows before that, although the law is of his own making. The law! By it worlds swing. it the fate of centuries is decided. By it all the affairs of time and all the cycles of eternity will be governed. We cannot soar so high, or sink so deep, or reach out so far, or live so long as to escape it. It is the throne on which the Almighty sits.

never hunger."He was the up-and-down out-and-out friend of the Church of Christ. If there had been anything illogical in our religion he would have scouted it, for he was a logician. If there had been in it anything unreasonable, he would have rejected it, because he was a great reasoner. If there had been in it anything that would not stand research he would have exploded the fallacy, for his life was a life of research. Young men of the round world, a religion that would stand the test of Justice Field's penetrating and all-ransacking intellect must have in it something worthy of your confidence. I tell you, now that Christianity has not only the heart of the world on its side, but the brain of the world also. Ye who have tried to represent the religion of the Bible as something pusillanimous, how do you account for the Christian faith of Stephen J. Field, whole shelves of the law library occupied with his magnificent decisions? Goodbye, my dear old friend of more than 30 years. Your words of personal encouragement and good cheer give me the right to offer words of commemoration. So let me sprinkle over the newly-made grave this handful of heather

of Deuteronomy, "The Lord shall judge his people." Book of Psalms, "God Is Judge himself." Book of the Acts,

"Judge of quick and dead." Book of

Timothy, "The Lord the righteous judge." Never will it be understood

how God honors judges and courtrooms

until the thunderbolt of the last day shall pound the opening of the great

assize—the day of trial, the day of clearance, the day of doom, the day of

judgment. The law on the case on that

occasion will be read, and the indict-

ment of ten counts, which are the

Ten Commandments. Justice will plead

the case made against us, but our glor-

ious advocate will plead in our behalf

Father, Jesus Christ the righteous."

Then the case will be decided in our

clearance, as the judge announces,

"There is now, therefore, no condemna-

tion to them who are in Christ Jesus."

To have done well, all that such a

profession could ask of him, and to

have made that profession still more

honorable by his brilliant and sublime

life, is enough for national and inter-

national, terrestrial and celestial con-

gratulation. And then to expire beau-

tifully while the prayers of the church

were being ordered at his bedside, the

trance as the door of earth opened for

his departure, the sob of the earthly

never die. Yes, Stephen J. Field lived

and died in the faith of the old-fash-

Young man, I want to tell you that Justice Field believed in the Bible

from lid to lid, a book all true either

as doctrine or history, much of it the

history of events that neither God nor

wine of the Holy Sacrament and ate the

bread of which "if a man eat he shall

man approves. Our friend drank the

ioned Christian religion.

farewell caught up into raptures that

door of heaven opened for his en-

"we have an advocate with the

one greatly beloved: Neighbor, accept our parting song; The road is short, the rest is long; The Lord brought here, the Lord takes

from the Scotch highlands, in the hymn

which the people of that land of An-

drew Melville and John Knox are apt to

sing on their way to the grave of some-

hence: This is no house of permanence.

On bread of mirth and bread of tears The pilgrim of these checkered years; Now, landlord world, shut to the door, The guest is gone forever more.

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The Exodus.

It is true that Liberal newspapers and politicians had a good deal to say about the exodus in days gone by. The drain on the life blood of the country was felt in every city, town and village in the land, but more especially in the rural districts of the older Provinces. The Conservatives could not ignore it; they could only try to explain it. It was said that the better elements of the population remained, and that those who left could best be spared. As one orator put it, "the winnowed chaff is blown away, but the grain is left behind." This was an insult to every family in which the exedus had made a breach, and there were few families in which it had not. The truth was that those who were leaving Canada were largely young, ambitious men, the class most needed to build up and develop their own Dominion. This efflux of young energy was a matter of painful concern to every well-wisher of his country. We all remember what a thrill of disappointment followed the publication of the last census. It showed the population in the ten years, 1881 to 1891, to have risen from 4,324,810 to ditions being the power to purchase 4,833,239, a gain of only 508,429. Ac- and invest in and loan upon the secucording to the Government reports one million immigrants had entered Canada in those ten years; but the census discovered that in 1891 the number of foreign-born residents in this country was only 38,044 greater than in 1881. Not only had we failed to hold the natural increase of the native-born population, but the mass of immigrants, on whom the Dominion spent some millions of dollars, had passed over to the United States as well. It would have been surprising if this revelation had not called forth severe criticism of the public policy under which the ruinous movement had been going on.

During the last two or three years Canada has been revelling in a prosperity which is like a new lease of life. The Conservatives cannot deny it; as was the case with the exodus, they can this is taking away to the extent of such only try to explain it. They attribute it to the retention of their own fiscal tate security, which has always been policy, but the Liberals take issue with the distinguishing feature of loan comthem on that point. Both parties, how- panies. ever, agree that the country is prosperous, and until a short time since they were agreed that as a result of that the powers of trust companies. It is prosperity the drain on the population of Canada had ceased. The leading Conservative organ, the Toronto Mail,

said a few weeks ago: "It is satisfactory to point out that Canadians are not now going in any the powers of trust companies upon number to the United States, but that loan companies—that is, some loan large numbers of residents of the Unit- companies now have the power to ined States are coming into Manitoba, the vest in the stocks of other companies, Territories and British Columbia. The Canada during the fiscal year 1898 was in a trust company, or, for that mat-

\$2,322,000, and the value from all ter, organize one, and when such a countries \$2,836,000. The exodus is a nower has been given to one company matter of history. Lately the Opposition profess to have discovered that the exodus is still in that power by special act-nor does it progress. A dispatch from the other seem right that any company should side reports a large influx from Quebec and the Maritime Provinces into the New England States. The report ter of course. may or may not be exaggerated, but the Opposition, without waiting to ascertain the facts, are flaunting it in the face of the Government, and that every power which will make loan through their party organs are trying companies actual land banks and ento create the impression that the calamity which marked their own rule conferred upon them, and that they has set in again. The Mail is atoning should be placed in a position to comfor its former candor by printing pete with their competitors, the inalarmist editorials on the subject of surance and trust companies, and given the exodus, while the London Free at least as large powers as they possess. Press goes into particulars and records the fact that a French-Canadian family "starved out of Canada" have crossed at Windsor in a and the loan companies appear to have prairie schooner, bound for Ohio. reached a point where in the interests On Wednesday, by preconcerted ar- of all concerned more extensive powers rangement, the question of the exodus was sprung in both the Commons and powers conferred by one general act the Senate by Opposition members, with the very palpable desire of making political capital. Conservatives used to hurl reproaches at the Liberals for alluding to the hegira of young Canadians to the United States, but in those days it was a real danger to which they called attention. There is no excuse for the present course of the this side of the border, but Michigan's Conservative party, because the tide experience has been disastrous, accor 1has now turned. Canada is now getting more population from the United Press says: States than the United States is getting from Canada. The Liberals challenge the Conservatives to deny this. The United States, like Canada, is enjoying an era of good times, and it is only natural that many Canadians should be attracted to the large American centers by the improved prospects of employment there. Thousands of French-Canadians who work in the factories of the New England States habitually return home when times are dull and go back to the States when things change for the better. If there is a movement of this kind it is evidently confined to Quebec. There is no

the country—the country knows when it is well off. The next decennial census will be

symptom of an exodus in Ontario.

Manitoba, the Northwest Territories

and British Columbia are having the

biggest boom in their history. A news

paragraph, which escaped editorial

supervision, appeared in the Mail on

Wednesday, relating that Americans

were pouring into British Columbia. In

face of the plain fact that this is Can-

eda's growing time—that the United

States is giving us more population

than she is taking from us, and that

immigration from Europe to Canada is

larger than for years—the Opposition will fail to disturb public complacency

by holding the exodus scarecrow up to view. It is the wrong time to decry

Loan Corporations Bill.

We believe, in connection with this question, that wherever a general act can be framed just in its provisions towards all, it is better that such an act be passed than that every company should operate under a separate act. There are applications for private acts before the House of Commons this session, and also a general act, relating to loan corporations, which was introduced and passed through the Senate at the last session.

Section 27 of the general act is one of its most important provisions, and defines the powers of such companies. It is not identical with the powers a!ready conferred upon some companies and sought at this session by others. The most important difference appears to be the power to lend on or purchase the stocks of any chartered bank or incorporated company if incorporated by the Parliament of Canada or any of the Provincial Legislatures.

No doubt these extra powers have been sought by loan companies because of the increasing difficulty to find investments at remunerative rates within the powers hitherto possessed by them, and because in that field they must meet the competition of insurance companies, trust companies and private moneylenders, who are not restricted as they are.

We favor granting all loan companies the powers possessed by some and sought by others, the two principal adrities of bank stocks and other stocks as mentioned, and also the power to act as trust companies. We quite understand the danger of what we advocate, and the possibility of abuse, but the strength of any company depends upon the wisdom of its management, and enlarged powers will give greater opportunity to make money, and if wisely exercised will be profitable. One can understand the case of two loan companies, for instance, both of whom have savings banks and debenture liabilities to the full limit, and where one or both desire to acquire the other, and each buys up a controlling interest in the stock of the other, then the stock and security of one of the companies is gone, and the assets of one or other of the two companies diminished to that extent. It can be seen, too, that investments the character of real es-

We do not see where the danger is in conferring upon all loan companies peculiarly in their line. They have all the machinery. They have the officials necessary at the least expense to give the best attention. One consideration seems conclusive in favor of granting settlers' effects brought into and could buy up a controlling interest The exodus is a power has been given to one company, it cannot be reasonably or fairly refused to any other company seeking be driven to obtain in a roundabout way what should be granted as a mat-

> There are other considerations of importance in the bill, but these are the two most important. It is reasonable able them to act as trustees should be Our banks have succeeded well with extensive powers. They might not have succeeded so well if restricted, are desirable. We prefer to see these rather than a number of special private

Michigan's Misfortune.

The Grand Rapids Press has an editorial under the rather startling headline, "Our War With Canada." There are no visible signs of the conflict on ing to all accounts from that state. The

"The rataliatory action of the Province of Ontario, due to the lumber schedule of the Dingley law, has practically destroyed to the amount of many millions the value of investments by Americans in Canadian forests. It has also practically destroyed a great Michigan industry along the eastern shore and rendered of no value thousands of dollars invested in mills and manufacturing plants. Michigan in particular has paid heavily for a law whose principal purpose was the enrichment of a comparatively few pine land barons in the south."

The Press is in a position to know the state of affairs in Michigan, but it is not so well informed as to Ontario when it says:

"As American capital cannot continue operations in the Province under the existing conditions, and as the Dingley tariff forbids the profitable employment of Canadian capital in the lumber business, industry is at a standstill. The value of property has depreciated, and the population having no opportunity

to labor or traffic, is drifting away." Ontario can smile at this melancholy picture. Our lumbermen, by their own admission, are doing well, and not at all dependent on American favor. Industry is not at a standstill, property has not depreciated, the population is not drifting away. In fact, Ontario was never so happy and prosperous before. There is no disposition in this Province to gloat over the misfortune of Michigan, though some of the lumber barons of that State are as much held in 1991, and we predict it will tell ber barons of that State are as much hope for a boy after he once the Americans have after he once the Americans have a far more cheerful story than in 1891. responsible for it as the southern pine forms the habit. The prohibition of come formidable competitors with Eng-

galled jades are now wincing. A redeeming feature is the candor with which the Michigan press throws the blame on the selfishness of American lumber interests. If Congress would view it in the same light, there would soon be an end of the trouble. The people of Canada have no wish to get into a tariff snarl with their neighbors. They only ask fair play.

Times must be good when Italy has

The latest American octopus is a horseshoe trust. But it can't corner the market in good luck.

The Opposition's squeal about the exodus is merely a confession that they find it hard work bucking against pros-

If the National Policy is still in force, as Sir Charles Tupper claims, why should there be any exodus from

It isn't the exodus from Canada our Conservative friends are worrying about. It's the exodus from the Conservative party.

The Board of Works needs \$75,000 this year, but will only ask \$39,000. This is a desperate effort to keep down the tax rate, but streets and sidewalks will have to suffer. We owe it to the mismanagement of last year's council.

The Uitlanders of the Transvaal are asking for Canadian sympathy. They deserve our sympathy, because they made the mistake of going to the Transvaal instead of coming to Canada. This country has more gold than all Africa.

The population of Boston is classified as follows: Irish, 220,000: old Americans, 80,000; Scotch, 35,000; Jews, 30,-000; Germans, not Jews, 30,000; Italians, 20,000; French, 10,000; Scandinavians, 10,000; negroes, 10,000; Portuguese, 4,000; Chinese, 1,000; various, 17,000. Americans must feel lonesome there

The Toronto News ingeniously suggests that the United States might get rid of its race problem by shipping the colored folks to the Philippines. The Philippines are already thickly populated, but as the natives are being killed off rapidly there may be room for the American negroes by and bye. But would the browns and the blacks assimilate more readily than the blacks

Observations.

A citizen who has given much attention to the subject, writes me as fol-

"I am glad to notice, from a recent ssue of your paper, that some of the philanthropically disposed people of our city are becoming aroused to the pernicious effects of the deadly cigarette. On the evidence of a reputable gentleman of this city, who has kept his eyes open, and watched the boys who congregate in Queen's Park every evening, as well as on Saturdays and Sundays, not more than one boy in twelve is free from this vice.

"If this is true, then it is time for parents and citizens generally to arouse themselves. Who are these boys? They must be the boys in attendance at our day schools and Sunday schools-the sons of our church members-the boys we are wont to look upon as our best boys, and above any vice of this character.

"It may be that many parents look upon this habit as comparatively harmless. Just see what a medical man-a member of the board of education in a neighboring city says: 'I say deliberately that cigarette smoking is as bad as opium smoking. A cigarette fiend will lie and steal, just as a morphine or opium fiend will.'

"Everybody knows how the mental and moral faculties of the opium eater are distorted, and it would seem that the effects of the cigarette are sim-

ilar. "A merchant in this city employed in his office a lad fresh from school, the son of one of our best families. In the course of a few days he found that he was incapable of applying himself to his work for any length of time. On questioning him, he ascertained that he was a cigarette smoker, and was endeavoring to quit it, but found it impossible. After ten minutes close application, his hands would tremble, his face become ashy gray, and a cold perspiration break on his face. The merchant tried to help and encourage him, but was eventually obliged to dismiss him.

"A school inspector says: 'It is the universal testimony of teachers in the public schools that those of the pupils who are in the habit of smoking cigarettes are invariably sluggish, languid and unreliable, mentally, and often incapable of applying them-selves to study, and without exception the poorest students of the school.'
"Of course I know that this condition of affairs will be deplored by parents who read this, and that mentally they will thank God that their boys

are not tainted. But, in the name of goodness, whose boys are they? They must belong to somebody! 'Not long ago a lady was deplorrelated a number of instances as detailed to her by her own boy-of boys habit, as being confirmed smokers. A few days later this same boy was found in a neighboring yard, encouraging the feeble efforts of a little fellow barely out of his kilts to smoke, and in time it was found that this same boy was considered by the other boys one of the most accomplished smokers in the neighborhood, "With such evidence as this, whose

Yes, I have had considerable experience with cigarette smokers, and my conviction is that there is not much hope for a boy after he once

hostile tariff on Canadian lumber. The phone 1046. THE RUNIANS, GRAY, CARRIE CO. Store Open Saturday Night Till 10.

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Saturday is clothing day the world over. Your new spring suit should be selected this Saturday while the stock is at its best, Tables and counters literally laden with winsome weaves. Settle in your mind the price you intend to pay and then see how perfectly the merchandise fits the figures. The items for example for Saturday:

Boots and

Saturday will be another recordbreaker in our boot and shoe department. Never before in the history of this business have so many strictly first-class shoes found their way from our shelves to the feet of delighted customers. Our styles are correct. Our prices are winning us many new friends. This is what you expect. This business grows. Our methods are modern. Our values appreciated. The keenest buyers buy here.

Saturday Specials.

150 pairs Women's Dongola, machine sewed, tipped, laced and button boots; very special, for Saturday 95c 45 Women's Glazed Dongola, M. S. kid tipped, button boots; Saturday\$1 25

We invite careful inspection of our specially selected lines of women's vici kid, kid tipped, turn soles, made on new, stylish lasts, every pair fully guaranteed, laced and button boots,

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Our Women's Oxford Shoes, at 75c, 95c, \$1, \$1 25 to \$2 50, are masterpieces of the shoemaker's art at the price.

Extra Special for Saturday.

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Misses' Dongola M. S. flexible soles, patent tip, button boots, regular \$1 25; Saturday Our Men's Department is now replete in new, stylish footwear, for present wear.

Saturday we will sell Men's Bos-

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Clothing ...

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AT \$7 50-13 Men's Sack Suits, in fine all wool tweeds, fancy pat-tern, Italian linings, silk sewn, all bright, new goods, perfect fitting; special, at\$7 59

AT \$2 19-Boys' 2-Piece Suits, in light and dark colors, linings, regular \$2 50 to \$3; very special, at\$2 19

Boys' Fancy Vestee Suits, sizes 21 to 25, all fresh, new goods, latest styles; special, at \$2, \$2 50 to\$4 50 Men's Odd Pants, in good, strong

tweeds, all sizes, worth \$1 50; special at\$1 00 Men's Fine All Wool Tweed
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the manufacture and importation seems the only remedy.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker, Congregationalist, pastor of the celebrated City Temple Church, London, Eng., is perhaps the ablest and most versatile living preacher who today employs the English tongue. His recent somewhat sensational sermon has been telegraphed to the ends of the earth. It may be wise to wait the full report of the address, so as to note the exact language, and the setting, before passing judgment. Since Beecher, there has been no speaker whose utterances are so thickly studded with thoughts or so versatile in form. He is thoroughly democratic; a man of the people; the self-made son of a stone mason; in his 69th year; fearless as

A constant reader is of the opinion that there is nowadays too much clamor for moral reform by legislation, instead of by education. The latter must always be the foundation for the former. The work of education is never superfluous, seeing that new generations are constantly arising who need just as much instruction as the generation preceding. Who is doing this work?

"Yes," said a well known expert on the subject, "the rate of interest has made a big drop within the last ten years, and the rate will not again be high in a hurry."

What Others Say.

Nothing New. [Peterboro Times.] After all, what is wireless telegraphy

but a later phase of the old habit of having words over nothing? What Canada Is Missing.

[Boston Herald]

It is sad to see Canada placing undue burdens on American drummers. She thus deprives herself not only of good bargains, but of most of the latest and newest stories.

A Sure Sign. [Hamilton Herald.]

Boss Croker proposes that the States shall "swap the Philippines for Canada or a part of Canada." And now we ing the prevalence of this vice, and must believe the Republican papers when they say that Tammany's boss is a very ignorant man.

Standing Up for Coghlan. iNew York Journal.]

We love Capt. Coghlan for his bravery and his manliness, and our German neighbors might as well understand that there is no disposition here to draw and quarter him for so slight an indiscretion.

Great Britain's Industrial Greatness.

[Monetary Times.] In many branches of the iron trade, the Americans have unquestionably be-

land; but on this side of the Atlantic the force of that competition is some-times grossly exaggerated, as if it portended the near eclipse of Great Britain's industrial greatness, of which no real signs are visible. There are mechanics in Toronto in the iron trades who have been offered good wages and a three years' engagement to go to

Light and Shade.

Reticence in One Thing.

There are people who can do all fine and heroic things but one-keep from telling their happinesses to the unhappy.-Pudd'nhead Wilson.

Poor Adam.

A Sunday school teacher not long ago gave her class a rather graphic description of how Eve was created from the rib of Adam. "Mamma," said the youngest member of the class, that same evening, pressing his hand to his side, "I'm afraid I'm going to have a wife."

Dinner for Three.

The great composer, Handel, was an enormous eater. It is said that at a always ordered dinner for "Dinner is quite ready, sir, the company come," said a waiter to him one day. "Den pring up de dinner," said the Anglicized German; "I am de gompany!"-Chicago Journal.

Compensation. For everything you have missed you have gained something else; and for everything you gain, you lose something.—Emerson.

Knew What She Wanted. He (rich but frugal)-What shall we have to drink, Jenny-beer, ginger ale, champagne cider—?
She—Oh, yes! I love champagne;
never mind the cider!—Harlem Life.

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MARKETS N6666666
London, Friday, April 28.
Wheat, white, per bu701/2c to 72c
Wheat, red, per bu70½c to 72c
Wheat, spring, per bu70c to 71c
Oats, per bu34c to 36c
Peas, per bu
Ccrn, per bu394c to 4040

Rye, per bu56c to 56c The receipts were light, as usual on Friday. No changes in quotations. St. Thomas .. arket. St. Thomas, April 28.-Wheat, per bu,

70c; oats, 33c to 35c; peas, 45c to 50c; harley, 38c to 40c; corn, 45c to 50c; beans, 80c to 90c; clover seed, \$3 30 to \$3 50; timothy, \$1 70. Oil Markets.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 28.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 13.

PETROLIA, April 28.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 40.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 28.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 13.

English Markets.

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

WHEAT	2	4.	2	5.	1	26.	2	7.
Red Winter	6	0	0	0	6	01/2	6	0%
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	4	6	41/2	6	4%	6	4
No. 1 Cal	6	5	6	53%		5	6	5
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	5	7%	5	71/8	5	71/2		81/8
July	5	7 1/8		77/8	0	0	5	81/8
CORN-								
New	3	514	3	5	3	51/2	3	51/2
Old	3	614	3	61/2		6	3	614
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	3	51/4	3	53%	3	5	3	53%
July	3	514	3	55/8		53%	3	534
Flour	17	9	17	9	17	9	17	9
Peas	5	7	5	7	5	7	5	7
Pork	42	6	42	6	42	6	42	6
Lard		6	27	3	27	3	27	0
Tallow	23	9	23	9	23	9	23	9
Bacon, light		8	29	6	29	6	29	6
Cheese, white	52	6	52	6	52	0	51	6
Cheese, colored			52	6	52		51	6
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American Markets. AMOFICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 27.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 May. 71½c; July. 72c to 72½c; Sept., 71½c. Corn—No. 2 May, 33½c; July. 34½c to 34½c; Sept., 35½c to 55½c. Oats—No. 2 May, 26½c; July. 24c; Sept., 22c, Mess pork—May. \$8 95; July. \$9 12½; Sept., 29 30. Lard—May, \$5 15; July. \$5 27½; Sept., \$9 30. Lard—May, \$5 15; July. \$5 27½; Sept., \$9 30. Lard—May, \$5 16; July. \$5 27½; Sept., \$6 42½. Short ribs—May. \$4 67½; July. \$4 82½; Sept., \$4 95. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, quiet and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 71½c to 72½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 67½c to 72½c; No. 2 corn, 34½c; to 72c; No. 2 red, 75c to 76½c; No. 2 corn, 34½c; No. 2 yellow, 34½c to 35c; No. 2 oats, 27½c; No. 2 white, 30c to 30½c; No. 3 white,

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., says: I had a bad attack of La Grippe and my cough was so severe that I had great difficulty in breathing. After taking two bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup I was com-

There are plenty of "Pine" prepara-tions on the market trying to live on the reputation and merits of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, so always insist on the genuine. Price 25c. at all dealers.

29c to 30c; No. 2 rye, 53c; No. 2 barley, 37c to 44c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 16; Northwest, \$1 20; prime timothy seed, \$2 22%; mess pork, \$8 26 to 39; lard, \$6 12% to \$6 15; short ribs, \$4 50 to \$4 85; dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c; short clear sides, \$4 90 to \$5; sugars, cutloaf, \$5 25; granulated, \$5 45; clover, contract grade, \$6 25; eggs, steady, fresh, 12%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 12,000 bbls; wheat, \$4,000 bushels; corn, 288,000 bushels; oats, 75,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 90,000 bushels; corn, 758,000 bushels; oats, 551,000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; barley, 62,000 bushels.

Dairy Markets.

Dairy Markets.

KINGSTON, April 27.—Cheese boarded, 280 white and 30 colored; 9½c offeed for the lot. The first regular meeting this season of the Frontenac cheese board was held today. There were 310 boxes of white cheese boarded; no sales on the board. Cheese was sold afterwards at 91/4c.

sold afterwards at 9½c.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Butter steady; western creamery, 14½c to 17c; do factory, 12½c to 15½c; state dairy, 14c to 16½c; do creamery, 14½c to 17c. Old cheese easy; large white, 12c; small white, 12¼c to 12¾c; large colored, 12c; small colored, 12¼c to 12¾c; new cheese easier; large, 9¾c; small, weak, at 9¼c to 9½c.

CHICAGO, April 27.—Butter quiet and easy; creameries, 12c to 16c; dairies, 11c to 14c. Cheese weak; creameries, 12½c to 12½c.

the Hide Market.

Toronto, April 27.-The receipts are small, the market here is bare, and there is a good demand at firm prices for all offering. No. 1 green are quoted here at 84c. Local dealers quote cured at 8%c.

Sheepskins are quiet with moderate offerings, and the market is steady, at \$1 for the best.

Calfskins—The supply is fair, there is a good demand, and the market is steady, at 10c for No. 1 and 8c for No. 2. Lambskins are in fair supply, and

Tallow—The offerings here are small, there is a good demand, and the market is firm. Local dealers are offering 4½c and asking 4¾c to 5c.

Live Ltock Markets. CHICAGO, April 27.-There was a good general demand for cattle today, and prices were unchanged; fancy grades brought \$5 50 to \$5 70; choice steers, \$5 10 to \$5 45; mediums, \$4 60 to \$4 80; beef steers, \$4 10 to \$4 55; stockers and feeders, \$3 70 to \$5 15; bulls, \$2 60 to \$4 25; western fed steers, \$4 25 to \$5 25; Texas steers, \$4 to \$5 10; calves, \$4 to \$6 60. Trade in hogs was brisk at essentially unchanged prices; fair to choice, \$3 87½ to \$4; heavy packers, \$3 65 to \$3 85; mixed, \$3 70 to \$3 90; butchers', \$3 75 to \$3 95; light, \$3 70 to \$3 95; pigs, \$3 35 to \$3 80. Business in sheep was lively at steady prices; prime Colorado wooled lambs sold at \$6 10-an advance of 5c; wooled western lambs brought \$5 50 to \$5 65; shorn native lambs, \$5 25 to \$5 40, and common to fair lots, \$4 25 to \$5 20; shorn sheep, \$4 75 to \$5 15; exporters, \$5 to \$5 10; culls, \$3 to \$4; spring lambs, \$9 to \$12 50 per 100 lbs. Receipts—Cattle, 8,000; hogs, 26,000; sheep, 12,000.

MONTREAL, April 27.-The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 250 head of cattle, 200 calves, 50 sheep and 50 lambs. The demand was fairly good, and prices were fairly maintained. Cattle, choice, sold at 5c to 51/4c per lb; good at 41/4c to 41/4c per lb, and lower grades at 2½c to 3½c per lb. Calves sold at \$2 to \$10, according to size. Sheep brought from 4c to 41/4c per lb; spring lambs sold from \$3 to \$6 each; yearling lambs at 5c to 51/2c per lb. Hogs brought from \$4 60

mand and steady; choice to extra were quotable at \$5.75 to \$6; good to choice, \$5 50 to \$5 75. Sheep and lambs-The market was generally dull and lower, with 37 loads on sale, including 6 loads left over; clipped lambs, choice to extra, \$5 50 to \$5 75; good to choice, \$5 25 to \$5 50; common to good, \$5 to \$5 25; sheep, choice to extra, \$4.75 to \$5; good to choice, \$4.50 to \$4.75; wooled lambs, choice to extra, \$6 40 to \$6 65; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 40; common to fair, \$5 75 to \$6; sheep, choice to extra, \$5.50 to \$5.60; good to choice, \$5.25 to \$5.50; common to fair, \$350 to \$450; on the close the market was weak and there were about 15 loads left over unsold. Hogs-The offerings were 20 loads, and the market opened fairly active; light weights were a little better and good weights and pigs steady; Yorkers sold at \$4 to \$405, with more sales at the outside figure than yesterday; medium, \$4 05 to \$4 10; mixed, \$4 05 to \$4 10; heavy roughs were hard to sell, even on the basis of \$3 35 to \$3 50, most of the sales being at \$3; the offerings were well

cleaned up and steady on the close. NEW YORK, April 27.-Beeves-Receipts, 494; no trading; feeling steady. Cables lower; American cattle, 11c to 12c per lb; refrigerator beef, 9c per lb. Shipments, 20 cattle and 196 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 156; market steady; all sold; ordinary to prime veals, \$5 to \$6 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,283; steady and all sold; wooled sheep nominal: fair to good clipped do, \$4.75 to \$4 871/2; fair unshorn lambs, \$6 75; fair to prime clipped do, \$5.75 to \$6.25; spring lambs, \$5 each. Hogs-Receipts, 4,406; market firm, at \$4 05 to \$4 25.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, April 27 .- Prices for cattle here and in London are lower today. American steers sell at 11c to 12c (dressed weight); live sheep are un-changed at 13c to 14c (dressed weight); lambs, 14c to 141/2c; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c per 1b.

Middlesex.

Mr. Andrew Clanahan has completed his assessment of Glencoe for the present year. His returns show the total assessment to be \$296,555, an increase of \$8,715 over last year. total number of persons in families is 1,035, 16 more than in 1898. Births during the past year were 9, and deaths 2. There are 16 hogs, 19 cattle, 63 horses and 60 dogs. The number of acres assessed is 42914. Income assessment, \$3,-00; personal property, \$26,650. Mrs. T. O. Currie, fourth line, Ade-

laide, met with an accident the other day that will confine her to her room for some weeks. While house-cleaning she fell, breaking one bone in her leg in two places and fracturing the knee. The West Middlesex license commis-sioners have granted the following licenses: Strathroy—W. T. Gunn, James Alexander, B. G. Roach, J. W. Prang-ley and J. B. Land; shop license, P. ley and J. B. Land; shop license, P. O'Dwyer; wholesale, Brewing and Malting Company. Glencoe—R. Mc-Kellar, P. McAlpine and A. McRae. Mount Brydges—George Bignall, A. Graham. Wardsville—J. Wilson, Newbury—R. T. Lord. Melboarne—R. Robb. Appin—Mrs, Donnelly. Delaware—F. Larris, Napier—O. Gough Jarvis. Napier-O. Gough.

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THE CIVIL SERVICE SATURDAY

Mr. Monk's Specious Bill Thrown Out by the House.

The Premier Points Out Its Grave Defection.

Railway Passes Discussed - A Possible Remedy Suggested-A Yukon Tangle Straightened Out.

Ottawa, April 28.—The House yester-day threw out two bills of interest— Mr. Bostock's, to compel railway companies to issue passes to members of parliament, and Mr. Monk's, to comparliament, and Mr. Monk's, to compel the government to grant to every civil servant who is discharged, a statement of all particulars as to the complaints against him. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in advising the withdrawal of Mr. Bostock's bill, suggested that a proposition to compel subsidized railary ways to issue passes to members of ways to issue passes to members of parliament, coupled with the abolition of mileage allowance, would probably be fairly considered by the house. The bill was lost without a division.

ASKING QUESTIONS. Mr. Isaac was informed by Sir Louis Davies that the total cost to Canada of the Behring sea commission was \$140,781, of which \$13,903 was paid for traveling expenses of ministers, and \$51,177 for living and traveling expenses of secretaries, attendants, etc., etc., including Canada's proportion of the expenses at Paris. The amount paid for local expenses was \$71,847 paid for legal expenses was \$71,847. Col. Hughes was informed that the 2-cent purple domestic stamp would cease to be issued when the stock in hand was exhausted, having been sup-erceded by a red stamp, in conformity with the regulations of the postal convention.

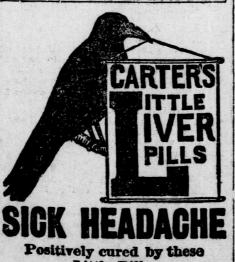
Mr. Clarke was told by Mr. Sifton that the bonus upon immigrants paid by Canada was the same as under the previous government.

TRADE WITH THE YUKON. Col. Prior drew the government's attention to the action of the United States' custom officials at Skaguay in

refusing to pass goods from British Columbia destined for the Yukon. Mr. Sifton said the difficulty arose owing to a misunderstanding by the officers of the Northwest Mounted Police of their instructions. The police were situated at the provisional boundary at the summit, and the Canadian customs officials six miles further in-land. At the boundary the police undertook to stop the United States officials in charge of bonded liquor, and the latter refused to deliver the goods except to the Canadian customs. Instructions had been given to the police officers to allow the United States officers to proceed, and latest reports indicated that the trouble was over, and goods were going through without interruption.

THE CIVIL SERVICE ACT. Mr. Monk (Con., Jacques Cartier) moved the second reading of a bill to amend the civil service act, providing that while all appointments to the service shall be "during pleasure," upon his removal a civil servant shall, upon application to the head of his department, be entitled to obtain a service, reason for his removal, nature chiefly among officers whose time was of complaint against him, names of not occupied with their duties, and the EAST BUFFALO, April 27.—Cattle— complainants, the decision thereon, All receipts were consigned through; and a copy of the proceedings of an calves were in liberal supply; fair de- inquiry held in his case. The bill been deprived of employment because be appointed or promoted to any place below that of a deputy head unless he has passed the requisite examination and served the specified probationary term. It was proposed to make the clause respecting certificate of dismissal retroactive as regards persons dismissed since July 1896. The necessity for such an act, he pointed out, was shown in the wholesale dismissals without cause being assigned which had taken place under the present administration, whose policy had been to introduce the United States spoils system rather than the English system, which was intended to pre-

vail in this country. AN INTOLERABLE LAW. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he did the mover no injustice when he said that the honorable member had discussed it more from an American than from a British point of view, as though he had forgotten that we are not under American but British rule. The honorable gentleman has discussed the bill as if the government existed for the civil service, instead of the civil service existing for the government. If the bill became law the whole system of responsible government such as we have it in Canada would become nil. The civil servant has no more right than the ordinary employe, but exactly the same as any other ordinary servant. He asked his honorable friend if such a law as he had proposed would be tolerated anywhere else but in the civil service. Of course, if a servant be dismissed from office, whether public or private, he has the right to seek from his employer a certificate of character. If his employer is a merchant he has the option to determine whether or not he will give the certificate, and if the refuses to give it, what recourse has the servant? Why should the government be subjected to a condition to which no other portion of sociey is subject? If the government comes to the conclusion that the man should not be kept in the service, the civil service has not greater right against the government than he would have against the private employer. The mover sought by the bill to subject the government to a condition which he would not dare to impose upon a



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20c very fine silk finish cotton Hose, Saturday 2 for 25c. 50c Ladies' Cashmere Hose, best make, Satur-day 3 pairs for \$1. 10c fine Scotch Crash—try to beat it at 10c— Saturday only, 6%c. 12%c hand made Russian Crash, natural col-or, Saturday only, 7%c. 15c White Pique for 12%c. 18c Ladies' Fine Cotton Vests, Saturday 2 for 25c.

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75c stylish Blouses, new colors, 50c.
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or 98c. Parasols—A snap-Choice of 240 Parasols. Saturday 99c.
5c Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, Saturday 2 for 5c. 10c Bleached Cambric, 36 inch, Saturday 7½c 7c Canton Flannel Saturday 5c. See stylish Neckwear for ladies on center

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private person, and which would not be tolerated by any other section of the community. He agreed with everything that had been said as to the evil of the spoils system, but he did not think there was any fear of it being introduced in this country, neither did he believe that the people of the country would sanction the active interference of officials in politics. The members for East Grey (Mr. Sproule) had encouraged the officials to express their opinions upon political matters, and that was what he objected to. He called the attention of the house and the country to certain strictures which had been passed upon the government, but so far as his memory went there had been no dismissals for offensive partisanship in the inside service. The officials in the building know that they are servants of the public and should not interfere. No one objected to their registering their votes; the law gives them the right to do that. All the dismissals that have taken place certificate setting forth his term of have been in the outside service, and further provides that "no person shall they could not get a certificate of character. He was not aware that any man dismissed from office had ever applied to the head of the department for a certificate. If he had done so he would have got it, setting forth the facts. He saw no reason why the time-honored practice should be departed from, and

moved the six months' hoist. Sir Charles Tupper upheld the bill. It did not take away from the government the right to appoint nor to dismiss at pleasure, but simply bound the government to give a statement of the ground on which the dismissal is made. The leader of the government, however, was telling the house that while he was minister he would treat the civil service of Canada as he would treat the servants of his own household. The civil service had heretofore occupied a proud position; but this government, by driving good men out of it, to fill their places with their own partisans, had instituted a reign of tyranny that was most degrading to

The debate was continued by Messrs. Taylor and Bennett and Sir H. Joly and the motion of the premier for the six months' hoist carried by a vote of 64 to 39, and the house adjourned at 10 o'clock.

MADAME WALLACE Cured of Female Weakness by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Montreal, April 24.-The ladies of this city are rapidly coming to realize the value of Dodd's Kidney Pills, as a Specific for all Female Troubles. Madame Sarah Wallace, modiste, 338

Papineau avenue, has had an experience that goes to show that no other medicine can equal Dodd's Kidney Pills for Female Troubles. Madame Wallace writes: "I suffered for three years with Female Weakness, and none of our physicians could relieve me. I was advised to try Dodd's

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recommendation is pretty risky busi-

Discovered by a Woman. Another great discovery has been made, and that, too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery by purchasing a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consump-tion, and was so much relieved on taking the first dose that she slept all night; and with two bottles has absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Hamnick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Sold by all druggists at 50 cents and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

A good man does good merely by living.—Bulwer. Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has

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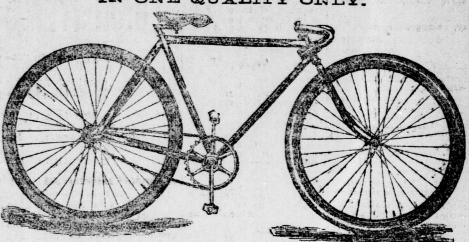
.These goods are going very fast, as it is the proper curtain material for the season. We are showing some exquisite colorings and designs in these goods, for which we are so noted.

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Disaster at a Sheriff's Sale-100 Persons Injured.

culiar and Fatal Accident to a Dutton Man-An Old Brantford Resident Killed.

DUTTON MAN KILLED.

St. Thomas, April 28.-Geo. Crane, of Dutton, was assisting in sawing and piling wood on Wednesday, when s piece thrown by a man named Chapman struck him on the head, rendering him unconscious. Everything possible was done to relieve the injured man, but without effect. Crane was unmarried. He leaves five sisters and

three brothers.
Brantford, Ont., April 28.—Noble Montgomery, an old and highly respected citizen, was killed yesterday afternoon on the G. T. R. near the Colborne street station. Deceased had occasion to cross the track at the time a yard engine was shunting cars, and the running cars struck him, knocking him down, crushing and killing him almost instantly. He was 77 years old and leaves a widow, four daughters and one son, all grown-up.

THE FLOOR GAVE WAY. New York, April 28.-While a sheriff's sale was in progress on the second floor of J. B. Snyder's implement warehouse at Goldsboro, the floor gave way, and about 100 men fell to the floor below. A quantity of machinery fell on the men, and pinned some of them fast. Twenty-three were slightly injured, and several had limbs broken. John Fetrow, a farmer, had both legs broken and was otherwise injured. It is thought he will die.

Steamship Arrivals. April 27. At From Montreal. Teutonic..... Ems...St. Michaels..... Ems. St. Michaels. New Fork Vancouver. Moville. St. John Sardinian Glasgow. Portland Ikbal. Father Point Liverpool Glenarmhead. Quebec. Belfast

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The village minister's study is how to make both ends meet. The only swell thing about some men is located directly under their

The Appetite of a Goat Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splen-did appetite, sound digestion and a re-gular bodily habit that insures perfect CAPITAL \$75,000,000.

New York, April 28.-The Amalgamated Copper Company has elected an organization in New Jersey. The capitalization is \$75,000,000. The of-ficers are Marcus Daly, president; Henry H. Rogers, vice-president; Wm. Rockefeller, secretary and treasurer. BOY MISSING.

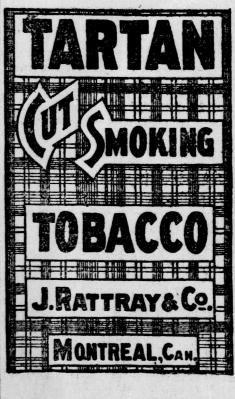
Aylmer, April 28.—Leman, the 14-year-old son of Wm. Hawley, of Mount Salem, about five miles southeast of this place, has been missing from his home since Sunday, april 16. No trace of him can be found. He left on his bicycle on Sunday afternoon without saying a word to any one of his intentions. Young Hawley is of fair complexion with blue eyes, and was dressed in dark blue coat and striped trousers. His wheel was a Crescent. No reason can be imagined for his strange disappearance.

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Montreal Stock Market MONTREAL, April 28. 18514 337 ½ 324 120 ½ 205 ½ 177 ½ 185 Teronto Railway, new, xd. 339
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Montreal Cotton Co. ... 162
Canada Colored Cotton ... 80
Dominon Cotton ... 113 CHICAGO, April 28.—Opening — Wheat, May, 70%c; July, 71%c; Sept., 70%c. Corn, May, 83%c; July, 34%c; Sept., 35c. Oats, May, 26%c; July, 24c; Sept., 21%c. Pork, May, \$8 90. Lard, May, \$5 12%; July, \$5 27. Ribs, May, \$4 65. Toronto Stock Market.

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New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonie Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, April 27.

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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, April 28.-Wheat-Steady, at 68c for red; 69c for white west; goose wheat is steady, at 66c to 67c west; Manitoba wheat is steady, at 82½c for No. 1 hard at North Bay, and 83½c to 84c, grinding in transit. Flour—Quiet; cars of straight roller in barrels are quoted at \$2 90 to \$2 95 west. Milifeed-Firm, at \$14 to \$16 for shorts, and \$12 to \$12 50 for bran west. Barley-Nominal, at 41c for No. 1 west. Buckwheat
—Steady, at 48c west. Rye—Firm, at 53c west. Corn—Steady, at 36c to 36½c for Canada yellow west; 43c for No. 2 old American, and 42c for new west. Oats -Steady, at 32½c to 33c for white west. Peas-Firmer, at 64c to 65c west. Butter-Steady, at 11c to 111/2c for large rolls, 9c to 10c for low to medium grade dairy tubs; 18c to 18½c for creamery, the latter for prints. Eggs—Weaker on liberal receipts, at 11c. Dressed hogs— Steady; cars of western mixed, \$5 here. ed hogs-Receipts, 900; market unchanger; choice bacon, 41/2c.

English Markets.

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Livercool. April 28-12:30 p.m.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Cal.. no stocks;
No. 1 red northern spring, 6s ld; spot No.

?red western winter, 6s ½d; No. 1 red northern,
Duluth, 6s 4½d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new,
2s 5½d; do old, 3s 5½d; futures, steady; Jan..
eld. 3s 10d; March, 3s 5½d; May, 2s 5½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 6d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 7½d.

Beef—Dull; extra India mess, 62s 3d; prime
mess, 60s.

mess, 60s.

Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 45s.

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Bacon—Gumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm,
25s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs,
28s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 29s;
long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, 20s;
long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, 20s;
short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 27s 6d; clear
bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 27s 6d; clear
bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 35s.

Hans—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 35s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 27s.

Butter—Firm; finest United States, 84s; good,

ese-American, finest white, strong, 51s Ed; do. colored, strong, 51s 6d.
Tallow—Australian, in London, 23s 9d; prime

sity. 22s 6d. Turpentine spirits-33s. Rosin—Common. 4s.
Rosin—Common. 4s.
Linseed oil—18s fd.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm, £4 10s

to 24 15s. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s 6d. Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, April 28. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Beard of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278. Open. High. Low. Close.

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While loading a toy cannon with gunpowder, Rupert Malone, son of Martin Malone, Hamilton, was badly burned about the face and hands by the premature explosion of the powder. He may lose his eyesight.

Moths

do not exist where Moth Powder is used. Is a combination of

Red Cedar And Tar Camphor.

For packing away furs, clothing, blankets, etc., it cannot be equaled.

184 DUNDAS STREET. Marriage Licenses Issued,

Latest Probabilities

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Toronto April 28 - 10 a.m. -Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: + Moderate to fresh southeast to + southwest winds; warm and partly + + fair today; local showers and + → thunderstorms tonight. Saturday-Warm, and for the + + most part fair.

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-Colonel Leys, M.P.P., was in Toronto yesterday.

-No billets were provided for the recent Presbyterian Synod at Brantford. -The firemen were called to a chim-

ney fire at the corner of Hamilton road and Rectory streets this morning. No damage. -The annual closing reception of the

Masters' and Misses' classes will be held at the popular Dancing Academy tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon. -A boy who attends the Hamilton road school has acknowledged to his

teacher that he is responsible for the tire-puncturing contrivance described in yesterday's Advertiser. -Mr. Robert Smith, head biscuit maker at the McCormick Manufacturing Company, has resigned his position, and will leave shortly for England to

reside. His family accompany him. -The asylum authorities are looking for two escaped patients. One is described as tall and dark, and deaf and The second is about 4 feet 3 dumb. inches in height, stout, with a red mustache, and very talkative.

-Mr. John McMartin is about to make extensive alterations in the City Hotel. The stables will be moved back, the hotel building extended to the south, and three stores put in, fronting on Talbot street.

-Mr. J. L. Clark and his talented wife, known in theatrical circles as Miss Ella Cameron, close a successful season with the Boston Ideal Dramatic Company at Taunton, Mass., this week, and will return to their home in this city on Monday.

several of his personal friends from The Texas have arrived in London. police say that the only brother drunk, was fined \$2 or twenty days. Brown had was shot dead on a Chicago race track a few years ago.

-The ladies of the Anglican Church at St. Johns are making very ample preparations for the reception to Rev. Canon Richardson and family at Lyndhurst, the residence of Mrs. Bamlett Sifton, of St. Johns. All parishioners are invited. It takes place on

Tuesday evening. OFFICERS OF THE CADETS.

The following non-commissioned officers of the High School Cadet Corps have been appointed, according to merit, as a result of the recent examinations; Color-sergeant, N. Payne; sergeants, Charles Williams, Frank Chit-tick and T. Carlyle; corporals, F. Ab-bott, C. Belton, W. C. Reid; lance-corporal. - Ingram.

MRS BRAY'S FUNERAL. The funeral of the late Mrs. (Rev.) Bray took place at 10:30 this morning from St. Paul's Cathedral, to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. Dean Innes, assisted by Rev. G. B. Sage, conducted the services at the house, and Bishop Baldwin and Canon Dann at the cathedral. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. G. J. Robertson, C. A. Shepherd, H. B. Gahan, C. P. Heal, Rev. G. F. Sherwood and Rev. Mr. Mc-

Cosh. Chatham. TWO BOYS' NARROW ESCAPE. About 8:15 last evening a trolley accident occurred on Central avenue, near Waterloo street. Two boys, George Fraser, son of William Fraser, of the Thompson House, and George Riley, living on Cartwright street, were driv-ing a Shetland pony alongside of the street car tracks, as a car approached. The pony resented the use of the whip by jumping in front of the car just in time to get in the way of the fender. The boys were thrown out, but not seriously injured; the rig smashed into kindling wood, and the pony es-caped unhurt. Motorman Tasker made a remarkably sudden stop. Fraser's side was slightly hurt, and Riley re-

ceived a few scratches and a bad shaking up. NEW PLANS FOR ST. JAMES'

CHURCH. The building committee of St. James' Presbyterian Church are having entirely new plans prepared for the new church building. The plans adopted a week or so ago would, it has since been ascertained, have cost at least \$30,000, and this is fully \$10,000 higher than the congregation wish to go. now in course of preparation are for an \$13,000 building, the seating capacity of which will be about the same as that of the structure originally proposed, but the octagonal form has been abandoned for the square, and the ornamentation will be much less elaborate. Neither comfort nor convenience

will be sacrificed, however. SUNDAY OBSERVANCE.

The following resolution was unanimously passed at the executive meeting of the local union of the Methodist Young Peoples' Societies, held last ments utilizing proverbs and wise evening in the First Methodist Church: Moved by Rev. W. J. Ford, and seconded by Mr. James Bowman, and resolved, that the subject of the Sunday concert in the operat house on the 23rd having been brought before the meeting, we take this occasion to strongly deprecate and protest against fectiveness. All this any attempt to weaken public in over 7,000 papers

we do, that such entertainments are an insidious introduction of what would ultimately lead to the Sunday theater, the Sunday newspaper, and other means of breaking down the peace and sanctity of the sacred day, we specially urge the attention of our societies and churches to the threatened danger." HONORED THE TEACHER.

Shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon there was a happy assembly in the kindergarten room of Simcoe street school. The occasion was to do honor to Miss Minnie McDonald, who severs her connection with the teaching staff of the school, prior to her approaching marriage. In 1889 Miss McDonald was chosen as one of the teachers when the school was opened, and for ten years, she has applied her efforts, in a manner that has made for her a multitude of friends. She is popular with the scholars, as she is with the teachers, and all united in wishing her every prosperity. On this occasion Principal R. M. Graham, on behalf of the teachers and scholars, presented Miss McDonald with a case of handsome sterling silver dessert and tea spoons, also a large solid silver fruit spoon. Miss McDonald's own class were not slow in showing their appreciation of their teacher's efforts. Miss Vera Weekes read a kindlyworded address, and Miss Lizzie Chatto presented her, on behalf of the class, with a pretty silver fruit basket and e bunch of beautiful roses. Miss Mc-Donald was completely overcome with surprise, but in a word thanked her generous friends for their tangible tokens of esteem.

POLICE COURT

Panhandlers' Method of Exciting Sympathy Exposed-An Assault Case.

Jimmy Buckley and Frank Mitchell are two finished specimens of the genus tramp. Buckley is a big, able-bodied man, and Mitchell is a cripple. Both are accused of being professional panhandlers. The former says he peddles court-plaster, and the latter claims to make a living selling shoelaces. Such were two of the characters at the police court this morning. They were charged with vagrancy. Witnesses were called to prove that both men were professional beggars. Buckley was wont to keep his arm tied in a sling, and exposed on occasion two vitriol sores, well oiled, which looked very painful, and were an excellent means of inveigling his way into the tender sympathies of those whom he accosted for assistance. Both men had a supply of colored cards, upon which the following poetical effort was printed:

"Do you ever think as the hearses drive by,
That it won't be long till you and I Are riding out in the big plumed hack, And we never remember of coming

At the foot of the card, in large letters was the advice, "Give what you please." Buckley was greatly annoyed when the magistrate remanded them for a week, and gave the court notice that he "couldn't afford to lose time by being remanded every week." Neither would admit being vagrants, Buckley having \$183, and Mitchell a gross of

shoestrings.

Hugh McCurdy, charged with being drunk and with assaulting his wife, was book, because they would not underfined \$2 or ten days for being drunk, stand him at once. That was what hap--A rumor is in circulation in the and when his wife pressed the assault pened in his own case. He read and recity that Marion Brown's brother and charge he was fined another \$10 or twenty days, and ordered to find sureties to keep the peace. Charles Walsh,

MAY ABOLISH PLANK WALKS

Scheme on Foot to Provide for the Laying of Cement Walks Only-The Livest Topic at the City Hall.

Not a ray-but a flood-of hope has burst upon the financiers of the city council. They believe a moderate tax rate for 1899 is still possible. It is proposed to go in for permanent sidewalks, and at the same time save the rate. The suggestion came up at last night's meeting of the board of works. The city solicitor, in a letter expressing doubt about the legality of the principle in Ald. Jolly's motion, called attention to the fact that Hamilton intended to avail itself the amendment to the municipal act passed at the last session of the legislature, whereby "the council of the corporation may provide from the general funds of the municipality such larger or smaller proportion than 40 per cent, as they may deem expedient, of the cost of construction of permanent walks upon any street of the city or town, on an affirmative three-quarter vote of the council; and the provisions in this section contained shall apply to the proportions or percentages of the contributions to be paid by the city corporation and the owners of the property benefited re-spectively, such percentages being substituted for the terms 40 per cent and 60 per cent respectively, in any bylaws to be passed or debentures to be issued or proceedings relating to such sidewalks or to the payment thereof.'

Hamilton has decided to contribute 60 per cent, and also that all sidewalks be of cement. The council will extend payment of the 60 per cent over five years instead of having it Inspector Hopkirk's Eride Described as come out of the current year's ex-

penditure. The mayor and several London aldermen are strongly impressed with the advantages this legislation affords; and City Auditor Jewel is favorable to action in accordance with it. The question was much discussed at the city hall today, and it is altogether likely a motion to adopt such a course will be brought up in the council. By extending the payment for the walks over ten years, and making the division of the cost 40 per cent for the ratepayer and 60 per cent for the city— 100 feet of artificial stone walk, five feet wide would cost ratepayers \$317 per year.

It is said that if an injunction against any more plank walks being laid is found objectionable it could be

A Good Thing Well Done.

New and pleasing ideas in advertising always interest. Nothing has appeared for years which is so attractive as the Hood's Sarsaparilla advertisesayings as headings, each followed by a little homily cleverly connecting the proverb with the subject. Besides this, the quaint Jensen italic type for the preliminary sentences, finishing with a script slogan, "Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints," adds to the effectiveness. All this work is running

He sentiment on the subject WALT WHITMAN of Sunday observance, and fearing, as

Splendid Eurogy of the Good Gray Poet by Dr. Bucke - Personal Reminiscences.

Last evening Dr. Bucke lectured before a large audience in the parlors of the Young Women's Christian Association, his subject being "Walt Whitman. On account of his dife-long friendship with the "Good Gray Poet," and the knowledge gained as his literary executor, there is no man who can speak more interestingly concerning him, and for these reasons, as well as for Dr. Bucke's personal power as a lecturer, he held the close attention of his audience throughout the even-

In his introductory remarks the speaker explained that it would be impossible to enter minutely into so large a subject, and that he would simply tell of his connection with the poet, giving to his hearers a point of view from which they could approach him. He said that when he was 30 years of age a friend asked him if he had ever heard of an American poet named Walt Whitman. Although he had never known of such a person before, he was so impressed by the name that he determined to learn more about the man, and as he searched for this knowledge, he was animated by the thought that Whitman would exert a powerful influence upon his life. He obtained possession of an edition of Whitman's poems, which were published in 1877, and studied them together with following editions, thus forming a friendship which resulted in a visit to Whitman and a subsequent visit from the poet. At this time Whitman was 61 years old, and even then was a straight, wellproportioned man, with large head, massive features, flowing white beard and an expression of repose and decision, all combining to form an impression of power such as he had seen in no other man. Personally, Whitman was thoroughly optimistic. He saw beyond the external, and saw God in everything.

Up to the age of 42 he was engaged in many occupations, including those of school teaching, printing and journalism; and in 1862, when his brother was wounded in the civil war, he went to the front and nursed him. Here he remained until the end of the war, working in the hospitals and supporting himself by writing for the papers. It was here that he gave a noble illustration of his boundless love-toiling for years among sick and mutilated soldiers, writing their letters to loved ones, bringing them delicacies, comforting, soothing and restoring. Others came and stayed awhile, and went away, but this man, with his broad sympathies and his human heart, walks the hospitals by night, and by day, buoying up the despairing and sustaining the weak, working until the last day of the war. So he was to all persons and at all times. To his mother and his sisters he was a visible providence, not only supporting them, but giving away large sums to charities. He was never known to refuse alms to one who asked them, nor was he ever known to sneer or excontact with him, love him, without understanding why they did so.

Continuing, Dr. Bucke said that most people, when first reading Whitman's cheaper rate. works, would probably throw down the read the book, with a feeling of anger at his inability to comprehend it. But at last there appeared patches of light on the darkness of his understanding, and these particles enlarged until he knew better what the poet intended. With Whitman, the simple and commonplace included the ideal and the spiritual. He molded all his works upon the ideal of a man in moderate conditions, who was of noble and heroic temperament. In studying Whitman it was not a question of a nice book to read; because many people would not find his books agreeable. His real

work was his life. Towards the close of his lecture, Dr. Bucke read an extract from a speech of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, in which the latter said that Whiltman was built on a broad plan. He was the poet of divine democracy. He was the poet of love. He has uttered more supreme words than any other man of our century. He was the poet of death. He has given to us the gospel of humanity, being neither afraid to live nor afraid to die. He was one of the greatest souls that ever lived, and thousands will go down to death holding Walt Whitman by the hand. In order to illustrate the poet's style of work, Dr. Bucke read "The Prayer of Columbus" as an example of the poet's power to express the thoughts of humanity, and "The Chant of the Deific," which is a remarkable declaration of his opinion of the relationship existing between the Father, Son and Holy Chost. Throughout his lecture Dr. Bucke did not give explanations either of Whitman's poetry or the thoughts contained in it. He told his audience what he knew of the poet, personally, and what he had learned of him in other ways, and he hoped that what he said would cause them to form an opinion of their own by studying the poet's works for them-

LONDONER WEDS AT KINGSTON

A pretty home wedding took place yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Mc-Kerras, Wellington street, Kingston, when Miss Etta was united in marriage to H. G. Hopkirk, postoffice inspector, of this city. The wedding guests were limited to very intimate friends and relatives of the bride and groom. Rev. T. G. Smith, assisted by Rev. John Mackie, officiated in tying the nuptial knot. The bridesmaid was Miss Campbell, Montreal, and Mr. Allan Jones, of Prescott, supported the groom. The bride was a picture of beauty in a dress of white Irish poplin with trimmings of chiffon, pearl passementerie, and pearl ornaments and em-broidered veil. She carried a shower bouquet of orange blossoms. On her wrist was a pretty gold bracelet, the gift of the groom. The bridesmaid was dressed in pale blue silk, trimmed with chiffon, and carried pink roses. After the ceremony the guests enjoyed a wedding dinner, and Mr. and Mrs. Hopkirk left on the afternoon boat for New York, via Cape Vincent.

REMOVED THE WRONG EYE. Montreal, April 28.-An operation to remove an injured eye was performed on Thomas Stewart, a boy, at the Montreal Hospital. Through a mistake the operating physician removed the boy's sound eye, and his sight is de-

CELEBRATE THE AT THE Y. W. C. A. TO TWENTY-FOURTH

Seventh Battalion Officers Consider Plans-Pioneer Signal and Ambulance Corps.

The sound of the bugle and drum, and the steady tread of the marching men, drew hundreds of citizens to the vicinity of the drill shed last night. The newly-organized battalion is just about complete. There are no vacancies for officers, and only a few vacancies for good privates. The splendid appearance of the battalion is the admiration of every citizen, and many have remarked that, with all deference to the old battalion, the newly-organized Seventh Fusifiers is the most intelligent-looking corps ever organized in London, to say nothing of the fine physique of the men. No effort is being spared to make the battalion complete in every particular. Capt. Graham, quartermas ter, has organized a pioneer corps, which will add greatly to the fine appearance; and beside this signal and am-

bulance corps have been organized. How to spend May 24 is a question which is agitating the minds of the officers. There are four or five plans under consideration, none of which have as yet assumed any definite shape. The most feasible of these, however, is the suggestion to spend the day at the butts in rifle practice, hanging up a fat prize list. Another scheme is to take the battalion away, and still another is to invite the Queen's Own or Forty-eighth Highlanders here, to take part in a review on Carling's Heights. These latter suggestions are not likely to materialize, as the ball practice scheme seems to meet with the most favor.

NOTABLES DINE

Hon. David and Mrs. Mills Entertain Distinguished Party.

The Advertiser's Ottawa correspondent telegraphs as follows: Hon. David Mills and Mrs. Mills last evening gave an enjoyable dinner to political friends and others in the Russell House. Am-ong those present were: Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, Hon. Mr. Sifton and Mrs. Sifton, Hon. W. R. Scott and Miss Scott, Hon. Justice Gwynne and Mrs. Gywnne, Hon. Justice Gwynne and Mrs. King, Senator and Miss Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe, Senator Allan, Senator and Miss Kerr, Senator and Madam Cas-grain, and Mrs. Cowan. The tables were artistically decorated with cut flowers, palms and ferns. Mrs. Mills will leave for London today, and Mr. Mills will go the first of next week. A NEW JUDGE.

E. Richards, barrister, Winnipeg, has been appointed by order in council a judge of the court of Queen's bench Manitoba, in place of Justice Killam, who recently was promoted to the chief justiceship of Manitoba, instead of Sir Thomas Taylor, resigned. Mr. Richards is well qualified for a position on the bench, being a prominent member of the bar of Manitoba. WANT DUTIES RAISED.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] were combined an attractiveness and magnetism that made all who came in for a reduction on the duty on cottons used for making shirts. They, in other words, want their raw material at a

The premier received a delegation representing the brewers today. They want an increase of duty on imported beer, which is giving the domestic in-dustry close competition.

THE TERRIBLE **DEATH-LIST GROWS**

And Is Expected to Reach Fully 1,000 -Awful Effects of the Cyclone.

Kirksville, Mo., April 28.-Kirksville today is a scene of desolation and suffering as the result of last evening's tornado. Many of the dead and dying remained in the ruins of their homes during the night; others, who had been found and taken to places of shelter, died before morning. A small corps tof doctors from the Osteopahty College, students and citizens spent the dark hours in a ceaseless hunt for the fortunates. All night rescuers darted here and there among the debris, answering some cry for help.

Newton, in Sullivan county, shared the fate of Kirksville at the hands of the tornado. Days must pass before a complete list of casualties can be secured, and before the extent of the damage to property can be known. Kirks-ville is the county seat of Adair county, and has a population estimated at 5,000. Newton is a small town of 600 inhabitants, in Sullivan county, 40 miles north of Kirksville.

Reports coming in from the country districts state that many farmers have suffered severely, and that several lives have been lost outside of Kirksville. The latest details of last night's tornado showed that the list of known dead has been raised to 49 by the identification of 24 more bodies. As the night advanced the number of injured was also considerably increased.

The tornado struck Kirksville at 6:20 last evening, when most people were at supper. The entire east side of the city was wiped out. Over 200 buildings homes and stores were leveled. A heavy rain followed the cyclone, and the debris of wrecked buildings took fire in several places, lighting the way for

POSSIBLY ONE HUNDRED KILLED. Mayor Noolan, who has been active in rescue work, estimates that the death list may reach 100. The cyclone approached Kirksville from the south and missed the heart of the city by two or three blocks.

Henry Lowe and three children, liv-ing three miles north of the town, were crushed to death beneath their de-molished home. The other members of the family escaped. Other fatalities are reported from the country, but no names are given.

Chillicothe, Mo., April 28.—Reports from Newton, Sullivan county, are that twenty persons were killed in last night's tornado, and between thirty and forty injured. Many of the injured will die. The known dead: S. Bedford, wife and five children; L. Evans and two daughters; William Hay, wife and seven children; unknown man. A terrific electrical storm followed the tornado, and the excitement was intense. Women and children ran about the streets shricking for their parents and friends, and men searched the ruins in the drenching rain,

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for releiving, healing and curing the affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds,

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In large quantities is due here any day, and we are anxious that you should keep dry, and so offer the following inducements....

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Beaver Brand Rain Coats made with velvet collar, box back, single or double breasted, any color, and guaranteed for three years, at \$6.

Umbrellas

with selected natural wood handles, steel tube stick. Rolls as small as a cane, color warranted fast black, price, \$1.

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A WORD TO MECHANICS' AND WORKINGMEN'S WIVES....

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use of gas for cooking. The wives of small householders, as a rule, do their own work, and will economize more than a paid servant.

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We affirm that gas for cooking will reduce your kitchen work one-half, and at the same time save you money over old methods.

Gas for cooking is now used by tens of thousands of working people in the United States.

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City Gas Company.

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-George Peters.

The Richmond Street Confectioner.

THE SAXTON MURDER

Jury, After Long Deliberation, Acquit

Mrs. Anna E. George. Canton, Ohio, April 28.-Nineteen and a half hours of deliberation in the juryroom failed to bring about a verdict for or against Anna E. George, on trial for the murder of George D. Saxton, broth-

er of Mrs. McKinley. All night long the jurors remained in the jury-room. At 7:15 the bailiff ordered breakfast carried into the juryroom. The general belief at 9 o'clock was tha tthey would disagree, but finally they returned a verdict of acquit-

NEW BOOKS

Additions Made to the Public Library List During the Week.

Fulton-Index Canonum, The Greek Text, an English translation and a complete digest of the Canon Law of Undivided Primitive Church. Tucker-Monroe Doctrine; a cise history of its origin and growth. Dymond—Compiled Statutes of Ontario Affecting Mercantile Law.

Dymond—Labor Laws of Ontario,

Detailed Report of the Inspector of Insurance and Registrar of Friendly Societies, 1898. Hoffman-The Sloyd System Woodworking; a system of manual training for schools. Report of National Council of Wo-

men of Canada, 1897-8, 2 vols. Milne-Earthquakes and Other Earth Movements. Abercromby-Weather; a popular

exposition of the nature of weather changes from day to day. Foster-Pre-Historic Races of the United States of America. Romanes-Jelly-Fish, Star-Fish and Sea-Urchins; a research on primitive

nervous systems. James-Agriculture. Orton and Sadler-Business Calculator and Accountant's Assistant. Stevenson—The Stevenson Reader; selected passages from the works of

R. L. Stevenson. Higginson-The New World and the New Book. Holden-Our Country's Flag and the Flags of Other Countries. Gardiner-Life and Reign of Richard

Third. Foxcroft-Savile, Sir George (First Marquis of Halifax), Life and Letters, Habbarton-Trif and Trixy.

Jewett-Tales of New England. Thanet-The Heart of Toil. Du Chaillu-Lost in the Jungle.. Campbell—Beyond the Border. Du Chaillu-My Apingi Kingdom.

Recorder Champagne's court in Hull Robert Henderson was fined \$20 and costs, amounting to \$21 50 in all, for swearing on the street

"The Pen Is Mightier Than the Sword."

Yes! but in the matter of Tea "quality" is mightier than

has won its way, with "quality" as its only weapon.

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GWYN.

Undaunted, the great cry of numanity ringing in their hearts, another and another boat was launched. In the last, to Lil and Gwyn's terror, also Marian's. Rowland and Captain Jack went; but only to meet the same ill-success.

'Good heavens' exclaimed Mr. Rylands, to his nephew, who, bruised and soaked, stood by his side, "can nothing be done? It is awful to stand here, watching those wretched men being swept into eternity."

"Nothing, sir. Rebna says the vessel may last an hour. The only chance would be the lifeboat from Polgellun, but by land—the only possible way to reach it now—that is too far. All would be over before it could arrive."

Unperceived by the speaker, Gwyn had been standing near. On hearing the words, she started as from a reverie, gave one glance at the vessel, at Rowland's face, then at the veil of darkness shutting in the distant shore.

"The tide has but just turned, yet it is going down," she murmured. "I'll

Unperceived, she glided from the crowd, and darted, swift as a lapwing, along the beach. None at the moment missed her. A small promontory of boulders shut in the shore as a bay. Climbing it, she dropped out of sight

of the fishers into a smaller bay beyond. A moment she paused to draw her shawl tightly about her; then, her great heart beating with a hope that rendered her limbs strong and untiring, she started on her perilous jour-

Perilous-for she had resolved alone to proceed to Polgellun, which, by the shore, was only three miles distant, tell them of the wreck, and send the lifeboat-perilous, for the tide had only just turned, and the way was rugged and full of dangerous pools.

Often she waded up to her knees through them, while at some places the waves, yet reaching the cliffs, barred her progress, or rather delayed it; for, clinging to any projection, she hurried on when she could, though bruised and rendered breathless by the force of the

When she reached Polgellun, her shawl was gone, her saturated hair clung to her figure, her shoes were torn, her feet were bleeding; but she dared not fail yet.

Rapidly she aroused the place, and told her need—how she had come to seek help for the shipwrecked crew. The daring, the bravery of the young girl inspired the listeners with something of her spirit.

ed ner, women blessed her. Ready hands prepared the lifeboat, and with a hearty cheer it departed on its errand of charity.

As if the elements themselves respected Gwyn's deed of heroism, they began to lull. She saw this as her eager eyes watched the boat.

'Thank heaven," she cried; "some thing tells me I am not too late. They will be saved-saved." And dropping on to the beach, she burst into a flood of tears, which brought healthful relief

to her overstrained nerves. Great was the surprise, even as the joy, when the crowd on the shore perceived the lifeboat dart round headland, and, now lost, now seen, leap through the waves to the ship. Had they observed the rockets? Was it that which had brought them? None divin-

ed the truth. Stupendous was the cheer from vessel and shore when, after much difficulty, the lifeboat, reaching the former, and receiving its freight, rowed to the beach. As they disembarked those they had brought-among whom was a lady, who had fainted on entering the boat-Daniel Rebna cried:

"Bravely done, lads! How did you learn about the wreck?" "Don't you know?" rejoined one, surprised. "Through a girl who calls herself Gwyn Rebna. She periled her life along the beach to come and fetch us. It's she who saved you-not us." "Gwyn, Heaven bless her!" ejaculated

Daniel and twenty voices. A great sob of love and pride rose in Rowland Gower's throat. Would he renounce her now? No,

Three freights were landed, the fourth was to bring the captain, the chief mate, and a gentleman who had refused to leave them. This boatload was more eagerly watched than any, for it was the last. As it left the vessel's wide, the people, in the fullness of their loy, cheered; for all the lives were saved—the flerce sea could wreak its vengeance on the vessel alone now.

On the boat being run upon the beach, the captain, spring out, gave his

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For this season of the year when fresh vegetables are scarce.....

Large 3-lb. tins French String Beans. Rodel French Peas, 150.

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California Prunes, 8c. per 1b. California Silver Prunes, 121/2c. per lb. California Dried Peaches, 10c. per lb.

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hand to assist the gentleman, saying: "Thank heaven, sir, we can commatu-late each other that, arter all, we are saved. I beneved the gates of etermity had been opened for us this night." "Let then our gratitude be all the

plied the gentleman-a tall, aristocratic looking, elderly man. Rowland Gower uttered a cry, and, his way to the spot.

greater to our noble preservers," re-

"Father!" he ejaculated, seizing his hands. "Good heavens!" "Rowland! you here?" cried the gen-

tleman, amazed. 'Yes; this is St. Trevick. And youyou were in that vessel, father! said the young man, with much emotion,

pressing his parent's hands.
"Indeed was I, my boy, and but for these brave people I never should have heard your voice again, nor you mine. As it is, we are saved. Ah! Arthur, and you, Marian, all here to welcome us from the jaws of death."

"Saved!" murmured Rowland, dropping back to let his uncle and cousin advance. "Saved!" he added, with great joy-great hope; "and by my sea-bird-

"But," abruptly remarked the Honorable Merton Gower, breaking in upon the congratulations, "where is Lady

"She who fainted?" Those around notified that she had been conveyed to Daniel Rebna's cot-

"Come with me, Rowland. Show me the way. I must see after her, Arthur. Marian, my dear, you can follow. This lady is under my guardianship, and she must be well tended."

Leaning on his son's arm, they hastened to the cottage, where they found Lady Mary reclining before a large fire, and consciousness fluttering back, under the kindly care of Dame Rebna. As Rowland bent over the graceful figure, he could not suppress a cry of genuine admiration. A smile of delight came to his father's features.

"Is she not beautiful, Rowley?" he whispered, drawing him apart. boy, I shall never cease to thank heaven for our preservation this night, as I trust your happiness rests upon it. Mind, this is in confidence: Lady Mary | Set aside out of the has seen your photograph, and was much struck by it. Rowland, she is as good as she is beautiful. The wish of my heart is to see her your wife."

Unperceived by them, a figure had for the last few seconds been standing in the doorway, contemplating the scene As those whispered words fell on her ear, with a smothered cry, she stepped back into the dark little passage, her hands pressed to her bosom. It was poor Gwyn! For what had

she risked so much? For what had she, at the peril of her own life, saved these two from a watery grave?

CHAPTER IV.

The morning following the storm was almost like spring in its genial bright-The Steinwood breakfast room was inundated with sunshine, making quite cheerful the pleasant breakfasttable, around which all at Steinwood, with the exception of Lady Mary Em-

erson, were assembled. The talk was general, and naturally of the events of the previous night. The most silent were Rowland Gower and his cousin. Each had a secret that sat

heavily upon them. "Yes," remarked the Honorable Merton Gower-a handsome, aristocratic man of over 59, with a clear complexton, gray, intelligent eyes, and the manners of one accustomed to cultivated society-"as I clung to that confounded rigging, my dear Arthur, watching ul waves rush at one so piti lessly, I thought I should never again put foot on English soil. Over and over again I murmured Hood's words in 'The Lee Shore':

> 'Oh. God! to think man ever Comes too near his home'

"But whatever made you leave Spain so unexpectedly, Merton? In your last letter you gave no hint, even."

"Truly; for I was unaware of it myself. It happened thus: One of my oldest friends, the Earl of Chadleigh, was at the court of Spain as well as myself -a mutual pleasure. He, however, had long been in feeble health, and a fortnight ago was seized with a fit, which ultimately ended his career in this world. I never left him, and on his deathbed he asked me to be the guardian of his only child, Lady Mary, whom he knew I loved as a daughter"; and the speaker's eyes wandered to his son, whose glance, however, was bent on his plate. "I accepted his trust; and on his death, having seen his body prepared for proper transit to England. to be interred in the family vault, resolved to bring my ward to England myself, and take you all by surprise. Our passage was a rapid one. We were rejoicing at reaching England so soon, when the storm struck us; and the rest you know.

[To be Continued.]



IT ENDED HER TROUBLE. "I never courted newspaper notoricty, yet a m not afraid to speak a good word for your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' Over a year ago I suffered terribly for nearly four weeks with prolapsus and weakness. After using one bottle of 'Favorite Prescription' and one of 'Pellets.' I was a well woman. I have taken no medicine since and have had no symptoms of my former trouble."—Mrs. E. A. Bender, Seene Coshocton Co., Ohio.

followed by the Steinwood party, forced Board of Works Needs \$74,000 and Will Ask for \$39,000.

> Hamilton Road Extension To Be Considered as New Track-Board Unfavorable to the Company's Proposal -Pavements Discussed.

The city engineer's estimates for the board of works for 1899 totaled \$74,645, and the board last night decided that the sum they might get was about half the sum they needed, so they resolved to ask the council for \$39,000. Mr. Graydon's estimates were as follows: Expenditure, Estimate,

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Town hall	77	85	75	00
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City pounds	24		50	
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West London break-				
water	1,109	75	1,000	00
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pair streets where sewers were constructed 4,333 45 Total, 1898...... \$51,242 32
The estimate of ward expenditure

Total\$52,495 00 Already expended on broken

\$10,000 this year.

in 1898, \$51,242 32.
Ald. Parnell moved that \$40,000 be

be overdrawn. Ald. McPhillips was surprised at the

believe in the principle of the aldermen going over the wards. The amount in the estimate for No. 6 ward was put there by the engineer and foreman of the ward. Several attempts were made to hit on an amount which would suit the

majority. Ald. Parnell's motion was negatived. Ald. Garratt failed to get \$50,000, Ald. Reed \$45,000, Ald. Mc-Phillips \$35,000. The mayor wanted the board to make it \$38,000; Ald. Mc-Phillips was inclined to move accord-

the motion carried.

Several East End residents were present. Manager Carr, of the London Street Railway Company, wrote that he had laid the committee's proposi-tion, re the East End extension, before the directors. They are willing to extend the line on the Hamilton road and abandon the Rectory street line, the extension to be considered as a compliance with the bylaw as provided by section 21 for new track, in case of increased population. "That is to say," the letter read, "we do

said another of the aldermen.

The engineer was asked to report as to whether or not the city is entitled to any further mileage of track by reason of increase in population.

THE ASPHALT PAVEMENTS. The Barber Asphalt Company, of Buffalo, wrote, advising the commit-tee not to water the city pavements so frequently, and to clean them better. Too much water prevented the needed compression by traffic. Four men should keep the pavements clean with occasional light sprinkling. Very little water was put on the pavements in Buffalo. Several protests by the company had been ignored, the letter

Ald. Garratt said the city should water the pavement as much as they liked.

Mr. George Cameron, representing the company, said the advice was friendly. It made no difference to the company. Until the guarantee ran out they would keep the road in shape. Repairs would be begun in a few days. The company's suggestion was for the city's benefit.

phalt pavement is treated in a number of large cities.

The committee will visit the property of Mr. H. Vincent on Wreay street for the purpose of examining into Mr. Vincent's claim for damages, caused by alleged defective drainage. The amount asked is \$125.

half of himself and three neighbors, \$50 toward the cost of the drain, in consideration of being allowed to drain surface water from their properties into the sewer. On motion of Ald. Parnell, the engineer and chairman will report on the matter next week.

Saturday Monday



Special Bargian Days

Ladies' Vests

Ladies' Fine Ribbed White Cotton Vests, no sleeves. Nine dozen of these, Saturday and Monday, each 5o.
Ladies' Fine Cotton Vests, half sleeves, long lengths; special 2 for 15c.
Ladies' Fine White Cotton Vests, shaped square, low neck; special for Saturday and Mouday, 2 for 25c.
Ladies' Vests, long or half sleeve, closed or open fronts; special 25c.

sewer funds to re-

Ward No. 1..... \$ 6,184 00 Ward No. 2. 11,352 00 Ward No. 3. 9,746 00 8.139 00 Ward No. 6...... 11,293 00

stone 3,675 00

The engineer reported that in 1896 the amount expended by the board was \$44,095 29; in 1897, \$47,567 49, and

put in the estimates. There was no use putting a sum in the estimates which at the end of the year would

large amount asked for No. 6 ward. Ald. Parnell replied that he did not

'Make it \$39,000," said Ald. Parnell, "and I'm with you."
"Good," said Ald. McPhillips, and

THE STREET RAILWAY EXTEN-

SION. not wish to be called upon to put down any further new track unless the increased population makes up for

the new track to be laid on Hamilton road and Egerton street." Ald. Parnell would not listen to the extension of the line if it were to be considered as a compliance with the tylaw with respect to increase of population. Ald. McPhillips held the same opinion. "We can force them to put down that line in a year or two,"

The engineer will find out how as-

MINOR MATTERS. Mr. Morgan wanted Regent street drained and otherwise improved in front of his incubator factory. The chairman, engineer and member for the ward will report.

Mr. Rose asked the committee to drain Oxford street near the western limits of the city, and offered, on be-

The engineer reported that the city was not liable for damages claimed by Messra, Burns and Sweisland, for in-

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Books retail regularly at
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Men's Braces, extra good quality, 15c and 25c. Boys' Baseball Belts, in red, white and blue, 10c and NAPPIES.
4-inch Glass Fruit Nappies, regular price 5c each, Saturday and Monday, per half dozen, 10c. Graniteware Although the price of all iron and granite has advanced from 15 to 20 per cent, we are putting the price down, having placed a big order before the advanced.

BEER MUGS.
Odd line to be cleared out on Saturday and Monday;
3 sizes, heavy cut bottom, regular price 10c, while they last, 5c. BAKE PANS. 10-inch oblong deep Gran-ite Bake Pans, regular price 20c, sale price 10c. JELLY GLASSES.
Fine Jelly Glasses, large size, tin tops, regular price 5c each, Saturday and Monday your choice 1%c.

Large size Granite Wash Basins, 25c, sale price 15c. BAUCEPANS. Long handle, gray and white granite, sale price 15c.
Straight Saucepan, with

cover, long handle, 1-quart, best granite, were 20c; sale price 10c. PRESERVING KETTLES 4-quart Granite Preserv-ing Kettles, sale price 15c. 7½-quart Preserving Ket-tles, only 25c. 1-quart Long-Handled Granite Dippers, regular price 25c and 35c, sale price only 15c.

TEAPOTS.

11/2-quart and 2-quart
Granite Teapots, regular
35c and 50c, sale price 25c. TFA KETTLES

-Best Granite, sizes 7, 8
and 9, regular price \$1,
\$1 25 and \$1 50, choice 50c.

PAILS -12-quart, heavy granite.

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to the council.

called for the work.

advertised.

furies sustained through the alleged

defective condition of Forward ave-

nue. Ald. Parnell moved to file the pe-

Ald. McPhillips moved to defer ac-

Several petitions for sewers were re

ported sufficiently signed, and will be

A fire escape in the East End Hall

West London gravel contractors were

Charles Pratt put in the only tender

for the relaying of a drain on Picca-dilly street east. The amount was

Mr. Webster said the residents inter-

ested would contribute something if the

committee would put down glazed tile.

Ald. Parnell wanted the matter laid

over, but the tender was recommended

An account for winding and repair-ing the clocks on the custom house and

at R. J. Young's was paid on the un-

derstanding that in future tenders be

Many a brave man leads a woman

Nine times out of ten when a man

Broke Out in Sores.

Little Harvey Deline a Sufferer

for many years.

His Mother says B.B.B. cured him nine

years ago, and he has never had

a spot on him since.

Sores and ulcers, boils and blotches,

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would heal up for a time, then break out

again about twice a year, till he was

past four, then he seemed to get worse

and was completely prostrated. When

soon yield to the far-reaching, blood

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talks grammatically he is tiresome.

to the altar and then resigns his leader-

All the members were present.

given permission to open the breakwa-

ter to haul gravel through.

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Decorated, 5c. Cold Blast and Dash Reflecter Lantern; all complete; regular price 60c and 65c, at 50c. CUPS AND SAUCERS. In pure white, to be closed out at 25c per half

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Great reductions in Ladies' Parasols and Sun-shades for Saturday and Monday.

75c—Ladies' Parasols, fine Dresden handles, wood handles, gloria covering, steel or wood rod; regular price \$1, at 75c; \$1.35 parasols at \$1.50 parasols at \$1.25; \$2 parasols at \$1.65; \$2.25 parasols at \$1.75.

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Wall Paper

A few hundred rolls of Wall Paper, 4 to 6 rolls of each kind; worth from 5c to 25c per roll, Saturday, while they last, per roll, 1c, Five hundred rolls of good ground Wall Paper, floral designs; worth 5c, 6c and 7c per roll, Saturday and Monday, per roll, 2½c.

Wrappers Ladies' Cambric Wrap pers, fitted waist lining very wide skirt, rolling col-lar; regular price \$1, sale price 75c.

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A new play is called "The Intelligence Office." There should be some good situations in it.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., April 27-8 p.m.-The low area in the west is moving slowly towards the lake region, and from present indications the spell of fine weather in Ontario and Quebec will be broken, and unsettled conditions, with showers and thunderstorms, will become prevalent. Comparatively warm weather continues in Manitoba, but a change to cooler is now probable.

Minimum and maximum temperatures

—Victoria, 38-54; New Westminster. Se-56; Calgary, 32-46; Kamloops, 36-52; Calgary, 32-46; Winnipeg, 46-68; Port Arthur, 34-50; Parry Sound, 46-76; Toronto, 48-66; Ottawa, 38-70; Montreal, 36-66; Quebec, 32-64; Halifax, 30-56. Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the themometer at

the observatory on Thursday, April 27, were: Highest, 80°; lowest, 58°.

Today sun rises at 5:15 a.m.; sets, 7:17 p.m. Moon rises 10:55 p.m.; sets,

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-An excursion is being talked of for the Seventh Battalion on May 24. -Mr. George Merritt, of this city, was registered at the St. Lawrence Hall, Montreal, on Wednesday.

-Alex. Taylor has been elected to the Port Stanley school board in place of Dr. Mothersill, resigned. -Mr. Samuel Grigg, of this city, will

conduct the morning service in James Street Church, Exeter, next Sunday. -Rev. Charles Smith, who has been pastor of Main Street Methodist Church, Exeter, has received an invitation to go to Meaford.

-Miss Reba Kissack, deaconess, of Detroit, and graduate of Grace Hospital, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Eastwood, Dufferin avenue.

-Donald McKellar, son of Mr. A. Mc-Kellar, grocer, has secured the position of assistant in the Glencoe postoffice, Joseph Walker having resigned.

-The schedule for the spring drill is arranged. Camp well be held here from May 30 to June 10. Nine battalions, 8,700 men, will go under canvas. City battalions will be attached for two days'

-Grand First Principal Reid, of Hamilton, and Grand Superintendent Roe, of St. Thomas, have promised to attend the regular convocation of St. George's Royal Arch Chapter, No. 5, this evening.

-Mr. C. P. Butler, of Sydenham street, an enthusiastic amateur, has succeeded in flowering a magnificent specimen of amaryllis, the blooms, brilliant crimson and white, being fully seven inches across.

-At the last meeting of the Goderich town council, aletter from Ald. F. G. Rumball, of this city, the proprietor of the new Kensington Fur-niture Factory in that town, was read, in which he asked for a loan of \$10,000 for a term of twelve years, to be paid back as follows: Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent to be paid yearly, the principal to be paid at the rate of \$1,000 a year, commencing in the year 1904, until the twelve years expire, when the whole of the balance shall be paid. He further said: "For this I enter into an agreement to keep the factory running steady, and to employ not less that 30 hands."

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REV. L. ELENA DEAD.

The Roman Catholic body of the Dominion loses one of its oldest and most industrious personages in the death of Rev. L. Ellena, LL.D., V.G., which took place at St. Jerome's College, Berlin, Wednesday afternoon. He had reached the age of almost 82 years. He was born in Tyrol, Aus-tria, in 1817, and studied at Padua, Italy, from where he was graduated a doctor of civil and canon law. He was ordained priest at Rome in 1865. "SOMETHING EVERYONE WANTS."

Rev. W. F. Wilson, of Hamilton, delivered an entertaining and profitable lecture at the Colborne Street Methodist Church last night, under the auspices of the Epworth League. "Something Everyone Wants" was the theme. Not money, nor power, nor knowledge, nor even religion, but happiness is what everyone wants, said the lecturer. And it is within the reach of nearly everybody. A healthy body, a well-informed mind, and, above all, a contented heart, will insure happiness. It was one of the most entertaining lectures ever delivered in this city. Rev. George Jackson, the pastor, presided. Music was furnished by the choir.

AT KENSINGTON MISSION.

Rev. Mr. Morrison gave a very interesting lecture entitled "Plow Deep," last evening, in the Kensington Mission, West London. Mr. W. J. Saunby acted as chairman of the evening. Mr. Morrison said that a great many people just skim over the top of things, and must eventually stay with the crowds at the foot of the ladder. However, we fine men, like Abraham Lincoln, James Garfield, Livingston and Newton, plowing deep, and rising to the top. Oh, well; you may say it is genius. Call back to memory the definitions of genius, such as the greatest men have laid down, and we find that genius is two per cent genius, but ninety-eight per cent hard work, patience and perseverance. Mr. Morrison impressed the audience with his shrewd insight and

lively humor. DR. BURGESS COMPLIMENTED.

of the Protestant Hospital for the In- abeyance: sane, Montreal, at the head of which institution is Dr. Burgess, formerly a valued member of the staff of the Asylum for the Insane in this city, makes and Dundas. the following remarks in his annual re-

"The medical staff enjoy the entire confidence of the board, and we think the institution fortunate in having two such efficient officers. Within the past two months the Dominion Government summoned Dr. Burgess, with Dr. Lett, of Guelph, to report upon the sanity of prisoner in Winnipeg who was under sentence of death (a most serious and responsible obligation). It shows, however, the high appreciation, as an alienist, in which Dr. Burgess is held. As president of his section of the Royal Society of Canada, his address at their meeting, held last May, and now published in pamphlet form, is most valuable. In it he has given to Canada a most complete and carefully-compiled history of all the institutions that have been started for the care of the insane

in this country." These compliments are well merited by our former fellow-townsman, who is recognized through North America as as able alienist and a progressive student of diseases of the mind.

TO MEET HERE

Synod of London and Hamilton Winds Up and Adjourns.

The Presbyterian Synod of London and Hamilton concluded its session at Brantford on Wednesday afternoon. All the business proper of the synod was put through. The session was the shortest one in the history of the synod, the reports not receiving the discussion that is generally heard.

The advisability of changing the order of business in the future was discussed at length. A committee reported in favor of the synod meeting next year on Tuesday, and an amendment which found favor was that the business and conference meetings should be alternated. It was suggested that in the future the morning session should be devoted to business proper, the afternoon to conference work and the evening to the receiving of reports. It has been found that a great many of the delegates are unable to remain at the meeting throughout the entire session, so that the business meeting is missed by them when it is held at the last of the session. The suggestion met with favor and was re-

ferred to the committee. It was decided to hold the next synod meeting in St. Andrew's Church, this city, on the last Tuesday in April of next year.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh. Asthma and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Lebility and all Nervous Complaints. Having tested its wonderful curative rowers in thousands of cases, and desiring to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who wish it, this recipe in German, French or English, with full directions ior preparing and using. Sent by mail, by addressing, with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noves, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y. CONSUMPTION CURED.

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in peace, for the license commissioners have decided that hotels are not needed there, and at the meeting last night refused the application of W. Hollands, of Parkhill, and Jerry Collins, for licenses. There is no increase in the number of licensed places this year over last, but rather a tendency to restriction, and notwithstanding this the tax will be largely in excess of what it was for the twelve months ended. P. J. Watt, 428 Richmond street, and Jas. Wilson, 398 Richmond street, were the only two wholesalers in London applying for retailers' licenses. These applications were also refused, but both were given the option of taking out a wholesaler's license. The amount collected last year was \$11,660 for licenses and \$355 in fines and transfers, and of this \$2,922 75 went to the city. Owing to the revision of the liquor law the amount collected this year will be \$1,340 over that of the year just ended, making the total \$12,250. Last year, brewers' license fees of \$750 were paid to Inspector Henderson, but this also has been affected by the new order of things, and without the brewers' fees the excess over last year is \$590. Each hotel license costs \$290, or \$30 more than last year; each saloon, \$480, or \$150 more than in 1898; wholesalers' licenses have been increased from \$250 to \$350, and shops from \$280 to \$310, an increase of \$30. Under the new system all saloon and wholesale license fees must be paid at the time the permit is granted. Tavern and shop licenses on May 1 pay half the amount of the license fee, and a permit is granted for six months, at the end of which the other half of the fee must be paid. Last year London had two saloons; this year it

has one, the other saloon being con-verted into a hotel. The duty on saloons is \$190 higher than on hotels. Inspector Henderson has also received a circular from Toronto, which was read at the meeting. It directs the at-tention of hotelkeepers to the necessity of fire escapes on all two-story build ings, and where hotels are more than two stories, fire escapes must be provided, and a rope of sufficient length and strength to carry a man to the ground must be kept in each room. The penalty for violation of these rules is a fine of from \$20 to \$200.

Following are the licenses granted, of which 6 are shop, 33 hotel, 1 saloon Mr. Robert Reid, honorary secretary and 2 wholesalers' licenses, held in

> RETAIL SHOPS. Joseph W. Scandrett, 171 Dundas John A. Somerville, corner Talbot

John Garvey, 156 Dundas street. E. B. Smith, 12 Market Square. James Ward, 471 Simcoe street. Edward Shea, 11 Masonic Temple.

TAVERN AND SALOON. James Butler, restaurant, G. T. R. Charles Stevens, 203 Dundas street. John Tomlinson, 402 Clarence street Harry M. Ryan, corner King and Clarence streets.

John Howe, corner Clarence and York streets. J. J. Cox, southwest corner Clarence and York streets.

John O'Flaherty, corner Wellington and Bathurst streets. J. W. Doyle southwest corner Wellington and York streets. Metropolitan Hotel, Dundas and Wellington streets. W. C. Ross, corner Dundas and

Egerton streets.
Gustin & Son, 368 Dundas street. Frank McLean, 621 Dundas street. John Fraser, 183 King street. Henry L. Peine, corner Richmond.

and King streets.
Eli Griffith, Grand Pacific Hotel,
corner Richmond and Mill streets.
John Lewis, corner Richmond and

Maple streets.
J. B. Jennings, Richmond and Fullarton streets. James McDonald, 12 Carling street. R. E. Lloyd, 157 Dundas street. W. Bernard, corner Talbot and Carling streets.

David Sare, 378 Richmond street.
O. R. Scott, 119 King street, Boswell House. Jerry McDonald, Ontario House, 129 King street.

W. S. Hodgins, Central House, corner Talbot and King streets.
Harry Walsh, 147 King street. W. Collins, corner York and Talbot

C. W. Davis, Tecumseh House.
John McMartin, City Hotel.
Edward Morkin, 89 King street.
Mahon & Patton, corner Talbot and streets.

King streets. Martin O'Meara, Grigg House. Hunter & Son, Ridout and King

J. W. Humpidge, London House, corner Dundas and Talbot streets. John P. Evans, 321 Richmond street. The commissioners present were D. Regan (chairman), Robert Reid, jun., and C. H. Elliott, secretary.

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Woman's Morning Music Club Elects Officers-Closing Concert.

Sacred Concert at Askin Street Methodist Church-Recital at the Conservatory.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Morning Music Club yesterday afternoon, marked the close of a most successful season. The club has a membership of 160. The treasurer's

report showed a small balance. Miss Graydon was unanimously reelected president. The vice-presidents chosen were Mrs. Robert M. Burns, Mrs. Ashworth, Miss Katherine Moore and Mrs. C. B. Hunt. Miss Murphy and Miss Maud Regan were elected secretaries, and Mrs. M. A. Lilly and Miss Armstrong treasurers.
"An "At Home" will be given next

Thursday at the Y. M. C. A.

The following pleasant programme
was given at the close of the annual Beethoven....Concerto in G. Major

(first movement), Cadenza by
Reinecke
Miss M. Raymond. (Second piano) Mr. Thos. Martin.
Chadwick.....Vocal Quartet, Lullaby
Misses Johnston and Fenwick, Mesdames Ashworth and Lilley. ChopinFantaisie Impromptu Miss Maud Regan.

Paper—Eminent Piano Teachers...
Mr. George Phelps. Hollaender..Theme and Variations Mr. F. Clark and Miss M. Raymond

Miss Evelyn Morphy.

(Second piano) Mr. Thos. Martin
Rossini ... Cavatina, L'Italiana in Mrs. Robert Muir Burns.

Wagner .. Quartet, Overture Tann-Misses M. Raymond, Katherine Moore, Helen Fitzgerald and Eliza-beth Walker.

Sacred Concert.

A large audience assembled at the Askin Street Methodist Church last evening, and enjoyed one of the best concerts of the season. The programme contained eighteen numbers, and every number was a gem. Encores were numerous and the audience warmly appreciative. Mr. Philp, organist and choirmaster, is to be congratulated on the marked improve-ment in the choir since he assumed ment in the choir since he assumed charge. Two choruses were sung, each in splendid tune and time. The choir was assisted by Mrs. John Cooper (nee Miss Lilywhite) soprano soloist of the First Presbyterian Church, Chatham; Mr. Wm. Caven Barron, of the London Conservatory of Music; Mr. H. R. McDonald; the Imperial Quartet, comprising Messrs.

J. C. Lockhart, A. Carpenter, W. E. Collins and H. R. McDonald; Mr. Claire Monteith, Detroit's favorite baritone; Miss Flora Temple, city; Mr. Emile Gerrard, clarionet soloist; Mr. C. Irwin, solo cornetist. Mrs. H. R. McDonald was accompanist of the evening, and Mr. W. Philp, musical

Conservatory Recital.

A delightful piano recital was given at the Conservatory of Music last night by pupils of Misses Helen Paterson and Bella Brown. The programme:

Overture—Zauberflote Mozart Misses McMurchy, Lamont, Pierce and Paterson. Reve Charmant De Lille Miss Rosa Pierce.
a Valse Lente Sieverking

b The Flatterer Chaminade
Miss Lena McMurchy. He Was a Prince Lynes
Miss Ethel McKillop. Kamennoi Ostrow. No. 22.. Rubenstein Miss Violet Laing. Fourth Mazurke Godard

Miss Ella Hay. Waltz Song—The Charmer ..Strelezki Mis Lena McMurchy. Valse Arabesque Lack

Miss Nellie Butler.

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