

40TH YEAR, NO. 16848.

LONDON, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1908.

PRICE ONE CENT.

GRAND TRUNK TRAIN LEFT THE TRACKS;
MANY PASSENGERS WERE INJUREDTwo Children in Wreck Near
Guelph Have Since Died.Condition of None of Passengers
Is Serious.Relief Train With Physicians Went
to Scene From Guelph and
Palmerston.DEAD.
CHARLES HOUSTON, 2-year-old
child of J. J. Houston, Thessalon,
drowned.LILLIAN IRWIN, infant daughter
of Mr. Irwin, Niagara Falls, N. Y.,
succumbed to wounds.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

CONDUCTOR LILLIES, Brantford,
back and shoulder hurt.MAIL CLERK CHENEY, South-
ampton, skull crushed in taken to
Fergus Hospital, in critical condition.J. J. HOUSTON, Thessalon, face
crushed.MRS. J. J. HOUSTON, seriously in-
jured and very low from shock.AUSTIN HOUSTON, son of above,
injuries probably fatal.MISS JESSIE GIBSON, Guelph, arm
broken.WILLIAM BRENNAN, 502 Napier
street, Hamilton, chest and back hurt.PHILIP FARLEY, Twelfth Line,
Peel Township, chest crushed and
badly bruised.R. A. TODD, 269 Jarvis street, To-
ronto, left hand and wrist injured and
head hurt.REV. D. H. MARTIN, Cannington,
tendons of knee torn.

SLIGHTLY INJURED.

WILLIAM ORMSTON, jun., Colum-
bus, Ont.MRS. GALVIN, 182 Rebecca street,
Hamilton.JUDGE JAMESON, Guelph, scalp
wound, left arm injured, hand cut.

DR. SAVAGE, Guelph, slight.

GEORGE J. BRAY, Brantford, badly
bruised on arm and shoulder.MRS. LENDRETH, Berlin, arm and
shoulder badly injured.

MRS. M. McCAW, Guelph, slight.

WILLIAM LAPPNER, Stratsburg,
badly bruised on right side.MRS. AUGUST HUNT, Berlin, arm
bruised.W. D. YOUNG, Kingaro, arm and
back hurt.THOMAS McNAMARA, Guelph,
bruised.L. RASHKOPSKY, 31 Nelson street,
Toronto, back badly strained.C. H. PASSMORE, 79 Yorkville
avenue, Toronto, bad cut on head.

THOMAS J. DYE, Enfield.

L. H. CLARK, 63 Isabella street, To-
ronto.A. W. HOWELL, Ingersoll, hip in-
jured.

H. ROSS, Allison, badly bruised.

MISS FISHER, Burlington.

M. H. PEART, 32 Fuller street, To-
ronto, right eye hurt.A. W. JACOBS, 52 McGill avenue,
Montreal, cuts on both hands.G. G. COLE, 588 Dovercourt road,
Toronto, cut on head and legs, and ribs
hurt.C. E. WALDON, 84 August street,
Hamilton, slightly bruised.WILLIAM GIBSON, Guelph, head
and left arm badly cut.

MISS CHRISTIE, Hamilton.

C. H. SMITH, Listowel.

P. J. LIVINGSTONE, Listowel.

J. E. ROBINSON, Belleville.

MARSHALL EMORY, Parkhead,
scalp wound. In Fergus Hospital.

SIR LOUIS JETTE.



JUSTICE ARMOUR.

ALASKAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

pital, Guelph, this morning. Mr. Mar-
tin was feeling quite cheerful that no
worse injury was received by him than
that to his knee, the tendons being
torn, also that the fatalities had been
so small. He said:

REV. D. H. MARTIN'S STORY.

"I was traveling in the day coach
and was sitting with my nephew, Mel-
ville H. Martin, of Osgoode Hall. His
father is the Rev. Mr. Martin, of Exe-
ter. We were on our way to a funeral
in Mount Forest, and the car in which
we were seated was filled with pas-
sengers. We were sitting in the second
last seat on the left side of the
car and the conductor was in the seat
back of it."We felt the bumping of the cars
when we got to this place called Keat-
ing's farm, and the car was taking a
turn, also that the fatalities had been
so small. We had no moment to
think. We had no preparation. No
one thought of getting up to save them-
selves from the impending danger, but
it all happened in the twinkling of an
eye.

A TREMENDOUS JAR

"The instant after the rumbling we
felt the tremendous jar, probably in-
duced by the car striking the end of the
bridge. But immediately on the feel-
ing of that jar we felt the car going
over its side. There was no enbank-
ment of probably ten feet. As the
coach which broke from the front
jumped the track over it went on its
side. But for a moment it was in the
air. That moment was one of the most
awful moments of silence I ever experi-
enced, not a word seemed to come from
anyone while the car was taking its
leap to destruction. The dust of the
car, so suddenly shaken, seemed to
charge the air, and the coach became
dark. Until the crash came, when the
coach lit on its side there was not a
sound. Then the silence was broken
by the crash as the coach struck the
submerged ground, and the first thing
I heard was the cry from the other end
of the car from a woman whom I af-
terwards learned was Mrs. Irwin, of
Niagara Falls. Her cry was, 'My
baby!' and she seemed distinct could
be heard as all seemed to be moaning
or crying at once."I shall never forget the screams of
the women or the groans of those who
were injured. Fortunately no one ap-
peared to be seriously injured, and an
exist was made as soon as possible by
those who were able to help themselves.
My nephew escaped unhurt, and was
probably the first to get out. He
broke the back door open and as-
sisted me out. I had tried to rise, but
I found my legs were useless to per-
form my duties, and I had to be helped
out. In the meantime others who had
been only slightly injured were assist-
ing those who had been badly hurt.

WATER ENTERED CAR.

"First there was much scrambling to
get up, for many were nearly buried
under cushions and valises, and to make
matters worse the water came into the
car, and this was what caused the
death of the Houston baby.
"I and several others were taken to
the bridge, where we lay until assist-
ance came. Others who were able to
walk managed to get to a few farm-
houses near by. Word was sent to the
city for help, but it was two hours be-
fore a doctor arrived. Now, I'll tell
you, you are lying on the side of the
train after a shock like that two hours
seems a long time. There were quite
a number on the bridge. I remember
General Roadmaster Ferguson, of To-
ronto, was laid there, and a man named Far-
ley, also several other men whose names
I do not know. It was a gory sight as
the people were brought from the wreck.
Nearly all were bleeding and bruised.
Their groans and cries were simply
indescribable."Mr. Martin is to have an operation
performed upon him this evening or to-
morrow.
Dr. Skinner, of the hospital staff, in-
formed the reporter that the only other
patient was Miss Jessie Gibson, of To-
ronto, who had her left forearm broken.
This morning she expressed her
feeling of the sensation much as Mr.
Martin had done. She was feeling
much recovered from the shock this
morning and looked at the matter in a
cheerful light.

ANOTHER PASSENGER'S STORY.

"To a number of newspaper representa-
tives, Rev. T. O. Stringer, of To-
ronto, made the following statement:
"I was in the rear car with my friends
at the time the accident happened. Af-
ter the car jumped the track it dragged
along for a short distance. It reminded
me of shaking marbles up and down in a
box. This lasted about three seconds
and then we felt the car going, and it
seemed like a dream until we woke up
and found ourselves in the water. Then
we heard a mother calling out that her
child was in the water and could not
get out. The little one had got out
from beneath one of the seats and was
drowning. People were dazed for a
moment, but the child was got out al-
most immediately, and Dr. Stringer
started the attempts to resuscitate the
child, and shortly afterwards handed it
over to me. I spent about half an
hour standing in the water trying to
bring it to. There was about a foot
and a half of water where it was. Inone end of the car there were about
two feet and in the other half a foot.
I was on the upper side and wonder
that I escaped as well as I did. The
only inconvenience I felt is that caused
by the cold water in which I was
standing for so long."Those in the fore part of the car
were hurt the more on account of
the breaking in of the car. I think
it was about 1:30 or 2 o'clock before
the relief train came. Of course, they
had to go in with the jigger."

SECOND CHILD'S DEATH.

The death occurred last night of the
infant daughter of Mrs. Wm. Irwin, of
Niagara Falls, N. Y., the second child
injured in the accident.

INJURED AT FERGUS

The Recovery of Mrs. Houston Is Not
ExpectedAt Fergus there are several patients
in the hospital, and of these the most
dangerously wounded are Mr. and Mrs.
Houston, of Thessalon, and Mail Clerk
Chenev, of Palmerston. Mrs. Houston's
recovery is not looked for, the shock
and exposure added to her shoulder
being fractured. It is feared, however,
that she will recover. The other three are
in a dangerous condition, and it is feared
that some of the others may prove
more dangerously injured than at first
supposed.Only two, Rev. Mr. Martin and Miss
Gibson, are at the Guelph Hospital.
The most of the injured were able to
get to their homes.

DRAMATIC HOME COMING.

The special train that had been sent
from Guelph to the scene of the wreck
returned about 3 o'clock in the after-
noon, bringing back about 25 of those
who had been in the accident. The
Chicago train was at Guelph station
at the time and was on the second
track. The relief train was brought
just past the station, so that some of
the wounded were carried out of the
rear of the car, they passed in front
of the Chicago train which was
crowded with passengers. On the other
side were several hundred citizens who
watched with bated breath the removal
from the train of those who were
friends and of those who were
strangers.St. Joseph's Hospital, being under
quarantine, and the general hospital
having little accommodation at the
present, the majority of the injured
were taken to their homes, and for-
tunately a number of the strangers,
after having their wounds properly
dressed, were able to take the next
train for their homes.Among those strangers who were
unable to proceed was Mr. R. A. Todd,
of Toronto. His left hand and wrist
were injured, and he was badly
bruised so that through the
night he was delirious.

INJURED IN REAR COACH.

Nearly all those who were badly in-
jured were occupants of the rear day
coach. In the morning, the injured
were taken to the hospital. Those who
were Mail Clerk Chenev, who is in a
critical condition with a fractured
skull, and Mr. Philip Farley, of Peel,
whose chest was crushed. The latter's
wounds were severe, but he is expected
to recover. Mr. Farley was taken to
the hospital by the relief train.

WHAT CAUSED ACCIDENT.

It is at present impossible to say
what caused the accident. General
Roadmaster Ferguson, of Toronto,
G. T. R., was on the train as far as
Morden, which is a little stopping place
between Guelph and the scene of the
accident, but he has no tele-
graph communication. Mr. Ferguson
was among the first to arrive on learn-
ing of the disaster, and he believes
that either a broken truck or a brake-
shoe dragging must have caused it.
The track, he asserts, was in good con-
dition, and the fault must have been
with the car.Late last night a special train arriv-
ing from Belleville, bringing the com-
pany's solicitor, Mr. Pope, and chief
detective, Mr. R. Day. When spoken
to by The Advertiser they refused to
discuss the matter until an investiga-
tion should show what was the cause
of the accident.County Crown Attorney Peterson was
seen at his office in Guelph about 10
o'clock this morning. He stated that
as he had had so few details of the ac-
cident, that it would take a few days
to get the names of witnesses. He had
therefore telephoned to Coroner John-
ston, of Fergus, to have a jury empaneled
there today, which could view the
remains of the wreck until an investiga-
tion should show what was the cause
of the accident.

THE CRITICAL CASES.

A dispatch from Fergus at 2:30 p.m.
says: The condition of the sufferers
from yesterday's wreck is reported as
follows: Mail Clerk Chenev, of South-
ampton, broken shoulder blade, collar
bone, ribs, wound in nose, scalp
wounds, resting quietly, on fair way to
recovery. Mrs. Houston, Thessalon,
fractured shoulder blade and ribs and
probably injured lung, internal injuries
probable, temperature high, suffering
from severe shock, in a very critical
condition; little Austin Houston, son ofabove, suffering with a broken thigh
bone, is doing very well. All the other
patients are progressing satisfactorily.
Guelph, Ont., March 19.—One of the
most serious runoffs which has oc-
curred on the Wellington Grey and
Bruce branch of the Grand Trunk took
place about 11:30 yesterday morning at
Keating's farm. Lower Pilkington, a
mile or so below Posenbury. The main-
line train north was running at a fair
rate of speed when one of the trucks,
it is believed, on the rear coach jumped
the track. The ominous bumping
alarmed the passengers, and then over-
went the coaches. The passenger
coaches went off, apparently, over a
trestle above a creek crossing under the
track, taking a drop of ten feet into
the water, which was swollen by the
spring thaw, and filled the car one or
two feet deep, when it turned on its
side. The back coach looks to have
pulled the smoker and mail coach off
after it. The latter was almost com-
pletely turned over, but it held to the
tender and did not go far down the
bank, which was not high, where it
went off. The tender was not upset,
but its wheels were off the rails. The
engine did not leave the track. From
the culvert to where the engine stood
was about 60 yards. The passengers in
the last coach suffered the most
severely.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

Master of Transportation Price, of
London, who is here in charge of mat-
ters, made the following official state-
ment at a late hour tonight:"Local passenger train, No. 17, which
runs between Harrisburg and Palm-
erston, and on this date consisted of
engine 303 (Engineer Hazelwood and
Conductor Lillies), one baggage car,
one mail and smoker, and one day
coach, left Guelph at 11:03 a.m., and
when about seven miles north of
Guelph met with an accident in which
the tender of the engine and three cars
were derailed. About 25 passengers
traveling in the coaches were all more
or less injured, none seriously, with
the exception of two children, one be-
longing to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Houston,
of Thessalon, and the other to Mrs.
Irwin, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., both
of whom have since died. It is not
possible until a thorough investigation
has been made to give the cause of
derailment, but present indications
point to something going wrong with
a coach. The accident was at once
reported to Guelph, and relief trains
with physicians were immediately dis-
patched from Palmerston and Guelph.
Everything possible was done to re-
lieve the injured passengers, the ma-
jority of whom, after receiving what
medical attention was necessary, con-
tinued their journey on later trains.
The track has been cleared and the
trains are running as usual."The death occurred last night of the
infant daughter of Mrs. Wm. Irwin, of
Niagara Falls, N. Y., the second child
injured in the accident.Only two, Rev. Mr. Martin and Miss
Gibson, are at the Guelph Hospital.
The most of the injured were able to
get to their homes.THEY WANT THE
DUTIES RAISEDBig Deputation Waits on Mr.
Fielding, Who Says Others
Oppose Increases.[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Ont., March 19.—Four hun-
dred millions of capital and 1,400 indus-
tries are represented by a deputation
which waited on the cabinet this morning
asking higher protection.Mr. Fielding stated that the ex-
ecutive of the association had com-
pleted a schedule of desirable tariff
revision, and would be glad to place
this schedule before the finance min-
ister in confidence.Mr. Fielding declined the confidence.
The submission of the schedule ought
to be a public matter. The minister
proposed to be in possession of letters
from representatives of various manu-
facturing interests throughout the Do-
minion, expressing views directly op-
posed to these advanced by the deputation.It was agreed that the association
executive and the minister should con-
fer as to the advisability of making the
schedule public.

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Chancellor of Ontario.HON. W. G. FALCONBRIDGE,
Chief Justice High Court of Justice.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION.

MOTOR CRUSHED
THROUGH BRIDGEIt Carried Four Men Down Into
the Speed River.

ESCAPED WITH SLIGHT HURTS

Accident Happened on Electric Rail-
way at Preston—Brake Attach-
ment Broke.MAY PRESS CLAIM
WITH WARSHIPSU. S. Cannot Get Satisfaction
From the Sultan.

HE SHIRKED ALL INTERVIEWS

The Minister in Vain Has Sought
Compensation for American
Missionaries.Preston, Ont., March 19.—A thrilling
accident occurred on the Galt, Preston
and Hespeler Electric Railway here
yesterday afternoon, the miraculous
feature of which was that no lives
were lost. The freight motor hauling
a car laden with wheat was running
down the steep grade on Clare's Hill,
when the air-brake attachment on the
wheat car refused to work properly,
with the result that both cars attained
a terrific speed. Just as the bridge
crossing the Speed River at the foot
of the hill was reached, the heavy
iron-weighted motor car left the rails,
and crashed through two telegraph
poles, ran a third of the distance over
the bridge, and breaking through the
timber guard rail, plunged into the
river below.In the freight motor were Motorman
Joe Thompson, Conductor R. McWil-
liams, Brakeman Wallace, and the
electrician of the railway, Mr. Kirk-
wood. Had the accident occurred a
week sooner, when the river was at
flood tide, the men would have been
drowned like rats in a trap. As it was
they escaped with a drenching, and a
few slight injuries, but the motor car,
which landed on its side, was badly
smashed.Strange to say, the wheat car contin-
ued its career, running up to the
terminus of the line at Hotel Kress, a
distance of a couple of blocks, where
it left the rails.A BAR OF GOLD
TAKEN FROM CARIt Disappeared at the Union
Station, Detroit.

AND WAS VALUED AT \$23,000

The Treasure Was Consigned to
Buffalo—Entire Police Force
on the Case.Detroit, March 19.—A bar of gold
said to be valued at \$20,000 to \$25,000,
disappeared from the express car of
Wabash train No. 4, which arrived at
the Union station from the west at 8
o'clock last evening, and left for Buf-
falo at midnight.The property was in charge of the
Pacific Express Company, and was con-
signed to Buffalo.Just as soon as the messenger missed
the gold he notified the local express
agent of the company, who in turn asked
the police to assist in the search for
the missing treasure.Every available detective has been
assigned to the case.The general manager of the express
company is expected here at noon.
Pending his arrival no details will be
given out at the local office. It is sup-
posed that the gold was shipped from
some western mine. The bar was mis-
sed just before the train pulled out for
the east."We are impatiently waiting for news
from Buffalo," said the manager of
the local branch of the express com-
pany. It was said to be possible that
the bar had been misplaced, and will
be found at Buffalo.Buffalo, March 19.—The local office
of the express company say they know
nothing about the missing gold bar.

VENEZUELA PAYS UP

First Installment Is Handed to the
German Minister.Caracas, March 19.—The sum of \$75,
000, the first installment of the indemnity
provided for by the protocol signed at
Washington, by the German ambas-
sador and Mr. Bowen, the special Ven-
ezuelan representative, was paid this
afternoon to Dr. Peldram, the new Ger-
man minister here.London, Thursday, March 19.—A
dispatch to the Chronicle from Con-
stantinople says that since Mr. Leish-
man, the American minister, returned
two months ago he has been vainly
seeking an audience of the Sultan to
deliver an autograph letter from Presi-
dent Roosevelt, who in the letter calls
his majesty's attention to the claims
of the American missionaries in Ar-
menia and elsewhere, and asks for
their prompt settlement. The Sultan,
being aware of Mr. Leishman's in-
structions to press the claims upon the
Sultan, has been extremely patient, and
has not been able to see him.Mr. Leishman is naturally exasperated,
and it would not be surprising if
American warships were again or-
dered to Turkey.

MR. SMALL'S MANAGEMENT

The Season at the New Grand and the
Musicians, Trouble.Again a difficulty that no one seems
to quite understand comes to the front.
It is announced that the American Fed-
eration of Musicians has placed the
Russell Theater and the Grand of Ot-
tawa, and the Grand, of this city, on
the unfair list. This season is nearly
over, and has been, but for the un-
pleasantness among the musicians, a
very pleasant one for both the lessees
and patrons of the theater. London
never had a better list of attractions
than this season, and the theater has
been well patronized. It is to be hoped
that no local troubles or disputes will
interfere with the continuance next
season of the excellent service of en-
tertainment furnished the public by Mr. A.
J. Small. High-class attractions, en-
tirely free from objectionable features,
have been furnished, and well patron-
ized. Whatever the merits of the dis-
pute may be, it would seem as if the
public and Mr. Small were both to be
congratulated. The musicians should
settle the dispute with closed doors.
When a manager so thoroughly dis-
charges his duty to the public as Mr.
Small has done, he deserves the appre-
ciation of the public, which he has re-
ceived, and it is hoped long before the
next season opens, there will be har-
mony in every way among the mus-
icians.The report is from an American pa-
per. As all the musicians receive union
wages and are members of the asso-
ciation, and the difficulty is among
themselves, it is believed the matter
will be amicably arranged without the
necessity for further injunctions.

CANONIZE JOAN OF ARC

The Cardinals Said to Have Settled
the Question.Rome, March 19.—There was a final
secret sitting of the cardinals and the-
ologians at the Vatican Tuesday morn-
ing to consider the canonization of Joan
of Arc. It seems to be admitted that
the canonization will be authorized. The
next step will be a solemn papal pro-
clamation that she is a saint.It is expected that this will improve
the relations between France and the
Vatican.Justices Boyd and Falcon-
bridge Are Chosen.Text of Instructions Drawn Up
for Tribunal.The Investigation Will Not Be Con-
fined to the Charges Against
Mr. Stratton.

[From Our Own Reporter.]

Toronto, March 18.—The Opposition
request for the production of the in-
structions to be issued to the proposed
judicial commission was acceded to
by the Premier today. He not only
made public the instructions but an-
nounced that Sir John Boyd and Chief
Justice Falconbridge had consented to
act on the commission. The speakers
of the afternoon were Mr. T. H. Pres-
ton for the Government, and Messrs.
Hugh Clark and W. H. Boyle on the
Opposition side. Little new ground
was covered. The House rose at 6 to
assemble again for the first evening
sitting of the present session. Dr. Rout-
ledge, of East Middlesex, was given a
hearty reception when he entered to
take his seat.The instructions to the judges are as
follows:COMMISSION OF INQUIRY.
In the matter of an inquiry into cer-
tain charges made by Robert Roswell
Gamey, a member of the Legislative
Assembly of the Province of Ontario,
against James Robert Stratton, a
member of the Executive Council of
Ontario, and also a member of the
said Legislative Assembly.

SEE OUR AD. FOR SATURDAY BARGAINS.

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Thursday, March 19, 1903.

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We sell that celebrated Ceylon Tea that the Runlana, Carson, McKee Company used to carry, the Imperial Blend, a regular 40c tea, our price, a pound..... **25c**

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Radishes, Beans, Peas, Parsnips, Cucumbers, Cabbages, Onions, Parsley, Carrots, all fresh; our price, 3 papers for 5c

Flower Seeds.

Others to choose from—Pansies, Cosmos, Mignonette, Nasturtium, Honeysuckle, Phlox, Candytuft, Verbena, Aster, Lobelia, Petunias, all fresh; our price, 3 papers for 5c

Other Friday Specials.

Folding Clotheshorses, 4 feet high, each..... **39c**
Good Strong Garden Rakes, each..... **15c**
New Wash Boards, small size, 10c; large size..... **15c**
Carpet Tacks, all sizes, 2 packages for..... **5c**
Good Horse Whips, regular 25c, Friday, each..... **15c**
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DUELS TO THE DEATH

A King Orders Officers to Challenge a Professor.

Vienna, March 19.—Four Serbian officers, including former War Minister Antonije, have challenged Professor Alexander Borislavich, of the University of Belgrade, to fight duels to the death, because he publicly charged them with obtaining promotion over their seniors through servility to Queen Draga. It is said that King Alexander peremptorily refused the officers to send the challenges, and the King's initiative is severely criticised in Serbia, where dueling is not a national institution.

ONE WOMAN'S TERRIBLE TRIAL

In Bed Three Years Before She Used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Now She Is Strong and Able to Do a Good Day's Work—She Tells Her Own Story.

Morley, Grey County, Ont., March 18.—Though thousands of women suffer from pains and aches unknown to men, very few even of the gentler sex have had the terrible experience of Mrs. Thomas Hughes, of this place. In telling her story for the benefit of similar sufferers, she says:

"I was a great sufferer for four years. I was treated by five doctors and a specialist from the United States. I tried nearly every kind of medicine I could think of, but none seemed to do me any good. I was in bed nearly three years.

"I had pains up my spinal column. In my head were reported to me, very back, through my right side and occasionally in my right side. I would for three nights at a time never close my eyes in sleep. I was terribly bloated so that I could not sit up or walk.

"I have taken fourteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and now am strong and able to do a good day's work, thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Mrs. Hughes' remarkable story is verified by Nelson Lefor, J. P., who says, 'I can safely say the foregoing is true.'"

ENGLISH BY-ELECTION

The Liberal Candidate Elected in Rye, Sussex.

London, March 19.—The Conservatives have suffered a crushing reverse in the Rye division of Sussex, where C. Hutchinson, Liberal, was returned by a majority of 534 over Edward Boyle, Conservative. There was much talk in the lobby of the House of Commons today about the "moral" effect this and the Woolwich reverse would have on the Government. It is safe, however, to say that the situation, so far as the Government progress is concerned, will not be changed.

STOMACH DISORDERS.

Good Digestion, Regularity of the Bowels, Correct Kidney and Liver Action, Must be Established.

Ferrozone is an unfailing cure. It gives the stomach a perfect rest by digesting all food before it has time to ferment, and allows one to partake of the variety of food necessary for maintaining health. It separates the nutritious portions of the food from the waste, which is carried off, thus preventing and curing Constipation. Ferrozone vitalizes and cleanses the blood; it makes it rich and red, and as a result the complexion is always rosy and bright. Ferrozone is the most perfect remedy for every type of Stomach, Liver and Kidney Trouble—in fact these diseases cannot exist where Ferrozone is used. It invariably brings health and happiness to the sick and suffering, and cures in a short time. If you are subject to Headaches, Tiredness, Nervousness, Despondency, Irregular Periods—if there is anything wrong with your Appetite or Digestion—just try Ferrozone. It is a harmless but efficient tonic, and will certainly cure. Price 50 cents per box, containing three weeks' treatment, or six boxes for \$2.50. Sold everywhere by druggists, or by mail from

THE FERROZONE COMPANY, Kingston, Ont.

WHY MR. TARTE WAS DISMISSED

The Premier Makes a Statement to the House.

TARTE PREACHED HIGH TARIFF

At a Time When Government Was Arranging Trade Relations With Germany.

Ottawa, March 19.—The ministerial statement concerning the changes which have taken place in the cabinet since the house sat last year dwarfed everything else around the House of Commons today. When the Premier rose to make his statement the galleries were filled to overflowing with a large and representative gathering. Sir Wilfrid Laurier in commencing his speech flourished the house that he would say but little that was new. Whilst he was in Europe, he said his attention had been called to the fact that Mr. Tarte was pursuing a course which was not consistent with parliamentary usage, and was advocating a policy that was at variance with the policy hitherto followed by the Government, of which he was a member. On his way across the Atlantic he had time to acquaint himself with the utterances of Mr. Tarte, and came to the conclusion that the representations made to him were correct. He alluded to the statement made by Mr. Tarte that the Government did not last session propose to make any serious changes in the tariff. He said that Mr. Tarte, as a member of the Government, at the very time that they were negotiating with foreign powers, especially Germany, for better terms, was speaking as a member of the Opposition in favor of a revision toward higher protection. For the constitutional question it did not matter whether Mr. Tarte was advocating an increase or a decrease of tariff. Tarte had not followed the rules which govern cabinets, and started upon a campaign for the purpose of advocating an immediate revision of the tariff. He arrived in Ottawa on Oct. 18, and the following day saw Mr. Tarte at his own house. On the Monday Mr. Tarte called upon him at his office, and the same day he had an interview with him. In the situation, and the judgment he had formed upon it. The next day he recalled Mr. Tarte's portfolio, and received his letter of resignation. Upon the resignation he accepted. Mr. Sutherland became Minister of Public Works, and Mr. Prefontaine of Marine and Fisheries.

MR. TARTE'S REPLY.

Mr. Tarte received with an appreciative silence. He said he wished to offer a few words to supplement the observations of the Prime Minister. On the Premier's return from England he had telephoned him that he would meet him at his house on the Sunday evening. "At the interview," said Mr. Tarte, "he informed me that some of my speeches, which were made in his absence, had annoyed some of my friends and were causing trouble to him. He expressed regret that I should have made those speeches which had been pronounced on the fiscal policy." He thought that I had taken the position that I had taken. I informed him at the outset, first, that I had no desire to remain any longer a member of his cabinet—that in fact I had decided to go back to hand him my resignation. I then endeavored to explain my position to him—not, as I told him, with a view to ask to be asked to leave his cabinet, but to make my position clear to him. I reminded him then, in answer to the expression of his regret, that I had been a member of his cabinet when he was abroad were not stronger, were not as strong, as several other speeches which I had made when he was here in my present position. I told him that I thought a cabal had been organized against me, and that under the circumstances he would understand why I had no desire to remain any longer a member of his cabinet. I said to him: 'My resignation is in your hands just now; you are a sick man; I am in the best of health; take my resignation today, and I will go; appoint in my place anybody you like; I will do all in my power to save worry and trouble to you.' The Premier then rose and said that he would do all in his power to leave matters in abeyance till he was back from Toronto on Wednesday. He called at his office and he told me again it was preferable to leave matters in abeyance till my return from Toronto. On my way up I concluded not to comply with his wishes, and dictated to my secretary the letter of resignation. He went on the same day. The Premier handed both letters to the press. He quoted from his letter published in La Patrie on the occasion. The Prime Minister had no right to tell him that he had failed in loyalty to his colleagues on the fiscal question. To this unjust reproach he had no right to oppose the numerous speeches he had made in the House of Commons. He had failed in the same sense during the campaign in Ontario. He went there on the invitation of agricultural societies, of boards of trade and of municipal members of Parliament. In conclusion, he said that he left without regret, and that he left it without regret, having been one dishonest act in his department.

MEMPHIS FLOODED

Several Lives Have Been Lost and Railroads Are Tied Up.

Memphis, Tenn., March 18.—No new breaks were reported today in the levee and the river is stationary. So far as known only two lives have been lost in the floods. All railroads entering the city from the west are badly hampered by the rising torrent, and in many cases their schedules have been annulled.

A meeting of negro citizens of Memphis has been called for tonight, and steps will be taken to help care for refugees.

A dispatch from Covington, Tenn., says Island 35, one of the highest in the north end of the river, is flooded for the first time in its history. Sixty persons were rescued by a steamer. The situation in North Memphis is unchanged. People are transferred in boats and many people are idle because of the shutting down of industries. Train service has been resumed on the north and south lines.

THE PREMIER AGAIN.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that a ministerial explanation as to a change in the cabinet was not the occasion in which to launch out on a discussion of the fiscal policy of the Government. To satisfy the fastidious curiosity of the leader of the Opposition, however, he might tell him one thing, that is, that the Government is today what it was when announced by the Minister of Finance last year. Mr. Borden had accused him of inconsistency, and had quoted him as saying that he had favored protection. That was when he was a green young boy. He had grown wiser. He had had a change of mind. He had become a free trader and a protectionist. It is not for the man who had the courage to grow into better ways of action and better ways of thought. But what shall we say of the man who falls from grace? What shall we say of a man who had once been a Liberal and a free trader and had become a Conservative and a protectionist? It is not for the man who has been inconsistent, said the Premier. "I will not be want-

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ing in courtesy. I will not say who that man is, but my honorable friend, the leader of the Opposition, who has spoken of inconsistency, can perhaps point the moral to the tale."

NEWS OF THE SENATE.

The Senate received the report of the striking committee, which will be considered tomorrow.

Before adjournment, Sir MacKenzie Bowell asked for a statement concerning the recent changes in the cabinet and Hon. R. W. Scott promised them it tomorrow.

Notice was given that when the senate adjourned on Friday it adjourn till Wednesday, April 15.

PAUPER CHILDREN FOR CANADA.

The State Children's Association, with the approval of the local government board, offers to assist boards of guardians in sending orphans to Canada. They say that certain advanced mental ailments may be cured by the realization of indiscretion in diet. The cost of locating a child in a Canadian family is put at £13.

Col. R. E. Morse.

Have you ever sat on the edge of the bed in the morning with your elbows on your knees, your head buried in your hands, and wondering if there was anything you had overlooked the night before that would have made you feel worse? Among the more polite, this feeling is spoken of as the realization of indiscretion in diet. But we plain people call it Col. R. E. Morse. There are lots of things that will give you a colic, but Hutch tablets is the only thing that will make you feel like a person with a future instead of a person with a past. You must cleanse your liver, and that is all there is to it. Here we give this proposition standing on the table. One is disagreeable, bitter tasting stuff. The other is sweet and chocolate coated, pleasant tasting and acting instantly on the liver. Which would you take?

Inasmuch as our advertising is confined to the most intelligent, all that we ask is that you give this proposition one moment's thought. The immense sale of Hutch tablets, proves beyond a doubt that Canadian people are thoroughly disgusted with the vilest tasting medicines of the past, and were merely awaiting the advent of some thing new and delicious, like Hutch chocolate-coated tablets.

A Canadian inventor claims to have invented a system of telephoning between stations, utilizing the railroad tracks instead of a line of wire for the transmission of messages.

It is Tormented by corns

Use Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor; it acts in one night and never causes discomfort. For years "Putnam's" has been the standard corn cure of Great Britain and America; it is the best remedy.

The Japanese have found that naval expansion and heavy taxation go hand in hand in these days of "world empire." The tax rate is sustained at 3.3 per cent in order that naval expansion may begin this year.

HELP FOR ONTARIO

A Labor Bureau Has Been Established in Old London.

London, March 19.—The telegraphic request from Premier G. W. Ross of Ontario, stating that 10,000 men are wanted as help by the farmers of the province, has led to the opening of a Canadian labor bureau in Trafalgar Square. The promoter proposes to supply any Canadian employer with British or continental laborers in any quantity. He especially promises to provide English farm laborers and French domestics, and claims to have been promised exceptions. The board of trade returns report an excellent demand for labor in Canada and advises emigrants to start for the month of March. No other colony shows a real demand for labor.

THERE ARE SO MANY COUGH MEDICINES in the market that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy. If we had a cough, a cold or any kind of throat or lung trouble, we would try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, which has been used by thousands of all other preparations. It is the best, and it is as pleasant as syrup.

EUROPEANS RUSH TO THE DOMINION

Steamers Booked a Month Ahead by Immigrants.

PAUPER CHILDREN FOR CANADA

The First Boat of the New C. P. R. Atlantic Service Will Sail on April 14.

London, March 19.—The Canadian Pacific will start the new Atlantic service with the Lake Champlain, from Liverpool, on April 14. The steamer will leave Liverpool weekly thereafter, on Tuesdays. The service will not be freight only, as originally supposed, but will carry first, second and third class passengers. Heavy bookings are now in progress.

THE FAST LINE.

Lord Strathcona, the Canadian High Commissioner, interviewed on the Canadian fast line, spoke in his usual optimistic manner, and declared the line would beat the New York boats by a clear working day.

RUSHING TO CANADA.

The unprecedented rush of emigrants Canadianwards is shown in today's circular of the Allan Line to its agents. Five steamers, beginning with the Bavarian, sailing on March 19, are absolutely full, and agents are forbidden to make fresh bookings. Three subsequent steamers, until the Numidian, on April 30, are very nearly full, and agents must advise before definitely promising berths. The Beaver steamers are also full until April 13, when the Canadian Pacific assumes control. The Dominion steamers, on the other hand, are healthy boys and girls to Canada, as the best thing for the children and the empire, at the smallest outlay to British taxpayers, namely, £13, per child.

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Losing Flesh

That means a low condition of health; the body is poorly nourished and thinness follows. The system is then susceptible to disease—any one of a number of ailments finds easy access. Get plump.

How? Scott's Emulsion.

Plumpness and health go together usually; it's safer to be plump anyway. And in Scott's Emulsion there are the very elements that make new flesh and repair wasting.

We call Scott's Emulsion a food-medicine because it does so much through nourishment. When there is a loss of flesh and wasting conditions exist it is an evidence of starved tissues and nerves; flesh and blood are hungry. They want the nourishment and food principles so perfectly blended in Scott's Emulsion.

The whole body soon feels the influence of the new force and a noticeable change for the better takes place at once. That is why Scott's Emulsion is so good for those who are losing flesh or suffering from any wasting disease.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 55 Front St., W., Toronto.

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Floor Paint, Varnish, Enamels, Aluminum, Carpet Sweepers, Step Ladders, For Sale

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JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

WOODHOUSE.

Woodhouse, March 18.—Mr. D. J. Wychoff, of Woodhouse, Norfolk County, having bought a farm at Norwich, Oxford County, has decided to leave the old spot, where he has resided for over half a century, and he and his family will settle down at Norwich. About 100 relatives and friends gave them a surprise by gathering at the old residence to express appreciation of Mr. and Mrs. Wychoff and family as very valuable members of the community, and also sets at their departure therefrom. Many kindly addresses were given, with sincere wishes for their futures prosperously.

BRUSSELS.

Brussels, March 18.—Warden Kerr has returned from Ottawa, where he gave an address at the Eastern Good Roads Association convention.

Rev. T. Wesley Cosens and Mrs. Cosens entertained the members of the choir and orchestra of the Methodist Church at the parsonage one evening last week. Forty-three persons came in response to the invitation, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Such "At Homes" cannot fail to do good.

W. H. McCracken left on Monday morning to attend the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. in Toronto.

Several from Brussels attended the funeral of the late Mrs. John Knight, of Cranbrook on Sunday afternoon.

The water was higher in the river Maitland this spring than it has been for years. The mill dam was completely wrecked and the footbridge was completely swept away.

Mrs. John Jones has sold her house and lot to Mrs. James Dudley for \$650. Cost of the house was \$125. The house is in town, but the weather is so mild there is not much demand for it.

Very successful Epworth League anniversary services were held in the Methodist Church on March 15 and 16. Rev. A. C. Crews, of Toronto, preached two very eloquent sermons to large congregations on Sunday. About 140 Epworth Leaguers occupied the front center pews. On Monday evening the reverend gentleman delivered his popular lecture, "Through the Mammoth Cave with Two Handicapped Epworth Leaguers." An excellent musical programme was also rendered. The church was crowded.

Rev. Mr. George is spending a few days in town, the guest of Rev. I. Barker Webb.

Rev. J. E. Hunter, of Trowbridge, was a visitor at the Methodist parsonage on Monday.

Miss Carl Milhausen is spending a few days under the parental roof in Elmwood.

W. H. Kerr, of the Post, left for Toronto Wednesday morning, carrying sweet music at Wroxteter last Friday.

USEFUL AT ALL TIMES.—In winter or in summer Parmenter's Vegetable Pills will cope with and overcome any irregularities of the digestive organs which change of diet, change of residence, or variation of temperature may bring about. They should be always kept at hand, and once their beneficial action becomes known, no one will be without them. There is nothing nauseating in their structure, and the most delicate can use them confidently.

Signor Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, is said to have discovered a method by which oxygen may be extracted from air at a very slight expense.

USE THE SAFE, pleasant and effectual worm killer, Mother Graves' Worm Expeller; nothing equals it. Procure a bottle and try it.

Engineers of the French army are using successfully, between Martinique and Guadeloupe, a wireless telegraph system of their own invention.

Valuable Advice to Mothers.

If your child comes from play coughing or showing evidences of an approaching attack of croup, sore throat or sickness, give it a few drops of E. W. Grove's sweetened water every two hours. This will prevent any serious trouble. It is without pain reliever equals Peppermint. It is a necessity in every household. Large bottles cost only 50c.

French cabinetmakers have learned a way of preparing sawdust and making it into articles of ornament that resemble carved woodwork.

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

An old bachelor says that a marriage dowry is a lump of sugar intended to nullify the bitterness of the dose.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

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Cured by COLONIAL REMEDY

No taste. No odor. Can be given in glass of water, tea or coffee, without patient's knowledge.

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—Any dealer can buy

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—that will give a

—fair return for

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—that he can make

—more money out

—of you. Insist on

—getting Diamond

—Flour.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BURNS. On March 18, 1903, John Burns, in his 70th year.
Funeral from his late residence, 123 Maple street, on Friday, at 8:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral; Mass at 9 a.m. Interment at Ingersoll. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

SCOTT. At London Junction, on March 18, 1903, Mary Rebecca, beloved wife of John W. Scott, aged 32 years and 6 months.
Funeral from her late residence, 140 Emery street, city, on Sunday, March 22, at 2:30 o'clock; service at 2 o'clock. Detroit, Toronto and Hamilton papers please copy.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND LAST TIME TONIGHT
Return Engagement of the Favorite Actor, Mr. J. H. STODDART

presented by Kirke La Shelle in the surpassingly beautiful scenic production of

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Methodist Church, Saturday, March 21, 4 o'clock. Miss Laura Shildrick (Toronto), contralto; Miss George Fox, violinist; Mr. Jordan at the organ. Admission, 10c.

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MEETINGS.

ALL SCOTCHMEN AND THEIR

friends are invited to attend an open meeting of Camp Flower of Dunblane, Sons of Scotland, in their camp room, A. O. F. Hall, 217 Dundas street, west, on Friday, March 20, at 8 o'clock. Good program, by Rev. Dr. McCrae and others. James McMillan, chief; J. E. Saunders, secretary.

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GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—REF. REFERENCES REQUIRED. Apply at 484 King street.

WANTED—A COOK. APPLY BRITANNIA House.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. Apply to Mrs. Andrew Durand, Ridout street south; first house over bridge.

WANTED—TAILOR. MUST BE good hand sewer, steady employment. Apply Miss Dods, care of Grafton & Co.

WANTED AT ONCE—COOK AND chambermaid. Apply Hodgins House.

GENERAL SERVANT—HIGH WAGES. 216 Richmond.

WANTED—MAN WITH SMALL CAPITAL. Inquire of Sharp, Western Hotel.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED. APPLY Grigg House.

WANTED—SEWING MACHINE OPERATOR. Steady employment; good wages. Crompton Corset company, Limited, 73 York street, Toronto.

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT. Must be thoroughly reliable. Frank Butler, 230 Princess.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING APPRENTICES. Miss Wright, 729 Richmond street.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—NO laundry work. Apply Mrs. Kingsmill, 562 Bloor street.

FIFTY GIRLS WANTED AT MCCORMICK'S biscuit factory. Steady employment; big pay.

GIRLS WANTED FOR BISCUIT DEPARTMENT. D. S. Perrin & Co.

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The Royal Commission.

A candid, critic of the Government can surely find no intent to defeat the ends of justice in the instructions issued to the commission, which will investigate the Gamey charges. The leader of the Opposition, in duty bound, entered a protest, but it was very perfunctory and might better have been omitted. The gravamen of his complaint was that only members of the House were permitted to lay charges against members of the Government. Are members of the Opposition afraid to face the responsibility? Dr. Reame and Mr. Sutherland have assailed the integrity of the Ministers on the floor of the House. In this they were protected by parliamentary privilege. Under that shelter a member may say what he pleases with impunity. It remains to be seen whether Messrs. Reame and Sutherland are willing to formulate their charges for judicial investigation. If not, they will stand convicted of taking a cowardly advantage of their immunity as members of the Legislature to slander the Administration and mislead the public. Gamey's accusations have the merit of being specific, but Messrs. Reame and Sutherland have dealt in innuendo. It is well that the Government has offered the authors of these anonymous charges an opportunity to prove them.

It is a quibble to argue that the scope of the investigation is restricted, because only members of the House may lay the indictments. It would suit the Opposition to put up a straw man for this purpose, but the responsibility cannot be shirked by such craven methods. If anyone has a complaint against any Minister he may place it in the hands of the Opposition. The latter will only be too delighted to take the brief if there is any case for the complainant. One of the objections urged against a royal commission was that witnesses would not answer questions which might incriminate. It will be seen by the terms of reference to the commission that this objection has been met. The clause reads: "We direct that upon the said inquiry no witness shall be excused from answering any question upon the ground that the answer may tend to incriminate him, but that no evidence given by any person or witness before you shall be receivable in evidence against him in any criminal trial or other criminal proceeding against him hereafter taking place in giving such evidence." The Premier may confidently appeal to the House and the public that he has shown his good faith and redeemed his pledge to grant the fullest and freest inquiry.

"Loaded Dice."

That there is room for fair discussion, and an honest difference of opinion, as to whether a Committee of the House or a Commission of Superior Court Judges should investigate the Gamey charges, is beyond question. Neither mode of investigation need be open to the charge that the Government loaded the dice, and but for the frenzy of the Opposition there would have been no such suggestion. That any Liberal leader would receive justice at their hands after the speeches already made is exceedingly doubtful. They have condemned the Provincial Secretary without a trial, and ground their teeth at the Premier, while Mr. Latchford, the Minister of Public Works, is branded for even writing a letter to Mr. Gamey after the latter had promised his support to the Government.

That the Premier has no desire to play with loaded dice is verified by his choice of two Superior Court judges to investigate the charges, who, prior to their elevation to the bench, were Conservatives—Chancellor Boyd and Chief Justice Falconbridge. The Chancellor never took any part whatever in politics, but was a Conservative, appointed to the position he now holds by the late Sir John A. Macdonald. In these appointments, as in the scope of the commission, to which we have already referred, the Premier has shown his bona fides. The great body of Liberal electors apply the same standards to public as to private life. Individuals calling themselves Liberals have been guilty at times of corrupt practices, but the Liberal party as a party has never been identified with a fraud in the sense the Conservative party rejoiced at the Gerry-mander Act and condoned the Pacific Scandal.

The marked contrast between the conduct of the leader of the Opposition and the fairness of the leader of the Government in appointing two Superior Court judges, both of whom, if anything, are Conservatives, should inspire the Liberal party with further confidence in its able leader, and in his determination to maintain Provincial politics on the high plane on which Sir Oliver Mowat placed them. The charge of loaded dice falls, as it is to be hoped the Gamey charges against the Provincial Secretary will.

The Premier and Mr. Tarte.

In the House of Commons yesterday Sir Wilfrid Laurier officially explained the circumstances of Mr. Tarte's resignation from the Cabinet. The discussion was enlivening, but threw no light on the matter which the public had not already had. The facts are so transparent that a ministerial explanation became a matter of form. Mr. Tarte is still unable to see that his position was constitutionally untenable, and attributes the Premier's action to the influences of a cabal in the Cabinet. Liberals who admired Mr. Tarte's administrative ability and are still grateful to him for his services to the party, must regret that he takes this point of view. He should remember that long before his retirement from the Cabinet Liberal journals protested against his tariff propaganda, and pointed out that he was stultifying his colleagues and making his continuance in the Government impossible. Mr. Tarte is too fair, and has too much respect for his profession, to say that these utterances were inspired by his enemies in the Cabinet or elsewhere. He knows the Liberal journals of Ontario were his staunch defenders during the years in which he was hounded by the Conservative party as a traitor, a renegade and a corruptionist. The Conservative press, equally with the Liberal press, declared that Mr. Tarte had antagonized the tariff policy of his own party and had disqualified himself as a member of the Government. His speeches were used as campaign material by the Opposition. Mr. Tarte resents the charge that he was disloyal to his colleagues, and says that he was advocating a revision of the tariff because it had been promised by the Finance Minister. We do not think any Liberal understood Mr. Fielding to promise, or even hint at a revision of the duties in the direction of higher protection as demanded by Mr. Tarte.

Is it possible this weather is playing a confidence game?

The Gamey debate may end tonight, and it may go on for a week. It is not often the Opposition gets such a chance to talk to the gallery.

Is Mr. Whitney fearful that Gamey is still playing tricks on him? It seemed so when he sealed the package with his own seal before witnesses and called these witnesses to attest that it was unbroken before he handed it back to Gamey.

The bye-election in the Rye division of Sussex yesterday confirms the belief that the tide has set in against the British Government. It is significant, too, that the Unionists rely on Chamberlain to stem it. Evidently the gentle Balfour's days are numbered as the leader of the party.

It is pointed out that nearly all the contributions to the Legislature debate so far have been newspaper men, namely, H. J. Pettipiece, E. J. B. Pense, J. P. Downey, T. H. Preston, Hugh Clark and Andrew Pattullo. Is the tongue mightier than the pen in their case?

Gamey's Cash.

Mr. Gamey laid on Mr. Whitney's desk \$500, and said it was the money which had been given to him as a bribe. He says he was given altogether \$2,000. Where are the \$1,500? Why didn't he put it all up?—Kingston Whig.

We haven't the libretto of this comic opera yet, but perhaps it is arranged for two acts with a wad of bills in each. And perhaps the party conspirators didn't care to trust Gamey with more than \$500 at a time.

Must Keep to Themselves.

[Punch.] American humorists have formed a club exclusively for humorists. The others insisted on it.

Across the Street.

[Boston Journal.] Across the street, the bright lights flashed and gleamed, and fortune's favored ones were gathered there. The merry music of the dance streamed across the air.

Across the street—it seemed so far away. That joyous world, from my unhappy sphere. Made up of weary toil, day after day, and year by year.

I turned from my window with a sigh. "That man has his differences, O God, so wide." I could not conquer that ungrateful cry. Though hard I tried.

Across the street, next night, across the street, the grim insignia from the door were hung.

I heard the passers by, low-voiced, repeat, "So fair, so young."

Across the street—ah, surely 'twas not so. That they were mourning who last night were gay.

That yonder mansion was a house of woe. Where death held sway?

Across the street, beside a single light. A cheerless company a sad watch kept. And she, the homaged one of yesterday, Forever slept.

His Idea of Work.

[Boston Globe.] Applicant—Please, ma'am, can you help a poor man who is out of work? Woman—I think I can find you something to do.

Applicant (gratefully)—Thanks, if you could give me some washing to do—I'll take it home to my wife.

The Message from Sudbury.

[Toronto Star.] Mr. Gamey, it seems, is receiving congratulatory telegrams from all directions, complimenting him on the course he has taken. He gets so many of them that he pulls them out in bunches, unopened, and lets reporters read and copy them. Yesterday a Conservative morning paper published five of these telegrams and among them this one:

"You are a gold brick worth a hundred Whitneys. George A. Loney." Mr. Gamey should be more careful

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Farm help appears to be at a premium in this vicinity, such wages as \$1 a day and board, and \$25 and \$30 a month being offered and refused.

A very sudden death occurred on Saturday evening, when Miss Mary McConnell passed away at her residence, Pine street, Agincourt. Miss McConnell was well known, and her death is much regretted.

ESSEX.

Teachers of the Windsor junior and senior third classes in the public schools will have their salaries increased \$9 a year, and those teaching but one class will receive a raise of \$5.

The steamer City of Detroit River and Lake Erie. She left Windsor and went to Kingsville, encountering very little ice.

Smallpox is said to be spreading in Sandwich West. There are said to be four cases in the township.

One of the biggest sales ever effected in Sandwich real estate has been closed. John Askin has sold to Dr. Soper, owner of Windsor, but now of Pittsburg, Pa., 28 feet of river frontage, just in front of the old sanitarium grounds, for \$8,000. John Curry has sold to Dr. Soper 425 feet of similar property for \$10,000. It is Dr. Soper's intention to found a soda ash plant on the site, or failing this, to establish a sanitarium, proving the people of Sandwich give him liberal treatment in the matter of tax and water rates. The sanitarium would cost \$50,000.

Mrs. H. H. Smith, of Windsor, has received word of the death of her son, Charles B. Smith, at Memphis, Tenn. He was an engineer on the Illinois Central Railway, in his 36th year and unmarried. Before moving to Memphis he was an engineer on the Ontario Central Railway, running out of St. Thomas.

Fruit growers met at Windsor on Saturday, when over 200 of the fruit of Essex County gathered to air their grievances against the express companies before M. K. Cox, M.P. The farmers alleged that they had been overcharged and their packages pilfered, roughly handled and often lost in transit. After having proved themselves not guilty on the first charge, the representatives of the express companies complained that in some instances fruit was improperly packed, and this, they claimed, was responsible for the breaking of packages. Instead of rough handling, better service was promised the shippers, and also fewer delays in transit. The representatives also promised to establish a detective department to see that the rough handling nuisance would be abated.

BRANT.

Hereafter Brantford people who use bread made by the bakers will have to pay for it at the rate of 5 cents for a pound and a half loaf of a half loaf.

Brantford Examiner: The season is advancing very rapidly in the country. In the surrounding country the farmers are hurriedly getting ready to begin their spring plowing. They report that the frost is now about 10 degrees below zero. In some places plowing has already begun.

An ancient, Samuel K. Passmore, passed peacefully away at his late residence, Mount Pleasant road, in his 71st year. He came to Brantford in 1870, a few years in and around Woodstock, the balance of his life being spent in Brantford.

Survive him: Richard, of Brantford; Frank, of Brantford Township; Charles, of Mitchell; Mrs. Osborn, of St. George; Mrs. Quinn, of Gretna, Manitoba.

OXFORD.

The Lawson cheese factory at Peebles starts the season's operations next week. Rev. Peter Strath, M.A., aged 53, for twelve years pastor of the Presbyterian congregation of Inverkip and Ratho, passed away at his home in Inverkip on Sunday afternoon. His demise was the result of a lingering illness, following a paralytic stroke. In the death of Rev. Mr. Strath, the Presbyterian congregation loses a strong exponent of the gospel.

He was pastor of the Inverkip Church for twelve years. Prior to that he was pastor of a church near Harrison, having come to that post from the Northwest. He was the father of ten children, the youngest being an infant six weeks old, are left.

"I lost courage and thought I would never regain my health." "Three years of delicate health trying doctors' prescriptions and patent medicines" would not benefit might well sap the courage of any woman. And yet Mrs. Bryant proved that the question of the cure of womanly disease is only a question of using the right remedy. A few doses of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription restored her courage and health, because she could see a "decided change from the first." Three

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At this point the judges took up the question of Mr. McArthur's agency, and after going into the evidence state their opinion that Mr. McArthur ought to be held an agent of Dr. Routledge.

"Charge No. 20 was a payment of \$2 by one John Bell, an agent of the respondent, to James Judge. The payment was denied by Bell, who expressed his favorably, and gave his evidence in support of his denial. We were not favorably impressed by Judge, who is an old man, a day laborer. He said he received the money in an envelope, which he gave to the petitioner's solicitor about two weeks after the election, having spent the money. He himself spent the ten days before the trial at the home of one McFarlane, a strong Conservative. He says his employment at McFarlane's was walking around the house and the farm, a gentleman at large. We think

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Another club woman, Mrs. Haule, of Edgerton, Wis., tells how she was cured of irregularities and uterine trouble, terrible pains and backache by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"A while ago my health began to fail because of female troubles. The doctor did not help me. I remembered that my mother had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound on many occasions for irregularities and uterine troubles, and I felt sure that it could not harm me at any rate to give it a trial.

"I was certainly glad to find that within a week I felt much better, the terrible pains in my back and side were beginning to cease, and at the time of menstruation I did not have nearly so serious a time as heretofore, so I continued its use for two months, and at the end of that time I was like a new woman. I really have never felt better in my life, have not had a sick headache since, and weigh 20 pounds more than I ever did, so I unhesitatingly recommend Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. MAY HAULE, Edgerton, Wis., President Household Economics Club. —\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

Women should remember there is one tried and true remedy for all female ills, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Refuse to buy any other medicine, you need the best.

EAST MIDDLESEX ELECTION CASE

Dr. Routledge Keeps His Seat in Legislature.

FULL TEXT OF JUDGMENT

The Entire 135 Charges of Bribery and Corruption Were Dismissed.

Toronto, March 18.—The following is the complete text of the judgment in the East Middlesex election case, as handed down by Judges MacLennan and Falconbridge:

"The first was an alleged offer of \$3 or \$4 two or three days before the election by John McArthur, to a man named Griffin, to induce him to vote for respondent. The witnesses in support of the charge were the man Griffin himself and his daughter, who, during the interview between her father and McArthur, was in the room attending to the household duties. The charge was denied by McArthur, and there were other circumstances throwing considerable doubt upon the evidence of the witnesses. Griffin, however, and his daughter were discredited by the petitioner's agents.

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Superb Showing of Black and Colored Dress Goods

Have you visited the New Dress Goods Department in the new store? Those who have are agreed that the wonderful and magnificent display is not equaled in any other store. With largely increased space, excellent light for the display of the rich fabrics, we are determined that this will be the popular store for you to purchase your new spring gown. New goods are now getting their first showing. Come and see them. It will pay you to familiarize yourself with our stock of Dress Goods.

New Black Cheviots,

56 inches wide, a splendid range, at, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.40.

New Black Pebble Suitings,

56 inches wide, specially priced, at, per yard, \$1.25.

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Strong values, at, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

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New Mottled Granite Suitings,

56 inches wide, golden brown and black, at, per yard, \$1.40.

New Granite Suitings,

56 inches wide, new navy, golden brown and black, at, per yard, \$1.00.

New Canvas Zibeline Suitings,

56 inches wide, new navy, brown and green, at, per yard, \$1.25.

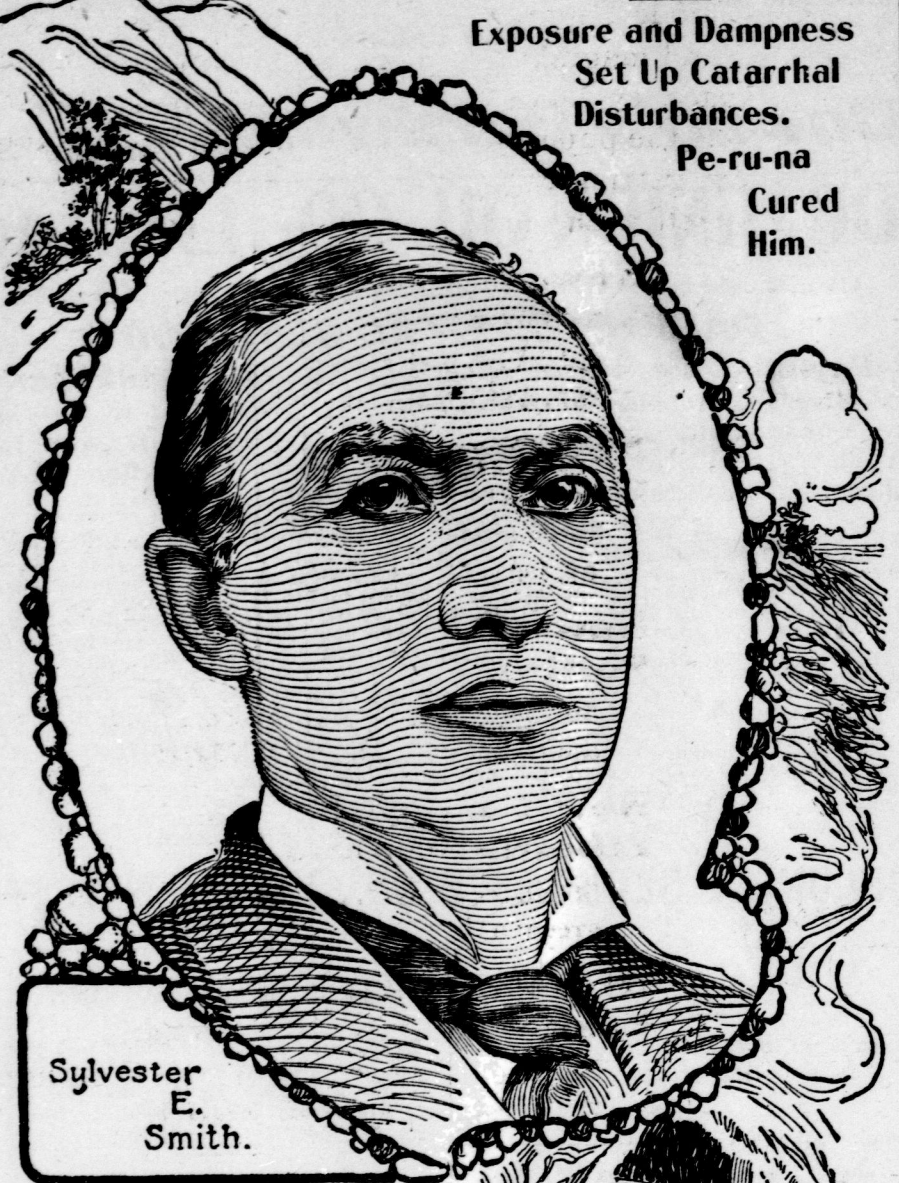
Dress Lengths in Basket Cloth Suitings,

NOTED MINING EXPERT PENNELL'S LETTER

Saved from a Life of Suffering from
Catarrh of the Bronchial Tubes.

Exposure and Dampness
Set Up Catarrhal
Disturbances.

Pe-ru-na
Cured
Him.



Sylvester
E.
Smith.

While Still in the Bronchial
Tubes Pe-ru-na Never Fails
to Cure Catarrh.

"Exposure and dampness ruined my health." This is a statement that occurs over and over again, in the immense correspondence which Dr. Hartman conducts with his patients, East and West, North and South.

People catch a cold. They neglect to take Pe-ru-na, possibly thinking they will get over it.

The cold settles on their chest. They find themselves with a cough, or chronic catarrh. They call the doctor, perhaps.

He expresses the fear that they are going into consumption.

He is right, too. They are actually on the road towards consumption.

Consumption is simply catarrh of the lungs.

Catarrh is creeping slowly but surely toward the lungs.

When it reaches the lungs it will be called consumption.

While still in the bronchial tubes Pe-ru-na never fails to cure these cases.

Instead of sending for a doctor they should have bought a bottle of Pe-ru-na.

This would have settled the whole matter.

A Prominent Gentleman Testifies.

Col. J. Madison Cutts, a native of Virginia, and lineal descendant of ex-President James Madison, and brother-in-law of the late U. S. Senator Stephen A. Douglas, in a recent letter, says:

"As many of my friends have used your Pe-ru-na as a cure for catarrh with beneficial results I have no hesitation in recommending it to all persons suffering with that complaint."—Col. J. Madison Cutts.

Mr. George A. Douglas, Inspector of Bridges, Albany Avenue, Green Island, N. Y., writes the following:

"As my work compels me to spend a large part of my time out of doors I have often been drenched by sudden rains, chilled by extreme cold, and I soon found that I had a bad case of catarrh of the bronchial tubes. I tried plasters and medicines, but nothing I did seemed to help me until I took Pe-ru-na."

"This splendid medicine took right hold of me, drove every bit of disease

Niagara Is Always Clear.

The fact that bodies of standing water retain the mineral matter brought to them in suspension, says I. C. Russell, in Lakes of North America, is illustrated more or less perfectly in nearly every lake and pond, and even by ephemeral pools by the wayside; but it is especially marked in the great seas like those drained by the St. Lawrence.

During storms all of the streams pouring into the upper Laurentian lakes, from the surface drainage of the land, are brown and heavy with mud, but the water rushing over Niagara remains of the same deep greenish blue tint season after season, and year after year. Niagara River, above the falls, and the St. Lawrence, are surface streams, because their clear waters have but slight power of corrosion. It is for this reason that during the centuries they have occupied their present channels they have not materially deepened them.

Odorless Lamps.

Do your coal oil lamps smell? If they do, where do you keep the kerosene can from which you fill them? If it is out in the cold that is probably the cause of the obnoxious odors.

Kerosene should never be put in a lamp when it is very cold. If it is necessary to keep the coal oil out of doors just fill a small can each day and let it stand inside. Use this amount daily in filling the lamps, and instead of throwing away wicks and

Pleasant to take

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50¢ and \$1.00

"Though weak and exhausted, I was often unable to eat. After taking Angier's Emulsion for two weeks I was able to eat and enjoy three hearty meals a day, and the nervousness has entirely left me." E. N. Nesbitt, Toronto, Canada.

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TO MRS. BURDICK

Said That in It He Threatened
to Kill Burdick.

POSTPONEMENT OF INQUEST

Mrs. Burdick Will Be Called as a
Witness When Inquiry Is Re-
sumed Next Monday.

Buffalo, March 10.—It is stated on good authority that the district attorney will, when the Burdick investigation is resumed on Monday, place in evidence a letter alleged to have been written to Mrs. Burdick by Arthur R. Pennell some months ago.

The letter was found in the Burdick home when the search of the house was made by the police. In the letter the following sentence occurs: "I feel that I must kill Ed Burdick."

It was learned today that Mr. Pennell is at the residence of Mrs. Burdick, who is now in the event of her surviving. The alternates are named to act should Mrs. Pennell die first.

When Mrs. Burdick is called to the stand Monday she will probably be called upon to identify the letter mentioned above. She knew both the dead men, Burdick and Pennell, probably better than any one person in the world, and her testimony promises to be the most important and interesting of the entire proceedings.

The details of the strained relations between the two dead men were gathered immediately after the murder of Burdick and before the death of Pennell. Pennell stated frankly to the authorities that the relations between himself and Burdick were "strained, very strained."

He went into some details of his relations with Mrs. Burdick and of his connection with Mr. Burdick. It was learned also of the angry words that passed between Burdick and Pennell at a meeting of the two men in an office with at least one other man near by. Burdick told his

partner, Parke, of having had a meeting with Pennell. In fact, after the murder of Burdick, Pennell spoke to the authorities of the hostility between him and Burdick. On the day he was first arrested he gave out a statement for publication in which he said that he was not a murderer. It deals with Burdick, said Pennell, referring to this part of the proposed statement. "Some say it comes as a surprise to me to abuse a dead man, but Burdick was no saint, and when the time comes that I must make a statement in the newspapers in which I speak of him, I intend to let people know just the kind of man he was, and then perhaps some of them will think a little of their time when they now are devoting to prying into my affairs. I didn't like him and he didn't like me, and we both knew it, and I have told the police frankly that we were not on good terms. His death coming at this time was one of the worst things that could have happened to me."

Notwithstanding all the talk about Pennell, however, the authorities are not consenting calmly to dump the Burdick tragedy on a dead man.

There are a number of points to be considered before any such branding of a dead man becomes a finality or even is accepted as being a part solution of the mystery.

The questions to be answered are: If a man did the deed, how did he get into the house? If he got through the kitchen window, who unlocked the window? Was found locked and Katie Koenig testified that she was satisfied that both windows were locked when she went to bed?

If he got in at the front door, who let him in? Also, did he go back to the kitchen and raise the window for a light, as Burdick was awake and certainly was not clad only in an undershirt. If Burdick was asleep lying in the den when the murder occurred, by the front door, who opened the front door for the murderer?

There was talk of someone advancing the burglary theory for a purpose, and Burdick's vest was found upstairs in his bedroom with \$40 in it. The watch, as a rule, was found in the vest. If the murderer took the watch from the den, who took the watch from the den? Did the murderer after killing Burdick go upstairs to the bedroom to give color to the burglary theory? These and other questions involve problems that the authorities realize must be solved.

PREMIER ROSS NAMES COMMISSIONERS
TO INVESTIGATE GAMBY CHARGES

(Continued from page 1.)

ent to accede to the request of the said Legislative Assembly.

Now, know you that we, having and reposing full trust and confidence in you the said . . .

Do hereby and with full power do hereby appoint you the said . . .

to inquire into and investigate the said charges and all matters and things which in your judgment are relevant thereto.

And we do hereby confer on you our said commissioners full power and authority to proceed with all reasonable dispatch to hear, inquire into and investigate the said charges against the said James Robert Stratton contained in the said papers marked respectively A, B and C.

And we do hereby confer on you all the powers, rights and privileges conferred by law upon the said commissioners, together with all evidence, documents, papers and things that may be given, produced or received by you touching the charges aforesaid.

And we do hereby empower you to hear and examine all witnesses on oath and to require them to give evidence and produce documents and papers, and to issue subpoenas for enforcing the attendance of such witnesses at the instance of either of the said parties to said charges.

And we do hereby confer on you the powers, rights and privileges conferred by law upon the said commissioners, together with all evidence, documents, papers and things that may be given, produced or received by you touching the charges aforesaid.

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The debate was resumed by T. H. Preston (South Brant), who in an effective address championed the Government's proposals.

He protested against prejudgment of the Government in connection with the charges made against it.

The Government had made against it. The Government had been found guilty and sentenced to political death, and the Opposition was only waiting for the Government to be tried.

The Government members, however, were not so expeditious. They believed in everything being done decently and in order, and they believed that it would be some time before the Government required the services of pallbearers.

Every British subject possessed the inherent right to fair trial, and the Government was prepared to stand its trial and accept the consequences.

Mr. Preston said that while he had no sympathy with the measures alleged to have been taken against the member for South Oxford in order to deprive him of his seat, and he believed that such measures had been taken, he was not prepared to make the statement that he had been approached on behalf of the Government unless he was prepared to state who had approached him and submit such evidence as would warrant an investigation of the charges made by him.

The same might be said of the member for Kent (Dr. Ross), who had claimed that he was offered the speakership. Mr. Preston thought the probability of the matter was extremely unlikely that a new member, with no parliamentary experience, would be offered the post.

Mr. Preston—The first speaker of the Legislature of Ontario, Hon. John Stephenson, had never previously sat in a house of assembly, and was elected to the Legislature only two days before he was elected.

Mr. Preston—The member for West York had treated the house to an hour's discussion of West Elgin, and had also used the first installment of the Opposition zoo, in the Dakota steer. The house might expect to hear, before the debate was concluded, of the ran Dan, the said with a cough, the hummer pig.

Mr. Foy—How about the North York polecat?

Mr. Preston—If the honorable gentleman wishes to include it, I have no objection.

Proceeding, Mr. Preston admitted

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The Boys' and Children's departments are also bubbling over with new goods. The large boys' suits are cut same style as the men's, and for the little chaps we have a great variety, comprising many novelties and new features. We invite the mothers, whom we know are quick to recognize the style, fit, workmanship and material that enter into the construction of **Oak Hall Clothing**, and which are found in no other lines.

In closing this, our spring message, we desire to thank our many customers for their very liberal patronage during the past season, helping us to make it one of the best in our history, and we feel we are not promising too much when we say that, with our large and well-selected stock, with the prices always in keeping with good goods, with painstaking and obliging salesmen, we are in a position to merit a continuance of past favors.

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the Liberals had had scoundrels on their side, but so had the Conservatives.

On the other hand, the Reform party had placed on the statute books the greater bulk of the laws which tended to purify politics.

Mr. Preston then went exhaustively into the Pacific scandal inquiry, arguing that the Government members of the parliamentary committee had buried the proceedings by neglecting to attend and otherwise impeding its progress, with the result that there was no trial of the issue.

Hugh Clark (Center Bruce) was the first speaker on the Opposition side. He affirmed his belief that the people of the province and a majority of the members believed the charges true.

His conviction was based not alone on Mr. Gamby's testimony. The whole previous record of the Government was sufficient to condemn it. Referring to the statement of a Government member speaker to the effect that Mr. Clark had won in Center Bruce because Mr. Whitney had not gone there to speak for him, Mr. Clark rebuked it rather to the fact that the Premier had appeared in the riding on behalf of Dr. Stewart.

While Mr. Clark was twitting Mr. Latchford on his action in extending the patronage of the riding to Mr. Gamby, the minister arose and said:

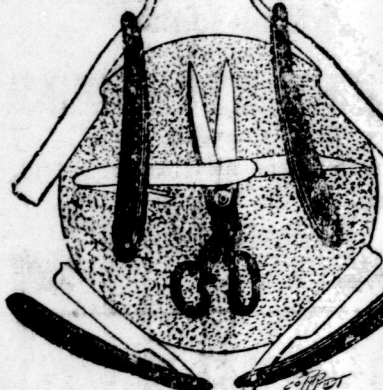
"Well, if the honorable gentleman were to announce an interview with me, I should be inclined to support the Government, his application would also be considered."

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A new remedy which meets this requirement, and which so far has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.
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FLANIGAN-OUTHOUSE.
Mr. George H. Flanigan, eldest son of Mr. G. H. Flanigan, concession 3, London Township, was married at the Askin Street Methodist parsonage on Tuesday, to Miss Rhoda Outhouse, of Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Flanigan will reside in London.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.
Thomas Henry was brought before Squire Smyth this morning by Detective Ward on the charge of stealing \$4 from a man named Logan, and he pleaded guilty. The magistrate therefore committed him for trial.
MORE COMMODOUS OFFICES.
The down town offices of the street railway have been enlarged by the addition of the place on Dundas street formerly occupied as a barber shop. The latter will be the new office of Manager Carr, and Secretary Currie will have the office heretofore occupied by the manager on Richmond street.

GONE TO CALIFORNIA.
By the removal of Sgt. Copner, who has gone to California to reside, the Seventh Regiment loses one of the best shots in the organization. Sgt. Copner was specially interested in shooting, and in the various matches held under the auspices of the regiment he always took a prominent part. His loss is regretted by every member of the corps.
A LAMBETH QUARREL.
William Arnold was arrested at Lambeth last night by Detective Ward on a charge of assaulting Mary, the little daughter of Edward Bradley, of that place. It is a case of a neighbor's quarrel, and the matter will be ventilated in court on Monday afternoon next before Squire Smyth.

FAMILY ALTERCATION.
As the result of an altercation which he had with his son, Edward Bradley, on Sunday last, George Arnold, of Lambeth, has been arrested on a charge of assault. The two men live together, and it is said that while he was shaving Arnold struck his son-in-law because he got in his way. The blow was resented by the father, who, it is said, also received several blows. On being bailed Arnold laid a counter-charge of assault against his son-in-law. The cases come before Squire Lacey on Monday next.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS' ALLIANCE.
The three days' convention of the Christian Missionary Alliance was brought to a close at the Christian Church, Church street, last night. The meetings proved very satisfactory to the workers, the attendance being fairly good and the results being very satisfactory. The workers for work in the foreign field. There services may in the near future be accepted, as the evangelization of the heathen is one of the first aims of the

NEW OFFICERS.
The officers elected were as follows: Honorary patrons—S. McBride, J. Christie, A. G. McCormick, Thomas McCormick, V. Cronyn, Judge William Elliot, D. S. Benin, George B. Barish, Dean Innes, James Egan, James H. Belton, John McClary, Richard Thompson, William Bowman, Richard Lester.
Honorary president—Sir John Carling.
Honorary vice-presidents—Senator Coffey, Lieut.-Col. J. W. Little, C. S. Hyman, M. P., Col. P. B. Leys, Mayor Beck, Mr. Thomas Beattie.
President—Mr. B. C. McCann.
Vice-presidents—First, Robert Carmichael; second, F. S. Roberts; third, Charles Jolly; fourth, James Bennett. Secretary—James Bell. Executive committee—Nicholas Wilson, P. M. Love, Alfred Tabbot, J. R. Minihnick, J. W. Jones, Thomas Gilson, Frank Cooper, E. J. MacRobert, H. Craig, J. H. Herick, J. D. Wilson, Ald. Matthews, Ald. Forristal, A. Wilkinson, Harry Buttery, Thomas Essery, James McCormick.
FINANCES IN GOOD SHAPE.
The financial report, which was that of 1901, was the most satisfactory in the association's history. A balance of \$329.54, which was shown in the auditors' report, was the largest sum that has ever been left over, and the members felt thoroughly appreciative of the careful way in which matters had been handled. The disbursements for the year were as follows: Juvenile Opera Company, \$36; military tattoo, \$268.68; banquet, \$39.10; stationery, \$273.92; sports, \$105.15; refreshments, \$60.92; bands, \$80.20.
The receipts included a balance of \$19.86 from 1900 and \$1,982.81 from banquet, juvenile opera company, tattoo at Queen's Park, band concert at Victoria Park, baseball subscriptions, members' fees, tickets and interest in the bank. This left a balance of \$329.54 to the good.
About \$53 is still against the organization. This was caused by a misapprehension in the association's members who obtained goods from merchants who had promised to subscribe. Some money is still due from members not paid up, and from those who did not cash in money for tickets sold. A motion that the reported be adopted as presented was carried.

ELECTION OF MR. MCCANN.
In retiring and proposing Mr. McCann's name, President Love said that as he had held the office for three years it was only fair that someone else should have the honor. It had been exceedingly gratifying to him to see the organization grow to its present standard. Mr. McCann was a member of the association for many years, and he had worked since the start untiringly, and

denomination. Already the local church is small as it supports a missionary or two in foreign fields, and also contributes to the support of others. The meetings on the closing day of the convention were taken by Mr. Philpott, Rev. Dr. Wilson, of New York, and Mrs. Woodward, the returned missionary from India. One of Dr. Wilson's statements was to the effect that he was supporting 100 orphans in India at a cost of \$15 each. The free will offering at the close of the meeting amounted to \$40.

HOME GUARD OF OLD BOYS
PREPARE FOR THE REUNION
August 3, 4 and 5 Are the Probable Big Days.

The home guard of the London Old Boys' Association rallied last night, elected new officers and showed such a unanimous desire to have a magnificent reception this year that the success of this year's reunion is assured. The men who do the work were there about 30 in number, and Secretary Bell says that they could not have wished for a better meeting. It is surprising that at this early stage of the game all the more important features which have to do with the organization have been attended to. The date for the homecoming has been practically set, and needs only the sanction of the branches to be a reality. In fact, all the organizations which had been asked in other cities, except one, were willing that the date for the reunion should be Monday Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 3, 4 and 5. London's civic holiday falls on the first of these dates, and as most of the other towns have the same date for their holiday it would be convenient to almost everyone.

The list of officers for the year was changed considerably from that of 1902, although nearly all the same men who held office last year still occupy some position. Mr. Frank Love, police

Mr. B. C. McCann Is the New President.
had been practically the first to push the idea. Mr. McCann thanked the members for the honor done him, which he said he could appreciate more than any other gift which was in the city's power to give. He had had the honor of fostering the organization and he would do all in his power to promote its progress. It was a well-known fact

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that the Old Boy idea had its start in London, but it was little thought that it would ever grow to be so great.
A DETROIT VISITOR.
Col. Sullivan, president of the London Old Boys' Association at Detroit, was a welcome visitor at the session. He had been deputed by the people there to come here and obtain if possible the sanction of the date of the reunion. Meetings had been held every month since January and there was every promise of a big crowd coming. If the date was known all details could be arranged. Clerks could secure their vacation, so as to be able to attend. The Hamilton Old Boys had organized in Detroit, and the date of that city's reunion had been set for August 17. It was thought that the date for the local gathering should be made previous to that of Hamilton. The question was brought to a head by the secretary stating that several of the organizations favored Aug. 3, 4 and 5 as the days for the reunion. Col. Sullivan thought that this would be satisfactory to the Detroit people. It was subsequently moved that the outside organizations throughout the country be notified that the above dates were favored, provided they did not conflict with the plans of the International Old Boys' Association. A copy of this resolution was given Col. Sullivan. Secretary Bell read several letters in answer to queries as to the date which he had sent out. Nearly all replied that civic holiday and the two days succeeding it would be most suitable. Several communications were read, notable among which were those from William A. Small, former secretary of the International Old Boys' Association, Dr. Lewis, president of the same association, and from the representatives of the society in Winnipeg, New York, Chicago, St. Thomas, St. John, N. B., and Sault Ste. Marie. The tone in which all were written showed that great success was being met with.

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THERE'S NO DANGER OF ENGLAND LOSING TRADE

Talk of American Invasion Is All Nonsense.
Mr. T. F. Kingsmill Speaks of English Trade Conditions.

Mr. T. F. Kingsmill,
The Dundas street retail drygoods merchant, has returned from Europe, where he spent several weeks purchasing goods for the coming season's trade. Crossing the Atlantic is no longer a novelty to Mr. Kingsmill, for, during the past 32 or 33 years, he has made the journey every six months in the interest of his house, now so widely and favorably known throughout the world. He has been across the ocean so often that he is well known among the captains and crews of many of the great ocean liners plying between New York and Liverpool. The return from the last trip was made on the Invernia, of the Cunard Line, which arrived at New York on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Two hours later most of the passengers took down the west end of the train at the Grand Trunk depot for fourteen hours from the time he left the vessel.

BUSINESS IN ENGLAND
Mr. Kingsmill talked very interestingly to The Advertiser yesterday afternoon about his trip and the general condition of business in the old country. "How did it everything there?" he said in reply to a question. "First rate. The outlook is bright—brighter than I have ever seen it before. There has been unfavorable comment in some quarters of the country, but it must be remembered that last year was the biggest, from a business point of view, that Britain has ever known. That is what the figures prove. The English market of the board of trade showed. Great Britain disposed of a greater quantity of goods last year than was heretofore known in the history of British commerce. It was as usual," Mr. Kingsmill said, "and this in the face of some handicaps. Raw silk is 25 per cent dearer. The finer wool is 20 per cent dearer. The drought and the consequent disease of sheep has been experienced. The tone in which all were written showed that great success was being met with. The Commercial Travelers' Club notified the members that the date for their annual outing had been set for Aug. 1. They proposed that it would be satisfactory for them to collaborate with the Old Boys to a certain extent. The matter was referred to the executive committee."

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ALL NONSENSE
Mr. Kingsmill is very loyal to the British markets, and as is shown further on, he places no reliance in the talk about John Bull being ousted from the leading place in the commercial world by the United States. That is what the English territory and taking away trade from the United States goes to England, and there it is improved upon, and kept up to the front with the other countries. Where can it be figured that he is going back? In all his goods John Bull has the stuff, appearance, effect, and most of all, durability. In the German stuff you get effect, but it has no durability. It is perishable. What is more, the British manufacturer has the net trade. It is generally conceded that while the patterns originate in England they are taken to France and other countries and slightly changed.

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