WHOLE NO. 16228;

Births, Marriages, Deaths

HOBBS-In London township, on Sunday, March 24, 1961, William Hobbs, aged 59

Funeral will leave the family residence, lot 5, con. 14, London township, on Wednesday, March 27, at 1 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

SMART-At Medalta, Port Hope, on Sunday, March 24, 1901, John Smart, father of A. M. Smart, of this city, in his 76th Funeral on Tuesday, March 26,

MICHAEL-At her home, Detroit, Mich. Monday, March 25, Asenath, beloved wife of Mr. Robert Michael, fell asleep

Funeral will take place from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Hawley, 289 Ridout street, this city, on Thursday, March 28, 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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IN THE MATTER OF E. PAVEY & CO., of the city of Londo in the county of Middlesex—Notice is heeby given that the above-named A. E. Prey & Co. have the above-named A. E. Prey & Co. nave made an assignment to munder the provision of Chapter 147, R. So., 1897, of all their estate and effects i trust for the benefit of all their credits. A meeting of the creditors of the ild estate is hereby convened, and willbe held at the law offices of Gibbons & hrper, London, on Wednesday, the 3rd days April, A.D. on Wednesday, the 3rd days April. A.D. 1901, at 2:30 o'clock in the sternoon, for the appointment of inspectrs and the giving of directions with rerence to the disposal of the said estate All creditors of the said estate are hereb required to file their claims with my dictors, Gibbons & Harper, London (as dicted by the said statute), on or befor the day of such meeting. After 1st M. 1901, I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such class as I shall have notice of, and I sha not be responsible for the assets of he said estate or any part thereof, any person or persons whose claim of latims shall not have been filed. Date the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1901.

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Dundas street east—Handsome new 2½ story brick, stone foundation, state roof, 12 rooms. Price, \$4,500.

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ALD. S. STEVELY, Chairman No. 3 Committee

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

Auction Sale of Small Farm. THE FARM OF THE LATE MARGARET J. STACKHOUSE, on the Delaware road, near Lambeth, consisting of 20 acres of good land, with a frame barn and a story and a half brick house, containing 9 rooms, will be offered for sale by public auction on Monday, April 1, 1901, at 2:30 o'clock p.m., at the Lambeth Hotel, in the Village of Lambeth, by Joseph Brown, auctioneer. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to JOHNSTON & CASEY, 90 Dundas street London vendor's solicitors. to JOHNSTON & CASEY, 90 Dunda street, London, vendor's solicitors.

BINDER TWINE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE BINDER Twine will be sold at the Kingston Peniat the following prices: 81/2 cents per pound

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will not be paid therefor. Kingston, March 20, 1901. ROBBED U. S. GOVERNMENT. Philadelphia, March 23.-Isaac Levy and Lewis Goldstein were arrested to day charged with stealing goods be longing to the United States Government, valued at nearly \$60,000. Levy and Goldstein have been engaged in contracting for government work at the Schuylkill arsenal here for over three years, during which time they are charged with having appropriated material for uniforms, and other goods, and selling the same.

New York, March 25 .- Charles Friedman, who, in an insane fit on Monday last, killed his two children, one three years old and the other sixteen months, at their home in Brooklyn, by strangling one and beating out the brains of the other, died in jail today. Death was due to exhaustion. man had not slept since the death of

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> London, March 25. - The war office, er guns, 1 pom-pom, 6 Maxims, 326 as received the following dispatch rounds of big ammunition, 15,000 rounds rom Lord Kitchener:

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"Our troops displayed great gallantry shot at one spot among the wire enand dash. They captured 2 15-pound- | tanglements.

WAR CLOUDS ARE GATHERING

Russian Intrigue Brings the Powers to the Brink of a Dangerous Situation.

Japan Deeply Concerned---China Asks British Help Against Russian Encroachment---Contradictory Statements in Regard to the Manchurian Convention --- United States Will Not Oppose Russia's Schemes.

Pekin, Sunday, "to grant an extension of the period for signing and further amending the Manchurian convention, which the Chinese court implored. Li Hung Chang continues to urge the expediency of immediate compliance. His hands were strengthened by Count

Von Buelow's statement in the Reichstag that the Anglo-German agreement does not apply to Manchuria. bona fides of the modified demands re-

specting Mongolia and Turkestan." UNCLE SAM OUT OF IT. New York, March 26.-According to a Washington special to the Tribune, the United States has just declined to enter a protest against the seizure of Manchuria by Russia, although approached by other powers with that end in view, and warned by them that the consummation of the negotiations today in St. Petersburg would

insure the dismemberment of the Chinese empire, and probably lead to war in the Orient. The decision of this government to abstain from intervention is in accordance with its traditional policy, regarding complications beyond the seas, and was communicated very re-

cently to Wu Ting Fang by Secretary IN THE BRITISH HOUSE. London, March 26.—Replying to Sir the Chinese are worthless documents, and will remain such until Russia her-Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, Conservative, who asked in the House of Commons whether Russia had presented China with a modified agreement regarding Manchuria, and whether Russia had withdrawn from the socalled concert of Europe, the under foreign secretary, Lord Cranborne, said the government understood that the terms of the proposed agreement were still under discussion. But he was unable to make any positive statement on that subject. The Russian government, he added, had informed the government of Great Britain that Russia had no intention of withdrawing from co-operating with the other

powers in China. THE CONCESSION TO RUSSIA. Questioned in regard to the conces sion to the Russians at Tien Tsin, Lord Cranborne said: "Li Hung Chang signed an agreement granting Russia a considerable tract of land, which the Russian military authorities had previously claimed by right of conquest. The British foreign office was not aware by what authority Li Hung Chang signed the concession, but the Chinese government had declared its validity, and therefore it must be reserved for future

JAPAN AND RUSSIA. Yokohama, March 26.-Replying to a minister of foreign affairs said that Japan had not communicated with Russia in regard to the Manchurian

fice of Mr. McLeavy Brown, directorgeneral of Corean customs, announced from Seoul, is reported to have been settled. GERMANY'S CLAIM.

The matter of the dismissal from of-

The basis for this is the large military establishment which Germany sent

to China, and has maintained up to the present, amounting to 17,600 men. CHINA APPEALS TO BRITAIN. London, March 26.-The Chines minister, Sir Chih Chen Lo Feng Luh, alled at the foreign office and urged the British Government to bring pr sure to bear in order to prevent Russia from securing the necessary sig-natures of the Manchurian conven-The foreign office is still in the dark as to whether the agreement will be signed or allowed to lapse when

the time expires today. SECRET TREATIES. situation is still more complicated, owing to the fact that there are two secret treaties one of which is to be signed at St. Petersburg, dealing with Russia's military control of Manchuria, and another, to be signed

at Pekin, dealing with her civil pow-

CHINA'S APPEALS FRUITTIESS The Chinese appeals for support have failed to produce any direct remonstrances from Great Britain, or, apparently, from any other power St. Petersburg, for Russia persistently adhered to her contention that the secret agreements concern no one exground, Great Britain's request copies of the agreement was abruptly eign office here that it would be dangerous and useless breach of diplomatic procedure to endeavor to enter upon expostulations with Russia, which would only be based upon information supplied by the Chinese. In other words, the copies of secret treaties and alleged modifications them recently given to the powers by

self chooshes to communicate the text of the actual treaties and modifica-In the absence of the Japanese minter in London, Baron Hayashi, Mr. Mastuck, first secretary of the Jap-

the brink of

anese legation, who was interviewed. "Russia's insistence, China's helpssness and the probable victory of huge banks of snow. Russian diplomacy will bring us to

A DANGEROUS SITUATION. in which none of the powers is so deeply concerned as Japan. Even if secret treaties have been modified, as is alleged, the changes are so tri-fling as to make the documents suming that China signs the treatles, I suppose Great Britain, Germany and the United States will protest to But that is about as far as they will go, and about as much as they will get. With Japan it is a matter of fighting. The question is wbether we are to fight Russia now or to fight er later on. She has no right Manchuria; and if she secures Manchuria she will be on the way to securing Corea. Our government, I believe, are seriously considering the

THE STRUGGLE MUST COME. "Japan has no reason to be afraid of the result. Many reasons occur to e average Japanese mind in favor of forcing at the present moment a struggle which must come eventually. If we follow the lead of other powers and do not threaten hostilities, and see any other nation step in to make agreements similar to those which China seems on the verge of Washington, March 26.—The actual signing with Russia. This would mean amount of the German indemnity, it the partition of the Chinese empire

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and the end of the 'open door.' If we opposed it, we naturally think we ould have the moral support of the United States, which has been the champion of these principles, and also of Great Britain and Germany.'

KILLED BY BRIGANDS. Tien Tsin, March 25.-Inquiries show that the Rev. J. Stonehouse, of the London Mission Society, who was killed by brigands fourteen miles east of Tien Tsin, was murdered, while dis-tributing relief to the starving villa-

NOW HE'S A "BUFFALO"

Paid His Initiation Fee of 11 Cents With a \$100 Bill But Got No Change.

Chicago, March 26 .- Carl Ruitz, tendered a \$100 bill in payment of his in-itiation fee of 11 cents. He was joining the "Buffaloes," and he didn't know that one of the rules of the order is to give no change. Ruitz told Justice Sabath about it, and a warrant was issued for the arrest of Albert Sternberg, a saloon-keeper, of No. 157 Randolph street. The charge is

"I initiated Ruitz according to the laws of the order, and will so explain it in court," said Sternberg. "When the court is shown that 'no change' is a bylaw, how can I be guilty of lar-

Other Buffaloes agree with him.

Happenings of the Hour. Kruger, it is said, will visit the United States next month, if his health will permit.

ers and 65 men, have surrendered in

Cavite Province. The Northwest Assembly has been formally called to convene for the transaction of business on Thursday, May 2.

James Gilmour struck his brother

Insurgents to the number of five

William, both colored, in a dispute at Alexandria, and William shot him dead. Twelve Jewish peddlers are assaulted by Chicago hoodlums on an average so at a mass meeting in Chicago yes-

terday, the peddlers demanded better

protection from the police. David Paquin died at 113 Augusta street, Ottawa, on Sunday, under suspicious circumstances. The indications point to death by irritant poisoning, and a post mortem examination will

became crazy on the train and tore up and threw away \$2,800 for which he had just sold his farm near Shreve-In a lecture last night Dr. Thomas D. Crothers, of Hartford, Conn., characterized cocainism as one of the three

H. Bohler, en route from Louisiana

to sail for his old home in Germany,

great scourges of the world, alcoholism and morphinism being the other A LAMBTON CENTENARIAN. Sarnia, March 26 .- Lambton county has a centenarian in the person of Robert Brown, of Brigden vicinity. Mrs. Brown is hale and hearty, and if spared till April 6, 1901, will

have reached the age of 100 years. Mrs.

Brown is the mother-in-law of Wm.

Young, of Waubuno. CATTLE SMOTHERED IN SNOW-DRIFTS. Julesburg, Colo., March 26.—The blizzard that has been raging at Julesburg and vicinity is the worst storm here since 1890. Many cattle have perished by drifting with the storm. Others have been smothered in storm-drifts, in ditches and the river. Huge drifts eight or ten feet high block all roads. No trains are coming in, and eight or ten passenger trains are blocked here. In several instances re-

March 25. Reported at. Fro Numidian. Brow Head. Port Rhynland. Liverpool Philadel ..Liverpool New York Prinzessin Vic-

sidences are completely surrounded by

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THREE FATAL ACCIDENTS

Young Man Killed While Duck Hunting-A Fatal Fall.

Woodbridge, Ont., March 26 .- Noah Tiles, a young man in this place, fatally shot himself yesterday. He was but duck shooting on the Humber River, when his gun came in contact with the limb of a tree and discharged the contents into his abdomen, making a large perforation through which a large portion of intestines protruded. There is no hope of his re-covery.

FATAL FALL. Montreal, Que., March 26.-William McDonald, a well-known resident of montreal, met death last evening in a tragic manner. He was repairing the roof of his house, on Dalhousie street, when he slipped and fell to the ing his neck. He was so years and had only been married a short

UNDER CAR WHEELS. Montreal, March 26.-Two boys were stealing a ride from Longueuil to Sorel and an arm were cut off. The boy, whose name was Roche Bergeron, aged 22, and who belonged to this city, was brought to the Notre Dame Hospital here, where he died some time |

ARE SYSTEM

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ceipt of price by the Wells & Richard-non Co., Limited, Montreal. The Vassar College farm now embraces 1,000 acres of land.

strengthening food for the weak stom-

Pills at 25 cents, or sent by mail on re

All druggists sell Wills' English

WORST IN YEARS!

Great Snow Storm in West Nebraska-Passenger Trains Stalled-Plows Fail to Break the Blockade.

Lincoln, Neb., March 26.-Reports from Alliance and Ogallalla after midnight indicate that the Union Pacific and the Burlington main lines are blocked with snow. Three passenger trains are held at Ogallalla, and drifts west of there have not been raised after hard work with snow plows. The Burlington main line to the northwest is tied up west and east of Alliance, and all trains are Hicks-Beach, to consider the expediheld. The storm in Western Nebraska is the worst in years, and will cause great damage to stock interests. Snow is reported from four to twelve inches deep, with a strong wind blowing. ground, falling on his head and break-ing his neck. He was 38 years old, rain. Reports from Long Pine, Neb., tending him. show that the Elkhorn road is blocked,

and all trains are tied up. Standish, Mich., March 25.-E. W. and Robert Clark, of West Branch, had the experience of their lives is South Shore Railway train on a trip from West Branch to a camp 1 on the South Shore Railway train on la trip from west a few days ago. Saturday, when one of them, being | miles north and west a few days ago. discovered, jumped from the train, he | They reached the camp in safety and fell under the wheels, and both legs started for home just after nightfall. They had not gone far when a blinding blizzard struck them, rendering their progress impossible, the night being dark, and great banks of snow piling up before them. The weather was intensely cold, and the horses soon To go farther toward home was to freeze to death. The only al-ternative was to return to camp. They could just see the track of the cutter, although just made, and took turns walking ahead of the horses and picking out the road. They finally reached camp more dead than alive about midnight. They were unable to return home until the second day after, when their friends were about to go

and hunt them up. COLLEGE FEDERATION. Toronto, March, 26 .- The parties interested in the negotiations for the federation of Trinity University with Toronto are assured that the movement will be successful, and that is why provision is made in the university bill for a site in Queen's Park for Trinity's new buildings. It is understood that Trinity will try to secure funds for the new buildings by the issue of \$400,000 of debentures, the sebeing the valuable land surrounding Trinity on Queen street west. and the present buildings, which would make a fine hospital or public institu-

MANY IN MACEDONIA MASSACRED

Whole Families Wiped Out by the Turks.

Arrival of the Duke and Duchess o Cornwall at Malta-British Budget Will Not Be Presented Till After Easter.

Constantinople, March 26 .- According to private advices from Macedonia a band of Turks massacred three Bulgarian families, men, women and children, in the village of Aghamahalleh, near Seres, a town 47 miles northeast of Salonica. Details of the outrage have not been received. The news created a profound sensation. It is reported that a village near Monastir, in Macedonia, with a mixed population of Mussulmans and Bulgarians

SUGAR BOUNTIES. London, March 26.—The House of Commons committee in charge sugar interests visited Lord Lans-downe, the foreign secretary, yesterday, and represented that serious in-jury was being done to the colonies and the home ports by foreign sugar bounties. The committee pointed out what the United States had done for the Jamaica sugar trade by the imposition of countervailing duties, and trusted he would take such action as the situation demanded. The visit was due to the endeavors to compel Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, to introduce countervailing duties

BRITISH BUDGET. Mr. Balfour, the government leader announced that the house would adjourn April 3 and meet again April 18, when the budget would be introduced.

WHAT AFRICANDERS ASK. Sir Robert Reid laid upon the table of the House of Commons a petition from Messrs. Herriman and Sauer, respectively the former treasurer of Cape Colony and former commissioner of public works of Cape Colony, asking for permission to address the house with respect to the peace settlement in South Africa, and especially against the establishment of a crown colony form of government. The petitioners have dropped the idea of protesting against annexation

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS Tenders for £2,700,000 in treasury bills were opened at the Bank of England yesterday. The applications to-talled £5,787,000. The average rate of the allotments were 31/8 per cent.

TALK OF CORN DUTIES. The Liverpool Daily Post hears that the failure of the peace negotiations in South Africa is causing the chan-cellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael ency of abandoning the suggestion of a shilling registration duty on corn in favor of a two-shilling direct duty.

SALISBURY ILL. The Chronicle says that Lord Salis-

WILL RETAIN OFFICE. Earl Cadogan, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, authorizes the statement that will retain office for another year.

KING LEOPOLD. King Leopold II., or receiving the British embassy sent to announce the death of Queen Victoria and the accession of Edward VII., expressed the hope that the relations between Great Britain and Belgium would become even closer than they are at present.

TOLSTOI. Count Toistoi is reported to be making preparations for quitting Russia in disgust and despair, and his English friends are urging him to settle in this country, it is said. The report is scarcely credible, but it comes from a quarter that justifies its mention. The latest direct advices from the great writer indicate that The latest direct advices he is justly indignant at the monstrous action of orthodox church bigots in procuring his excommunication, and not without apprehension that that action foreshadows political persecution, he believes that all considerations of personal dignity and devotion to duty required that he should remain at his post. He feels that expatriation would seriously diminish his opportunities and power for use-

fulness to his country. CABLE NOTES. The British steamer City of Venice, which grounded Saturday night in dangerous position seventeen miles beow Calcutta, has been floated. The Lisbon police have closed the re ligious establishments which have been

ordered, by ministerial decree, to be The strike situation at Marseilles has undergone little change. More street cars are running, protected by police. The strikers are quietly trying to influence workers to join them, and many factories are closed owing to the want of engineers.

MANY LIVES WERE LOST

By the Tornado Which Swept Through Alabama.

At Least 25 Persons Perished—One Report Say 50 Dead Bodies of Victims Have Been Found.

Birmingham, Ala., March 26.-In the tornado which yesterday swept over Jones Valley, in which Birmingham is located, 25 lives are estimated to have been lost and immense damage was done to property. Between 9 and 10 a.m., the storm raged with great violence. Such havoc was created that up to 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon the number of casualties had not been definitely fixed. Twenty-five dead was, however, the general estimate. Of these seven were killed at Irondale, about fifteen in the city of Birmingham and the others in suburban

SOME OF THE VICTIMS.

Among the known dead are the following: G. C. Chapman, prominent physician, of this city, killed by fall-ing debris; Mrs. Robert J. Lowe, wife of the chairman of the state Demo-eratic committee, and infant son, both killed at their residence on South Highlands; J. Alexander, merchant, killed in his store; W. P. Dickerson, bookkeeper, killed in his store; a daughter of B. B. Hudson, merchant; Lizzie Glenn, colored, Lizzie Goodloe, colored; Carrie Hengy, colored; Carrie Hudson, colored; Maggie Blevins, colored; J. Myro, colored, and Fannie

Among the fatally injured are: Mrs R. H. Thomas and Mrs. W. Thomas, wife and mother of a prominent real estate agent. The entire fire and police department turned out to render aid, and are still engaged in taking the dead and injured from the debris.

CHURCH WRECKED. At Pratt City the roof of the brick high school was blown away, and the First Methodist Church was wrecked. Dozens of negro cabins were demolished. The commissary of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company was blown down. Great damage to growing crops and farm houses in the vicinity is reported. Brighton and North Birmingham

considerably damaged. At Irondale it is stated that five stores were demolished in the business district and seven people were killed. Professor Walter J. Bailey, of the new Harvard College, and Miss Flo Mackin-Atlanta and Birmingham is cut off. non, eldest daughter of Dr. A. Mackin-The storm passed to the north of non, of Alvinston, Ont. The rooms were

IN GEORGIA.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 26 .- The hurricans which swept. Alabama is said to have struck the Chattanooga, Rome and Southern Railroad near Lynnville, Ga., a small station south graceful arrangement of carnations and of Rome, and destroyed several miles of tracks. Neither the officials of that line nor of the Southern Railway were able to get information as to their trains, all wires being down. The Southern officials say that all wires on the Alabama Great Southern are

MANY DEAD BODIES RECOVERED Kansas City, Mo., March 26 .- A dispatch received at the general offices of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis Railroad, in this city, this afternoon, from the agent of that road at Birmingham, Ala., says that up to the time of sending the dispatch 50 dead bodies had been recovered at Irondale, Ala., which town is described as having been almost completely wrecked.

In the light of dispatches direct from Birmingham the above statement is discredited. It is believed to be greatly exaggerated.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

CARADOC CENTER.

The prominent men of this district and the "Old Boys" who have gone forth and made their mark in the world will be told at another time. The frost is nearly out of the ground, and farmers are preparing for the spring work. Wheat looks well in this part of the

township, having come through the winter all right.
Mr. Tull, of con. 1, and Mrs. Francis Thompson, of con. 2, are on the sick

From Cook's Church, as a center for two or three miles in each direction, there is included as fine a farming district as is to be found in the prov ince of Ontario. Large brick residences and splendid outbuildings adorn the majority of the farms, and evidences of prosperity and plenty everywhere abound. The soil of this district is a heavy sandy loam, ad-mirably adapted for the growth of the great staple crops-wheat, corn, potatoes, roots and clover. The sugar beet does particularly well in this locality, and the encouragement given to its growth by the Ontario Govern-ment has opened up a means by which the progressive farmer may largely increase his yearly revenue. The early settlers of this district were people from the north of Ireland, England and Scotland, and but few remain to tell of the privations and hardships incident to life in a new land. Their descendants are not unworthy of their noble ancestors, and form a community of Canadians who are credit to their country.

S TRATHROY.

[Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.] Strathroy, March 25 .- Adjt. McHarg, of Petrolia, will conduct a very graphophone service in the S. A. Barracks on Wednesday, March 27. Stanley Brown will give his illus-trated lecture at the Lyceum here on Tuesday evening next. He comes un-der the auspices of the public library. Miss Jennie Clarke, teacher at Minden, Haliburton, is home until after Easter, suffering from throat trouble. Mr. W. G. Wilson, of the Strathroy Furniture Company, has purchased the property known as "Pine Hurst." Charles Ashwell, of Chatham, is vis-Iting at his home here.

The Evely Stock Company are preparing for their opening, which takes place about April 1. Thos. Patterson and family, of the



To feel as vigorous as you were before you wasted your strength? To enjoy life again? To get up in the morning refreshed by sleep, and not more tired than when you go to bed? To have no weakness in the back, or "come and go" pains? No Indigestion or Constipation? To know that your manly strength is not slipping away? To once more have bright eyes, healthy color in your cheeks, and be confident that what other men can do is not impossible to you? In short, do you want to be a man among men? I can make you all this because I have done it to others.

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4th line, Adelaide, have taken up their residence in Strathroy. On May 1 next the Queen's Hotel will pass into the hands of R. J. Thompson, of Gunn & Thompson, the present man-

Miss Humpidge, of London, is the guest of her brother, Dr. Humpidge, of Richmond street.

Jas. Cox, license inspector, left this week on an inspection tour. The following account from the Los Angeles Herald will be read with interest by the friends of the bride and A very pretty wedding was solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Kendrick, of Grattan street, when the principals were Professor Walter J. Bailey, of the new artistically decorated with a profusion of white flowers and greenery. Under a broad, high-casement window a solid arranged to form a background for the bridal party, and about the room was a "Wedding March" were softly played by Miss Frances Clothes, the bride entered the room on the arm of Mr. J. Oak Davidson, who gave her away. She wore a dainty gown of organdie, with chiffon trimmings, and carried white carnations and maidenhair ferns. The bride was attended by Miss Semone Ruch as maid of honor, attired in a pretty gown of filmy white, over pale blue silk. The groom was attended by Professor Phipps, of the Harvard faculty, as best man. Little Miss Oakley Davidson, daintily gowned with a white lace dress, with pink trimmings, carried the bride's ring in a calla lily, and little Hallie Kuhn, in pale blue, made a pretty little flower girl. The

GLEN OAK.

lege after April 1.

ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. S. Tanner, pastor of the Cumber-land Presbyterian Church. Professor

and Mrs. Bailey will make a short trip

to Southern California points and will

be at home to their friends at the col-

Glen Oak, March 25.—We are sorry o announce the death of William L., only son of John Ramey, of North Ekfrid, who died Saturday morning after two weeks' illness of pneumonia, aged 19 years, and 8 months. The funeral takes place from his father's residence this afternoon to Mount Carmel Cemetery. His parents and only sister have the sincere sympathy of the community in their bereavenent.

John Pullen, of this place, is seriously ill with grip and is under med-

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people become ruseated with a continuance of ordiary oatmeal, cracked

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The "N.C. TAILOR-KUT" corset with the straight front is a genuine straight front corset.

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During the last two months Chicago banks gained more than \$12,000,000 The tender banana grows and does fairly well in sheltered portions of Southern California.

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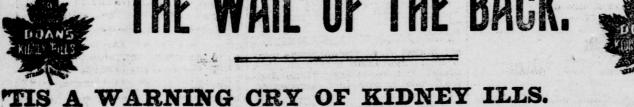
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back or urinary troubles."

MRS. GEO. H. ALWARD, White's Point, N.B., writes:

"I was so bad with backache that I could scarcely move around the house. My feet and ankles swelled up and were so painful that I could get no rest night or day. I tried several remedies, but they seemed to do me no good. I was advised to give Doan's Pills a trial, and from the first I perceived a decided change for the better, and by the time I had taken three boxes I could do my house work as well as ever and am completely cured. I cannot say too much as to the merits of Doan's Pills when I consider the health I now enjoy."

MR. BENJAMIN BROOKS, West Cape P.E.I., writes:

"I contracted a severe cold which settled in the small of my back and was so sore that I could hardly walk. I procured a box of Boan's Pills, and by the time I had taken them I was completely cured. I might also say that my little boy was troubled with his kidneys. We tried several remedies, but none did him any good until we tried Doan's Pills. They proved to be what he wanted and have made a complete cure. I cannot recommend them too highly to all kidney sufferers."

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No. 2007-Tuscan straw, black chiffon, silk rosebuds and buckle.

No. 2004-Fawn straw, placque pleated, satin facing in pale blue, brown velvet rib-

bon, gold braid, buckles and rosebud foliage. No. 2005-Brown fancy straw, placque faced with fawn pelisse satin, trimmed with cream lace, gold braid, gilt buckle, brown

velvet ribbon and crush roses in pink. And many others, all worth \$5, during our opening we will sell at \$3 50 each.

Ask to See Our \$3.50 Hat.

THE WESTERN

the Monthly Meeting in

Strathroy.

in the School-Some New Rations

for Fattening Poultry.

bacteria were arefully explained. Bac-

teria are vegetable organisms, which

varieties are innumerable. Those in the

air, which act on the sugar in the milk, are called lactic bacteria. Milk, while

sill in the udder, is perfectly sterile,

buc as soon as it is drawn it becomes

infected with bacteria from the sides

and udder of the animal, from the

milker, from the utensils and from the

air. The action of injurious germs on

milk renders it unfit for cheese or but-

ter. As it is impossible to destroy these

germs, the primary object should be to

lessen their number, and prevent their

growth as much as possible. For this

it is especially important that the uten-

sils should be perfectly clean. Heat has

been found to be the best means of

destroying bacteria. Cans and utensils

should be washed first with lukewarm

water and soap, then rinsed with hot

the sugar and protein or casein of the

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Linen Chiffon, black and cream only, 46 inches wide, 25c yard.

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Large bunches of Roses for 25c bunch. Large bunches of Lilacs for 19c bunch. Children's Tams, in cloth and velvet, 25c, 39c, 47c, 59c each.

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The disease has been a puzzle to physicis is ever since its appearance several years ago, and it is as much of a puzzle today as it was then. It ex-hibits such a variety of symptoms in the Thames. There had been no dis-different individuals and leaves such pute between himself and the governlisastrous results after apparent recovery, that as yet its prevention and cure has baffled medical science. However there is no doubt but that

the grip is catarrhal in character and steps to prevent the depletion of the the leading symptom in nearly every fish. As a result of his representathe leading symptom in nearly every case is increased secretion in the head and throat, in fact the first indications of la grippe are those of a cold in the head which extends to the throat and

Dr. Johnson Ames advises as the safest course to pursue on the first appearance of grip symptoms to keep to the house for a day or two and take Stuart's Catarrh Tablets every hour the first day and every two hours the following day and states that this will break up the trouble before it becomes

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Dr. Gerald Simpson says: "I have found Stuart's Catarrh Tablets a pleasant and thoroughly reliable remedy for the grip, especially with elderly people with whom this prevailing disease is always dangerous; the tablets can be found at any drug store, and if used freely during the first few days of the attack will break it up.

La grippe is a catarrhal affection, the germs are in the air and no one is proof against it, but the timely use of

any serious results.

cheese and butter factories during the summer, are capable of teaching the students the best methods of manufacturing cheese and butter, and also of dealing with the various difficulties with which farmers and factorymen have to contend. The present standing of the school reflects great credit upon the superintendent, Archibald Smith, for the tact and ability which he has exercised in making it one of

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Adopts the Addresses to the Imperial Authorities.

The Companies' Act Passes Committee Stage-Col. Leys Denies Newspaper Report That He Threatened to Resign.

Toronto, March 26.—At yesterday's DISEASED session of the legislature the debate on the memorial to the imperial authorities regarding a remount station in Ontario was resumed and concluded, the address being adopted unaniamend the Ontario companies act was discussed at some length, and some clauses were finally left over for ther consideration. Before adjournment the premier stated that the beet root sugar, the volunteers bill and the other government measures will be taken up today.

Mr. Holmes (Haldimand) introduced a bill to amend the liquor license act by providing that tavern licenses may paid half-yearly in other municipalities as well as cities.

THIRD READINGS. The following bills, among others, were read a third time and passed: To incorporate the town of Kingsville-Mr. Auld. An act respecting the city of Brant-

To consolidate and amend the act respecting the education department-Mr. Harcourt. The premier's bill to amend the sup

plementary revenue act was slightly amended in committee and reported. THE REMOUNT RESOLUTION. Resuming the adjourned debate on resolution respecting a remoun station, Mr. Whitney said the government's proposal embraced nothing that

would encourage the imperial government to come here to purchase horses He suggested the encouragement of the horse industry by such means as prizes at fairs, etc. Mr. Pattullo (North Oxford) said that

figures recently published showed that during the South African war the imperial government purchased \$10,000,-000 worth of mules in the United States and only \$2,000,000 worth of horses in this country. Through official chan-nels was the only way to get the imperial authorities to pay attention to the province's representation. Hon. Mr. Dryden said that the best

inducement that could be offered to the farmers to raise horses would be the establishment of the remount station under discussion

THE PREMIER'S VIEW. The premier outlined the steps which had been taken to lay the matter before the imperial authorities, tak-ing occasion to refer in complimentary terms to the assistance given by hi excellency the governor-general and Lord Strathcona. The object in moving the address was to secure the as sent of the whole house, so as to present as strong a case as possible. An address concurred in by the house would, he thought, carry more weight than one adopted in any other way. He was also of opinion that the Dominion Parliament would aid the province in securing a hearing. The far-mers of Canada could, he believed, raise as high a quality of horses as could be found anywhere, and would do so if inducements were held out. He did not quite agree with statements made to the effect that the government had not done anything to encourage the horse-breeding industry. They had, he pointed out, assisted in many ways by grants to horse shows and societies. The farmers of the province did not raise the best and most marketable class of horses, and the establishment of a re-The people don' know it mount station would aid them to that end. The government were sincere on the question; they might fail, but no-

thing could be lost by trying.

Mr. Little again spoke, indorsing the resolution, which was then adopted unanimously. The house spent some time in concur-

er to the committee on agriculture air, sunshine, counti sleep, steed, which stated that the provincial sovernment had guaranteed the interregular habits, right cithing. est on the company's first mortgage debenture bonds to the amount of \$200,-

000. He asked the premier if there was any truth in the statement.

The Premier—It is quite incorrect.

The house rose at 6:15.

COL. LEYS' DENIAL.

Col. Leys, the member for London n conversation with a Globe reporter yesterday, denied emphatically the made in a local evening statement paper, to the effect that he had threatened to resign unless the gov-ernment agreed to adopt his recomment, he said, nor the slightest intention on his part of resigning. He had simply urged upon the department the necessity of taking some

tions, he said, the government had is-sued very few licenses this year, and would take steps to right the grievances complained of by citizens along the river. The colonel pointed out that many years ago the then Upper Canada government gave a license to well. No gristing has been done at the mill for years, but the dam, known as Cashmere dam, is still in existence, preventing fish from going up or down the river. Last year no less than 200 tons of fish were taken at the dam and shipped over the river by the Buffalo Fish Company, who owned the tackle and everything used in the industry. The colonel added that the government had stated their intention to compel the alteration of the dam so as to let fish go through, or do away with it altogether, in addition to reducing the number of licenses.

WANT CHEESE EXAMINED. A deputation representing the Western Dairymen's Association, which included Mr. A. F. MacLaren, M.P., and proof against it, but the timely use of Professor Dean, waited upon Hon. Mr. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets will prevent Dryden yesterday and asked that a cheese chemist or analyst be appointed to examine Canadian cheese when so requested by manufacturers. stated that of late some cheese s to England were characterized strange flavors, and the trade had suffered thereby. If an analyst or chemist was appointed, manufacturers who desired to put on the market only the best quality would be able to advertise their cheese as having been analyzed and found to be of good NOTES

The committee on agriculture, re-cently appointed, will hold its first meeting at noon today.

J. A. Frazer has been appointed bailiff of the 5th Division Court of the county of Halton, vice S. Jackson, re

signed.
Mr. Speaker Evanturel will give his 'at home" on Wednesday evening. Mr. Stratton's bill to amend the Ontario Companies' Act went through a committee stage, and one clause

was allowed to stand. The speaker's gallery was graced by Mayor Rumball, Police Magistrate Mayor Rumball, Police Magistrate Love, Frank Cooper, James Bell and other Londoners who came down for the Old Boys' dinner tonight. City Clerk Kingston and E. J. MacRobert had seats on the floor of the house.

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onto. The first address was by Dr. Neu | a mixture of peas and oats. The only way to obtain a good dairy herd is to cull out the unprofitable ones continu-The nature, growth and function of ally. CARE OF POULTRY. For successful winter egg producbut are usually overfed with grain.

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2. Two parts corn, two parts oats, two parts cooked potatoes, mixed in equal proportions by weight. 3. Ground oats and milk, mixed in equal proportions by weight. In well-bred stock the first ration will produce one pound gain for 31/20; the second a like gain for 4c, and the third a like gain for 5c. HOME DAIRY BUTTERMAKING, Miss Millar described the three modes of separating cream from milk, by shallow pan, by deep can and by

separator. The deep can is preferable to the shallow pan, as the cream is sweeter and not so leathery. The separator is preferable to either as it separates all the fat from the milk. dition for feeding. One of the essential points in buttermaking is to riper the cream properly. The day before churning the cream should be heated to 70 or 75 degreesh and allowed to develop acid, then cooled again to churning temperature. Three reasons for long churning are, either too much

cream in the churn or the cream toe

water and allowed to dry in the sun. thin, or the temperature too low.

For milking, the air ought to be kept thermometer should always be used. GROWING CORN. as to let sunlight and air in. the latter part of May. important factors in present-day edu-! of cutting it is with a binder. In cation. What we need is to improve feeding ensilage, 10 to 40 pounds per

animal is a sufficient daily ration. It DAIRY INTERESTS.

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damage is done. vet. They have ben told; but they don't believe it; they

means of cure. There are other hips: dry

J. M. Joness said that corn should be planted in hills, three feet apart, so best land for com is clover stubble, which has been plowed the previous fall, and again in spring, about four inches deep. Never plant corn until the ground is warm enough, about should be cultivated continually until it is three feet high. The best means

is sufficient to feed cattle twice a J. W. Wheaton strongly urged that to the interests of the patrons to select | we should strive to improve the qualpay more attention to our butter industry, as there is an unlimited demand for good butter. The cheese and place to keep milk pails or milk. We of the dairy industry, because there

This year has beenthe most successful in the history of the school; 48 students have been in attendance, most of them taking the full course. The home dairy department, under the management of Mis: Millar, is each eria are vegetable organisms, which are found everywhere. They will develop in 20 minutes. Warmth, moisture and food are necessary to their existence, while sunlight is injurious. Their hens is less important than selection. You should only breed from those ing the school came rom all parts of which are known to lay in the winter. the province, and alo from Quebec Fowls need water regularly. They do and the Northwest erritories. The not have change enough in their food, advantage of the school over the others is the large amount o milk and cream handled each day. The students are given a thorough and practical training in milk testing, heese making, making of butter on oth systems in vogue in Ontario and all branches of dairy work, including acteriology. A number of additions I ve been to the equipment of th school, which

work, and being connited with the

instructors are well quilfied for their

is almost as deadl as ever, although physicians know they can cure it generally beginning when most of thelungs are still sound, and een sometimes when a gret deal of

don't act on it. Scott's emulsion o'cod-liver oil is one of the principal

ring in the report of the committee of supply, all but five items being adopted. Messrs. Barr and Pettypiece were addplaced in his hands the prospectus of the Union Stock Yards Company, Lim-

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to carry coals to Newcastle. Not only are the local conditions favorable, but the Dominion Government has placed beet-sugar machinery on the free list, and the Ontario Government has also announced its intention of granting encouragement to the industry. Regarding the proposition to the people of this city, a recent issue of the Toronto Globe has the

"The gentleman who laid his proposals before the men of London is evidently disposed to begin on a large know, any beet sugar factory in Mich-\$500,000, with one exception. this exception was caused by initial mistakes in the installation of machinery. In some instances in Michigan, where farmers were induced to take stock in the factories, many failed to implement their promises when calls were made. If the provision for dutyfree machinery and provincial bonuses fails to attract capital it should make both municipalities and individuals who know nothing about the business somewhat cautious about rushing in.

Farmers as a class are not disposed to take up readily with any new enterprise that may be in the air. They have their lines of agricultural industry, which are to a certain extent Ophir, and a noteworthy feature of it fixed. The launching into a new pur- is that every point touched at, every suit would mean, in many cases, a complete reorganization of farm meth- of His Gracious Majesty King Edods, especially for those who are now engaged in stock raising or in the production of such crops as do not require constant attention from the time of planting to that of harvesting. This n itself seems to be a very important matter and should not be overlooked. The beet sugar industry, as much as we would like to see its successful establishment in this city, will not suffer from free discussion.

L. E. and D. R. Railroad Car

Anent the extension of the lease, we potice an item that the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railroad intend removing their car shops from Walkerville, and that Blenheim or Chatham may be

the lease, the shops might be looked af- kind of life which men ought to live. ter. The company may locate here from choice, and in any event the present is system of practical deliverance from an opportune time to discuss the mat-

The Isle of Man and Wives. The House of Keys, the popular chamber in the Isle of Man, has again unanimously passed the bill legalizing faith. marriage with the deceased wife's sister. Twice before the measure had been accepted by the House, but was rejected by the Court, its only reason a failure, but a victory, and that in evfor this course being that the legisla- ery case he does what is right and good. tion was in advance of England, and to the island under the mistaken im- can judge the signs of the times, it legal. As it has been made clear that take up the question of poverty. It is the bill will apply exclusively to the a growing question in America. Who Isle of Man, it is now hoped that it would have dreamed of an alien labor will be permitted to become law. We law twenty-five years ago? If the are away ahead of the old world peo- churches take up the question, the good moved, and no one has been any the can be done is evident. The Rev. Dr. Knife Creek, while aiding in the supworse for it. There have been none George T. Purves is the successor to pression of the Northwest rebellion, of the scandals that opponents of the the Rev. Dr. John Hall, well known to the Ottawa people declined to take

had married the sister of their deceased wives, we would probably find that it was by no means alarming.

The Royal Visitors.

The official programme, arranged

royal visitors at Halifax on Nov. 15. The 16th will be spent in the old garrison city, and early the following day their royal highnesses will start for the west, spending the 20th September in Quebec city. One month will afterwards be spent in visiting the leading centers of the Dominion, the party going as far as British Columbia, where they will visit the coast cities. The principal towns along the route of the C. P. R. will also be honored with a visit from the heir of the throne and his good wife. It has not yet been decided when the royal party will visit Western Ontario, but they may be expected in London about the end of September. What a revolution has taken place in Canada since the Duke's father, then the Prince of Wales, now the King, visited this country in 1860. Then Sarnia was regarded as the extreme west of civilized Canada. The whole of the Northwest was practically in the possession railway transportation. happy, prosperous and contented Canthis, if the reports ada. Such is the vista that will be sanguine promoters of opened to the gaze of the royal visitgrimage cannot but be beneficial to this great division of the British Em-

> Our readers may be interested in the itinerary of their Royal Highnesses as officially promulgated:

Arrive.		Leave.
	Portsmouth.	March 16
March 20	Gibraltar	March 25
March 25	Malta	March 2
	Port Said	
	Suez	
April 5	Aden	
April 12	Colombo	April 16
April 21	Singapore	April 2
May 6	Melbourne	May 16
May 20	Brisbane	
May 27	Sydney	June 6
June 11	Auckland	June 16
June 18	Wellington	June 21
June 22	Lyttleton	June 24
June 25	Dunedin	June 27
July 2	Hobart	July 7
July 10	Adelaide	July 15
July 20	Fremantle	July 25
Aug. 5	Mauritius	Aug. 8
Aug. 18	Durban	Aug. 15
Aug. 17	Cape Town	n,
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Aug. 27	Ascension	Aug. 31
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Sept. 15	Quebec	Oct 17
Sept. 20	St. Johns	Oct 25
	Portsmouth	
ALL THE RESERVE AND APPROXIMENT OF STREET		
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territory traversed, is under the rule

The call of robin and the effusions of the spring bard are among the first authentic notifications that winter is past. Both are in evidence.

Meanwhile the Cubans are entirely free to do anything the Administration wants them to, says the Philadelphia Times. This is evidently meant for sarcasm, but at the same time it is better that the Cubans be subservient to the will of a nation that has, in its own estimation at least, attained no small proficiency in the art of govern-

At the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, on Sabbath morning, the Rev. Dr. George T. Purves delivered one of the twentieth century national gospel ampaign series of sermons, taking for Would not London be the most central position of all? No doubt the road will ultimately run to Buffalo and have first-class eastern and western religion, and pointed out that the causes of failure were within them-Christianity was an ideal When negotiating the extension of scheme, and unquestionably taught the If Christianity were realized the world would become a paradise at once. As a the ills of life and the fears of death it was incomparable. "When we contem-plate," continued the preacher, "the wretchedness of many lives about us. the fearful hold of sin on tens of thousands, the pain and suffering which abound on every hand, the slowness with which truth advances in the world, we need to say to God, 'Increase our The choice here lies between trust in a Divine Father, who doeth all things well, and utter despair. Trust that somehow good will be the final goal of ill, that he does not mean human life, in spite of its wretchedness, to be The above is an extract from the would cause the English people to go Scottish-American. As nearly as one pression that their marriage would be looks as if the church would some day

we could get the numbers of men who New York city.

Glimpses from Press Gallery.

House of Commons, Ottawa, March 25, 1901.

now soft, there is sleighing still. No community-not even the Russian capital-enjoys the winter more than does Ottawa. This is understandable, when earth enmantled in snow, and sleighing uninterrupted. Ottawa corporation is very well equipped with apparatus for meeting every emergency in winter but

The street railway company keep their splendid electric system up to the highof sweepers, which keep the lines here open very often when, under similar conditions, the cars are stalled in Montreal and Toronto, and the surplus snow is carted on to the ice-bound Ottawa River, almost as soon as it falls. By the use of large and strong snowplows, every sidewalk in the city is the teams often working night as well as day. Then, when much travel and keen frost render the thoroughfaresmany of them on hilly ground-dangerous to pedestrians, a machine is turned on the sidewalks that chops holes in sists of a roller, studded over with sharp prongs, and is most effective in neutralizing the effects of the ice.

To still further safeguard the petion of which is to sprinkle sand on the walks, and leave no excuse for anyone to tumble. So keen is the frost, however, that in much-used streets, the unwary pedestrian finds it anything but pleasant walking, for here, as in London, no precaution, short of removing all the snow from the walk, which the snowplow does not do, leaves the walk to that Carnegie library gift in New absolutely safe. Additional discomfort | York will be kept beyond reaching comes when a thaw sets in, and the slush on the sidewalks has added to it the melted snow from the two or three feet of packed snow in the street. It is a condition of affairs that would try the temper even of a saint

The people of the capital have been discussing the conduct of their mayor in begging Mr. Carnegie, the millionaire grant. library promoter, to come to the aid of the city by a grant to establish a free library. While all other progressive cities of the size of Ottawa on this continent have put up library buildings for themselves, and established libraries by a general tax of the whole community, Ottawa has in this respect remained in the background. The chief reason for this apathy is to be found in the fact that it is the capital city. There is a parliamentary library, which is open between sessions for a comparatively small section of the people, but it was never intended that it should be a library for the use of the people of Ottawa in the sense that our free library is to the citizens of London. The Ottawa people, however, have lived along, hoping that something might turn up that would enable them either to get the use of the parliamentary library, or to have a civic library, provided without taxation. This is the reason for the appeal to Mr. Carnegie, who offers \$100,000 for a building if the city promises to spend \$7,500 a year for maintenance.

There is an outcry among a section of the people against the acceptance of Mr. Carnegie's offer, on the ground that a self-respecting community in Canada should not ask an alien capitalist to defray its legitimate expenditures. But I learn that the large majority of the people here are only too glad to have anyone offer to provide them with something for nothing. Like the people of all capitals, they are so accustomed to look for aids to civic advancement from external sources. that it is no injury to their pride to accept hard cash from Mr. Carnegie, or from any other philanthropist. Indeed, many of them would like to have a less pretentious building from Mr. Carnegie, and a portion of the \$100,000 devoted to buy books, which otherwise would have to be provided out of the civic treasury. To pay for anything that they can obtain for nothing is what the people of Ottawa are not given to

I heard a good illustration of this. the other day. There is a beautiful resort to the east of the Parliament buildings, known as Major's Hill Park. It is to Ottawa what Victoria Park is to London. Some years ago, the Government of the Dominion offered this park to the city, for a nominal rental of \$1 a year, on condition that the city kept it in order. Though pracple in this regard. Years ago, every they will accomplish cannot be calculegal obstacle to a man marrying the lated. That many leading men in the the placing in it of the monument to sister of his deceased wife was re- churches are seriously considering what the Ottawa soldiers who fell at Cut measure prophesied would arise from many Londoners, and whose son is de- charge of the park, which the Deits enactment, and if by the census voting his life to aiding the poor of minion Government may at any time turn to account as a site for public

been suggested that the park would make an ideal spot on which to put up a residence for the Governor-Genmuch more economically maintained than the collection of buildings which resentatives of his majesty. The repairing of the old ramshackle structure has cost enormous sums since Confederation, and many here think ture and grounds and begin anew with a conveniently situated residence. by Lord Aberdeen, but he never made it public. Perhaps he kept silent on the subject because of his experience with the Ottawa hackmen. They heard that the Governor-General intended to recommend that a spur of the electric railway, which now passes the gate of the grounds at Rideau Hall, about half one notes that winter here always a mile from the official residence, should brings bright, crisp, frosty days, the be laid to it, and they sent a deputation nearly 100 strong to Rideau Hall to re monstrate with his excellency. The told him, what was the truth, that sin the building of the electric railway, the cream of their trade-that on which they depended to make a living-was i driving visitors and guests to Rideau Hall, which is over two miles from the center of the city, and for which the average fare is \$2 a trip. With tears in their eyes, they reminded Lord Aberdeen that they had to live in Ottawa after he went away, and they asked him not to do anything that would take the bread from their wives and children. Anyone who has experienced the beguiling eloquence of the sons of French Canada, and of Erin's Isle, who cleared in the same expeditious way, in large measure, monopolize the hackmen's business here, will know what effect these pleaders would have on a ten der-hearted nobleman like Lord Aberdeen. Suffice it to say, that soon afterwards. Lord Aberdeen was heard to say that these earnest men had driven the beaten snow. This apparatus con- all intention of his recommending either the extension of the street railway to Rideau Hall, or the removal of the official residence to Major's Hill Park, out of his mind! It may happen, nevertheless, that for such a purpose this fine park may yet be taken, and if it is lost to the people of the capital, they will only have themselves to blame, as they could have had control of it today, but for their taking it for granted that they could have the use of it without money and without price.

The Tammany Tiger.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.] It is to be hoped that the string distance of the tiger's claws.

A Suggestive Thought. [Hamillton Herald.]

Provincial University re grant of \$50,000 a year to properly equip it for work. Mr. Harcourt grants it \$27,000 for this year. Love for their alma mater should prompt the alumni to do something to supplement the

A Fraudulent Ventriloquist.

[St. John Teiegraph.] An Austrian ventriloquist has been arrested for fraudulently using his art. Plan of Procedure of the Ontario He is charged with having put words into the mouth of a dving man by which the latter bequeathed his estate Again is verified the saw of the wise man that you cannot believe anything

A Word for the Government.

[Hamilton Post.] It would seem that there is here an object lesson to rich men in Ontario, and especially to the wealthy graduates and friends of the University of Toronto. It is not recorded that these graduates and friends have exhibited any eagerness to endow chairs or otherwise aid the Provincial University. Until they do so, it does not seem altogether fitting that they should complain of the lack of government as-The difficulty with the rich men of Ontario is that they are not public-spirited enough.

The Pen in the Hand is worth two in the Mind.

If you have "a good mind to write to Dr. Pierce" take pen in write to Dr. Pierce' take pen in clubs, organizer f a riding, municipand and begin. Then you'll pality or polling division, or engage in the very esselial work of revising avoid the experience of Mrs. M. P. In the very essertal work of revising the voters' lists can receive instructions, directions and literature from the office of the Ontario Liberal As-Va. She writes:

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Space forbids mentioning the many prominent features of this display. The French Novelties, the English and American Models, the great range of Untrimmed Hats, the rich profusion of Flowers and Foliage, the Ornaments, Ribbons, Materials and Trimmings, all combine to make it a veritable fairyland. It is yours to enjoy during these opening days.

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IMPORTANT ORGANIZATION

Liberal Association.

Shortly after the Liberal victory of 1896 the Liberals, with the view of lessening the work of their central organization office for the province in Toronto, divided the province into sections, with an eastern association, having an office and headquarters in Ottawa for the east, and subsequently western association, with a bureau, in London, was established. This division of labor for ordinary inter-election purposes has been dispensed with and the work for all the province is directed from the central and head body, the Ontario Liberal Association. Of this association, Alexander Smith, 34 Victoria street, Toronto, is secretary; and he has at his direction a number of assistants, who attend to the organizations h the ridings as-

signed to them. At a recent meeting of the Federated Liberal Clubs it wa felt that the work of the Ontario Liberal Association augmented by encould be largely could be largely augmented by encouraging young liberals to organize clubs, and as a feult of this feeling the federated club were given representation on the ouncil of the Ontario Liberal Assoliation, and Duncan Marshall, Thorn Iry, Grey county, and W. A. Stewai Martintown, Glengarry county, we organize Liberal clubs throughout he province.

Every Liberal tho desires to aid

Every Liberal ho desires to aid in helping alor, the good cause, whether as a staker, organizer of the office of the Ontario Liberal Association. The number of guides pamphlets, bool, and other useful compilations issed by this association total in the mions, and now with an increased an efficient staff, all this splendid mater'l can be used with

The Ontario liberal Association, as everyone who as taken a proper interest in the prty knows, was formed by the prener of the province and Sir Richard C twright calling representative Libe is from each constituency to meet n Toronto. The gathering was con sed of those who were the provincia and Dominion candidates in the receding elections, the chief officers I the riding associations and delegates lected by each associa-

The central office is maintained by subscriptions tained from friends of the party the ughout the province. Their chief it is to maintain a cencess abides · failure overtakes the parliamenta contingent, there will be a place here Liberals in every riding may supplied with informa tion to ease them to continue the work in the liberal cause. Members f the Local Legislature

and of the House of Commons are represented in the council of the association, al Premier Ross, the members of his cabinet and the Ontario members of the government of Sir Wilfrid Larier are also members of the council of the association, al Premier Ross, the members of his cabinet and the Ontario members of the government of Sir Wilfrid Larier are also members of the thing is done. Get "Putnam's," and no other.

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the council. Though the central association furnishes the necessary instructionss, the work is now, and will be, as in the past, done by the good men in each riding. The association. possible to the riding associations and local workers, and endeavors to do this through its secretary, Alexander Smith, 34 Victoria street, Toronto, and James Vance, Toronto, Duncan Marshall, Thornbury, and W. A. Stewart, Martintown, deputy Liberal organiz-

If in addition to the work above alluded to, if either government or the parliamentary contingent of either house desire any special line of activity, they can have the same at-tended to by securing the men to do it and providing the necessary funds. The Ontario Liberal Association does not undertake to do more than its

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AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

THE PERFECT MAN. THE PERFECT MAN.

The man who never makes mistakes,
Though praised in song and story,
To lonely discontent awakes,
All cheerless, 'mid his glory.
When his neglected lot I view,
So high above the others—
I'd rather have a fault or two,
And call mankind my brothers,
—Washington Star.

-Mr. C. S. Hyman, M.P., is in

-Ald. Greenlees acted for Mayor Rumball today. -Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, of Toronto, was in the city on Saturday. -Fire burned a hole in the roof

McClary's foundry on Saturday. -Grand Master R. B. Hungerford is in Ottawa to attend a Masonic ban-

-The London Fence Machine Company has been incorporated with a capital of \$40,000.

-Miss Jackson, daughter of Rev. Geo. Jackson, returned to Calgary, to resume her teaching duties.

-John Uptigrove, of 148 Fullarton street, leaves tomorrow morning for Alameda, Man., via the C. P. R.. -Mrs. Ed. Sherman has returned from visiting friends at the Falls and her brother, Capt. Douglas, of Buffalo. -Mrs. Wm. H. McCutcheon, of 752 Waterloo street, leaves tomorrow for

Chosen Friends.

-Mr. E. R. Ruse, of 85 Ridout street south, is in Chigago, attending the funeral of his brother-in-law, the late

-Miss Mayme Oldrieve, of St. Thomas, has returned home after having spent a pleasant four weeks with relatives in the city.

-The ice at Port Stanley is reported to be breaking up. The L. E. and D. R. R. expect to start the car ferry running by April 1. -The agricultural committee of the

Western Fair board meet on Saturday to consider the offering of prizes for the growing of sugar beets in Middle--Mr. W. H. Hewlett, of this city,

has been engaged to give an organ recital on the large organ in the Temple of Music, at the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, on Tuesday, July 30 -Mr. Ronald, of the Ronald Engine Works, is in the city today closing the

deal by which the business is transferred to London. All the necessary stock has been secured, though more ORDINATION SERVICE. will yet be accepted. -A new corundum company, with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000, with head offices at Toronto, has just been

ong the provisional directors is Llewelyn A. Morrison, mining engineer, formerly of this city. -The Christian Policemen's Association will hold an "At Home" at the Y. M. C. A. next Wednesday. The association has had a successful year. Its 45 meetings have been well attended, and, as conducted by ministers and laymen, proved helpful and interesting.

-The medical board appointed for military district No. 1, to report upon the cases of Canadian militiamen, invalided from South Africa, is as follows: Major Belton, P.M.O., presient; members, Surgeon-Major Piper, 7th Regiment: Surgeon-Captain A. J. Hayes, 27th Regiment.

-Each morning this week, at 5:30 and 8 o'clock, mass will be celebrated at St. Peter's Cathedral, by Rev. Father O'Bryan, and it will be followed by a short instruction. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the Jesuit Fathers will conduct a mission for the children of the parish, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The usual Easter excursion rates will be given by the various railways operating in Canada. Single fare tickets will be issued, good going April 4 to April 8, returning up to April 9. Fare and one-third tickets will be issued to students and teachers, good going from March 29 to April 6, returning not later that April 16.

learn of the death of Mrs. Charlotte tin, of Perkins, widow of the late Henry Per-Station yesterday. She was in her 69th year. The funeral was held this morning from the residence of her son, Mr. Wm. Perkins, the remains being conveyed to Exeter for interment.

-Miss Trent, missionary to Japan, gave an interesting and earnest address upon her work in that field to a large gathering of ladies at St. George's Rectory, on Friday afternoon last. At the same meeting a life membership was presented to Miss Gower, Diocesan Dorcas secretary, by the officers of the diocesan auxiliary and the members of St. George's branch. Another pleasing feature was a presentation to Mrs. J. E. Snow, who has been for several years treasurer of St. George's branch.

-The exercises in connection with

the Colborne Street Methodist Sunday school services yesterday were specally interesting and impressive. There was a large attendance. The occasion was the unveiling of a memorial tablet, erected in the schoolroom in honor of one of its former members, the late Pte. W. G. Adams, who sacrificed his life for his country in South Africa. Short addresses were given by the pastor, Rev. A. K. Birks, the superintendent of the school. Mr. J. A. Dickinson; the late superintendent, Mr. J. Nicholson; a former superintendent, Mr. Wm. Buckle, and assistant superintendent, Mr. H. Pratt. References were made to the bravery and herofsm of the deceased, the example he had set for his companions, and the assurance he had given that the teachings he had received in the Sunday school had made a lasting impression on his mind, borne fruit in his life, and helped him to enlist as a soldier of the cross. After his address. Mr. H. Pratt lowered the Union Jack, which veiled the tablet, and read to the school the inscription: "In memory of Pte. W. G. Adams, a member of the First Canadian Contingent, to the South African war, who died at Bloem-fontein, April 16, 1900, aged 20 years and 16 days, while serving his Queen and country. Erected by the Colborne Street Methodist Sunday school, of which he was a member. 'Faithful unto death.'" The tablet is light gray marble, neatly inscribed with gilt letters. The addresses were interspersed with singing over the prosecutor, Thomas Ratcliffe, by the school and Misses Hance and to prepare a bill of indictment for per-

Isaac, and Messis. Westbury and Poole. The solos, "He Has Answered His Roll Call" and "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder," by Miss Hance, were exceedingly appropriate:

TAKEN TO KINGSTON Joseph Coughtry and Joseph Roberts, he two young lead pipe thieves, left

for Kingston at 3:43 this morning, in charge of Deputy Sheriff Watterworth. They will serve four years each. LOST A FINGER. A young man named Whitney Buller had the misfortune to crush his

hand so badly at White's this morning that one finger of his right hand had to be amputated. The other fingers will be saved.

TAKING THE CENSUS. The census of Canada will be taken on the night of Sunday, March 31, and every person living in the Dominion at that hour will be counted by the enumerators, who will start out on their rounds on April 1.

AN EXCELLENT COMPANY.

The management of the London Opera House this morning received the following telegram from the managers of the Alpena (Mich.) Opera House: "Clara Mathes' Company played here last week to standing room only. They

STOLEN BRASS IDENTIFIED.

Part of the brass found in the posession of Mosely and Weaver, the young men arrested last week on suspicion of metal stealing, has been identified as some stolen from a house on West avenue, London South. It consisted of door locks, a broken door bell and other articles.

ADJOURNED A WEEK.

In the case of Miss Isabella Peacock, of Delaware, charged with insanity be-Moosejaw, Assa., where she will visit fore Judge William Elliot, on Saturday, Mr. Bartram, instructed by her brother, -Half a dozen London delegates left Mr. Simon Peacock, appeared as counthis morning to attend the council in sel on her behalf, and urged that the Hamilton of the Canadian Order of temporary hysteria with which the defendant was afflicted did not authorize compulsory proceedings to take her from the custody of her mother and brothers. The judge agreed to this contention, but in view of the opinions of the examining physicians, he adjourned the matter for a week to enable them to make further observations.

AN IRISH CONCERT.

The Irish Benevolent Society is arranging for a novel and what will undoubtedly prove an interesting entertainment, to take place in the Auditorium on the evening of April 8. The main feature of the programme will be a lecture by Rev. George Gilmore, on "Ireland, Its Natural Beauties and Its People." The lecture will be illustrated by numerous stereopticon views made from photographs taken by the lecturer in Ireland, and colored by a well-known Toronto artist. Between each scene appropriate songs will be given by many well-known local singers. The whole affair will have a delightful Irish coloring that cannot fail to interest everyone of Irish blood.

The Bishop of Huron held a special ordination in St. Paul's Cathedral this morning, assisted by Dean Innes, Arch-J. H. Moorhouse, A. G. Dann, and Principal Watkins. The sermon was preached by Rev. Robert Sims, rector of Trin-Church, Chatham, from the words Be ye workers together with God, and was most impressive and helpful Amongst other clergymen present were Revs. G. B. Sage, Canon Simth, R. S. W. Howard, W. J. Doherty and stu-dents of Huron College. The candidates were presented by Archdeacon Davis, and were, for deacon's orders, Mr. I. M. Webb, of Huron College, and for priest's orders, Rev. Auhyahkaosa Brigham, of Walpole Island. Holy Communion was administered at the close by the bishop and dean. Rev. Mr. Webb is appointed to be curate to Rev. Canon Hincks, of

Windsor, and Rev. Mr. Brigham returns

to his mission at Walpole Island. AGED RESIDENT DEAD.

An old and esteemed resident of this city died Sunday night in the person of Mrs. Mary Brown Ferguson, widow of the late Thomas Ferguson, once a well-known farmer of London township. Since her husband's death, 23 years ago, she had lived here, but for half a century before her home was on a farm in London township, that was cleared by her husband back in the early thirties. Mrs. Ferguson came to Canada in 1832, from county Cavan, Ireland, where she was born 92 years —Many friends in this city and the neighboring district will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Charlotte Perkins, widow of the late Henry Perkins, which occurred at Dorchester Station yesterday. She was in her Strathroy, survive her. The late Martin Ferguson, formerly a partner of Mr. W. H. Ferguson in the grocery business here, and the late Albert Ferguson son, of the government service, Washington, were sons.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The City of London Teachers' Association convenes at the Collegiate Institute on Thursday, April 4. The following programme will be carried out: Forenoon session-Opening exercises

and address, Rev. Dr. Sowerby; reading minutes and roll call; president's address, R. A. Little, B.A.; auditors report, Messrs. Eckert and Edwards: habit in training, F. W.Merchant, M.A.; discussion on the resolutions passed by the Ontario Educational Association in April, 1900.

Afternoon session—Section 4—Collegiate and grades 5 and 8; industrial chemistry, S. B. McCready, B.A.; physical experiments, F. W. C. McCutcheon, B.A.; election of officers, Section 3—Grades 5 and 6, practical lesson on drawing, Mr. Wallis; discussion on reading, opened by W. J. Carson, I.P.S.; election of officers. Section 2-Grades 3 and 4, talk on birds, Mr. W. Saunders; discussion on geography; election of officers. Section 1-Kindergarten and grades 1 and 2, reading, Miss C. McNaughton; rewards and other encouragements, Miss L. Gahan; election of officers.

POLICE COURT.

This morning's session at the police court was a short one, thus enabling Police Magistrate Love to accompany to Toronto the delegation from the London Old Boys' Association. Two long standing cases were again adjourned. A young man charged with being drunk and disorderly was bound over to keep the peace for three months. Two drunks were discharged, while Fred Ackland, who had appeared before, was fined

\$3 or ten days.

Mr. W. H. Bartram made an applicatinon to Magistrate Love on the case of the King vs. James Burns, to bind over the prosecutor, Thomas Ratcliffe, jury at the next assizes. The application he explained, was made because the curt of appeals had declined to decide upon the jurisdiction of his worship, and had indicated that the questions should be determined by the high pourt, after the refusal of the police magistrate to treat the trial before him as a preliminary inquiry. The poice magistrate, pro forma, refused the application.

QUESTION OF SALARIES. "Civitat" writes a lengthy letter to The Advertis r, protesting against considers the ridiculously baries paid to attendants and supervisors at the London Asylum for the Insane. In many instances, he points out, no advance in wages has been given to this class of government employes in the past 30 years.
"To many," writes 'Civitas', "this has meant much pinching, if not positive distress. Moreover, the employes of the Lendon asylum have been discriminated against, as the supervisors here receive only \$22 per month, while n Toronto they are paid \$25, and in Mimico \$24 per month. In summer they are on duty from 5 a.m. to 7 p.m. or 9 p.m. each alternate day, with one additional night's duty each week.
On Sunday they are on duty all day up to 9 pm., and the alternate one off only after 10 a.m. All are on duty on Christmas day, while only every second holiday is given them. When the dangerous and unpleasant nature of their work is considered, these of their work is considered, these hours are surely long enough to war rant larger salaries than are paid them. Male attendants receive \$20 and supervisors \$22 per month, and lady attendants are paid \$12 and supervisors \$14 per month. There is no scale for advancement in pay after years of faithful service. Such close confinement militates against their future prospects, as they are largely debarred outside social pleasures, and that opportunity of seeking better things which every man and woman should enjoy.

THE RIVER HAS RISEN

But There Seems No Immediate Danger of Flood.

The mild weather of the past few days and the rain of Sunday morning and yesterday has had the effect of raising materially the water of the river. What was last week a surface of solid snowcevered ice, or, where open, a stream of slow-moving, clear, cold water, is now a swirling brown flood, dotted with ice cakes of varying size and thickness. Ice is coming down both the north and south branches. At the forks the rise since Saturday morning has been between four and five feet. The great quantities of snow in the northern counties may cause some trouble, and if a flood takes place it will probably do so within a

couple of days. Late Saturday night, the ice, which stretched for a couple of miles above the waterworks dam was heard to break up with a loud cracking noise, and it passed over the dam, thus averting for the present the danger of an ice jam. The water today is running four feet deep over the dam. It has not yet been considered neces-sary to open the flood gates.

The Best Friend of the Mother, Wife and Daughter.

The Great Spring Medicine That Restores Ailing Females to Perfect Health.

MRS. ADAMSON SAYS 'I Can Never Say Too Much

in Favor of Paine's Celery Compound."

One of the oldest and best edited monthly magazines published in Am erica, in a recent leading article, de-clares that more than half the revenue of physicians is derived from the treat-ment of females, and that about one case in every hundred is correctly diagnosed, showing that cures are extreme

The important knowledge gained by women of every age about Paine's Cel-ery Compound and the special and pe-culiar benefits it bestows on females suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex, as well as from the common ills of life, have made Paine's Celery ompound the most popular and trust-

ed home medicine of the day. In springtime, when woman's nerwork and duties and the constant de-mand of social functions, it is then that Paine's Celery Compound shows its invigorating and vitalizing effects, as the precious medicine is used from day to day. It quickly banishes ner-vousness, prostration, weakness, debility, languor, despondency and the many nameless ills that come to women of

Mrs. R. Adamson, Head of Millstream Kings county, N. B., says: "I feel it a duty to briefly testif," regarding the value of Paine's Celery Compound. Since childhood I suffered from sick headaches, neuralgia and constipation. Had attacks once a week which kept me confined to bed. Have been treated by a number of thys clans without beneficial results. I procured six bottles of Paine's Celery Compound, which was strongly recommended to me and after a short time in the strong of the commended to me and after a short time in the strong of the stron me, and after a short time I found that new life and health coming that I so long wished for. Two years have passed, and I have not had a leturn of my old troubles. I can never say too much in favor of Paine's Celery Compound."

At Pensacola, Fla., great damage was done by a severe southwest cyclone early Saturday morning, the velocity of the wind ranging from 48 to 54 miles an hour, with the highest at 70 miles an hour.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets.
All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Crosolene is a simple and perfect remedy,

OLD BOYS WILL DINE

Members of London Association Guests of Toronto Old Boys

About 30 members of the London Old Boys' Association left for Toronto yeterday morning, going in a special car kindly provided by Superintendent Egan of the G. T. R. They will be the guests of the London Old Boys' Association of Toronto at the linner given tonight in the Foresters' Temple Cafe. The party include Mayor Rumball, Ald. Gerry, Garratt, Parnell and Stevely, Police Magistrate Frank Love, James Bell, Bernard McCann, Dr. H. A. Stevenson, E. J. Mac-Robert, D. W. Blackwell, J. W. Po-cock, C. E. A. Carr, J. M. Daly, Alf. Talbot, Frank Cooper, T. Gillean, C. A. Kingston, Chas. Graham, Thomas Bland, E. W. M. Flock, Frank Adams, John Burnett, G. H. Belton, James Bell, Walter Evans, I. Quick, R. K. Cowan, John R. Peel, Adam Beck and

SPORTING NEWS.

The National League umpires for 1901 will include Lynch, Emslie, Connolly, Dwyer, Snyder and O'Day. Hurst will will include Lynch, Emslie, Connolly, Dwyer, Snyder and O'Day. Hurst will umpire in the Eastern League.

The first game of the season was played at Princeton on Saturday between the Tigers and Rutgers College team, Princeton won by 21 to 1 in seven innings.

Manager Peter Lohman, of Oakland, has walved his claim to Charlie Swindells, and the Stanford catcher must play at Los Angeles this season if he appears in the California League.

TURF. HOOF-BEATS.

The application to the Jockey Club, New York, from Sam Hildreth for a trainer's license has been refused, and all his entries for meetings under Jockey Club jurisdiction have been rejected. The English Jockey Club has refused a riding license to "Skeets" Martin, who was in trouble several times for rough riding last season, and who was disqualified also in Egypt last month for fouling the horses which he saw were likely to beat him.

Tod Sloan is in New York, and will shoot pigeons in the Grand American Handicap next week. After that he will sail for England to find out how he stands in the matter of securing a riding license, though he asserts that he will not ride in England this year in any event.

If many politicians and horsemen know whereaf they meak

If many politicians and horsemen know whereof they speak, Richard Croker is the real owner of The Abbott (2:03¼), according to the New York World. They say John J. Scannell did purchase the horse with his \$26,500 bid last November, but paid out the Tammany chieftain's money.

RIOT AT THE RACES. Brussels, March 24.—The races at Gronendael today were suspended on account of a riot among the spectators. In the firts race three horses were left at the post. The judges permitted the result to stand. Enraged at this decision the spectators invaded the track, broke the rails, set fire to the paddock, and only desisted from the work of demolition when the judges promised to return all bets on horses left at the post.

OLD LAND RACING.

In Cape Colony.

TOWN GUARDS CALLED OUT FEARING A RAID BY BOERS. Queenstown, Cape Colony, March 25 The town guard here has been called out, owing to reports that a force of Boers is near the town. Business has peen shut down in order to allow the employes to man the trenches and the forts day and night. The Boers, said to be twenty miles off, are alleged to have crossed the railroad near Drum-

With the Workers.

Ottawa, Ont., March 25.-A building trades council has been organized in Ottawa and embraces nearly all unions engaged in any construction or decorative works.

The Ottawa Typographical Union has decided to ask for increased wages for hand and machine men after June

1. The scale on June 1 will be: Hand
operators, \$12 50 per week; machine
operators, \$15 per week; machine operators, night, \$18 per week.

LITTLE CHANGE IN STRIKE SITU ATION.

Marseilles, March 25.-The strike situation has undergone little change. There have been no further disorders More street cars are running today, protected by police. The strikers are quietly trying to influence workers to join them, and many factories are closed, owing to want of engineers. THE PREMIER DIDN'T SUICIDE.

Stuttgart, Wurtemberg, March 25 .-There is no truth in the report that Baron Von Schottenstein, the Wurtemberg premier, who recently withdrew from the cabinet, owing to his being implicated in a pending trial has committed suicide at Ulmb.

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ST. THOMAS GREENHOUSES DE-

STROYED. St. Thomas, March 25.-Webster & Co.'s greenhouses were gutted by fire this morning. Loss \$3,000; no insurance. Two barrels of goldfish were baked in the fire.

BISHOP OF ST. JOHN, N. B., DEAD. St. John, N. B., March 25 .- Bishop Sweeney, of the Roman Catholic Dio-Sweeney, of the Roman Catholic Diocese of St. John, died this morning at 9:30 o'clock, at the Boys' Industrial Home. He went there to live last fall, and hoped to die among the orphans whom he loved so well, and whose home he established. He had been Bishop of St. John Diocese for 41 years.

EARLY LIGHTNING. Manila, Ont., March 24.-A severe storm passed over this district between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, lightning striking on Kerr's farm, occupied by Wm. Matthews, just north of this village. lage, killing three valuable horses, two cows and five pigs. A quantity of hay took fire, but the blaze was soon extinguished.



EVERY **EVERY**

HOUSEKEEPER

TASTY DISH

SOUPS, GRAVIES. HASHES, SALMIS. d ALL MADE DISHES are Strengthened and

At Tien Tsin.

THREE BRITISH SOLDIERS BAYONETTED

Tien Tsin, March 25.-In an affray London, March 25.—The fiat racing season was opened at Lincoln today in a snowstorm. Mr. Richard Croker ran his bay filly Eileen Violet, with J. Reiff up, in the first race, the trial plate of 200 sovereigns, but failed to secure a place. Mr. J. Lewis' Summer Gale won. The Tathewell stakes of 100 sovereigns was won by Mr. Rivers' Con, Lester Reiff up.

PAINTERS AND PAPEL HANGERS.

Here is a Message From a Tradesman to His Fellow Workmen All Over Canada.

Ont., May 25.-Richard Picton. Kelly, of Picton, is a well-known painter and paperhanger. Mr. Kelly requests the publication of the fol-

"I wish this to catch the eye of every painter and paperhanger in Canada. We all of us suffer from Kidney Disease. There seems to be something about our work which brings it on. I have found a cure, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure the worst case of Kidney Trouble that any of us have ever had. I suffered for three years. My

back was dreadful. "Inflammation of the kidneys followed, and I went to bed. The first box of Dodd's Kidney Pills helped me. Four boxes cured me. They are the painter's and paperhanger's best friend. Everybody in Picton knows me, and the people can vouch for what I say of my own case.'

CROW'S NEST PASS COMPANY GETS A CHARTER.

Toronto, March 25 .- Under the act respecting extra provincial corporation, the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company (Limited) has obtained from the Ontario government a charter to carry on a general mining business, ouild and use steam vessels, wharves, tramways, canals, dams, to acquire and utilize water power, and

A CURE FOR COSTIVENESS.—Costiveness comes from the refusal of the excretory organs to perform their duties regularly from contributing causes, usually disordered digestion. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, prepared on scientific principles, are so compounded that certain ingredients in them pass through the stomach and act upon the bowels so as to remove their torpor and arouse them to proper action. Many thousands are prepared to bear testimony to their power in this respect.

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AT A MOMENTS NOTICE.

Enriched by the addition of BOVRIL.

A Heroine of New Orleans.

To Sophie Wright, a lame teacher, who, since the age of 12 has supported herself and her family, and who is now instructor in one of its day schools, New Orleans owes its system of free night schools which have an attendance of over 1,000 men and boys, from all ages up to 50. The one requirement for admission is a statement that the applicant is too poor to pay a cent for books or tuition and wants to learn. Sidence entered was that of Dr. Nathapplicant is too poor to pay a cent for books or tuition and wants to learn. Miss Wright began this school at her said to be worth about \$15,000.

where evenings, after the exhausting labors of the day, she gave free instruction to her pupils.

The great city of New Orleans takes no interest in her work, and never has contributed a penny to its support. Miss Wright once asked the city for some old school desks and was refused. But some benevolent ladies have come to her assistance, and have enabled her to enlarge the scope of her work. Outside of her educational work Miss' Wright is national secre-tary of the King's Daughters, and sec-

retary to the National Federation of

Women's Clubs. She is still a young

TWENTY-ONE CARS SMASHED. Clearfield, March 24.-A disastrous freight wreck occurred at Kerrmoor, 20 miles south of here, on the each Creek division of the New York Central road, today. Twenty-one cars were smashed. Joseph Galbraith, engineer, of Clearfield, was caught under his engine and is thought to be fatally injured.

MINERS REACH A FAIR SETTLE-MENT.

Pittsburg, March 25.—Patrick Dolan, district president of the United Mine Association, announced day that after a conference lasting more than three weeks, the operators had conceded the demands made by the miners in the new wage scale, and a fair settlement for the Pittsburg district had been effected.

INSURANCE COMPANIES DISPUT-

Toronto, March 23 .- The North Amrefrican Life Assurance Company, with its head office in this city, has decided to put the machinery of the courts in motion to prevent the circulation, of alleged false statements regarding its in the throat and chest. This is precisely what Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup is a specific for, and wherever used it has given unbounded satisfaction. Children like it because it is pleasant, adults like it because it relieves and cures the disrates to insurers, and to recover damages for previous alleged false representations. Writs for \$5,000 damages for alleged libel have been issued against the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company and its superinten-dent, George F. Johnston, and it is dent, George F. Johnston, and it is said a number of other suits for the same amount will be commenced against other companies and their dents of so-caned medical office of the said a number of other suits for the same amount will be commenced against other companies and their dents of so-caned medical office of the said and learning pain and lameness, stiffness of the lieving pain and lameness, stiffness of the joints and muscles, and sores or hurts, besides being an excellent specific for rheumatism, coughs and bronchial companies.

...Spring, 1901...

Millinery Opening

Wednesday, March 27th, Thursday, March 28th, And Following Days.

Gray & Parker,

150 Dundas Street, London,

POISONED TWO CHILDREN AND HERSELF.

Cass City, Mich., March 23 .- Mrs. Nathen Townsend last night poisoned herself and her two children-a girl aged 8 years and a boy aged 10—with laudanu..... All three died this morning.

A \$15,000 BURGLARY. New York, March 24,-A daring burglary, which occurred Friday evening last, was made public tonight. The re-

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE

CLOSED. London, March 25 .- The colonial secetary, Mr. Chamberlain, when asked in the House of Commons today if it were possible to change the offer of terms to the Boers, said the negotiations were closed and there was no intention of reopening them.

NORTH BRUCE BYE-ELECTION. Tara, Ont., March 25,-The official returns of the result of the bye-election in North Bruce was made by the returning officer Saturday, Jos. Halliday Conservative, was officially declared

elected by a majority of 11. REJECTED LOVER'S MURDEROUS MANIA.

Natick, R. I. March 25.-An Italian mill operative, Giovanni Lautiere, was charged with assaulting and seriously injuring four persons. It is alleged that during the night he stole into the house of Enrichetta Mazzarello, young woman who had rejected his matrimonial advances, and arming himself with a hatchet, crept upstairs to the room occupied by the young woman and two other Italian girls. An old man, Erico Delpozzo, going to their assistance, was felled with the hatchet and his skull fractured. The Mazzarello girl's skull was fractured also, and the other young women were badly cut up. The two with fractured

skulls are in a precarious condition FREE AND EASY expectoration immediately relieves and frees the throat and lungs from viscid phlegm, and a medicine that promotes this is the best medicine to use for coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs and all affections of the throat and chest. This is precisely what Bickle's Acti Consumptive Steam

issued issued Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has nothing in common with the impure, deteriorating class of so-called medicinal oils. It is emi-

Celery Cures Sores

When the bowels retain waste this matter rots and poisons the entire system. The blood becomes tainted and carries poisonous matters, which find an outlet from the body in great sores. Clean out all nastiness with Celery King. Celery King cleans the body and gives you rich, ruddy blood. Celery King is a spring medicine.

25c the package. Druggists, or the Woodward Chemical Co. 11 Colborne Street, Toronte

THE MARKETS.

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Gen. Electric	2151/8	219	2151/2	2174
Jersey Central	210/8		/•	
K.& T. Pfd 57%	581/	5834	58	583
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Leather Com 13	13	131/8	127%	127
Sugar 1421/2	3421/4	14314	141	141
Federal Steel 48%	487/8	49	48%	49
Rubber 191/2	20	2914	1914	20%
Steel and Wire 42%	427/8	43	427/8	43
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Tebacco 1271/8	127	137 1/8	12634	1273

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STOCK BROKER New York and Chicago stocks bought and sold. KING, STREET, MASONIC TEM PLE PHONE 707.

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day's sales were made at \$1 per ton lower than last week, \$8 to \$9 being the price The dressed and live hog market was

steady, at \$6 for the latter and \$7.75 to \$8 for the former.

GRAIN.		
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Peas. per 100 lbs 90	@	1 10
Corn, per 100 lbs 85	@	
Barley, per 100 lbs 80	@	90
Rye, per 100 lbs	(0)	
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	0	
Beans, per 100 lbs 1 00	@	1 25
HOGS.		
Hogs, light, 100 lbs 6 00	@	6 00
Hogs, heavy, 100 lbs 4 00	@	5 00
Hogs, singers, per 100 lbs 550	@	5 75
Pigs, young, per pair 3 50	0	4 50
Sows, per 100 lbs	0	
Dressed, 100 lbs, selects 8 25	0	8 50
Dressed, 100 lbs, heavy 775	@	8 00
Light, per 100 lbs 575	0	5 75
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HAY AND SEEDS.		
Hay, per load 8 00	@	9 00
Straw, per 10ad 300	0	4 00
Straw, per ton 6 00	@	6 00
Clover seed, red, per bu. 700	@	7 25
Clover seed, alsike, bu 650	@	7 00
Timothy seed, per bu 1 25	@	2 50

For Housekeepers. The attendance at the market this morning was decidedly slim, and in all departments business was anything but brisk. The quotations of Saturday invariably ruled; in fact, exchanges were too few to affect prices in any department. Maple syrup retailed at \$1 per gallon. An order was received from Toronto for a carload of onlons, for which 60 per her would have been given, but a suffia carload of onlons, for which 60 per bag would have been given, but a suffi-



Tenderloin Bouillon

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PROVISIONS.			
Choese, per 1b	10	6	13
Eggs, single dozen	13	0	14
Butter, lb, large rolls or		3	
crock	20	a	22
Butter, pound rolls, retail.	22	(10)	23
Butter, creamery	22	a	25
Lard, per lb	11	0	12
WHOLESALE DEALERS	5 P	RICI	ES.
Eggs, store lots, dozen	11	@	111/2
Butter, lb rolls, baskets	20	(1)	21
Butter, crock	19	a	20
Butter, store lots	17	0	17
Butter creamery per lb	23	60	23

NEW STYLE A. B. C.

Separators. Reduced prices. Call and see them or write for circular. 417 Talbot street, London. John S. Pearce, Western @ 12 7 6 1 00 70 6 65 VEGETABLES. Parsley, per doz...... Artichokes, per bag..... Vegetable oysters, doz.... FRUIT. MEAT, HIDES, ETC.

New Zealand Oats. The heaviest yielder gown Get our prices.

Lambskins 75
Wool, washed, per lb. 14

Hides, No. 1, per lb......
Hides, No. 2, per lb......
Hides, No. 3, per lb.....
Wool, unwashed, per lb...

Tallow, rendered, per lb ..

HAMILTON'S, 373 Talbot St. ENGLISH MARKETS. The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three

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New				11		11		11
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March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	3	101/4	3	10	3			
July	3	9%	3	.934	3			
Sept		1014	3	10%	3	1038	3	10%
Flour			19	3	19	3	19	3
Peas			5	71/2	5	71/2	5	
Pork, prime mess.			63	0	63	0	63	
Lard		9	39	9	39	9	41	
Tallow			24	6	24	3	24	
Bacon, light			41	0	41	. 0	43	
Cheese, white	48		18	0	48	0	48	0
Cheese, colored			148	0	148	e	48	0

Liverpool, March 25—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter steady, 6s ½d; No. 1 northern spring firm, 6s 3½d; No. 1 California firm, 6s 3½d; futures quiet; May, 6s ¾d; July, 6s ¾d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed new, 3s 10¾d; American mixed, old, 4s ½d; futures quiet; May, 3s 10¼d; July, 9s 9½d; Sept., 3s 10¾d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 7¼d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 8s 6d

Hops (at London)—Steady. Beef—Easy; extra India mess, 61s 3d. Pork—Steady; prime mess western, 63s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, Lard-American refined, in pails, strong, is 9d; prime western, in tierces, strong,

40s 9d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, strong, 46s 9d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, strong, 43s 3d; long clear middles, lighf, 20 to 34 lbs, strong, 43s; long clear midles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, strong, 42s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 39s 3d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 46s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, strong, 36s 9d. Butter-Dull; finest United States, 90s;

good United States, 68s. Cheese—Dull; American finest white and colored, 48s. Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm, 75 3d.
Tallow—Prime city dull, 42s 6d; Austraian (in London) dull, 26s.
Turpentine spirits—Quiet, 27s,
Rosin—Common steady, 4s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined steady, 73sd.
Linseed oil—Dull, 25s 6d.
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week were 41,700 quarters from Atantic ports, 36,000 from Pacific ports, and 20,000 from other ports. 20,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports tast week were 57,400 quarters.

Liverpool, March 25.—The produce exchange will be closed on April 5, 6 and 8.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Flour—Receipts, 29,108 bbls; sales, 100 pkgs; state and western market remained quiet and rather hard to sell, except at sharp concession; Minnesota patents, \$4 10 to \$4 35; winter straights, \$3 45 to \$3 55; Minnesota bakers, \$3 to \$3 25; winter extras, \$2 45 to \$2 80; winter patents, \$3 65 to \$4; winter low grades, \$2 45 to \$2 60. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$2 80 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 45. Wheat—Receipts, 26,100 bu; sales, \$70,000 bu; option market was dull, but steadily held on firmer cables, a drop in consols, and scattered local covering; May, 80\%c to 80\%c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 80,925 bu; sales, 55,000 bu; option market was quiet but firmer on unfavorable weather west, firm cables and fears of decreasing receipts; May, 47\%c to 47 \%c 10 \% of decreasing receipts: May, 47½c to 47 3-16c; July, 46 15-16c; Sept., 47½c to 47½c. Oats—Receipts, 47,600 bu; options quiet but steady; on track, white state and

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western, 32c to 36c. Butter—Receipts, 7.569 pkgs; market firm; fresh state dairy, 15c to 21c; fresh creamery. 16c to 22c; factory, 3e to 144c; imitation creamery. 14c to 184c; imitation creamery. 14c to 184c; state extras. 22c; state dairy firsts, 19c to 20c; do thirds, 15c to 16c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,099 pkgs; market firm; fancy large colored and white, 11c to 114c; fancy small colored. 124c; fancy small white, 12c to 124c. Eggs—Receipts, 12,925 pkgs; market firm; state and Pennsylvania, at mark, 134c to 134c; western, at mark, 134c; southern, at mark, 124c; contribugal, 96 test, 41-32c; molasses sugar, 39-32c; refined firm; crushed, \$5.75; powdered, \$5.35; granulated, \$5.25. Coffee—Steadier; No. 7 Rio, 74c. Lead—Dull; exchange price, \$4.37½; bullion price, \$4.40 to \$45; calves, choice to extra, \$4.5 to \$5.9 to \$5.75; wood to choice, \$2.5 to \$5.9 to \$5.75; common to choice, 1900 crop, 17c to 20c; Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pacific coast, 1900 crop, 16c to 19c; 1899 crop, 11c to 15c; old olds, 2c to 6c. Pa

TOLEDO, O., March 25.—Wheat—Cash, 78½c; May, 80c; July, 78%c. Corn—May, 42c. Oats—May, 26¼c. TOLEDO, O., March 25.—Wheat—Cash, 78½c; May, 80c; July, 78½c. Corn—May, 42c. Oats—May, 26¼c.

CHICAGO, March 25.—Corn took up the leadership on the board of trade today, and not only closed ½c to ¾c higher, but formed the chief support of the other grains. Wheat, however, closed ¼c to ¾c lower, and oats unchanged. The visible decrease was only 409,000 bu, which was not encouraging, from a bull standpoint. Exporters reported 15 loads taken, 40,000 bu being sold here. Seaboard clearances were 808,000 bu, while primary receipts aggregated 935,000 bu, compared with 911,000 bu last year. Minneapolls and Duluth reported 621 cars against 709 last week and 731 a year ago. Local receipts were 90 cars, three of contract grade. World's shipments were 7,650,000 bu, compared with 7,958,000 bu the previous week a year ago. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 95 cars; corn, 260 cars; oats, 365 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—April, 75c; May, 75½c. Corn—May, 42¾c; July, 42½c to 42½c. Oats—May, 25¼c; July, 24¾c. Mess pork—May, 815 70; July, \$15 17½. Lard—May, \$\$; July, \$7 87; Sept., \$8. Short ribs—May, \$7 97½; July, \$7 85; Sept., \$7 82½.

Cash quotations: Flour steady: No. 2 read wheat, 75¾c. No. 2 corn, 41¼c; No. 2 yellow, 41½c. No. 2 oats, 25¾c to 26c; No. 2 white, 28c; No. 3 white, 27¾c to 28½c. No. 2 rye, 53c to 53½c. Good feeding barley, 46c; fair to choice malting, 48c to 58c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 54½; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 55. Prime timothy seed, \$4 25. Mess pork, \$15 55 to \$15 60. Lard, \$8 05 to \$8 07½. Short ribs, \$7 90 to \$8 10. Dry salted shoulders, 6%c to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$8 37½ to \$8 50. Clover, contract grade, \$10 65 to \$10 75. Eggs quiet; fresh, 12c.

Receipts—Flour, 24,000 bbls; wheat, 114,000 bu; corn, 251,000 bu; oats, 301,000 bu; rye, 600 bu; barley, 33,600 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 28,000 bbls; wheat, 13,000 bu; corn, 144,000 bu; oats, 409,000 bu; barley, 7,000 bu.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. CHICAGO March 25.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
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heat—May. 78 form—Mas 41½
July 42½
lats—May. 25½
Pork—May. 15 35
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Lard—May 7 92
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THE DAIRY MARKETS. MONTREAL, March 25.—Cheese, 9c to 0c. Butter—Townships, 20c to 22c; western, 15c to 16c. NEW YORK, March 25.—Butter—Market NEW YORK, March 25.—Butter—Market firm; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; fac-tory, 9c to 14½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18½c; state dairy, fresh, 15c to 21c. Cheese—Market firm; fancy large color-ed and white, 11c to 11½c; fancy small colored, 12½c; fancy small white, 12c to

Cheese-Market fairly active, 104c to 11%c.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., March 25.-Oil opened

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 25 .- Oil closed OIL CITY, Pa., March 25.—Credit bal-inces, \$1 30; certificates, no bid. BREMEN, March 25.—Petroleum, 7 narks 20 pfennings. LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL, March 25.—The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 650 head of cattle, 75 calves, 40 sheep and 30 lambs; the demand was good and prices were steady; choice cattle, \$4 to \$450; good, \$350 to \$4; lower grades, \$2 to \$3; calves sold from \$2 to \$10 each; sheep, \$350 to \$4; lambs, \$425 to \$5; hogs

sheep, \$3 50 to \$4; lambs, \$4 25 to \$5; hogs brought 6c to 7c.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Beeves—Receipts, 4,122; firm to 10c higher; steers, \$4 50 to \$5 35; extra do, \$5 55; oxen and stags, \$4 55 to \$4 80; bulls, \$3 15 to \$3 85; cows, \$2 15 to \$3 85; cables firm; exports, 30 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 4,431; 5c lower; common to prime veals, \$4 to \$7; tops, \$7 25; little calves, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 12,645; firm to 10c higher; common to choice sheep, \$4 to \$7 25; common to choice lambs, \$3 50 to \$7 25; common to choice lambs, \$3 50 to \$6 22½; bucks, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Hogs—Receipts, 8,919; selling at \$6 30 to \$6 55 per 100 lbs.

CHICAGO, March 25.—Cattle—Receipts. CHICAGO, March 25.-Cattle-Receipts,

CHICAGO, March 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$6; poor to medium, \$3 75 to \$4 85; stockers and feeders steady, \$2 75 to \$4 65; cows, \$2 65 to \$4 50; heifers, \$2 75 to \$4 60; canners, \$2 to \$2 50; bulls strong, \$2 80 to \$4 35; calves steady, \$4 50 to \$6: Texas fed steers, top sales today, \$4 85 to \$5; Texas grass steers, \$3 45 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 75. Hogs—Receipts, 36,000; mixed and butchers, \$5 80 to \$6 02½; good to choice heavy, \$5 95 to \$6 07½; rough heavy, \$5 80 to \$50; bulk of sales, \$5 87½ to \$5 95. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; good to choice wethers, \$4 80 to \$5; fair to choice mixed, \$4 50 to \$4 80; western sheep, \$4 80 to \$5; yearlings, \$4 75 to \$5 10; native lambs, \$5 20 to \$5 45.

EAST BUFFALO, March 25.—Cattle—

lambs, \$5 20 to \$5 45.

EAST BUFFALO, March 25.—Cattle—Offerings, 170 loads; market generally steady, except on common, undesirable grades of cows and green steers; choice butcher grades and export sold about steady; stockers, 10c to 15c lower on the common kinds, but top grade feeders were about steady; offerings included 20 loads of Canadas, mostly light weights and calves; fresh cows and springers of top quality steady; the demand for calves was slow and prices lower; good to best smooth fat export cattle of desirable was slow and prices lower; good to best smooth fat export cattle of desirable quality, \$5.50 to \$5.60; good to best, \$4.85 to \$5; shipping steers, \$4.60 to \$4.75; export bulls, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4.25; good to choice butcher steers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; good to best butcher steers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; good to best bulls, \$3.25 to \$3.50; feeder bulls, \$3.00 to \$3.25; stock bulls, \$2.75 to \$2.25; rescriptor steers, good to best to \$3 25; yearling steers, good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4; good to choice fat cows, \$3 25 to \$3 50; extra fat cows, \$4; fat cows, good

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OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, March 25.—Here and at Liverpool Canadian cattle were unchanged at 10½c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; sheep keep steady at 12½c to 13c: lambs, 14½c per lb; refrigerator beef is higher at 8½c to 5¾c per lb.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, March 25.—No change in the bean market. There is some demand, but light offerings. Quotations: Cash, \$1.87; April, \$1.83; May, \$1.80 bid. TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, March 25.-Baled hay-The novement is moderate. The market is steady. Cars on the track here are quoted as follows: No. 1, \$10 to \$10 50 per ton, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$9 50. Baled straw—The market is quiet. Car lots on track are worth \$5 50 to \$6 per ton.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at

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,	Toronto	40	38	Rain	
t	Ottawa	36	34	Cloudy	
-	Montreal	34	30	Cloudy	
,	Father Point	80	20	Cloudy	
-	MOSTLY F	AIR	TOMOF	RROW.	

Forecasts-Occasional showers; mi with fair intervals. Wednesday-Mostly fair; stationary or slightly lower temperature.

WEATHER NOTES. Showers and local thunderstorm have occurred generally in the Georgian Bay district, the lower lake region and east as far as Montreal, whilst in the Lake Superior region a snowfall of about four inches has been experienced. Unsettled and mild conditions are still indicated.

THE CANADA NATIONAL

Without Any Amendment.

Premier Laurier Says Parliament Has the Right to Expropriate Any Railway and Hints at the Future.

Ottawa, March 25 .- The opposition to the Canada National Railway and Transportation Company's bill was renewed in the House of Commons today, when the bill was under consideration in committee of the whole. Mr. E. F. Clarke moved an amendment, providing for the expropriation and the reduction of the subsidies paid to the company from the purchase price. Lieut.-Col. Hughes offered a second amendment to deduct the amount of municipal bon-uses also and refund the same to the municipalities. Both amendments were ost, and the bill stands for third reading. The remainder of the day was occupied by the budget debate. adjournment it was arranged that the division upon Mr. Borden's amendment will be taken on Thursday. MARINE DEPARTMENT BILLS.

Sir Louis Davies introduced three departmental bills-a bill to amend the inland waters seamen's act, a bill to amend the act respecting the safety of ships, and a bill respecting inquiries and investigations into shipping casualties.

Mr. Richardson (Lisgar) introduced a bill to amend the railway act. It is in line with suggestion several times made in the railway committee, to give the governor-general-in-council power to expropriate any railway at a valuation, from which shall be deducted the amount of any bonus or subsidy granted by the Dominion Parliament. THE CANADA NATIONAL.

The bill to incorporate the Canada National Railway and Transport Company was taken up in committee. Owing to Mr. Mclean's objection to the title Canada National being appropriated by a private company, it was agreed to amend the title on the third

reading of the bill.

Mr. E. F. Clarke moved the amendment, of which he gave notice the other day, empowering the governorgeneral-in-council to expropriate the whole concern at any time, at a valu-tion, less the amount of bonus or subsidy paid by the Dominion government. He explained that this would prevent the road from falling into the hands of either of the two existing roads be-tween the points covered by the pro-

posed charter. Col. Sam Hughes moved in amendment to the amendment that should the government take over the road, bonuses paid by municipalities be re-

In the discussion which followed Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that there was no occasion to insert in this bill a clause providing for expropriation, as clause providing for expropriation, as parliament has the right to expropriate any railway. They could pass a bill tomorrow to expropriate the C. P. R. or any railway. He did not know but that the time might come that Mr. Maclean pined for, when the government would control all the railways, when we would have government ownership of railways. He was ment ownership of railways. He was not prepared for that today, but some day we might come to that conclusion. It had been done in other countries. Then the method of expropriation would have to be considered. In expropriating a house it was valued at its present value, so that a building that might have cost \$100,000 might be expropriated for \$40,000. Parliament would have to constant which is the constant with the const

they would adopt this or some other principle. He thought, however, that the balance of opinion would be against any exceptional expropriation legislation in the case of any one railway. If there was to be any such legislation it should be applied to a model bill, and not in an exceptional

The bill was reported amendment for third reading. Without OTHER BILLS.

The Guelph Junction Railway bill was formally referred back to the railway committee. The bills to incorporate the United Empire and Century Life insurance Companies were given third readings

The following bills were given see ond readings: Respecting the Canadian Northern Railway Company-Mr. McCreary. Respecting the Lindsay, Bobbaygeor and Pontypool Railway Company .-

Mr. Vrooman. To incorporate the St. Mary River Bridge Company.—Mr. Dyment.
Respecting the Rathburn Company.
—Mr. Britton. To incorporate the Kootenay Cen-

tral Railway Company.—Mr. Galliher. Respecting the Alberta Railway and Coal Company.—Mr. Oliver.
In answer to Mr. E. F. Clark, Mr. Sutherland said that the rest of station "B," Toronto postoffice, is \$750, including heat. It is rented from A. L. Bender. No rent was paid directly for the old York street office. A salary of \$900, which commissions brought up to \$1,000, was allowed for rent and attendance, the government

providing all fixtures. The debate on the budget occupied the evening sitting. Messrs. Scott, Hughes, Richardson (Lisger) and Ja-bel Robinson spoke against the op-position amendment and Mr. Lancas-

ter in favor of it.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier announced that the debate would not be closed till Thursday, Wednesday being private members' day, and many Liberals wishing to speak on the budget. The house adjourned at midnight.

DEATH OF AN EX-GOVERNOR OF

MICHIGAN. Kalamazoo, Mich., March 25 .- Hon. Charles S. May, lieutenant-governor of Michigan from 1863 to 1865, and an eminent member of the Michigan bar, died suddenly today at his home. Island View, Gull Lake, of heart failure, aged

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CHICAGO, March 25.—Butter—Market children like the content of the c

Mrs. Thos. Hyndman, Masham, Que., says: "I have been using Diamond Dyes for many years and find them most satisfactory in renewing the colors of my children's clothes. For brilliancy and fastness, Diamond Dyes cannot be

MOUNT BRYDGES.

Mount Brydges, March 25.—Apother old resident of the village has passed away in the person of Elijah Lee, who was in his 79th year. His remains were laid away by the side of his late partner, who predeceased him a few years ago. Rev. Thos. Jackson, of Appin, an old friend of the family, held a service at the family residence and officiated at the grave. There was a very large attendance at the yneral.

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Qij a number of changes have taken place in the village this last two or three weeks. James Elsey, harnessmaker, has sold out his business and also his property, to Mr. S. J. Bond. Mr. Herbert Bond, lately of Inwood, will attend to the sick harness and make all kinds of new harness and will carry a good line of stock. Mr. Elsey has moved to Mount Leon, near Delaware.

Mr. Chas. McGregor has purchased the stock of Mrs. John Betts and will carry on business in the old stand for the present.

present.

Mrs. Betts has sold her fine residence to Dr. Woods. The doctor has now got the cage—next the bird.

Malcolm McGugan, M.P., has sold his beautiful home to Mr. Chas. Bateman and intends moving on to his farm in North Caradoc in the near future.

Mrs. Nelson Vrooman has sold his home to Mr. Peter Toles and will move further west in a few days.

Mr. John Betts has purchased Mrs. Davidson's residence, now occupied by Davidson's residence, now occupied by

Mr. Geo. Bond.

Mr. John Crozier has sold the property in the rear of Mr. Ed. Henderson's to Mr. John Bancroft, who has also purchased the section house belonging to the G. T. R. opposite the station. He will move it shortly nove it shortly.

Mr. S. C. Brownson is laid up with la

prippe.

Dr. and Mrs. McLellan are spending a few days with Mrs. McLellan.

Mr. Peter Toles expects to move this week into his fine new residence on the Mill road. Caradoc. Mr. James Fisher has leased Mr. Toles farm for a term of

years.
Mrs. Larius Coleman has returned home, after a three months' visit to relatives in the Western States.
Rev. J. E. Holmes begins a series of sermons on "Denominations and the Lessons from Each." Next Sunday the Episcopal Church will be taken up; the following Sunday morning the Presbyterian, hext the Baptist, and so on.
Dr. Woods leaves Tuesday night for Hamilton to attend the annual session of the Chosen Friends, which commences Wednesday morning. Wednesday morning.
Miss May Martin is visiting Mrs. Mc-

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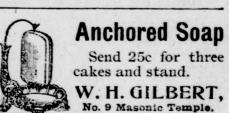
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Clifton read her thought; she feared hat she had escaped one evil only to fall that she had escaped one evil only to fall into a worse one, perhaps.

"Do not fear to trust me," he said, gently, all his noblest sympathies aroused by that look of fear on her face. "I have a dear sister who is just about your age; do not think that I would see you, or any other young girl, in trouble, and not wish to help her? Pray, give me your confidence, and let me do what I can for you. My name is Clifton Vining, and I promise you that I will accord you all the friendliness and respect which I all the friendliness and respect which I should wish given to my sister under similar circumstances," he concluded, with a shudder of horror at the mere thought of Annie ever being found in

thought of Annie ever being found in such a terrible extremity.

Could Hamilton Vining have heard these noble words, he might have felt a glow of pride and gratitude in the knowledge that his only son was imbued with these lofty sentiments of honor, which stamped him as one of nature's noblemen; he surely must have felt deeply humiliated in view of his own remissness in not having sought to know his boy more intimately, and thus have been able to help develop more perfectly a character help develop more perfectly a character possessing such elements of nobility. The girl was unmistakably impressed by his words, for she bowed her face upon her hands and burst into nervous

weeping.
"Saved!" he heard her murmur with a long-drawn breath of thankfulness.
He allowed her to weep unrestrained for a few moments, for he thought it might relieve the strain upon her overwrought mental condition.
Presently she became somewhat calm.

and bending nearer to Clifton, she searched his face with intense earnestness, while something of hope began to dissipate the look of despair which her own had hitherto worn.

"You seem like a true and honest man," she said in a tone which seemed to gather "You seem like a true and nonest man, she said, in a tone which seemed to gather confidence as she proceeded. "But, oh!" the world has used me so badly of late, I am inclined to doubt the truth of every

human being. The young man gazed upon her almost spell-bound. He thought he had never seen a face or form so lovely, even among the many fashionable belles with whom he was ac-Customed to associate.

The wealth of golden hair that stream-

The wealth of golden hair that streaghed over her shoulders and about her pure oval face was something wonderful. Here eyes were large and full, and had an expression of innocence, and the earnest, direct look which one often observes in a child. Her skin was like satin, and her present pallor, caused by the excitement which she had endured, only served to enhance its dazzling fairness. Her features were somewhat irregular, but fraught with an earnestness and intelligence which betrayed a well-cultivated mind. Her lips were vividly red, and very sweet in expression, while the dainty chin curved away into the white neck with a delicacy of outline that was very beautiful.

Her manners were quiet and ladylike, her language exceedingly well chosen, and Clifton was more and more surprised at the fact of having found her in such a locality as Houston street.

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"I will prove to you that I am a true and honest man, young lady," he remarked in reply to her observation. "I will not even inquire your name—I will not seek to know how you happened to be driven to such extremity tonight; you shall preserve the secret of your identity and of your, trouble, if you desire; only let me take you to a good woman who will kindly care for you and give you a home as long as you like."

"Who is this woman?" demanded the young girl with breathless eagerness.

"Her name is Abby Knapp, and she is a woman who was my own and my sister's nurse during our infancy and youth," Clifton explained; adding: "She is married, and lives in a quiet, respectable street. Her husband is a decent hack-driver in the city, and she helps to increase their income by doing fine washing and ironing. Abby has the kindest heart in the world, and never refuses to do anything for her nurslings that does not conflict with her ideas of right and wrong, which are somewhat right."

"But what would she think to have me—a young girl, in such a plight—come to her house at this unseasonable hour in the morning?" the beautiful stranger inquired, while a vivid flash of color dyed her face.

"She will think just what is true and what I shall tell her—that you are in trouble, and need help and sympathy."

what I shall tell her—that you are in trouble, and need help and sympathy, and she will cordially give it to you," and she will cordially give it to you,"
Clifton responded, reassuringly.
Again the young girl bent forward and
searched her companion's face for a moment with an intenseness that was al-

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Houston street, with a shudder of aver Houston street, with a shudder of aversion. "But wait a moment, if you please," she added, and with a graceful, backward sweep of her arms she gathered up the wealth of her hair in her hands, and twisted it, into a massive knot at the back of her head, and fastened it with a couple of pins which she found tangled among its golden strands. "If I only had something to put on my head to shield my face," she murmured, with a troubled look and a sensitive blush.

blush:

Clifton drew from the pocket of his overcoat a soft, brown felt hat and passed it to her.

"I almost always have it with me to wear in the club-room," he remarked; then, unwinding a silk handkerchief from his throat, he tied it around her white neck. "I wish it was something that had more warmth," he said "for the air is

more warmth," he said, "for the air is very keen."

"You are very good," the young girl said, appreciatively, "and now, if you please, let us hurry away from this place. I am afraid—I am filled with horror, when I think of all that I have escaped."

With as much courters and respect as With as much courtesy and respect as he would have shown an equal in society, Clifton gave his arm to his companion, and turned toward Broadway.

They had not proceeded many blocks when they encountered a cab returning from a late trip uptown.

Clifton hailed it, and quickly putting his charge within, he told the driver where to take them, and then followed her. He was very thankful for this unexpect-

rie was very markful for this unexpected piece of good luck, for, although it was April, the night was damp and chilly, and he feared that his companion, who was thinly clad, might take cold. Besides, it precluded the possibility of their being seen and recognized by some chance acquaintance or perhaps being their being seen and recognized by some chance acquaintance, or perhaps being questioned by the police, who might suspect that all was not right if they were found abroad at that hour.

L'pon their arrival at Abby Knapp's humble home, Clifton paid and dismissed the cabman, and then proceeded about the somewhat difficult task of awakening his former nurse from her profound. his former nurse from her profound

slumbers.

This was finally accomplished, and, after a brief explanation of the situation. the honest woman's sympathies were enlisted, and she at once admitted them. Clifton could see, however, that she regarded his fair companion with some suspicion, but she was too truly kind to make the girl uncomfortable, and soon conducted her to a tiny but immaculate room, where she helped her to had after oom, where she helped her to bed, after which she brought her a cup of steaming beef tea, and in less than ten minutes the worn-out girl was sleeping the sleep of exhaustion, with a sense of security such as she had not known for long

snook her head from side to side in perplexity, and a very anxious look filled her eyes.

About seven in the morning, Clifton made his appearance before her, to find an appetizing breakfast prepared for him; and, as he partook of it, he explained more at length, the events of the previous pight and hereed Abbet. previous night, and begged Abby to give the poor girl a home for a time, until some other provision could be made for

her.

The woman appeared to be considerably relieved after this conversation, and readily promised to give the girl her protection as long as she should need "What is her name?" she asked, as she

"What is her name?" she asked, as she poured a second cup of coffee for him.
"I don't know," Clifton replied, with a rising flush,
"You don't know!" repeated Mrs. Knapp, darting a searching look at him.
"No," the young man replied; "she appeared to be so excited, and almost afraid to trust me, that I would not add to her fear by asking her any questions; so, Abby, you will have to find that out for yourself and tell me later," he concluded, smiling, as he arose to go.

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"Thank you, Mr. Vining; I will go with
you to Mrs. Knapp. How far it is from
here?"
"About half an hour's walk from this
street, I should think; will that be too
far for you?" Clifton inquired, with some
anxiety, for he did not think it would be
possible to find a carriage at that hour.
"No: the farther the better from this
dreadful place," she responded, glancing
over her shoulder in the direction of

A London firm has just sold to the British Museum (natural history department, South Kensington) for £350 an elephant's tusk measuring 10 feet 2½ inches and weighing 226½ pounds. This is said to be the largest ivory tusk

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10 per cent over the previous year.

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

Brantford Cricket Club Reorganize for the Season.

Galt Bowling Club in Fighting Trim-Maple Leafs Elect Officers.

> BASEBALL. A GENEROUS OFFER.

Syracuse, N. Y., March 26.-J. B. Billings, treasurer of the Boston Base-ball Club, came to town yesterday and made an unsuccessful effort to bring Willie Dineen back into the fold of the National League. It is said on good authority that the Boston magnote offered Dineen the sum of \$3,200 if he would not report to Charlottsville with the American League team April 1. The offer was declined. MAPLE LEAFS ORGANIZE.

At the meeting of the Guelph Maple Leaf Baseball Club on Friday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing season: Honorary president, Lincoln Geldie; president, Ald. C. L. Dunbar; vice-president, John E. Taylor; second vice-president, D. J. Kennedy; secretary, A. M. Fisher; treasurer, H. McHugh; directors, George Chamberlain, F. Nunan, J. B. Collins, Geo. Reimart, E. Morris. Arrangements will be begun at once for the placing of a strong team in the field, and a meeting of the di-rectorate for this purpose will be held

THREATEN LITIGATION. Players of the Brooklyn Baseball ganization to the American League will be proceeded against legally if they do not report on April 1. Strangely enough the Brooklyn club has retained the services of John M. Ward, the former well-known player, to institute action against these men. to institute action against these men

CRICKET. THE BRANTFORD CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Brant-ford Cricket Club the following officers were elected: Honorary president, A. H. Dymond; president, E. D. Cameron; vice-president, R. Coles; secretary, W. Hardwick; treasurer, W. W. Ross. The members who will this, year act upon the executive committee are J. Nightingale, J. Hale, G. Whitewell, R. Edwards, H. E. Leonard, H. Bond, W. G. Killmaster, E. D. Taylor, Rev. Mr. Bushell and W. H. cricket feeling in Brantford is very strong this year. The reports read showed everything to be in first-class

CHALLENGE FROM, AMERICA. Cambridge, England, March 26.-The Cambridge University Athletic Club has received the challenge of Harvard for the Cambridge men to go in July. stamps. The club will probably suggest another date, preferably September.

FISTIC. FOUGHT A DRAW YESTERDAY. Louisville, Ky., March 26.—The Jack Fonner-Kid Carter 20-round contest last night ended in a draw. RACING AT LITTLE ROCK. Little Rock. Ark., March 26.-Yester-

day's programme resulted as follows:
First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Harry
Duke 1, Morris, Volmer 2, Jim Gare II. 3.
Time, 1:1034.
Second race, 4 furlongs, 2-year-olds—
Jordan 1, Anna Louise 2, Miss Dora 3.
Time, 5134. Time, :51%.
Third race, 6 furlongs—Larkspur 1,
Horseshoe Tobacco 2, Elsie Del 3. Time,

Strathmore 1, Tuskarosa 2, Little Tommy Tucker 3. Time, 1:47. Fifth race, 1 mile, selling-Ghub 1, Meggs 2, Julietta B. 3. Time, 1:49%. Sixth race, 1 mile, selling-J. H. Sloan 1, Jessie Jarboe 2, Georgia Gardner 3. Time, 1:46%.

A MORRIS TUBE MATCH. A MORRIS TUBE MATCH.

C company of the Seventh Regiment, under command of Cept. Graham, finished a very successful Morris tube shooting match last night. The prizes competed for were three handsome silver fruit spoons. The men were all handicapped different points according to their record as shots. The first prize was won by Pte. Johnson, second by Col.-Sergt. Mc-Lean, and third by Pte. W. Copner. Following is the score of all the men who took part, fifteen shots at 200 yards; possible, 75 points:

BOWLING. At a meeting of the Galt Bowling Club last week the following officers were elected: President, Thomas McDougall; vice-president, Arch. McAuslan; secretary-treasurer, Adam Cranston; committee of management; W. S. Turnbull, Dr. McKendrick, Edward Clay, Thomas Hamilton and T. E. McLellan. The club will be known this year as the Galt Imperial Bowling Club.

Middlesex.

Mr. Thomas Gott, Wilton Grove, is quitting railroading and going farming. Mr. Graham takes his place on the railway. Mr. James Elliott and family are

moving from Wilton Grove to New On tario, where Mr. Elliott goes into the umbering business Mr. George Riddell, Wilton Grove, has leased Mr. Alex. Marr's farm. Mr. T. Baty has sold his farm to Mr. Arthur Baty, and is moving closer to London

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> RAILWAY COLLISION Washington, March 26. - A head-on collision between two passenger trains on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway occurred yesterday about four miles south of this city. Many passengers were injured, two possibly fatally. The accident occurred in a dense fog. Seriously hurt—William Jones, Philadelphia, internally may die; William J. Simpson, Alexandria, internally, may die.

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Choir Singer Scored for Appearing in Vaude ville Seeks Redress in Court.

New York, March 26 .- Mrs. Martha Dorlon Lowe, the Brooklyn church choir soloist who recently signed a contract to sing in vaudeville, has prought suit against her pastor, Rev. Charles Herald, for defamation of character. The inspiration of the case is the scathing denunciation of the step taken, made in a sermon preached on the second Sunday following Mrs. Lowe's announcement of her mination. In this, without mentioning her name, the minister pointedly al luded to the fact that a member his choir had "chosen the vaudeville stage in preference to singing the praises of God in the church choir, declared her intention inconsistent with a profession of Christianity, and demanded her resignation from choir and church.

Mrs. Lowe resents the imputation the sermon places upon her work, and appeals to the law to protect her from the slander of her ministerial critic. The announcement of her intended as pearance on the vaudeville stage was made on March 3, while her contract with the Church of the Pilgrims does not expire until May 1. To add to the effect of the sermon it was announced a week before, and in consequence the church was crowded to its utmost capacity by those who

wanted to hear the sensational dis The congregation is about equally divided in its support of the ministe and the singer.

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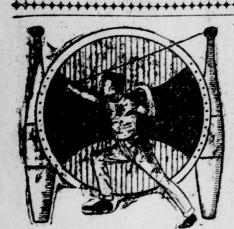
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Meteorological.

Toronto, March 25, 8 p.m.-The disturbance mentioned last night is now centered over Michigap, and pressure is highest in the Maritime Provinces. Showers have been fairly general in the Georgian Bay and lower lake regions, together with a few local thunderstorms, and snow has fallen over Lake Superior. Elsewhere it has been fine. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-46; Calgary, 26-46; Qu'Appelle, 18-30; Parry Sound, 36-44; Winnipeg, 24-34; Port Arthur, 28-30; Toronto, 37-46; Mon-treal, 28-38; Quebec, 24-32; Halifax,

Local temperatures-Highest, 60.5 Today (Tuesday) the sun rose at 6:11 a.m. and sets at 6:37 p.m. The moon rose at 10:33 a.m. and sets at 1:01 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

donned their helmets in place of their -Lieut.-Col. Holmes, D.O.C., will

probably leave for British Columbia -Sergt. George Keane is spending a was as follows:

few days with friends in London. -Stratford Beacon. -The City of London Teachers' Association convenes at the Collegiate Institute on Thursday, April 4.

-Mr. Justice Meredith left yesterday for England, from whence he will undertake a cruise through the Mediter--Corporal Melmer, of No. 1 Com-

Central Presbyterian Church at Hamlton tomorrow evening. -A provisional training school is to opened at Brockville for two

months, with Drill Sergt. Blake-Foster, of this city, in charge. -Mr. Frank McVean, of this city, has been appointed a fishery inspector for the district between London and 26 bb | Chatham. He began his duties Mon-

-The stock of the estate of the late Col. Lewis, valued at \$9,241, was sold by Auctioneer Jones yesterday afternoon at 221/2 cents on the dollar. Davis, were taking Turkish Baths at Wm. Scarrow, of this city, was the

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The employes of R. C. Struthers & Co. presented a handsome trunk to Mr. Andy Williams on Saturday, and accompanied the presentation with many assurances of the interest they will take in his future success. Mr. Williams leaves for St. Louis this week. -C. H. Lang, a farmer, residing on con. 11, London township, lost a valu-able dogskin overcoat at the Western Hotel Saturday. When leaving the hotel he put on what he believed to be his own coat, but what proved to be one not nearly so valuable. The stran-ger who made the exchange has not been heard from.

MEN'S MISSION. A week's mission to men was begun last night at St. Peter's Cathedral by Rev. Father O'Bryan, president of Loyola College, Montreal, a divine of distinguished abilities as a scholar and preacher. In his sermon he considered what most interferes with man's hap piness, and his treatment of the question was convincing and helpful. The reverend father held the close atten tion of his audience, composed entirely of men, who completely filled the cathedral. He will undoubtedly accomplish much good during his mission here.

A TERRIFIC RAINSTORM. During the progress of a heavy electrical storm, which started shortly after 9 o'clock last night, rain fell in such quantities as to make probable a supposition that a cloudburst had occurred. A portion of the down-town section suffered most severely from the downpour. The gulley-holes on Dundas street from Richmond to Clarence street became choked from the mass of water and debris pouring into them, and the water, finding no outlet, back-

ed up on the sidewalk on the north side of the street. Most of the store cellars from Richmond street to the center of the block were flooded. Firemen from the central hall rendered splendid service in locating gulley-holes and removing the choking debris, but not before the water had done a great amount of damage in the cellars, mounting to several hundred dollars' worth. A belt line car was derailed on Central avenue at Colborne street. The storm washed sand in great quantheir light circuits burned out by the

MR. MARSH'S RECITAL.

The piano recital given last night by Mr. Charles Marsh was attended by a large audience. Mr. Marsh is a pianist of unusual promise, and his work betrays the careful teaching he has re- James A. Forbes. eived at the hands of Mr. Barron. Mr. Marsh was assisted by Miss Margaret Gunn and Miss Bessie Moore, A. L. C. M., whose singing was accompanied by Miss Belle Brown and Miss Jennie Steele. The programme is as follows:

Tannhauser March Wagner-Liszt Mr. Marsh, Villanelle . Dell'Acqua Leschetizsky Gottschalk

Mr. Marsh. Eleanor Smith Miss Bessie Moore.
Rhapsodie Hongroise, No. 6.....Liszt
Mr. Marsh.

A DELIGHTED AUDIENCE. The recital recently given by the pupils of Mr. W. H. Hewlett and Miss Eva Roblyn was attended by a large and delighted audience. The programme

—Corporal Melmer, of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I., who has completed his three years' term, has taken his discharge.
—Rev. W. J. Clark, of the First Presbyterian Church, will attend the meeting of the commutation committee in Hamilton tomorrow.
—Rev. W. J. Clark will address a mass meeting of Presbyterians in the Central Presbyterian Church at Ham-

Miss Jennie Hunt. THE CLARA MATHES COMPANY. "The Legion of Honor," a thrilling melodrama, with the inevitable struggle between love and villainy, was produced before a large audience last night by the Clara Mathes Comedy Company, which opened a week's engagement at the London Opera House. Miss Clara Mathes, the star of the company, showed herself an actress of great emotional power and dram-atic expression. Mr. George Olmi, who will be remembered here for his fine work in opera, showed himself no ess gifted as an actor of melodrama The other leading parts were taken by Miss Helen De Este, Miss Emma

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Pleasing specialties were introduced between the acts by Miss Emma Mathes, Miss Beatrice Gordon, Mr. Barlow, Mr. Castleberry and others. The bill for tonight will be "South Africa," the locale of which is partly in Canada and partly amid the stir-

in Canada and partly amid the stir-ring scenes of the Boer war. It will be under the immediate direction Mr. Reginald Barlow, a member of A. Company, first Canadian contingent.
Mr. Barlow was playing with the Valentine Stock Company in Winnipeg when the call for volunteers came, and he joined the Winnipeg company and was with them until their homecoming at Christmas time.

The series of winter concerts and lectures in connection with the First Congregational Church has proved very successful. The seventh of the series was given last night and was attended by a large audience. The following ex-cellent programme was rendered, Mr. W. A. Bleuthner acting as accompan-

Rubenstein—"Toreador et Andalouse"...
Miss Jessie Hamilton-Strong and Mr.
W. A. Bleuthner.
Handel—"Honor and Arms," from

"Samson"

Mr. R. Albert Brown.

Leonard—"Souvenir de Haydn"

Mr. Roselle Pococke.

Ganz—"Sing, Sweet Bird"

Miss Evelyn Parker.

Adam—"The Holy City"

Mr. C. E. Cunningham.

Goring Thomas—"A Summer Night"

Miss Isabel Currie.

Gounod—"O, Divine Redeemer"

Mr. Brown. Mr. Brown. Dudley Buck—"My Redeemer and My

Miss Parker. Raff-"Cavatina" Mr. Pococke.
Tours—"Because of Thee"
Miss Currie.

CHALMERS CHURCH CONCERT. The concert given last night under the auspices of Chalmers Church choir was enjoyed by a very large audience. The chair was occupied by Rev. Walter troduced the following programme: Anthem-"Now Joyful Strains".

Anthem—"Now Joyful Strains".....—
Choir.
Quartet—Misses M. MacArthur and A.
Thompson, Messrs. Fred Pickard and
William Thompson.
Solo—"Dream of Paradise"...—
Miss Millie Kemp.
Duet—"The Crooked Bawbee"...—
Miss Maude Fowler and Mr. H. R.
McDonald.
Solo—"Day by Day"...—
Mr. Newton Large.
Mixed quartet—"One Sweetly Solemn
Thought"...—

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Thought"
Misses Jennie and Annie Thompson,
Messrs. T. Robinson and H Smith.
Solo—"The Spring Song"
Miss Blanche Land.
Solo—"Asleep in the Deep"
Mr. Edward Gardiner.
Male quartet—Messrs. J. C. Lockhart,
N. Large, E. Gardiner, H. R. McDonald.
Cornet solo—"The Commodore"

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Mr. Court Irwin. Miss Maude Fowler

Miss Myra Pickard and Mr. E.

Solo—"Friend of the Brave..... Mr. H. R. McDonald. Male quartet
The McDonald Quartet.
Anthem—"Gloria in Excelsis"
The Choir. Solo, Miss Fowler. The accompanists were Mrs. Mc-Donald, and F. L. Evans; conductor,

PEG-LEG BROWN CAUSED HIS DEATH

Death of Provincial Detective Yorrell at Hamilton Recalls the Toohey

Word has been received here of the death on Friday at his mother's residence, Hillyard street, Hamilton, of Provincial Detective John T. Yorrell, says the Brantford Expositor. of death was consumption. At the time of the murder of Policeman Twohey, at London, Ont., Detective Yorrell was one of the officers detailed to apprehend "Peg-leg" Brown. He spent much of his time watching the freight trains and was out in all kinds of weather. The exposure brought on a heavy cold, which developed into consumption, eventually ending in his death. Mr. Yorrell esteemed by all with whom he came in contact. He was 37 years old, and after graduating from the Normal College he taught for fifteen years in the Catholic schools at Hamilton, Dundas, Penetanguishene and Brantford. For the past four years he had filled po-sitions under the Ontario Government as engrosser, inspector of fisheries, and later provincial detective on the western frontier, being stationed at Sarnia, where he was chief

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Hearty Welcome Given the Forest City Visitors.

Happy Crowd Gather Round the Ten Big Banquet Tables—Pleasant Remarks of Entertainers and Guests.

Toronto, March 26.-The London Old Boys of Toronto did themselves proud last night in welcoming the London delegation. The banquet was served in the beautiful assembly hall of the Foresters' Temple, which was profusely decorated. The London guests were escorted from their headquarters at the Iroquois Hotel by the Royal Foresters' Bugle Band, and were welcomed at the Temple by the Toronto Old Boys. The company filled ten large tables. Mr. A. S. Wigmore, president of the local committee, occupied the chair, and Dr. Winnett at his left, and Dr. Oronhyatekha and Col. Leys at

THOSE WHO WERE THERE. Among those present were: Mayor Rumball, Police Magistrate Love, City Clerk Kingston, Ald. Gerry, Ald. Par-nell, J. Quick, John M. Daly, J. S. Bell, C. E. A. Carr, Frank Cooper, Thomas Gillean, Frank Adams, Chas. Graham, Alf. Talbot, H. C. McBride, Connor, R. K. Clarke, R. McCormick, E. McAuliffe, C. H. Tonkin, Chas. E. E. McAuliffe, C. H. Tonkin, Chas. E. Penney, Joseph White, James Casey, W. W. Dunlop, John W. Pocock, M. W. Rossie, W. J. Duperow, T. M. Mullins, Chas. S. Proctor, Arthur E. Peters, Harry Gibbons, H. J. Carter, W. H. Mener, A. W. Porte, Frank Sanagan, Thomas Reid, W. A. Wadsworth, A. F. Reid, W. J. Lind, J. M. Laing, N. H. Beemer, J. C. Morgan, C. B. Niles, A. L. Crossin, Chas. H. Hunter, John F. Troy, A. E. Trebilcock, Edward A. Taylor, J. H. Partridge, Frank G. Jewell, W. H. Marcock, Edward A. Taylor, J. H. Partridge, Frank G. Jewell, W. H. Margetts, Harry Jewell, J. A. Minhinnick, Fred J. Miller, Franklin Miller, T. A. Johnston, H. W. Purse, B. F. Ferguson, W. E. Smily, A. E. Brock, Leo J. Nightingale, C. E. Reid, J. Harrison, E. W. Dawson, John Johnston, Mayor Howland, of Toronto, came in during the evening and was heartly

to have this chance of welcoming the young boys from London, who had always given the Toronto boys a welcome in the Forest City never to be forgotten. London boys wherever they were retained a kindly feeling in their hearts for their old home. (Cheers.) TOASTS, SPEECHES AND SONGS. The chairman, in introducing the

toast list, spoke of the enthusiastic love for London which its sons and daughters always retained. The London boys in Toronto were the pioneers of the Old Boys' movement, and similar associations had sprung up all over this country and the United States. (Cheers.) A London Old Boys' club had been started in Omaha with twentyfive members, and since then London Old Boys in Rochester had got together and would visit their old home in Aug-The chairman went on to say that letters were received from Hon. George W. Ross, Sir William Ralph Meredith and Hon. Clifford Sifton, expressing regret at inability to be present and respond to the toast of "Canada and the Empire." He therefore coupled the toast with the name of Mr. Newton

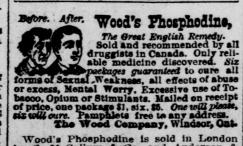
Rowell. Mr. Rowell said London had given many distinguished men to the public life and judiciary of Canada. mentioned Sir John Carling, Hon Clifford Sifton, Sir William Meredith, Hon George W. Ross, Mr. Justice Meredith Mr. Justice Street, and Mr. Jus-tice McMahon. London had also, in proportion to population, given more of her sons to the cause of the empire in South Africa than any other city was a clever officer and was highly It had also sent the most popular officer in the Canadian contingent, Colonel Buchan. (Cheers.) As a Londoner, Mr. Rowell said he was proud of his city. He concluded with a burst of patriotic sentiment.

Mr. Joseph W. Davis proposed the toast of "The City of Our Adoption and the City of Our Nativity." Mayor Howland responded for the city of Toronto in a happy vein. Gen. Simcoe had favored London as the capital of the province, but, although London was not the capital, it had

sent out many capital fellows. The distinguished men it had produced thing. They took men away from the 'A secret society, it is announced, is being formed in some of the big cities preserved that love of home, upon which the trusts.

On the trusts. rush of business and made them think Empire were founded. He bespoke for them a cordial welcome in London

next August. After a topical song by Ed Flock which brought down the house, Mr. E. W. J. Owens, the past president of the Toronto association, read a complimentary address to Dr. Fred Win-



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Atwell Fleming proposed "Our Guests," responded to by Frank Love, B. C. McCann and Thomas Gillean in a happy vein. Col. Leys replied to a personal toast in a fecetious vein. "Our Sister Societies" brought responses from Rev. Mr. Bryan, of ed later, but must be in Huron; D. Millman, of Oxford, and A. H. McConnell, of Peel.

J. W. Hickson proposed "The La-dies," responded to by Charles M. Graham. The gathering wound up at 1 a.m., with "Auld Lang Syne."

THERE ARE A NUMBER of varieties of corns. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once.

Columbus, O., March 26.-The entire local staff of the Press-Post struck yesterday because the proprietor would not sign the scale of the newly-formed News Writers' Association.

Detroit, March 26.—Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon nearly all the chapels in the printers' union had deposited their ballots on the proposition to rely on arbitration to hereafter settle their labor disputes. The votes will be count-

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HAD LA GRIPPE—Mr. A. Nickerson. Farmer, Dutton, writes: "Last winter I had La Grippe and it left me with a severe pain in the small of my back and hip that used to catch me whenever I tried to climb a fence. This lasted for about two months, when I bought a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and used it both internally and externally, morning and evening, for three days, at the expiration of which time I was completely cured."