
Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN. GRAHAM—In this city, on Thursday, April 19, 1800, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. R. Graham, a denghter, stillborn.

DIED SMITH—At 213 Queen's avenue, on May 3, of heart failure, David D. Smith, aged 37 years. Funeral at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, from above address; services at 9:30. Inter-ment at Edwards' Cemetery, Lobe township.

ISAAC-May & Emma, third daughter of Em

Amusements and Lectures 10c per line, or 2c per word, each inser-

9,000 TONS_THE NEW STEAM-on her maiden voyage from Monireal to Liver-pool, on Friday, June 1. F. B. Clarke, Rich-mond street, next Advertiser. Special low rates to Paris. SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS NOW open for the season, from 6:30 to 9 o'clock.

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Meetings.

S. O. R.—CHELSEA LODGE MEETS THIS (Friday) evening. Visiting brethren welcome. W. J. Garfat, Pres.

MASONIC—ST. JOHN'S LODGE, 209a, meets this (Friday) evening, in Corinthian Hall, East London, at 7:30. C. Q. Morrow, Master; T. A. Rowat, Secretary. MASONIC—A JOINT MEETING OF THE Scottish Rite body, the Lodge of Perfection, and the Boge Croix Chapter, will meet in Sherwood Hall, this evening, at 8:30. for important business. All members are requested to be present. J. W. Callard, 31 deg., registrar.

THE ANNUAL CONVOCATION OF THE Medical Department of the Western University will be held in the Auditorium, on Friday, May 4, at 8 p.m., for the conferring of degrees in medicine. His Lordship the Bishop of Huron will preside, in the absence of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Wm. Meredith. 48u

Domestics Wanted.

Ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion.

WANTED - THREE DINING-ROOM girls. Apply head waiter, Tecumseh WANTED-GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, small family. Apply 496 King street.

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WANTED-25 GIELS FROM COUNTRYBig wages in good families, as general
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street, London. Phone 964. WANTED - GENERAL SERVANT FOR family of three. Apply 461 Waterloo

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant. Apply 429 King street. 45tf WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT, AP-PLYMrs. R. H. Ferguson, Grand avenue, South London. 43 tf WANTED-AT ONCE-GENERAL SER-VANT; references required. Apply 306 Dufferin avenue. 36tf

Male Help Wanted.

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WANTED - AT ONOE - FIRST-CLASS carriage body maker. Apply E. A. Procunier, Belmont. WANTED-GOOD COATMAKER-IM-MEDIATELY; male or female. John WANTED-YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 18, on's Paper Box Works, 80 Dundas street. 470

MACHINISTS! KEEP AWAY FROM Cleveland; trouble there. 45n Female Help Wanted

WANTED — MACHINE OPERATORS, hand sewers, buttonhole hands and apprentices. Steady work for the season; highest wages paid. Apply to W. B. Mitchell, 158 King street, Hamilton. WANTED-FIRST-CLASS PANT MAK-ERS. 274 Dundas street. 48c

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lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advt. less than 10 words. A GENTS-BOTH SEXES-\$2 TO \$4 DAILY A housewives buy our attachable fan on sight; easiest seller out; outfit 25 cents: exclu-sive territory. Apply immediately, Sewing Machine Fan Manu'f'g Co., 17 Jordan street, To-

WANTED—MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER, deliver and collect for old established manufacturing house; \$300 a year and expenses guaranteed. Address Manufacturer, third floor, 334 Dearborn street. Chicago. 49k tz THOROUGHLY COMPETENT TEA CAN-VASSER to represent me in this city. Trading stamps given. Roswell, 743 Richmond

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WANTED - FAMILY WASHING TO take home. Apply 638 Dufferin avenue.

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Articles For Sale.

advt. less than 10 words. FOR SALE-WHITE LEGHORNS AND White Wyandottes (thoroughbred) eggs; each kind, 50c per dozen. Apply 692 Adelaide.

MEXT SATURDAY IS THE LAST DAY this season I will be on the market with evaporated maple syrup. No not fail to secure a supply. A. C. Attwood.

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FOR SALE—\$000-EGG INCUBATOR, "RE-LIABLE"; or exchange for top buggy. Apply D. Dark, Ealing P. O. 48c FOR SALE—A FEW GOOD MILCH COWS.
Apply T. B. Scott, Vanneck.

480 FOR SALE-GOOD MILL-WOOD AND sawdust. Columbia Handle and Lumber Co., Adelaide street. Phone 1239.

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CHEAP WOOD—GOOD ELM AND ASH blocks; & cord, \$1.20, & cord, \$2.20. Good supply of all kinds of coal and wood on hand. Green & Co., William street and G. T. railway. Phone 1391.

CALL AT PARISH'S FURNITURE STORE
if you want to sell or exchange your old
furniture or stoves for new. Good assortment
of cook stoves or hand. 367 Talbot street, south
of the market. MOTHS! MOTHS!! MOTHS!!! - THE M moths and other insects will not destroy your furs and other goods if you will send them to the London Cold Storage and Warehousing Company. Charges moderate. 78-90 Bathurst street.

Bathurst street.

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Phone 1888.

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188 DUNDAS STREET.
SANBORN & TREBILCOCK EXTENSION AND STRPLADDERS, SAW-BUCKS, quilt and ourtain frames. The Waggoner Ladder Co., Limited, 272 William street. Telephone 1102. A quantity of 3-inoh spruce and some sill timbers cheep.

K RENE'S STOVE WAREHOUSE RE-MOVED to Stringer's old stand, MI King street. Stoves of all kinds bought. NEW AND SECOND-HAND BICYCLES for sele—Three and Sundries, etc. Get your bicycle enameied and repaired now to avoid the spring rush. Lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 288 Richmond street. One door south G. T. R.

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TOR SALE - RESIDENCE - BEST PORTION of city; sacrifice; five bedrooms clothes closets, furnace and all modern improvements; splendid fruit; large lot: exceptional bargain if sold quick. A. G. Chisholm. Barrister, etc., 78½ Dundas street, city. 49tf WILL SELL OR LEASE, NO. 60 ELM-WOOD avenue; modern conveniences, 8 rooms, large lawn. Hugh Stringer, 64 Elm-wood avenue.

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Richmond street.

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TO LET—THE MOST SATISFACTORY and best vans in the city. Good storage for pianos and furniture. Office and storage, 37 Oarling street. Phone 1162; night phone 1167. Book your orders as early as possible. No connection with any other vans. COTTAGE TO LET No. 8 OXFORD Street. Alex. Harvey. 790

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THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL - MON-TREAL--Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor. ROYAL HOTEL-OPPOSITE G. T. R. DE-POT. Central location. First class in every respect. J. D. Fleming, prop. A LBION HOTEL—157 DUNDAS STREET Rates 31 50 per day. Choicest wines liquors and cigars. R. E. Lloyd, proprietor.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN the payment of a certain mortgage, dated 23rd day of January, 1894, made by one Albert Beattie to the vendors, there will, under power of sale contained in said mortgage, be sold by public auction, by Mr. J. W. Jones, auctioneer, at his auction rooms, 242 Dundas street. London, Ontario, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1800, at 2:30 o'clock p.m., the following property, viz.: Lot number thirty-two, on the south side of Princess avenue (formerly John street, in said City of London, according to registered plan No. 378. This lot has erected thereon two good frame houses known as Nos. 735 and 737. The lot has a frontage of 66 feet by a depth of 132 feet. The buildings are in good condition. Terms of sale,—Ten per cent of the purchase money will be required to be paid at time of sale, and the balance within fourteen days thereafter. A portion of the mortgage money may be secured by mortgage on the property. For further particulars apply to GREENLEES & BECHER, vendors solicitors, London, Ont., Ont. Dated 19th April, 1800. DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN

PAPER TO BURN

Western Mills to Close on Account of Over Production.

Chicago, May 4 .- All the leading book paper mills of the west will be closed Monday for an indefinite period on account of over-production. PUBLISHERS SEEK RELIEF.

Washington, May 4.—Representatives of the American Publishers' Association presented a memorial to the senate finance committee asking that some relief be afforded on account of the in-creased price of paper. The delegation said the association represented 22,000 papers. No particular legislation was advocated. The resolution recited that the price of printing paper used by newspapers has increased from 60 to 100 per cent without reason or warrant to be found in the conditions of the industry, which was believed to be the working of a trust. The association appealed to congress to inquire into the conditions complained of, to the end at Holzhulsfontein, was Gen. Broadsuitable legislation might be provided wood's cavalry brigade and two to remedy these conditions. As news, horse batteries. The Boers were on to remedy these conditions. As news; papers are sold at a fixed price, the resolution says publishers cannot put the increased cost of the paper to the consumer, and in many instances this increased cost means the confiscation of profits, and in others it creates actual lass.

British Army Is Advancing

Lord Roberts Reports the Occupation of Brandfort by His Troops.

Boers Believed To Be Still Trekking—British Casualties Light -Most Important News Since the Capture of Cronje and Relief of Ladysmith—British Hold the Key to One of the Main Roads to the Drakenberg Passes-May Lead to the Co-Operation of Buller Later

London, May 4.-Lord Roberts re- (tions, which are now held by our ports to the war office as follows, under date of Brandfort, May 3: "We occupied Brandfort today without much opposition, and without, I hope, many casualties. The first brigade of mounted infantry covered the left flank of the fourteenth brigade of the seventh division, and the right flank was supported by the fifteenth brig-

"Pole-Carew's division (including the Canadians) advanced directly on Brandfort.

"The Boer army, which was under command of Gen. Delarey, retired in a northeasterly direction."

BOERS ON THE RUN. Thabanchu, May 3.-The Boers have evacuated Thabanchu Hill and are believed to be still trekking, though one gun shelled the camp indiscriminately. Scouts report that some of the Boers retired toward Wepener. They believe the Boers evacuated the position during the night, trekking to the

northward in three directions. Gen. French left today. Gen. Rundle is in command here. It is expected that Gen. Brabant will effect a junction at

A MOST IMPORTANT MOVEMENT News of the occupation of Brandfort, this morning, is generally considered the most important communication from the front since the capture of Gen. Cronje and the relief of Ladysmith.

The fact that the position gives the key to one of the main roads leading to the Drakensberg Passes, which possibly may be the means of co-operation with Gen. Buller later on, provides an advance base of supplies, and at the same time menaces the Boers now southeast of Bloemfontein, is obviously the reason for the importance attached by all hands to the intelligence.

A FRONT OF FORTY MILES. London, Friday, May 4-4:15 a.m.-Gen. Broadwood's cavalry brigade has reached Isabelfontein, 28 miles north of Thabanchu. Gen. Ian Hamilton is bivouacking at Jacobsrust, fifteen miles north of Thabanchu. Gen. Tucker's division is moving eastward from Karee Siding. The divisions of Gens. French and Rundle are in and near Thabanchu. Thus Lord Roberts has 50,000 men operating clear of the railway along a front of 40 miles. He advancing slowly with some sucsses, yet at all points of concentration the Boers appear in force sufficient to compel the British to proceed with caution. Their wide front in a rugged country makes turning move-

ments off-hand difficult. The Boers in Natal are restless. Two hundred crossed Sunday's River Wednesday and tried to engage the

British outposts. BEFORE THE BRITISH OCCUPIED

BRANDFORT. The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing May 2. says: "I have just ridden hither from Thabanchu along the line of our advance, east of Bloemfontein. The distance is fully 40 miles, and yet almost every point of concentration is con-tested by the enemy. The Boers have posted a number of guns of superior weight and range to our own. How-ever, they show no disposition to do more than keep in touch with us, and to harass our advance. Further to the west Gen. Ian Hamilton, with his division of mounted infantry is pushing northward, encountering only a desultory fire. The Highland brigade, from Val Krantz, has been engaged, while Gen. Tucker, commanding the 7th division, has moved eastward from Karee Siding, and has returned south, followed by the Boers. Nevertheless the cavalry, owing to the greater number of the enemy, have been prevented from completing the movement that was intended to encircle the Boers on the march to Brandfort.

COLONIAL CAVALRY IN IT. The colonial cavalry were engaged, and they lost 20 horses while under fire from pom-poms. The Boers were, however, driven from their position.'

WAVELL'S BRIGADE.

London, May 3.—A special dispatch, dated Krantzkraal, Monday, April 30, "An advance was made today says: in the direction of Brandfort, Gen. Wavell's brigade moving from Karee Siding, Gen. Bruce-Hamilton's from Glen, and Gen. Maxwell's from Krantzkraal. Close to the above-named brigade were four field batteries and two 4.7-inch field guns. On the right the right tried to intercept them, but the enemy abandoned all their posi-

On-Praise for the Canadians.

GORDONS USE THE BAYONET. London, May 4.—The Daily News has the following from Thabanchu, dated Wednesday: "In yesterday's flanking movement, Capt. Towse and 50 Gordon Highlanders were surrounded by 250 Boers, who demanded their surrender. Capt Towse ordered his men to fix bayonets and charge. With a wild cheer the Gordons rushed at the enemy and swept them away with great slaughter. Capt Towse was blinded in both eyes by the enemy's fire, and throughout behaved most heroically.

Kimberley.

SILENCE ENJOINED. The correspondents at Kimberley have been forbidden to communicate for several days, the deduction being that a forward movement is under

way there. A NEW REGIME London, May 4.—A special dispatch, dated Bloemfontein, Tuesday, May 1, says: "The new regime concerning passes has been actively carried out in the town and district, and all horses are confiscated, except those on Canadian Contingent. He was about military service. This procedure is even more effective than disarmament, vice of the Bank of Montreal. On gosince it is impossible to secrete the animals, and thus we are enabled to effectively prevent the remobilization of the farmers who found it convents. ent to return to their farms temporarily. The only way in which to prevent guerilla warfare in rear of our advance is to satisfy ourselves that neither horses nor forage are left behind so that marauding parties can only hope to live on the country."

NATAL LEGISLATURE. Pietermanitzburg, Natal, May 3. -The Legislative Assembly reconvened today. The governor, Sir Walter Francis Hely-Hutchinson,in his speech, gave expression to the admiration evoked throughout the empire by the devotion, courage and patience with which Natal has borne her present severe trials, and by the bravery displayed by her volunteers.

BACK TO THE CAPE. London, May 4. - The hospital ship Maine, after having been inspected by Lady Randolph Churchill and others, of the committee, sailed from Southampton for the Cape today. CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Cape Town, May 4.—The Standard and Diggers' News says that Thomas Richards, an American, has been ar-rested as a suspect in conection with the Begbie factory explosion at Johannesburg. He was arraigned, charged with murder, and remanded. The accused man, it was added, was not de-

BOER PROMISES. London, May 4. - A special dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez, dated Tues-day, May 1, says: That Boer agents on continent stoop to fraud a promise to receive £1 per day during the war and the free grant of a over, he was assured that within a few weeks the Boers would be completely victorious, so he had barely time to qualify for the grant. According to information from trustworthy sources, the Boers are only held together by the remarkable hold President Kruger has over the older burghers, who still believe in his ability to secure interven-

The Canadians

ARE ADMIRED. London, May 4 .- Gen. Smith-Dorrien's

command is highly praised by a captain in the Leinsters, who is invalided. He says that he saw much of the Canadians and other colonials. The soldierly qualities of the Canadians ex-

cited universal admiration.

Lieut. C. S. Wilkie, of the 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, an officer in C company of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, has been invalided home from South Africa. He left Cape Town on April 27 on the Kildonan Castle, bound for England. Capt. J. E. Peltier, of Montreal, and

not Major Pellitier, as reported, is the French-Canadian officer invalided home is now residing as a private guest in a house in the west end, suffering from sunstroke and wounds. His left leg, neck and right leg are temporarily paralyzed, yet he talks bravely of go-ing back to the front. ACCIDENTALLY BAYONETED.

Capt. Peltier confirms the statement that five or six Canadians were killed or wounded at Paardeberg by acci-dental bayoneting by the Gordons. As the Canadians fell back on the trenches the Gordons mistook them in the halflight for Boers. Capt. Peltier adds that the Gordons are not for a moment

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to be held blameworthy. He expresses the heartiest appreciation of his kind

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treatment here.

VICTORIA CROSS MEN. Quebec, May 4.—A letter from Pic. Hudon, of E company, wounded at Paardeberg, has been received by his father, Lieut.-Col. Hudon. It is dated Imperial Yeomanry Hospital, Bulfon-tein, March 25. He says:

"You will be glad to hear that Eugene Fiset has been recommended for the Victoria Cross for bravery on the field, and I assure you he deserved it, for he was the only doctor in the firing line at the battles of Paardeberg, Osfontein and Driefontein. Rev. Father O'Leary is also mentioned in the dispatches to the war office. This old man of 68 has always followed us on the march, and on Feb. 18, at Paardeberg, he passed the whole day in the firing line, giving succor to the wounded and dying. He is an old blood, and is adored by the men. He has been very

"Our company and F company are almost destroyed; out of 24 non-commissioned officers there are only seven on duty. Corp. d'Orsonnens, son of the colonel, and Corp. McTaggart, both of my company, have been taken prisoners; Corp. Withey, of Quebec, F company, was killed at Driefontein."

THE OTTAWA BOYS.

Ottawa, Ont., May 4.-Much regret was expressed in the city when it was announced that Pte. H. Cotton, of the First Canadian Contingent, Ot-tawa Company, had been killed in South Africa, and that Pte. H. Foster, formerly of the Guards, had been wounded. Harry Cotton was a son of Lieut.-Col. Cotton, of the militia de-partment, commanding the Ottawa dis-

Dr. Borden, in the House of Commons yesterday, said that owing to Lieut.-Col. Otter's wound, Lieut.-Col.

Buchan was probably in command of the Canadians. A Halifax telegram says: Pte. A. E. Yong, of Company H, whose death is reported, was a member of Capt. Stairs' own company of the 66th Battalion. He was 25 years of age and was highly esteemed by the members

of the company. Shoesmith McMillan, whose death is also reported, enlisted in Halifax as an artificer in the mounted rifles.

SWEATERS FOR JUNE AND JULY. The latest reports of Dr. Ryerson, Canadian Red Cross commissioner in South Africa, show that at the end of March, because of delay in the issue of imperial government supplies, he purchased 750 sweaters for the first contingent at a cost of £225. The executive in Canada sent out 2,400 jerseys at a cost of \$1,800 during the last week in March, and these will reach the Canadian troops before the worst

months of winter-June and July. Dr. Ryerson, before leaving Kimberey, furnished 200 cots at the hospital, the De Beers Company supplying the materials at cost. The Canadian Red Cross now has over 50 branches, and there are \$11,000 available for further

work at the front. CANADIANS IN THE POSTAL CORPS.

Ottawa, May 4.-Writing on March s on 21, from Cape Town, where, as chief in of the Canadian postal staff, he is statheir attempts to inveigle recruits intioned at headquarters, Lieut. Ecclesto the Transvaal for military service, ton, says: "I have to report that the is shown by the story told by a members of the Canadian postal corps simple-minded Teuton who arrived on are well and their work is giving simple-minded Teuton who arrived on are well and their work is giving the Herzog. In conversation with a satisfaction both to the army postcompatriot, he confessed that his sole master and to the Canadian contin-motive in going to the Transvaal was gents. The weekly mail here is of very large proportions. This week over 400 sacks of newspapers, over 10,farm when the war was over. More- | 000 parcels and a very large letter mail. The handling of this is rendered more difficult by the fact that lists of sick and wounded are sent in from the various hospitals and their mail selected. Besides this the rapid changes in location of troops and detachments, make it difficult to effect accuracy.

> (Continued on Page 2.) -Mr. J. P. Ashworth, accountant of the Bank of Montreal, has been notified of his appointment to the more important post of accountant of the branch at St. John, N. B. Mr. T. S.

Clark, of Kingston, will take Mr. Ash-

worth's place in the bank here.

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a few miles of Comassie and com munication is again stopped.

More raiding in various parts of the colony is reported.

The Budget Debate Concluded-Bir Charles Tupper's Amend-

menced on the 23rd of March, was

brought to a close at I o'clock this

morning, when the amendment by Sir

Charles Tupper, declaring that no

measure of preference which falls

short of a system of mutual trade pre-

ference between Great Britain and

Ireland and the colonies should be

considered as final and satisfactory, was voted down by 48 yeas to 88 nays,

a majority of 40 for the government. Just before the vote was taken Mr. Fielding read some correspondence

with Mr. H. M. Whitney and Mr. W. B. Ross to settle a question of dispute between himself and Sir Charles Tup-

per regarding the attitude of the fin-ance minister towards the development

and encouragement of the iron and

In answer to Mr. E. F. Clarke, Mr. Mulock said that no contracts had

been let since June 30, 1899, for the

manufacture of mail bags, uniforms, etc., for the postoffice department. Dr.

Borden said that contracts containing

the "no sweating" clause had been con-tinued by the militia department with

the Sanford Manufacturing Company

for various articles to the amount of \$150,000 and \$30,000.

Dr. Borden also read a number of

letters to show that the department

of militia had done all that was pos-

sible to secure the official list of Can-

adians killed, for the insurance com-

In answer to Mr. Bergeron, Mr. Blair

said it was not the intention to close the Beauharnois Canal this year. The

Soulanges would, it was expected, be

used by large vessels, and the Beauh-

arnois by smaller ones.

The debate on the budget was resum-

The vote was then taken. While the

the colonies would certainly stimulate increased production in and commerce

be considered as final or satisfactory.

Yeas-Beattle, Bell (Addington), Bell

grain, Clancy, Clarke, Cochrane, Davin, Dugas, Earle, Foster, Ganong, Gilles,

mour, Guillet, Haggart, Henders Hodgins, Ingram, Kaulbach, LaRivi-

tin. Mills. Moore, Morin, Osler, Pope, Prior, Quinn, Roche, Sproule, Taylor, Tupper (Sir C. Hibbert), Tyrwhitt, Wal-

ton, Brown, Bruneau, Burnett, Calvert,

Campbell, Carroll, Casey, Champagne, Comstock, Copp. Costigan, Cowan,

Davies, (Sir Louis), Demers, Desmar-ais, Dupre, Edwards, Ellis, Ethier, Featherston, Fielding, Fisher, Fitz-patrick, Flint, Fortier, Fraser (Lamb-ton), Gauvreau, Geoffrion, Harwood, Heyd, Holmes, Hutchinson, Johnston, Ley, de Lothiniere, (Sir Henri), Lang

Joly de Lotbiniere (Sir Henri), Lang,

McClure, McGugan, McHugh, McIsaac, McLellan (Prince), McLennan (Inver-ness), McMillan, McMullen, Madore,

Malouin, Marcil, Meigs, Mignault, Monet, Morrison, Mulock, Parmalee,

Paterson. Pettet. Prefontein, Proulx,

Puttee, Ratz. Richardson, Rogers, Ross. Rutherford, Sayard, Semple,

Somerville, Stenson, Stubbs, Suther-land, Tucker, Turcot, Total, 88. The house went into committee pro

FATAL FIRES

Four Persons Lose Their Lives in New

York Conflagrations.

New York, May 4.-Four persons

were killed in fires in this city last

night and early this morning, and a

fifth lies fatally injured in a hospital.

At a lodging-house fire in South street, John Curren, a marine engineer, was

burned to death, and Fireman Daniel

Mullen was thrown from a ladder, re-

ceiving injuries from which he died

Fireman James Kirkpatrick was

fatally injured by the overturning of

tallow factory of Joseph Stern & Com-

pany in West Fortieth street, and two

men are believed to be buried under

the ruins, they are Thomas McGuire

and Joseph Drum. A gang of men worked all night in the ruins in a vain

effort to recover the bodies.

a hose truck which he was driving. An explosion wrecked the fat and

forma, and adjourned at 1:25 a.m.

Laurier (Sir Wilfrid), Lavergne, Le mieux, Livingston, Logan, Macdonald, (Huron), Macdonell (Selkirk), Mackie,

Macdonald (King's), MacLaren,

and Mr. H. J. Logan.

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BRITISH ARMY

[Continued from page 1.]

Major Trebble has several times assured me of his appreciation of the thoughtful foresight of the Canadian Government in so promptly sending

Mr. Ecclestone, in closing, alludes to the gallant conduct of the Canadians in recent engagements, which he says, has earned them high praise in Cape Town.

Spion Kop.

THE LANSDOWNE-ROBERTS DIS-PATCHES.

May 4.-Following is the London, May 4.—Following is the God's kingdom is coming, that God is telegraphic correspondence relating to marching on. That country today is the Spion Kop dispatches issued to practically owned by England, the parliament just before midnight on by Germany and by France. Other

Lord Lansdowne, secretary of state for war, wired March 28, asking ad- tions are in control, and they are vice of Lord Roberts about publishing the dispatches, saying: "We cannot will not be at war. The governments publish all the documents inclosed of those nations are in sympathy with without your dispatch of Feb. 13," and suggesting certain dispatches which, in Lord Lansdowne's opinion might published. Lord Lansdowne added: "But I would not feel justified in thus editing the papers unless you concur, and you may perhaps think it well to refer to Buller. I suggest as an alternative that we should treat your dispatch of Feb. 13, and all its inclosures, as confidential, and that Buller should send through you a full narra-tive of operations. This you could forward to me, with any observations you desired to make for publication.'

Lord Roberts replied to Lord Lansdowne in a dispatch dated Bloemfon-tein, March 31, that he had suggested to Sir Redvers Buller to prepare a fuii narrative, but that Sir Redvers had answered: "I do not at all like the idea of rewriting a dispatch for publication. I much prefer to leave it in the hands of the commander-in-chief. Let him select for publication whatever he thinks proper." To this Lord Roberts appended that he would not himself object to the publication of a paper edited as Lord Lansdowne had sug-gested, but that it might, perhaps, gested, but that it might, perhaps, be better to overrule Gen. Buller's objection and to adopt the alternative course suggested by Lord Lansdowne. He asked Lord Lansdowne to wire a

This reply from Lord Lansdowne. dated April 2, said: "In view of Buller's objection, I abandon the proposal that the dispatch should be rewritten, and I propose to publish the selection described in my dispatch of

Lord Roberts answered, under date of April 6: "I agree to my dispatch of Feb 13 being published."

LANSDOWNE TO BULLER. The correspondence also contains two dispatches referred to in Lord Lansdowne's dispatch of March 28. The first is from Lord Lansdowne to Gen. Buller, dated Jan. 5, representing the impossibility of publishing his dispatches, which contain views of the ituation and forecasts of his inten-tions," and emphasizing the advisa-

METHUEN'S DISPATCH. The second is from Lord Wolseley to Lord Roberts, dated Feb. 6, and saying: "You will, I feel sure, agree with me that Methuen's dispatch regarding Magersfontein could not be published as sent. There are passages in it inappropriate to such documents, and it also gives information of importance to the enemy. If he likes I will revise the dispatch, but I prefer not to undertake this responsibility. I suggest that you should ask him to cancel this dispatch and to write an-

The correspondence does not indicate whether Lord Methuen rewrote the

dispatch as suggested. The Spion Kop dispatches, as published, were exactly the selections sug-gested in Lord Lansdowne's dispatch

PRESS COMMENT.

London, May 4.-The Times referring to the correspondence, says: "Lord Lansdowne's dispatch is a singular invitation to Lord Roberts to cook his opinions for the benefit of the unfortunate British public. Comment on this correspondence is almost There is nothing so superfluous. ereditable to Sir Redvers Buller as his refusal to rewrite a dispatch for

publication The Daily News says: "The man In the street, considering what he has been allowed to see, will be apt to form rather lurid ideas of what has been withheld from his gaze." The Dafly Graphic severely attacks Lords Lansdowne for "trying to shift

the responsibility." The Standard mildly approves the after repairing the line to a point with-

government's action in publishing the explanation, but the general opinion is that the correspondence should not have been published, unless in full, and the partial publication is, on the whole, rather badly received.

DIDN'T WANT WAR

Bishop Hartzell Talks About the Boers and the Campaign in South Africa.

New York, May 4.—Bishop Hartzell, American Methodist Missionary Bishop for Africa, delivered an address on African missions at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, Eighty-sixth street and West End avenue. He said that what South Carolina was in the civil war the South African Republic is in the British-Boer war, for which he held there never was any valid excuse. In part Bishop Hartzell said:

"No country in the world can furnish better proof than Africa that nations are more or less interestedthey have their colonies-but other naevery missionary effort, and they will give every possible assistance to missionary workers. And this is their attitude, because they know that where Christianity goes there goes civilization and the task of governing is

made easier. "Today a section of that country is disturbed by war. To this war there can be but one outcome and it will be well for Africa and the world. But I want you to bear one thing in mind. Of all the Dutch in South Africa only a very small part are fighting against the British. The majority of the Dutch in Natal and in Cape Colony are loyal to British rule. And if a vote of the Boers in the Transvaal and the Orange Free State had been taken there would never have been any war. What South Carolina was to secession in the United States during the civil war the Transvaal is today in South Africa."

HAMP TODAY

What a Difference It Makes When London Residents Testify.

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If you are convinced Pitcher's Tablets are what you want, you can purchase regular size for 50 cents per bottle. If not obtainable at druggist's. free of postage on receipt of price.

THE ASHANTI TROUBLE. Accra, British Gold Coast, Colony, May 4.-Sir Frederick Mitchell Hodgson, the governor of the colony, is still at Coomassie, and his stay will probably be prolonged until Septemb account of the state of the roads. His personal danger has probably been minimized by diplomatic means. The tel-egraphic superintendent was wounded

From Near-By Places.

Mr. Isaac Abbott, of Pratt's Siding. has disposed of the remaining elm timber on north half of lot 9, in the 2nd concession of Mosa, to the Sutherland-Innes Company. Price \$1,000. Mr. Wm. Foster, of North Ekfrid, sold his 50-acre farm to his neighbor,

Mr. George Kettlewell, for \$3,000. He was offered \$5,800 for his 100-acre Mr. A. J. Rollins, of Exeter, has purchased the driving mare, Kate, from Mr. E. O. Jones, of Clandeboye, for

Miss Gould, assistant treasurer of the Montreal branch of the Red Cross Society, has handed over to the society \$4,000 of the money collected by her

The three-months-old child of Robt. Frockens, Midhurst, was killed. Its mother was driving down a hill, and in trying to keep her babe from slipping dropped one line, and the horses ran away.

Elder-Dempster Liner Montpelier Probably Lost.

Foundered on Duck Island, St. Lawrence River-Steamer Ashore Off Cape Hatteras.

St. Johns, Nild., May 4.—The British steamer Monngeller, of the Elder-Dempster Line, of Liverpool, from Cardiff, April 7, and Las Palmas, April 20. ment Defeated by a Vote of 88 for Montreal, while bound up the St. Lawrence, went ashore last night in a dense fog at Duck's Island, three miles Ottawa, May 3.-The long-drawn-out debate upon the budget, which comfrom Cape Ray, at the entrance to Ca-

Nothing has been heard of the crew. The ship is probably a total loss. ANOTHER ONE.

Washington, May 4.—General Super-intendent Kimball, of the life-saving service, has received a telegram from Hatteras, N. C., saying that an unknown steamship is ashore on Diamond Shoals. The crews of the Cape Hat-teras and Creed's Hill life-saving sta-tions have gone to her assistance.

MOUNT BRYDGES

Locomotive Sparks Do \$1,000 Damage in Mr. Tilden's Pinery.

Mount Brydges, May 4.-Rev. J. E. Holmes preached I. O. O. F. anniversary services in Thamesville last Sunday. Mr. L. Fortner, of Strathroy, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church here, in the absence of the

The Caradoc Gun Club and the Melrose Gun Club held their match in Mr. David Small's field, on Wednesday afternoon, resulting in a victory for the Caradoc club. There was a very large attendance.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Wadsworth, a son.
Mr. John Cullen is slowly improving.

Two of our young people drove in to London yesterday, accompanied by Rev. J. C. Pilkey, who tied the knot that made them one. Rev. Mr. Baker, of McMaster Uni-

versity, Toronto, preached in the Bap-tist Church last Sunday evening.

Mr. Harry Bartlett is tearing part of his old house down, preparatory to

ed by Mr. Hector McDougall, who was followed by Mr. McNeil, Sir Adolphe Caron, Mr. Snetsinger, Major Beattie building Sparks from the train set fire to the long grass, which quickly spread to the pine woods of Mr. C. N. D. Tilden, destroying a valuable lot of fine timmembers were being called in French-Canadian songs were sung in the good ber. His loss will amount to nearly old style by Messrs. Ethier and Archambault, all the members joining in the chorus. The galleries were filled with ladies. The vote was upon the amendment, of Sir Charles Tupper. That this house is of opinion that a system of mutual trade preference between Great Britain and Ireland and the colonies would certainly stimulate

Mr. Chas. Tilden, jun., has removed from Mount Brydges to London; also Mr. J. Vanatter, who has likewise mov-ed to London to engage in the barber

ABDUL AND UNCLE SAM Constantinople, Thursday, May 3 .-

The situation regarding the American indemnity claims is unchanged.

As a result of representations by Mr. Lloyd C. Griscom, the American between these countries, and would thus promote and maintain the unity of the empire, and that no measure of preference that falls short of the com-plete realization of such a policy should charge d'affaires, two Armenians who had been prevented from embarking by the authorities at Alexandretta as sus The amendment was lost on a vote of 48 to 88, a majority for the governpects, have been allowed to leave and the incident is closed.

The statement that the United States (Pictou), Bergeron, Broder, Cargili, vice-consul at Alexandretta was mal-Caron (Sir Adolphe), Carscallen, Cas-

A special from Red Bluff, Cal., says the north peak of Mount Lassen is thought to be in a state of activity. ere, Macdonald (King's), MacLaren, McAllister, McCleary, McDougall, Mc-Inerney, McLennan (Glengary), Mar-Rumbling noises and a large volume of gray smoke are coming from the

Nays—Archambault, Bazinet, Beith, Bell (Prince). Bernier, Blair, Borden (King's) Bourassa, Bourbonnais, Brit-Baby's Face a Mass of Scabs

After Two Doctors Had Failed the Eczema Was Cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Some cures brought about by Dr. Chase's Ointment are almost too wonderful for one to believe, who has not been an eye-witness.

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we got a box from our druggist, and began using it. The first box did him much good, and won our confidence, and by the time we had used two boxes more his face was as well as any child's, and he was entirely cured. He was nine months old when cured. He is fourteen now, and his skin is per-

fectly clear and natural."
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ered in connection with the four-point bearings in the head, it will be seen that the E. & D. construction is nearly per-E. & D. National locally-guaranteed bicycles, with fourpoint bearings in all parts, cost \$60 for road models, and \$70 for special models, with gear-case.

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SPORTING NEWS

London Gets a Berth in the C. L. A.-Big League Ball Scores-The Kentucky Derby.

BASBBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. R. H. E. 4 8 2 6 8 0 At New York-New York......0 0 0 1 3 0 0-4 8 Brooklyn0 3 0 0 1 0 2-6 8 Batteries—Doheny and Warner; Ken-sedy and Farrell. Umpire, Connolly.

At Chicago-Chicago0 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 0-4 10 Cincinnati ..0 3 1 5 2 0 0 0 0-11 14 Batteries-Griffiths, Harvey and Donshue; Scott and Wood. Umpire, Swart-

Wood. At Pittsburg—
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St. Louis.....300200040—9 11 3

Batteries-Waddell and Lattimer; Jones and Criger. Umpire, Hurst. Rain at Boston. EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Providence— R. H. E. Providence ... 0 4 0 0 0 2 0 0 1—7 14 2 Toronto 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 4 1 Batteries-Dunkle and Leahy; Alloway and Roach.

At Springfield-Springfield0 2 0 2 2 0 0 0-6 11 3 Rochester1 2 0 0 0 0 2 0-5 11 3 Batteries-McBride and Phelps; Murphy and Deal. Umpire. Hunt.

Rain at Hartford; wet grounds at AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Milwaukee-Milwaukee 11, Kan-

sas City 10. At Minneapolis-Minneapolis 8, Chicago 16.
No game at Clevelan 1 on account of

cold weather.
Pitcher Hughes will not rejoin the National League champions this year. Jack Pickard, of Galt, one of the London catchers, arrived here yester-

GETTING IN SHAPE.

Port Huron Times: The committee appointed by the permanent baseball organization to solicit the necessary bonus, has so far succeeded in the past few days that Manager Flaherty has been instructed to send for his players. It is expected that a majority of the players will be in the city by the latter part of the week. Manager Flaherty assures the baseball enthusiasts that his team has been picked with much care and that he is acquainted with each man personally and the work that he does, so that the trouble heretofore experienced in having a job lot of players thrown into town has been done away with. The committee on subscriptions has been reinforced by several good workers and the bonus will be raised in a few days. In the meantime the grounds at the Port Huron Driving Park will be put in shape for the men to practice on, and Flaherty will take them as soon as they arrive and put them through a course of training for the baseball season, which is scheduled on May 10. Most of the men have been keeping in shape at their respective homes in other states, so that the work of playing together with good results will not take long to accomplish.

A funny incident occurred in the fifth inning of the first Brooklyn-New York game. Van Haltren was at bat, when Kennedy made a baulk, and the veteran dashed to first, followed by the plau-dits of the crowd. "Come back," said "It's a balk," said Van. "It's Emslie. "It's a balk," said Van. "It's a balk." echoed the New York players. and Capt. Davis ran up to the umpire to emphasize the assertion. Emslie produced the book of rules, turned to the new rule, which says that the batsmen can no longer go to first on a balk and said calmly: "Here, study a balk, and said calmly: "Here, study this for a while." And Van came

John H. Gaffney, the veteran umpire, who failed to obtain a place on the official staff of the National League, has been engaged to umpire all games played on the Holy Cross College grounds at Worcester, Mass., this year.

ORICKET.

The Waterloo cricket club met on Tuesday night and elected the following officers: Honorary president, Jos. Seagram, M.P.; president. Jacob Hespels; vice-president, Dr. Sterling; secretary-treasurer, Jacob Hespeler; committee, E. P. Seagram, H. Kershaw, R. Cooke, J. H. Seagram, Oliver Lingwood and G. A. Bruce; captain, J. Hespeler.

TENNIS.

A meeting for the purpose of reorganizing the lave tennis club was held at the Zimmorwan House, Waterloo, the other evening. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Joseph E. Seagram, M.P.; president, W. Robarts; vice-president, Jacob Hespeler: secretary-treasurer, E. M. Saunders; committee, E. F. Seagram, W. Hendry, R. Cooke and R. Morley. GOLF.

Providence, May 3 .- Harry Vardon was defeated this afternoon at the Wannamelsett golf club in his last match before leaving for England, by the best ball of W. D. Brownell, of the local club, and C. L. Bremer, of the Wollaston golf club, Boston. The score was 2 up and 1 to play.

LACROSSE. IN THE C. L. A.

The Canadian Lacrosse Association has given London a place in No. 2 district, which includes Seaforth, Stratother live lacrosse towns. This step the same person. chances of forming a strong team. A meeting for organization will be held the Tecumseh House tonight at 8 c'clock, and every lacrosse player and all interested in the game are urged to

THE KENTUCKY DERBY.

Louisville, Ky., May 3.-Lieut, Gibson, the good son of G. W. Johnson, showed today that the confidence placed in him by the talent had been fully justified, for he won the 26th Kentucky Derby as he pleased, taking three-quarters of a second off the track record for one mile and a quarter. Lieut. Gibson passed under the wire a winner by two lengths, without having been touched, in the sensational time of 2:06¼. Other winners were: The Rush, Ethel Pace, Salwarse Lord and Gray Tess.

THE ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS. London, May 4.-The 1,000 guineas (\$5,000) stake, run at the Newmarket any lasting relief."

DAVID Cigar for the HARUM 10

spring meeting today, was won by Mr. L. Brassey's Winifreda. This event is of 100 sovereigns each, half forfelt, for 3-year-old fillies, the owner of the second filly to receive 200 sovereigns out of the stake, and the third to save his stake. The horses ran on the Rowley mile. Lord Ellesmere's Inquisitive was second, and Sir R. Waldie Griffith's Vain Duchess third.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Aqueduct, N. Y.-Conine, Emigre, Lady Lindsay, Rare Perfume, Trum-

phet, Anecdote.

At Nasshville, Tenn. — Percita, Ethel
Wheat, Free Advice, Bill Massie, Truminer and Lord Neville. At Oakland, San Francisco-Sidelong, Alaria, Rosormonde, Jingle Jingle, Rosinante, and Merry Boy.

NOTES OF SPORT.

Wm. Steinitz, the chess champion, 64 years old, was removed from Bellevue Hospital, New York, yesterday, to the Manhattan State Hospital, on Randall's Island. This is the third time that Steinitz has been declared insane, once before in New York and another time,

years ago, in Russia.

A. G. Spalding will sail today from New York on the steamer St. Louis. to confer with Commissioner-General Peck in regard to the athletic sports to be held in connection with the Paris Exposition, of which he is director. Benjamin Becker, ex-commodore of the Chicago Yacht Club, and G. K.

FOR WELL PEOPLE.

Alken are at Toronto, hunting for a skipper for the cutter Neva.

An Easy Way to Keep Well.

It is easy to keep well if we would only observe each day a few simple rules of health.

The all-important thing is to keep the stomach right, and to do this it is not necessary to diet or to follow a set rule or bill of fare. Such pampering simply makes a capricious appetite and a feeling that certain favorite articles of food must be avoided. Prof. Wiechold gives pretty good ad-

serious illness, and at the same time prevention of floods. one, but I early discovered that the way to keep healthy was to keep a healthy stomach, not by eating bran considers an all thin the considers are all thin the considerations are all the consi crackers or dieting of any sort; on the contrary, I always eat what my appetite craves, but for the past eight years I have made it a daily practice to take one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal, and I attribute my robust health for a man of my age to the regular daily use of

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MISS NETHERSOLE SUES FOR DAMAGES.

Washington, May 4.-Suit has been filed in the supreme court of the District of Columbia by Olga Nethersole, the actress, for \$20,000 damages against Rev. Thomas C. Easton, pastor of the Eastern Presby erian Church in this city. The attorneys for Miss Nethersole allege that Dr. Easton, in a sermon, preached April 1 last, characterized Miss Nethersole as "a lewd woman.

PHILADELPHIA TIMES SOLD. Philadelphia, May 4.—The interest in the Philadelphia Times owned by the heirs of the late Frank McLaughlin has been sold to a syndicate of local capitalists, headed by Charles F. Kindred, general agent of the Reading Railway. Col. A. K. McClure, who has been a part-owner of the paper since it was established, 25 years ago, will remain as editor-in-chief Kindred has been a leader of the Republican party for a number of years, and the Times will be conducted as a Republican organization paper. The Times says it will oppose any candidate who would disturb the gold standard or abandon the islands taken from

LOTTERY LITERATURE BARRED. Buffalo, May 4.—A special to the Express from Washington, says: The postoffice department issued a fraud order on Dec. 26 last against the National Society of Sculpture and. Thimonthe Archambault, of Quebec, Canada, for using the United States mails, in conducting an alleged lottery. Pierre Longtin, it is said, then took up their scheme where the others left off, using their letter-heads and literature. fraud order was issued against him under date of April 17. It now appears that A. W. Blouin, of Montreal, Canada, is continuing the scheme, and the department as issued a fraud order against Blouin. The likelihood is that Exeter, Mitchell, Clinton and Archambault, Longtin and Blouin are

PRISONER RELEASED.

Victim of Kidney Disease Escapes From Its Clutches by Means of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Sharbot Lake, April 30.—Twenty years ago this month, John Nicholas Babcock first noticed the symptoms of Gravel and other Kidney troubles. Since that day he has never been free from pain until immediately previous to the report of his complete cure, which appeared recently. He has been like a prisoner sentenced for life, but

his sentence is up today.

He says: "After twenty years of pain caused by Gravel and other Kid-ney trouble, I am pleased to make it known that I have been completely cured by one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. During these years I have spent hundreds of dollars without receiving

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Mrs. George Barr, of Brockville, dropped dead.

Premier Martin has been chosen as one of the four Liberal candidates for Vancouver city. Glen Hazel, a small Pennsylvania village, and Granere, near by, were partially destroyed by forest fires.

W. J. Shibley, Harrowsmith, has shipped his last consignment of hay to South Africa. He shipped over 200 John H. Coyne, first assistant at-torney-general of New York, died yes-

terday morning from malignant diph-W. F. Shibley, Harrowsmith, has assumed the management of the post-office at that point, succeeding S.

The arrest of J. A. Smith, in Chicago on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses in Berlin, Ont., appears to have been illegal.

Mrs. Smith, of Deseronto, aged about

20 years, was lighting a fire with kero sene, and an explosion followed. She was dangerously burned. Charles P. Haughian, president of

the Chrome steel works, is dead in Brooklyn, N. Y. He invented the process for making chrome steel. Albert Tilt, president of the Silk Association of America, is dead in New

York, aged 59. He was one of the pioneers of the silk industry in Am-Disastrous bush fires are raging in the vicinity of the head of Buck Lake, Ontario, and in the district between Salmon and Birch Lakes, north of

The lake and rail passenger route was opened by the arrival at Port Arthur from Collingwood of the steamer City of Collingwood, and the Alberta

from Owen Sound. The Ontario government has appoint-Prof. Wiechold gives pretty good advice on this subject. He says: "I am gineer, to inspect the Grand River flats above Brantford, with a view to the

College, recently vacated by the resignation of Rev. Dr. Shaw.

Rev. Mr. Scholfield, pastor of the Congregational Church, Brantford, has tendered his resignation as pastor of that church, his resignation to take effect at the end of June.

At a meeting of paper box board manufacturers in Buffalo, it was decided to order a week's shutdown of all the mills in the country. Strawboard was advanced \$2 per ton.

Recent mail advices from the Philippines indicate that the latest plan of the insurgents is to organize into mounted bands of 100, and harass the American forces wherever possible.

The alliance which has existed be-tween Blanche Walsh and Melbourne McDowell for two years is to end on May 12 in New York. After that Miss Walsh will seek new plays in Europe. A. M. Bryant, to gain notoriety, jumped off Brooklyn bridge yesterday evening, using an umbrella to break his fall, and bladders to keep him

afloat. His injuries may result fataliy. They are found in every well-regued of South Essex are very gratifying. It trees are budding out and the present outlook for a large crop is good. The apple and plum trees also look very promising. Late reports from the peach district

The properties of the Home Electric, Oswego Gas and People's Electric Light Companies, Oswego, N. Y., have been sold to the People's Gas and Electric Company, of Oswego. The amount involved is \$400,000.

The Dominion Manufacturers' Association has decided to summon a convention of Canadian manufacturers the last week of August. The officers state that the principal matter to be considered will be the extension of Canadian

trade abroad. Consumers of canned goods may expect to pay more for canned goods this year than last, as the following addi-tions have been made to the manufacturers' outlay: Tin, 50 per cent; boxes, 100 per cent, and freight rates, 50 per cent.

A sensational story was circulated in Vancouver, that John Murton, a young man well known in business circles there, had been murdered at Point Comfort, Wayne Island. It turns out, however, that the young man died suddenly from uremic poisoning. Mr. Murton was a son of the late Sheriff Murton, of Hamilton, Ont.

The Railways.

The L. E. and D. R. R. has elected F. H. Walker president; William Woollatt, general manager, and Henry Lye, secretary.

The G. T. R. will build a new brick station at Goderich this summer. Much of the material is already on the ground.

W. Towner, of Stratford, has been apointed locomotive foreman at Hamilton, to take the place of Mr. John Hall, who has been in the company's employ for over 40 years. Mr. Somerskill has been appointed to the position of locomotive foreman on the G. T. R. at York, in place of Mr. J. Donelley, who has been transferred to the eastern division.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Central Railway took place at Detroit, when directors were elected as follows: William K. Vanderbilt, Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Hamilton McK. Twombley, Edwin D. Worcester, Samuel F. Barger, of New York; Henry B. Ledyard, Ashley Pond, of Detroit; Frederick S. Winston, of Chicago.

SHOT HIS SWEETHEART AND HIMSELF.

Chicago, May 4.—Wm. Lantz shot and instantly killed his sweetheart, Babbie Edwards, and then, turning the revolver on himself, inflicted a wound from which he died within an hour. The shooting took place in a Madison street saloon. The cause of the double tragedy is said to have been jealousy.

FIRE AT GLENCOLIN. Glencolin, May 4.—There was a big fire Wednesday that spread over about two acres. It started in Mr. Corneliu Bones' slashing, south of the Trinity Church sheds. The high winds blow the fire to the sheds, burning the church and about all the contents. It did damage to fences, etc. The church and sheds were insured for \$1,000. Services will be held in Kilmers' school house for the present time.

SALE OF TIMBER LIMITS. Toronto, May 4.-Fourteen parcels o timber limits on the north shore of Lake Huron, the property of the Cook & Bros. Lumber Company, were offered for sale by auction yesterday, four being sold and the others withdrawn, after bids of from \$1,600 to \$1,000 to be the best was \$6,000 per square mile. One berth was bought by the Victoria Harbor Lumber Company for \$1,500 per square mile; one by H. S. Brennan, of Hamilton, for \$1,600 per square mile, and two by ts Your Move!

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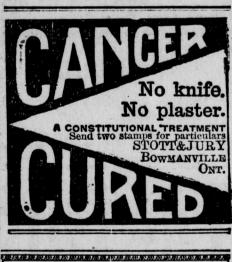
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· The Growing Time.

For weeks, the debate on the Dominson budget, which has just concluded, has been kept up, to the weariness of

It has been time wasted, to a very great extent, in the manufacture of in literature. For of effective criticism of the model financial statement made by Hon. Mr. Fielding, Finance Minister, and of the policy of the Administration, there has been none.

This view is not a partisan one, made se we are in accord with the general policy of the Government now in power, but it is the view held by all who take a broad and statesmanlike view of the record of the last three

In what decade of the last 40 years has Canada made such progress, or established for herself so high a reputation in the world abroad as she has in the last four years?

We have been told by parliamentary speakers, and we see the sentiment expressed in Opposition newspapers, that the progress and prosperity of the country is not due to the Administration, but to the development of our resources. In a measure, we grant, this is true. But who can deny that the Government of Canada in the last four years has been ably administered, and that the prosperity of the country has been greatly aided by the removal of careful and economical, though not parsimonious management?

Let us suppose that after the present 'Administration had come into power in 1896, a period of hard times had set in such as prevailed in Canada, and the world over between 1875 and 1878, when the Mackenzie Government held power, who that remembers the tactics of the present leader of the Opposition at that time will doubt the policy that would now be pursued by the Opposition? We who went through the hard times of that period remember full well the persistency with which the Opposition held Hon. Mr. Mackenzie and his colleagues responsible for the effects of the world-wide depression in trade, and if we had a similar experience now, Sir Charles Tupper and his associates would be as earnestly condemning the Administration for the hard times as they are protesting that Canada's prosperity is not aided by the Government of the day. Supposing the present Oplusty chorus would their orators in the sea-girt isles themselves. Parliament and out of it, and their newspaper organs, be sounding the praises of the Government! How the party of deficits of from \$500,000 to Minister with his surplus of nearly double the latter amount, and with the financial ability to pay all the expenses of the contingents sent to the aid of the Mother Land out of the current revenue.

Surely, then, the Opposition ought to endeavor to be a little fairer towards | mineral resources of the region. their political opponents, and be contented, after 18 years of continuous office, to let the majority of these days show what they can do. That they Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P., remaining are doing well cannot be gainsaid, honestly. One does not need to accept nal which owes so much to his abilthe opinion of a Canadian party man ity; and Mr. John F. Mackay, late of on this subject. We have the best of the Montreal Herald, coming in as outside testimony in this regard. The managing director, in charge of the London Times of the 17th of April last, business side of the enterprise, and for example, asserted that "it is thoroughly satisfactory to know that the This will give Mr. Pattullo more Canadian Dominion is prospering, that leisure as a public man. Mr. Mackay the finances are managed on sound is a capable and upright man, to principles, and that the public credit whom The Advertiser wishes every stands higher than at any former

And the new order of things has but been set going. Each year will show ment of the policy of restricted trade the Mother Country. Of that, howthere does not appear to be any pros-

The Burnt District.

There will be no reproduction of the quaint old city of Hull, on the opposite half dozen newspaper men in the shores of the Ottawa River to the Do- House, most of whom are supporters minion capital. Westerners who have of Ontario's progressive Premier. visited Ottawa and have gone sightseeing in the old town across the river, with its winding streets, curious little houses and shops, and odd holes and corners, will no doubt regret that it is Story of Pretty Frances Wilson, With not probable that the Hull of the past will be reproduced on the site that was burned over by the terrible conflagration of last week. But it is in the public interest-it is especially in the interest of the people of the twin cities by the Chaudiere-that fire limits should be established, and that the structures to be put up should be either of brick or stone. Where a population half the size of London has been burned out, we know the temptation is strong to put up flimsy wooden buildings, because that is the easiest way to meet the pressing present needs. But Ottawa and Hull are too important business centers to be contented with any mere makeshift that might lead to an early and mayhap worse outbreak in the near future. The outside public are very properly liberally aiding the stricken cities in the hour of their calamity; but there would be general disappointment if a reform in the past methods of building houses and of storing lumber within the respective city limits is not resolved on and strictly adhered to. There seems to be a disposition in both Hull and Ottawa to agree to precautionary has been burglarized in a few years. would be general disappointment if a measures of this description, and to encourage the enterprising capitalists to remain in the midst of them rather than to seek new spheres of operation. | 25 cents.

Now, Mr. Whitney!

Mr. W. T. R. Preston has been in Canada for some weeks back, but we have not seen that Mr. Whitney, the Opposition leader, has made any move towards accepting his challenge to meet him on the public platform and repeat the charges before his face that he made in the Legislature. Are we to understand that Mr. Whitney is only a fighter when his antagonist is on the other side of the Atlantic? Mr. Whitney cannot regain a reputation for fairness if he continues to make reckless accusations against absent men, and retires into his shell as soon as he is confronted by those whom he has accused. Such a "funking" must make even Mr. Whitney's friends doubt the truthfulness of his allegations.

Strikes Elsewhere.

When one reads of strikes, in one issue of a daily newspaper, at Buffalo, Philadelphia, Toronto, Hamilton, Halifax, Minneapolis, Detroit, New York, Chicago and elsewhere, he begins to reflect that on the whole, and taking in a series of years, London has been remarkably free from strikes. Our one long strike has been made the most of by jealous outside cities. Obut even that, if properly faid to heart, may render strikes less frequent in the future. Our good friends in Toronto have ten strikes to London's one When obligatory arbitration becomes the general law, there will be practically no strikes anywhere. Meantime, we can confidently challenge contradiction of our assertion that, leaving London's one long strike out of consideration, this city has been more free from strikes during say the last ten numerous clogs to progress, and by years than any other place on the continent with equal industrial popu-

Mr. Beattie's Bad Vote.

The Budget debate closed yesterday. It ought to have closed at a much earlier date. The amendment of the Opposition, against the Government's policy of preferential trade with Great Britain, was defeated 88 to 49. Among those who voted against the Government's policy, we regret to see the name of Mr. Beattle, M. P., for the time being representing London in Parliament. We would venture to suggest that Mr. Beattie represents but a very small minority in this city on either side of politics in his opposition to the policy of preferential tariff friendliness to the Mother Country, that has increased transatlantic trade, unburdened the consumer, and drawn closer the bonds which connect Canada with the world-wide Empire of Greater Britain, of which the Dominion is the most imposition were now in power, with what portant component portion apart from

The Senate's Work.

It is announced that the population of Dawson City is now 5,400. It would have been treble that number if the Dominion Senate at the instance of Yankee speculators, bent on crippling Canadian enterprise, had not burked the scheme to provide for an all-Canadian route from the seaboard, and for the speedy development of the

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the Ontario Legislature just closed. a phenomenal improvement, unless, The Advertiser congratulates the latindeed, so great a misfortune should est member of the journalistic craft befall the country as the re-establish- who entered the House, on the credit he has reflected on his profession. and the bulldozing and harassment of We refer to Mr. T. H. Preston, editor and proprietor of the Brantford Exever, unless all portents are misleading, positor. To his laurels as an energetic publisher and bright editor, he has begun exceedingly well in his first session as a capable legislator. Indeed, The Advertiser is rather proud of the more than

In connection with the session of

STEALING

Anna Heid.

Philadelphia, May 4. - Frances Wilson, the leading chorus girl of Anna Held's "Papa's Wife" company, and of the prettiest girls in the show, was given a hearing in the central station police court today, and was held in \$800 bail for trial, charged with stealing \$352 in cash and jewelry worth \$1,from Mrs. Charles Bigelow, a mem ber of the company and wife of the comedian of that name.

Miss Wilson was arrested after the performance, and spent the night in a cell at the city hall. Detectives say she made a full confession, and said she stole because she has a child that she wants to educate. It is thought the prosecution will be dropped, in view of the defendant's youth and the fact that she gave up nearly all of the plunder.

SIX MONTHS FOR A BIKE. Kingston, May 3.-The police magistrate today sent Wm. Smith, a boilermaker, from Los Angeles, aged about 30, to the Central Prison for six months stealing Ald. McCartney's bicycle.

BURGLARS AT OIL CITY.

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230 yards Fine Scotch Gingham, 30 inches wide, assorted colors, good variety of patterns in pinks, blues, heliotropes, suitable for blouses and wrappers. Regular 20c.

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42 dozen Ladies' Maco Thread Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye, spliced heels and feet, sizes 81/2, 9 91/2. Regular 35c.

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25 dozen only, Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, double heels and feet, Hermsdorf dye, our 18c Hose.

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For 12to Pair. Children's Plain Cotton Hose, very fine make, double heel and foot, Hermsdorf dye, sizes 51/2, 6, 61/2, 7, 71/2, 8, 81/2, our price 15c to 25c pair.

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10c Pair.

Heavy Ribbed Black Cotton Hose, sizes 51/2 to 91/2, good for boys' wear. Saturday and Monday,

loc Pair.

\$1.25 Kid Gloves for 75c Pair.

Pewney's Four-Button Minerva, a glove never sold less than \$1 25, shades of tan and brown, sizes 6, 61/4, 61/2, 63/4, 7, 7¼, and 7½.

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Saturday and Monday at 1-3 and 1-2 off regular prices.

No. 907-27 pairs Fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, 31/2 yards long,

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Regular \$3 Curtain for \$2 Pair.

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\$4 Curtains for \$2.75 Pair.

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No. 893-24 pairs only, Fine White Curtains, 31/2 yards long, taped edges, double and single border,

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HELP FOR THE HOMELESS ONES

Cape Town Sends Aid to the Ottawa-Hull Fire Victims.

Relief From Many Quarters-Much Destitution Prevails-The Death List Completed.

Cape Town, May 4.-Within an hour after the opening of the Ottawa relief fund here there were five subscriptions of \$500 recorded. The members of Strathcona's Horse contributed liber-

ally.
Ottawa, May 4.—The Rideau Rink presented an animated scene as the active distribution of articles of apparel took place there. Outside the rink the crush was great, as hundreds of sufferers stood around awaiting their turn for admission. Only clothing was being distributed yesterday. It is estimated that there is in the Rideau Rink \$80,000 worth of goods.

THE DEATH LIST. There has been no change in the death list from the fire for the gast few days, and it is generally believed that there will be none. All the bodies have been discovered, and no one is now reported missing. The list of dead stands: Miss Bessie Cook, Wellington street; James Pumple, 636 Som-erset street: James Dann, Hull, foreman for E. B. Eddy; J. Scharfe, teamster for Eddy; Wm. Feely, Bridge street, Chaudiere; Wm. Attwood, 576 Albert street; infant son of R. La-

chance, mill hand, Hull, The individual losses and the insurance will not be settled for weeks yet. RELIEF WORK.

Lady Minto is taking a hand in relieving the distressed.

The employes of the Canadian Pacific Railway decided to contribute generously to the relief fund. As the systematizing of the relief work proceeds, the enormity of the wretchedness and destitution becomes wretchedness and destitution becomes more apparent each hour. There were hundreds left with absolutely no source of help other than through the committee, and a problem of gigantic proportions faces the men charged with the responsibility of looking after these people. There should be no staying of the liberal hand. Half a million

dollars looks big, but it is meager compared with the needs of the hour. Gault Bros., Montreal, have forwarded \$1,086 67, including \$500 of its own, and \$586 67 from two English firms. The treasurer of the Eastern Ontario high court of the I. O. F., on behalf of the order, has sent a check for \$200. The North British Fire and Mercantile Insurance Company has subscrib-

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burn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

They make the brain bright and clear and keep students in splendid shape men-tally and physically.

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N.S., gives his experience with this remedy as follows:—"I am a student, and while studying hard got so nervous and run down in health that I had to lay my books aside for a time. "One day a friend said to me "

don't you try a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they'll soon fix you up all right." "I took the good advice given me and started using the pills. The results exceeded all my expectations. One box and a half made me feel like my old self, and I can study for hours at a time now with a clear brain and not have any symptoms of nervousness or be the least fatigued."

England, has cabled \$1,500 for the suf-

Detroit, May 4.-At the May Day exercises given at the Masonic Temple, had barely finished speaking when she Mayor Maybury addressed the hun- pitched forward and fell on her face, the distressed people who were suffer-ing from the results of the recent fire at Ottawa and Hull. He asked each boy or girl present to contribute a penny, and passed his hat among them. In a short time he secured 706 pennies, which he will send in special box to the fire sufferers. The local relief fund now amounts to nearly \$1,000.

ANOTHER FIRE. Ottawa, May 4 .- Yesterday morning a house in Hull belonging to P. Cadieux caught fire. A high wind was blowing at the time, and the whole population turned out and tore the house down piecemeal to prevent the further spread of the flames.

CASUALTIES

Fishing Party Killed by a Train-Little Girl Fatally Kicked by a Horse.

Baltimore, May 4. — A fishing party, composed of Alexander Slaysman, aged 46; Henry Kline, aged 36; Emma Bohannon, 11 years; Ida Slaysman, 11 years, and Alex. Slaysman, aged 8, were returning home in a wagon, near Bal-timore, Md., when they were struck by a fast Philadelphia express. The only one to escape death was Alex. Slays-man. Emma Bohannon was caught on the cowcatcher and carried fully a quarter of a mile.

KILLED BY A HORSE.

Barrie, Ont., May 4. — Wednesday noon, Mr. Charles Minninken, a far-mer living on con. 11, Innisfil, a few mer living on con. II, innisfil, a few miles from here, went to feed his horses. His little daughter, not three years old, started out with him, but stopped on the way to play with the dog in the orchard. She was found in a few minutes in a dying condition, having been fatally kicked by the

SUICIDE.

Fergus, May 4. - Duncan McNee, a fergus, May 4. — Duncan McNee, a farmer in Lower Nichol, committed suicide by hanging in his barn Wednesday night. Mr. McNee was 58 years of age and unmarried, and was in good financial circumstances. He had suffered for a year from grip.

HAD HER WISH. New York, May 4-Margaret Brown.

aged 65, saw the body of her brother ed \$2,500. This company lost over \$300,000 by the fire. The Commercial Charles carried out of the house on Union Assurance Company of London. Wednesday for burial. Then she burst into tears. "My loved ones are dead," she said, "and I wish that I were dead, too. I have nothing to live for." She

> SHOT HER RIVAL. Chicago, May 4.-Miss Emma Stelz tvak shot and killed yesterday by Mrs. Albert Holst at the latter's home Mrs. Holst sent for Miss Stelz and af-ter accusing her of having broken up the Holst home, fired two shots, both taking effect. Mrs. Holst was arrest-

> A ROSSLAND TRAGEDY. Rossland, B. C., May 4.-As the result of a shooting affray at the Columbia Hotel, on First avenue, Henry Mc-Arthur lies in the Sisters' Hospital, probably fatally hurt. Refel, alias Wm. Albi, is in jail charged with shooting him with intent to murder. M. A. Albi

> is also in jail, charged with doing Mc-Arthur great bodily harm.

Chest Tight.

You seem all choked up and stuffed up with the cold-find it hard to breathe. Cough that rasps and tears you-but little

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Now's thetime to take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup before things get too serious.

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THE MARKETS

Local Mark	
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London, Fri	day, May 4.
Wheat, white, per bu	
Wheat, red, per bu	63c to 660
Wheat, red, per bu	65c to 66c
Oats, per bu	33c to 34c
Peas, per bu	60c to 77c
Corn, per bu	
Barley, per bu	.381/c to 381/20
Rye, per bu	56c to 56c
The receipts were lig	
in quotations:	

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The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 4.—Oit opened at \$1 47; closed at \$1 47.
OIL OITY, May 3.—Oredit balances, \$1 47;

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

5 /	April 30.		May 1.		May 2.		May 3.	
WHEAT-				-				
Red Winter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	8	0	6	0	6	0	6	0
Walla	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0
No. 1 Oal	6	416	6	416	6	416	6	41/2
March	O	0	O	0	o	0	0	0
May	5	91/	5	91/	5	954	5	914
July	5	834	5	874	5	91/8	5	94
CORN-	-	-70	-	-,,	1	-/-		-/6
New	14	3%	14	4	4	314	4	314
Old	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb	l o	ŏ	0	o	lo	0	0	o
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May		134	4	334	1	31/2	4	3
July	1	1%	1	21/2	14	134	1	134
Sept	1 4	17	1	214	A	136	A	12
Flour	18	3	18	3	18	3	18	3
Peas	ő	9	5	9	5	9	5	11/4
Pork, prime mess	87	6	67	6	67	6	67	6
Lard		3	37	ő	37	ŏ	37	6
Tallow	27	6	27	6	27	6	28	0
Bacon, light	42	Ö	41	6	41	6	41	0
		6	59	6	59	6	59	0
Cheese, white Cheese, colored		0	63		63	0	68	0

American Markets

CHICAGO, May 3.-Wheat, influenced by corn and easier cables, closed easy, July %c lower. The corn market was July %c lower. The corn market was inactive and weak under the influence of liquidation and lower cables; the close for July was 1c under yesterday. Oats closed %c to %c down, and provisions steady from 2%c higher in lard to 7%c down in pork. Primary receipts were 579,000 bu, compared with 313,000 bu a year ago. New York reported 32 loads taken for export. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were come! to 402,000 by Minocockie. board clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 402,000 bu. Minneapolis 370 last week and 219 the corresponding day last year. Local receipts were 12 cars, none of which graded contract. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: TWEED, Ont., May 3.—At cheese Wheat 19 and Duluth reported 439 cars, against Wheat, 18 cars; corn, 290 cars; oats, 185

Cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat, May, 65%c; July, 67c to 67%c. Corn—May, 39%c to 39%c; July, 40c; Sept., 40%c to 40%c, Oats—May, 22%c; July, 40c; Sept., 40%c to 40%c, Oats—May, 22%c; July, 312; July, 312 10. Lard—May, \$6 35; July, 38 37%; Sept., \$6 97%. Short ribe—May, \$6 70; July, \$8 80; Sept., 36 77%. Cash quotations—Flour, easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 60%c to 65c; No. 2 red wheat, 70c to 70%c; No. 2 corn, 39%c to 39%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 39%c. No. 2 oats, 23%c to 24c; No. 2 white, 26%c to 27%c; No. 3 white, 25%c to 26%c. Good feeding barley, 36c to 36%c; fair to choice malting, 38c to 45c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 76; No. 1 Northwestern, \$1 76. Prime timothy seed, \$2 40. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$7. Mess pork, 311 05 to \$12 10. Lard, \$6 80 to \$7. Short rib sides, \$6 70 to \$6 80. Dry saited shoulders, 6%c to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$7 20 to \$7 30. Sugar, out loaf, \$6; granulated, \$5 64. Eggs, steady, fresh, 10%c. cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

out loaf, \$6; granulated, \$564. Eggs, steady, fresh, 10% c.
RECEIPTS—Flour, 10,000 barrels; wheat, 165,000 bushels; corn, 189,000 bushels; oats, 141,000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; barley, 29,000 bushels. 98.000 bushels: corn, 62,000 bushels; wheat, 130,000 bushels: rye, 3,000 bushels; barley, 6,000

EGG AND POULTRY TRADE. Washington, D.C., May 3 .- The state department has been furnished some interesting facts and figures concerning the importation of eggs and poultry into Great Britain by Consul Mar-shall Halstead, at Birmingham, England. The importation of eggs last year was valued at \$24,548,227, while the poultry and game figures were \$3,821,-There is a growing demand for turkeys in Great Britain, and of late years importations from abroad have increased enormously. France and Denmark control the bulk of the egg trade with Great Britain, while most of the foreign poultry comes from Italy and France, though Canada of late has made a strong bid to establish a poultry trade with England.

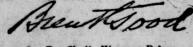
BROOM CORN. The broom corn trade has put prices up to \$200 per ton, has 12,000 tons on band, and expects \$2,400,000 for it.

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CURE'SICK HEADACHE.

Dealers not in the trust have been selling for \$180 to \$190, and have imported 500 tons Hungarian at a cost of about \$120 per ton. It is not so good as the Illinois article, yellow in color instead of green. It is grown in Hungary largely for seed to be fed to chickens and cattle. We may expect a great crop and low prices next fall.

Live Stock Markets. Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, May 3.—Cattle—Unchanged. Calves—Light supply, fair demand; choice to extra, \$5 75 to \$6 15. Sheep and lambs—Offerings moderate, active demand; 10c higher; choice to extra lambs, \$6 40 to \$6 60; good to choice, \$6 25 to \$6 40; common to fair, \$4 75 to \$5 75; sheep, choice to moderate wethers, \$5 25 to \$5 40; choice to extra yearlings, \$5 50 to \$5 75; mixed sheep. \$4 50 to \$5 15. Hogs—Market dull and lower; heavy, \$5 45 to \$5 50; mixed, \$5 40 to \$5 45; Yorkers, heavy, \$5 35 to \$5 40; light Yorkers, \$5 30 to \$5 35; pigs, \$5 to \$5 05; the close on good weights was strong; mixed, \$5 45 to \$5 47½.

CHICAGO, May 3.—Cattle—Receipts, CHICAGO, May 3.—Cattle—Receipts,

9,000; steers active and strong; butchers' stock steady; best on sale today, one load at \$5.30; good to prime steers, \$4.75 to \$5.70; selected feeders, \$4.25 to \$5; mixed steers, \$3.60 to \$4.10; cows, \$4.40 to \$4.60; heifers, \$3.25 to \$5; calves strong \$4.55 to \$5.00. \$4 to \$4 60; heifers, \$3 25 to \$5; calves strong, \$4 25 to \$6 20; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$5 25. Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; left over, 300; lower; close strong; top price, \$5 35; butchers, \$5 10 to \$5 32½; good to choice heavy, \$5 20 to \$5 35; bulk of sales, \$5 15 to \$5 27½. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; sheep strong to 5c higher; lambs active, 10c to 15c higher; good to choice wethers, \$5 25 to \$5 65; fair to choice mixed, \$4 50 to \$5 25; western sheep, \$5 25 to \$5 65; yearlings, \$5 50 to \$6; native lambs, \$5 50 to \$7; western lambs, \$6 to \$7.

western lambs, \$6 to \$7.

MONTREAL, May 3.—The receipts of live stock at the east end abattoir this morning were 400 head of cattle, 150 calves, 50 sheep and 50 lambs. The demand was fairly good and prices were well maintained. Cattle, choice, sold at 4½c to 5c per lb; good at 3¾c to 4½c per lb; lower grades at 2c to 3c per lb. Calves sold from \$2 to \$6 each. Sheep brought from 4½c to 5c per lb. Lambs sold from 4½c to 5c per lb. Hogs brought from 5½c to 6c per lb. NEW YORK, May 3.—Beeves—Receipts, 729 head; 6 cars for teh market; very little doing; feeling steady to very little doing; feeling steady to firm. Cables unchanged. Exports, 48 cattle and 70 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 352 head; market firm to 15c higher; all 352 head; market firm to 15c higher; all sold; veals, \$4 to \$5 75; choice do, \$6; little calves, \$3. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,848; 12 cars on sale; active and firm; clipped lambs, 10c higher; all sold; no wooled stock; clipped sheep, \$4 30 to \$5; clipped lambs, \$5 30 to \$7 10; Maryland spring lambs, \$5 25 per head. Hogs—Receipts, 659 head; one car for the market; no sales reported; nominally weak.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, May 3 .-- Here and at Liverpool cattle are unchanged at 11½c to 12c per lb, dressed weight. Sheep sell at 14c per lb. Refrigerator beef, 8¾c

Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Butter firm; western creamery, 16c to 20c; western factory, 13c to 14½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 17c; state dairy, 15c to 18½c; state creamery, 16c to 20c. Cheese weak; fancy large white, 10%c; fancy large colored, 10½c; fancy small white, to 10%c; fancy small colored, 10%c

to 101/2c. KINGSTON, Ont., May 3.—At cheese

board met here today; 300 white cheese boarded: all sold at 10%c. BROCKVILLE, Ont., May 3.-The first meeting of the Brockville cheese board was held this afternoon; the offerings were 1,389 colored and 464 white; everything was sold, colored bringing 10%c and white 11 1-16c. CHICAGO, May 3.-Butter-Market firm; creameries, 141/2c to 191/2c; dairies,

New Books at the **Public Library**

131/2c to 161/2c. Cheese steady, at 9c

The following additions have been made to the library: Frith-Practical Palmistry

Torrey—The New Topical Text Book. Dougal—Index Register to Next of Kin, Heirs-at-Law, Legatees, etc. Demmin-An Illusatrated History of Arms and Armour. From the earliest period to the present time; 2,000 illus-

trations. Cheyne and Burghard-A Manual of Surgical Treatment. Volume II.
Allsop—Induction Coils and Coil-Medical and spark coils. Card—Bush Fruits. A horticultural monograph of raspberries, blackberries,

Lampman-Poems. Edited (with memoir) by D. C. Scott. Carpenter-English Lyric Poetry,

Atterioge-The Wars of the Nineties. Last ten years of the nineteenth cen-Thomas-Roman Life Under the

Baring-Gould-A Book of the West. In two volumes; Vol. I., Devon; Vol. II., Cornwall,

Norway-Highways and Byways in Yorkshire,
Thomas—Two Years in Palestine
and Syria. Sixteen colored plates.
Steevens—From Cape Town to Ladysmith. An unfinished record of the Jesuit Relations and Allied Docu-ments, Vols. LXIII., LXIV.

Buchan—A Lost Lady of Old Years. Caffyn—The Minx. Chambers—The Cambric Mask. Churchill—Savtola. Gray—The World's Mercy.

Johnston—To Have and To Hold. Russell—Under the Sjambok. All new books are ready for circulation at 9 a.m. Saturday.

PRESIDENT COMPERS AT TO-RONTO.

Toronto, Ont., May 4.—Samuel Gompers, the president of the American Federation of Labor, addressed a gathering of 1,500 people in the Pavilion last night, and was warmly received by his audience, which consisted largely of workingmen. The striking teamof workingmen. The striking team-sters were present in a body, having marched from Temperance Hall, and on their appearance at the Pavilion they were warmly cheered. W. D. Mahon, president of the International Street Railway Employes' Union, also

A HOT SPELL. What's the use of diggin'! The world won't stop If we take to hammocks And let work drop.

"Folks as won't labor Needn't eat," they say Like to know who wants to

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I'm too hot for wishin'.

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Triumphant victory. This is a victory week. The flags are flying and rejoicing abounds. Do you take on of the enthusiasm?

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ular price \$1 25, Victory week price 75c. BLOUSE WAISTS.

Here's subjecting of high prices, too. Very handsome Waists in pretty designs of blues, pinks, black, helios; etc.; worth 75c, now selling at 49c.
At 75c—Pretty colors in American
Percales, cut to fit, beautifully finished, very stylish; worth \$1, now selling

At \$1 to \$2-Exclusive designs with pretty lace, insertion and ruffle-tucked yokes. All with the new French back and flare cuff. Any lady wanting a handsome, stylish Blouse at a reasonable price should see this lot.

NEW BELTS.

Pretty styles in Girdles and Belts, 25c. The popular Dog Collar and Pulley Belts, in leather, at 25c, 35c and

And in Metal, Silver, Polished Steel, Gun Metal, Gold and Royal Gray, from 29c up. See our 50c and 75c lines.

NEW WASH GOODS. Special lot of Ginghams for Chil-

dren's Frocks, etc., pretty patterns, and solid fast colors, at 25c.

The ever increasing popularity of this department is certainly the strongest kind of evidence that we know what's right, and DO IT. Who does or can sell so cheaply? Special sale of Flowers at 25c; worth 50c to

MILLINERY.

ARRESTED ON A

James Riley Alleged to Have Enticed a 13-Year-Old Girl From Her Home claims. He showed the progress made Station at Melbourne.

James Riley, of Caradoc, has been arrested in Sarnia, charged with enticing Victoria McDougall, the 13-yearold daughter of Mr. Angus McDougall, of the same township, to accompany him, against the will of her parents. An information was laid by Detective Ward on April 21, before Squire Lacey, charging Riley with the above offense. The following day Ward went after his man, but found he had decamped. He (Ward) followed the prisoner to Courtright, where the latter escaped across the border. This morning, Detective Farrell, who had been notified to keep a watch out for Riley, arrested his man with the little girl in his company, and communicated with Detective Ward, who left this afternoon to bring the prisoner and

child to this city.

Riley is also charged with breaking into the M. C. R. station at Melbourne and stealing \$50 worth of whisky.

Detective Ward has put in some hard work on the first charge since he laid the information against Riley, and deserves much credit for the plans he laid to capture his man.

Notice to Cyclists.

Owing to the bylaws recently pass. ed regarding cyclists, the tendency towards accidents has been considerably diminished, but they do not specify what to use in case an accident should happen. Griffiths' Menthol Liniment is a complete repair kit for damaged wheelmen. It relieves a sprain of all pain in less than half an hour. You will find its relieving properties simply wonderful for bruises, any swelling or inflammation, After a long ride a rub down with Griffiths' Menthol Liniment will make you as good as new. It is pleasant to use and does not stain or blister. Always keep a bottle handy. 25 and 75 cents, by druggists.

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Brave Men Fall.

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A fire in Tod's bakery at Oshawa did damage to the bakery and surrounding buildings estimated at \$12,000. hold word all over the world. For over 50 years it has advertised itself by its merits. It is now advertised to warn the public against counterfeits. genuine article is manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

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REMEMBERED BY THE QUEEN

Her Majesty Gives \$2,500 to the and 30c. Ottawa Relief Fund.

of the Church of Scotland in

London, May 4.—Queen Victoria has cabled 500 guineas (\$2,500), and the Prince of Wales 250 guineas (\$1,250) to the Mansion House Ottawa fire relief fund. Another Ottawa relief fund was opened at Glasgow today, and about £2,000 (\$10,000) subscribed in a few hours.

KAISER MADE A FIELD MARSHAL Berlin, May 4.—Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, who left Vienna yesterday evening for Berlin in order to be present at the ceremonies and celebrations at the coming of age of the German crown prince (Frederick William), has appointed Emperor William a field marshal-general of the Austrian army.

HONOR FOR A CANADIAN. London, May 4.—Rev. Dr. John Robbins, a Canadian, now of London, formerly of Giencoe, Ont., and Truro, Nova Scotia, was yesterday elected moderator of the Church of Scotland in England.

A ROYAL MARRIAGE. Berlin, May 4.-Princess Elizabeth of Berlin, May 4.—Princess Elizabeth of Waldeck-Pyrmont, aunt of Queen Wilhelmina, was married yesterday at noon in Arolsen, capital of Waldeck, to Count Alexander of Erbach-Schoenberg. The Queen of the Netherlands, the queen-mother, the King and Queen of Wurtemberg and the other princesses of Waldeck were present. CALLS IT NONSENSE.

London, May 3.—Preaching in the City Temple here today, Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker, referring to the alleged Christ-Agrippa manuscripts, said he undertook to say Christ had never "such inconceivable

CABLE NOTES. The Duke of York has gone to Berlin, in order to participate in the cere-monles incident to the German crown prince's birthday anniversary.

Sons of England.

On Wednesday evening, May 2, there was a large and enthusiastic gathering of Sons of England in Beresford Lodge room, Sherwood Hall, Richmond street, to welcome the supreme officers at present making a visit to this district. All city lodges were well represented. After short addresses by local brethren, the supreme secretary was called upon, and was given a most hearty reception. He gave much interesting statistical information regarding SERIOUS CHARGE ing the numerical and financial state of the society. Among other things, he said the local lodges in London in the past ten years had expended for the benefit of the brethren in London over Also With Robbing the M. C. R. by each lodge during each year since tation at Melbourne. tics respecting the order at large. Amounts of sick benefits paid to members since 1881, \$244,695; paid for medical attendance and medicine, \$165,288; paid for funeral claims since 1887, \$115,302; paid since 1887 for insurance claims, \$191,204; a total for sick and death claims of \$716,489. The supreme secretary said that if the society gave up business and did no more, the good accomplished was worthy all the and sacrifice made for the cause of humanity. At the close of the supreme secretary's address, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the visitors. Sev-eral officers and members made short addresses, and an adjournment made to Bro. D. Sare's for lunch, During the evening Bro. Alf Flawn was nominated for the position of district deputy for Middlesex, and his appointment only awaits the approval of the supreme president.

In the Jaws of a Lion.

The gallant Major Swaine tells of being knocked senseless by a lion that lacerated his arm. His thrilling escape from the jaws of death is only equaled by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved thousands from desperate Throat and Lung troubles. "All doctors said my wife would soon die of Consumption," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "but your wonderdful medicine completely cured her, and saved her life." Satisfaction is guaranteed by W. T. Strong & Co, who give trial bottles free. Large bottles

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In looking up a word for wireless telegraphy, the suggestions are "wavewriting." "undigraphy." "atmography" and "magno-electrography." LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the

lungs, and was given up by physicians.

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his wife had used it for a throat his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting no this advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good.

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One man in the Soudan saw every object of a vivid crimson for some months after being on outpost duty during an alarm, and he was only cured with great difficulty. General Hamley tells of sentries who, on being re-lieved, yet stood stock still, immovable, speechless, and staring into vacancy. In some cases, after the man had been removed this sort of fixity would remain for hours.

Even in peace time, there was a case lately where a young sentry wounded the guard by firing at it under the belief that he saw a ghost; and Lord Roberts, in one of his magazine articles, relates that even the most reliable and truthful soldiers on sentry often have the most fantastic stories to tell, due to shattered nerves. Great numbers of soldiers in war time have committed suicide or accidentally shot themselves, the cause often being that they imagined they had let some one creep past them, and had thus be-trayed their trust.—London Answers.

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tory" is the title of a neat volume compiled by Mr. James P. Taylor. This book contains the principal facts of Canadian history, given in order, and presents the country's, history whether political, military, ecclesiastical, social or commercial. It also contains a good deal of information obtained by correspondence, especially referring to the war of 1812. Mr. Taylor, who is an old school teacher, was three years in get-ting this valuable book of history together, and has taken the greatest pains to have everything in the volume absolutely trustworthy.

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English Markets.

Liverpool, May 4.—Closing.
Wheat — Spot, firm; winter, firm; No. 1
Cal. 6e 31/d to 6e 4d; No. 2 red western winter, oat., se 3%d to se 4d; No. 2 red western winter, se 11%d; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 5s 11d; No. 1 red northern Duluth, 5s 10%d; Stutures, quiet; May, 5s 9%d; July, 5s 9d; Sept., nominal.

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Oorn—Spot. quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 1½d; do, old, nominal, 4s 5½d; futures, easy, May, 4s 2d; July, 4s ½d; Sept., 4s ½d.

Peas—Western, 5s 9d; Canadian, 5s 9d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d;

Minn., 7s 9d.

Beef—Prime mess, firm, 7%s 6d; extra India

Beef—Prime mess, firm, 72s 6d; extra India mess, firm, 78s 9d.

Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 67s 6d; do, medium western, 42s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, dull, 37s 9d; prime western, in terces, dull, 36s 3d.

Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs, easy, 47s 6d.

Bacon—Dull; Cumberland out, 28 to 20 lbs, 43s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, dull, 42s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, dull, 41s; long clear middles, heavy, 36 to 40 lbs, dull, 41s; long clear middles, heavy, 36 to 40 lbs, dull, 40s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 37s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 39s 5d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 36s.

Butter—Finest American and good, nominal. Cheese—American finest white, steady, 58s 6d; colored, firm, 62s 6d; do, old, firm, 54s 6d; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, dull, 27s 6d; Australian in London, steady, 28s.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, 43 5s to 43 15s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, May-Aug.

Cottonseed oil - Hull refined, May-Aug., dull, 23s 3d.

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Turpentine spirits—Firm, 42e 3d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s.
Linseed oil—31s 9d.
Petroleum—Refined, 7¼d.

Receipts of wheat for the past three days were, 193,000 centals, including 149,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 119,500 centals. Weather,

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, May 4.-Wheat inactive and easier; cars of white and red, 66c west. Goose, 70c to 71c west. Spring wheat, 65c to 651/2c east. Manitoba, 77c for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west; 78c, grinding in transit; 73½c, Goderich, and 74c, Midland. Flour dull; cars of straight roller or Ontario patents are quoted at \$2 80 to \$2 85 in harrels west. Manitoba flour, \$4 to \$4 10 for patents; and \$3 70 for strong bakers in car lots here. Millnominally \$16 to \$16 50 for shorts and \$14 for bran west. Barley steady at 41c for No. 2. Buckwheat steady at 50c west. Rye steady at 52c west. Corn

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easter at 39c to 39½c for Canada yellow west. American easter at 47c for new No. 3 yellow, Toronto. Oats steady; white. 27½c west. Peas steady at 60c to 61c west. Butter weak; 13c to 14c for choice dairy pound rolls, and 11c to 12c for large rolls; creamery, 17½c to 18c for tubs and 18c to 19c for prints. Live hogs—Receipts today, 800; market steady and unchanged; choice bacon, 6½c; heavy, fat, 5¾c; light, fat, 5½c.

American Markets

BUFFALO May A Spring wheat easier at 39c to 391/2c for Canada yellow

BUFFALO, May 4.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 72%c; No. 2 northern, 70%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red nominally 74c; No. 1 white, 73c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 28%c; No. 3 white, 28%c; No. 2 mixed, 26%c on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 44%c; No. 3 yellow, 44%c; No. 2 white, 44c asked.

DETEROIT May 4—Wheat—No. 1 yellow, 44½c; No. 2 white, 44c asked.

DFTROIT, May 4.—Wheat—No. 1
white, cash, 73½c; No. 2 red, cash,
73½c; May, 73½c; July, 72¾c.

TOLEDO, May 4.— Wheat — Cash,
73½c; May, 735; July, 73c. Corn—
May, 39¾c; July, 41c; Sept., 42c. Oats
—May, 24c; July, 23½c.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Flour—Receipts, 16,123 barrels; sales, 3,200 packages; state and western moderately active and lower to sell. Rye flour— Easy; fair to good, \$2 90 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$2 50. Wheat—Receipts, 271,025 bu; sales, 835,000 bu; option market dull and lower, affected by liberal Argentine shipments and lower cables; May 72½c to 72 13-16c; July, 72 11-16c to 72 15-16c; Sept., 73 7-16c to 73%c. Rye—Dull; state, 56c 13 7-16c to 73%c. Rye—Dull; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York car lots; No. 2 western, 60%c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 308,100 bu; sales, 80,000 bu; option market opened easier, following cables, but turner stronger later on an active demand from shorts; May, 45c; July, 45%c to 45%c; Sept., 45%c. Oats—Receipts, 79,800 bu; options dull but steady. Butter—Receipts, 3,511 but steady. Butter—Receipts, 3,511 packages; market steady; state dairy, 15c to 19c. Cheese—Receipts, 4,998 packages; steady. Eggs—Receipts, 9,-740 packages; market firm. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 15-16c; mo-

lasses sugar, 3%c; refined, steady. Coffee—Easy; No. 7, Rio, 7%c. Lead —Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Steady. Chicago Exchange.
CHICAGO, May 4.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
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Live Stock Market. Chicago Exchange.

Live Stock Market. CHICAGO, May 4.-Cattle-Receipts, 1,500; steers strong to shade higher; butchers' stock steady; good to prime steers, \$4 75 to \$5 75; poor to medium, \$4 10 to \$4 65; stockers and feeders, \$3 60 to \$5; cows, \$3 to \$4 60; heifers. \$3 25 to \$5; canmers, \$2 20 to \$2 85; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 30; calves, \$4 25 to \$6 20; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$5 25; Texas bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 75. Hogs—Recelpts, today, 18,000; tomorrow, 15,000; eft over, 4,289; 10c higher; top, \$5 47½; mixed and butchers. \$5 20 to \$5 421/2; good to choice heavy, \$5 30 to \$5 471/2; rough heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 25; light, \$5 10 o \$5 35; bulk of sales, \$5 25 to \$5 371/4.

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Strong's Baking Powder Strong's Flavoring Extracts Strong's Fruit Colors

Strong's Drug Store

185 Dundas Street, London.

-The civic pay sheet amounts to \$320 33 this week. -Miss Kathleen Durand has returned

from a visit in Toronto. -The following resolution was passed by the ladies of the Red Cross Soci-

-William B. Wheeler, Buffalo, traveling passenger agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, is in the city. -At the local official weather observatory last night the thermometer

registered 41/2 degrees of frost. -Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Purdom and Mr. and Mrs. John Purdom have returned from a trip to New York.

-The Bell Telephone Company have the line between Watford and this city. -R. W. Bennet, of the Bennet Manufacturing Company, left for Europe at 2:10 p.m. today. He will sail by the Cunard steamer Lucania.

-The Toronto papers say that President Gompers, while in Toronto, was suffering from a severe cold, contracted

at the labor meeting in London. -Louis Drago, of Buffalo, traveling passenger agent of the West Shore Railroad, and A. J. Ratcliffe, Detroit, of the Union Pacific Railway, are in

-Today's snowstorm followed on the heels of a severe frost last night, which froze the water in stagnant pools. The flurry is pretty general throughout the

-The young people of the Talbot Street Baptist Church have formed a bicycle club. About 30 members (the advance guard) enjoyed a run to the asylum grounds last evening.

-The Twentieth Century Bicycle Club had their first run of the season last evening. Early in the evening the members gathered and enjoyed a run to Lambeth. On their return they were entertained by the captain. boys did justice to the spread, after which they spent a social time to-

gether and attended to a few items of "The London Advertiser Publishing Company: Dear Sirs,—The ladies of the Red Cross Society of this city thank

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—Archbishop O'Connor was too ill to

-Archbishop O'Connor was too ill to take part in the welcome extended to Mgr. Falconio, papal ablegate, yesterday, by the bishops, priests and laity of the archdiocese of Toronto, at St. Michael's, Toronto. Vicar-General Mc-Cann welcomed the papal representa-tive, saying in the course of his re-marks: "We are happy to inform you that our schools are abreast of the times, and that through our religious teachers we are enabled to impart a sound Catholic education It will also please to our children. you to know that the most cordial re lations exist between the various sec tions of the community in this city."
In his reply the delegate expressed his pleasure at the prosperity of the church, and the ceremony closed with the bestowal of the apostolic blessing. It was the first anniversary of the installation of Archbishop O'Connor. AGAIN REMANDED.

Squire French, of Glencoe, came to the city this morning for the purpose of formally committing for trial the five men accused of complicity in the Glencoe outrage. A further remand was found necessary, to allow Stenographer Coo to finish the transcribing of the evidence. They were accordingly remanded till Friday next, May 11. DEATH OF MISS ISIAC.

Miss Emma Isaac, daughter of Emmanuel Isaac, and sister of Mr. John R. Isaac, of London, died this morning at her father's residence, near Crumlin, Death was the result of the after-effects of an attack of measles. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon from the family residence to Brown's Hill cemetery, Nissouri.

JUVENILE COURT. At the juvenile police court this morning a 14-year-old boy was charged by G. T. R. Constable Logan with stealing three tickets, valued at \$20. from the station ticket office. The boy was remanded till tomorrow. Seven lads charged with disorderly conduct were discharged with a warning. One lad was fined \$1 for riding a wheel on the sidewalk.

THE DATE PTE, HARRY COTTON. Pte. Harry Cotton, of D Company, who was killed in Monday's fighting near Thabanchu, was well known in London, having been connected with the Bank of Montreal here from December, 1897, to the same month in the following year. He was making arrangements to join the Seventh Battalion, when he was transferred to Ottawa, where his father, Col. Cotton, resides. He was also actively interested in athletics while here, being prominent in football and rowing circles.

POLICE COURT. At this morning's session of the police court, two city merchants were present, one charged with having a store awning lower than called for by bylaw, and the other with obstructing the sidewalk with goods. The magistrate took a lenient view of the cases and suspended sentence.

George Alexander was charged with trespass, the case being adjourned till Tuesday next. John Jarvis and John Leary paid \$1 each for driving over bridges faster

Samuel Robb, a milkman, who left his horse standing unattended, was fin-

Two sidewalk wheelmen were fined \$2 elderly woman arrested for drunkenness was allowed to go.

SET FIRE TO HER CLOTHING

riss Sarah Mustill Badly Burned-Injuries May Prove Fatal.

Miss Sarah Mustill, of 81 Becher street, South London, accidentally set fire to her clothing this morning, and was seriously burned about the body, hands and limbs. She extinguished the fire by jumping into a cistern in which was about four and a half feet of water. Dr. J. M. Piper was called, and she was removed to the hospital. It is not yet known whether her injuries will prove fatal.

SUDDEN DEATH

Stephen Turrill, an Old Resident, Passes Away After Only a Half Hours' Illness.

Mr. Stephen Turrill ded suddenly last night at his residence, Hamilton road, near the Gore of London. Heart disease was the cause of death, deceased only being ill half an hour. He was a market gardener and florist, and well-known in London, having lived for years on Carfrae street, South Lonbefore his removal last spring to the Gore. He was a native of Elgin county and was in his 48th year. His widow survives.

A Rose Day.

Roses at 50 cents a dozen will be the special feature at Gammage's tomorrow (Saturday). The firm are offering an exceptionally fine assortment of hardy garden and climbing roses at prices within the reach of all. Also a quantity of fine plants of that beautiful hardy climber, Clematis Jackmanii. At their greenhouses are to be seen thousands of pansies, daisies and general bedding plants under preparation for this season's planting.

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Two young Germans from New Hampshire, who had gone to Germany with the idea of traveling on to the Transvaal to fight for the Boers, have been arrested and compelled to serve in the German army.

DEADLY FEVER

Carries Off Two More Canadian

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, May 4.-The militia department today received a cable from Sir Alfred Milner, dated Cape Town, May

2. It says:
"No. 7,165, Pte. H. Barr, Royal Can-Adian Regiment, died of enteric fever,
April 30, Bloemfontein,
"No. 255, Gunner E. Picot, D battery,
Canadian Artillery, died of enteric
fever at De Aar today.
(Signed)
"MILNER."

(Signed) "MILNER."
Pte. Barr's death has already been reported. ANOTHER.

The older commanding the first Canadian contingent reports from Bloemfontein the death on the 2nd inst., of No. 7,063, Pte. B. Liston, 90th (Winnipeg) Rifles. The cause of death A militia order issued today has the

following: "No. 7,833, Pte. J. W. Culver (or Raymond), 62nd (St. John) Fusiliers, Canadian Mounted Rifles, 1st battalion,

slightly wounded in action.
"The following have been reported missing since April 23: No. 410, Sergt. R. H. Ryan, reserve of officers; No. 263, Corp. T. E. Linden, Royal Canadian Dragoons; No. 276, Pte. P. Hyry, Royal Canadian Dragoons.

Nearer Pretoria.

GEN. ROBERTS AT BRANDFORT. London, May 4.—The Boer army at Brandfort was commanded by Gen. Delarey. It is presumably retiring on Winburg. Brandfort, 35 miles nearer the Transvaal capital, is now Lord

WORK AND WAGES

N. Y. Central Car Repairers Resume-Employers of Striking Teamsters Will Not Hear of Arbitration.

EMPLOYERS WILL NOT HEAR OF ARBITRATION.

Toronto, May 4.-Representatives of the striking teamsters again waited upon Hon. F. R. Latchford yesterday to invoke, if possible, the arbitration machinery provided for industrial disputes. Mr. Latchford gave the deputation a courteous hearing, but as the employers refuse to arbitrate, the government could do nothing in the case. Mr. Latchford hopes, however, to be able to bring the strikers and employers together.

There were no developments in the brickmakers' strike at Carlton. In the morning all the men went out, and expressed their determination to remain out until their demands were complied with. The manufacturers, on the other hand, maintain that they are unable to pay the increase in wages asked for. BACK TO WORK.

Buffalo, May 4.-The striking car repairers of the New York Central all reported for duty this morning, and work is progressing as usual. MOULDERS MAY STRIKE IN HAM-ILTON.

Hamilton, May 4.-From present appearances there is every likelihood of ers of Hamilton unless they and the manufacturers, come to terms very

STANDARD OIL COMPANY IN-CREASES WAGES.

New York, May 4.- Employes of the Standard Oil Company in Williams-burg, Green Point and Long Island City, to the number of fully 5,000, yesterday received an increase in their wages and a reduction of one hour in their working time. The increase of wages is from 5 to 15 per cent.

FIRE AT OSHAWA

Several Buildings Destroyed-Loss About \$15,000 -- Two Farmers Lose Heavily.

Oshawa, Ont., May 3 .- This town had another big conflagration this morning. and \$15,000 worth of property was destroyed. The fire broke out in the stables of D. M. Tod, baker. Mayor Fowke, grocery and flour and feed store, loss \$2,500; Ellis & Co., drygoods, \$2,000; H. King, boots and shoes, \$1,200; D. M. Tod, baker and confectioner, \$2,500; Wm. McChesney, buildings, \$1,-000; Mrs. (Dr.) Ray, Toronto, building, \$1,000; J. O. Henry, damage to building, \$500; the Ontario Loan and Savings Company, dwelling house, \$1,000. Guelph, May 3.—A couple of disastrous fires occurred in the township of Erin, near the village of Ospringe.

About 2 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Gilbert McArthur, on the second line, lost a fine barn. Mr. Sutton's barn, a mile distant, caught fire from the flying cinders and was burned, with a lot of valuable live stock, implements, etc. Loss \$8,000. Mr. McArthur's loss

is also heavy.
Winnipeg, May 4.—Fire at Rat Portlast night destroyed Duncan & Co.'s flour and feed store, King's harness shop, Delhije's livery stable, restaurant, and Helloff & Virden's butcher shop. All the buildings are a total loss.

LATE SPORTING

FISTIC

Jim Jeffries paid \$5,000 for a piece of Loch Arbor, N. Y., property the other day. The big fellow is still training hard for his go with Corbett, although the New York board of police commissioners has not yet granted a license to the Seaside Club. Although the championship mill is but nine days off, there is little interest shown in it. The uncertainty as to whether the big fellows will get together is the principal reason

Jim Jeffries says: "Of course, we all know Corbett is very clever and shifty on his feet, and he depends largely on that talent to keep out of harm's way, but Corbett may do all the jig-dancing he pleases, it won't rattle me a particle. I did not work with him in Carson City for nothing. I've invented with Tommy Ryan a couple of new punches which I think will do the trick some time during the fight."

BASEBALL. FLYS.

Jimmy Dean and Peter Hagerty are making a favorable impression with the Elmira team. Hagerty is said to be batting better than last year. Rochester is carrying 14 players.

Worcester has released Pitchers Smith and Conroy.

Catcher Curtis, Shortstop Kloff and
Outfielder Ladd, released by Worcester. are with Newark.

Baseball is being poorly patronized in Brooklyn and Chicago. Rochester and Shortston Bean are

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still at out on the salary question. Leon Viau, with Rochester for a time last season, is pitching for New-

Billy Lush, of Rochester, is out for the base-running honors. He has stolen 11 already this season. Third Baseman Burke, the ex Ro-chester player, is fielding all right for Milwaukee, but batting about .107. Billy Clymer is managing and cap-taining the Wilkesbarre team in the Eastern League, and playing shortstop

himself. The released Toronto players, Catcher Bemis, Pitcher Millett and Centerfielder Walters, have made good work with Newark.

Dineen has an inshoot that can fool the best batters. Some of the champions almost broke their backs trying to bat his benders.—Brooklyn Pitcher Hughes has been offered \$2 .-600 and his traveling expenses to and from California, and still shows no

signs of reporting to the Brooklyn Catcher Jacklitz, of last year's Montreal team, is playing shortstop for the Philadelphia Athletics, in the Atlantic League. Long Jim Field is the first baseman, and Pitcher Conn, with Rochester last season, is working in the outfield when he's not on the

In a ball game at Fort Wayne, a player named Miller was called out by Umpire Cooke while trying to steal second base. After the game Miller assaulted Cooke severely, and was arrested, besides being fined \$100 and suspended by the club.

FOOTBALL. Ann Arbor, May 3.—"Dutch" Ferbert, Michigan's noted half-back, and for the past two seasons coach of the university eleven, left last night for Seattle, where he will join "High" Allen and Villa, two other prominent 'Count" Michigan football men, the trio then proceeding to the Cape Nome, Alaska, gold fields. This leaves the question of a football coach for the Michigan eleven next fall very much unsettled.

THE MONTPELIER

Is Breaking Up-Crew Escaped to Land.

s there is every likelihood of cape Henry, Va., May 4.—The marine strike among the iron mould-bureau official at Hatteras reports that unknown steamship stranded on the Diamond Shoals appears to have broken in two, and that her stern is settling. She is ten or twelve miles off the Cape point. The crew doubtless is

St. John, May 4. — The Montpelier struck at 9 o'clock last night, and beat out her bow and bottom on the rocks. She is breaking to pieces today. Her crew landed today from the steamer's boats, and they spent the night lying off the coast waiting for daylight. The crew had many narrow escapes while launching the boats in the darkness.

SUGAR BEETS

Can Be Successfully Grown in Canada on a Moist Warm Soil.

Prof. Shuttleworth has prepared a pamphlet on the culture of the beet for sugar, which has been issued by the Dominion Government for the information of farmers. An interesting portion of the statement locates the "best belt" of Canada, as follows: Sugar beets for cattle feed can be

grown probably in any part of Ontario, but owing to favorable climatic conditions, they can be grown for the production of sugar more profitably certain portions or sections than in A line running from Sarnia in a southeasterly direction to St. Thomas, and then curving gradually in a northeasterly direction through the counties of Norfolk and Haldimand to the city boundary of Hamilton, would locate the northern boundary of the United States theoretical beet sugar belt passing through Ontario.
The section of Ontario to the south of this line, comprising Essex, Kent, Bothwell, Elgin, Welland. Lincoln and the southern portions of Lambton, Middlesex, Norfolk, Haldimand and Wentworth, possesses favorable climatic and, for the most part, soil conditions the highest development of the sugar beet. It is not to be understood, however, that there are no other sections in Ontario where sugar beets can be grown for sugar production. Temperature and length of season both north and east are more or less influenced by the lakes; consequently in sections where land can be cultivated for planting by May 1, and where favorable beet harvesting weather can be depended upon through October and the early part of Novem-

fully as within the above-mentioned section. **Questions Answered.**

ber, beets may be produced as success

CREDITOR .- Your city contemporaries publish a notice to creditors by a firm of solicitors, "pursuant to R. S. O., 1887, chapter 110." Is this notice legal?. Ans.—As chapter 110, R. S. O. 1887 was repealed by the R. S. O. of 1897 this cannot be a lawful notice given pursuant to it, and it has, therefore, no legal effect.

PEDDLER.-A man in a owning property, wishes to peddle groceries in the surrounding country. Can he peddle in the county or towship in which the village is situated without a license? What is the cost of license? What is the penalty for peddling without license? Ans.—He cannot lawfully peddle without a license. The fee to be paid for a license is fixed by the county by law, but cannot exceed \$50 for two-horse wagon, \$30 for one-horse wagon, \$15 for push-cart, and \$1 for a basket. Apply to county clerk. The basket. Apply to county clerk. The penalty for peddling without a license is a fine not exceeding \$50.

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THE TRIUMPH OF TRUE LOVE

She clasped her arms around his eck, and laid her beautiful face on

"I wish that I could comfort you, my darling," she said. "Teach me how."

The fire-light played upon her dark hair and on the little child at her feet -on the haggard man with despairing eyes. Samehow, he could not tell why, this love of his wife's, though offered to him with sweet words and tender caresses, brought him no con-

At that moment, while Lady Beatrice still clung to him, seeking in vain to turn his thoughts to herself, there was a gentle touch at the door, and Mrs. Rivers entered, so quietly and so quickly that the white arm of Lady Beatrice still lay round her husband's

Silently Mrs. Rivers noted the scene. That was her place; her husband was sorrowing for her child. She ought to be comforting him, and receiving com-fort from him in her turn; instead of which she, in the character of a hired dependent, stood there unnoticed and alone. Silently she noted the haggard face and despairing eyes of him whom she had died to set free, and that one moment was a new revelation to her of the love Lord Vivian had borne to her, and bere to her

"Mrs. Purton tells me you wish to see me, Lord Selwyn," said a low,

Lady Beatrice rose hastily: she was far too proud to allow any one to see her consoling even her own husband. "Come in, Mrs. Rivers," she said. "His lordship is waiting to see you." He turned round when the low, hushed voice reached him.

"How is my son?" he asked. "Do you see any difference—any change in him, Mrs. Rivers, either for better or

"I am afraid to answer," she replied; 'but I did fancy this evening there was the slightest shade of improvement; he has not been so delirious, and has seemed quieter; if he could sleep I should hope; I should

hope-"
And the last words sounded so like a prayer that Lord and Lady Selwyn both involuntarily turned to look at her; but in the ceseate fire-light they could see little of the sad, patient

This must be painful to you, Mrs. Rivers," said his lordship, wondering at the sad, dispairing voice.

"It is painful," she said, gently. "Was your own son ill long?" asked Lady Beatrice, who, as a mark of policy, was always kind to her in-"He had a long illness," she replied,

"and I watched him the whole time. "I wanted to tell you what Dr. Danvers said," continued Lord Selwyn. "The opiate will be here directly; he says if it gives my son sleep he will live; if it fails, he must die!"

There was only a tighter clasp of the thin hands. Even as he said the words there rose before her the memory of that morning in the garden at Florence, when Lord Vivian had placed her son in her arms and Rupert had clung round his mother's neck—the morning when Beatrice Leigh had stabbed her with such cruel

"Doctor Danvers wished the medicine to be given to him the very last thing tonight, so that no noise could disturb him. Just before Midnight, I should think, would be the best "I will give it to him myself," said

the hushed voice.
"I shall give orders for the whole household to retire at ten," continued the master of Selwyn Castle, "so that he may have every chance of quiet. Do you really think there is an im-

provement?"

The least possible," she replied, as at that moment, as though by accident, her eyes fell upon the face of Lady Beatrice. The moment before it had been filled with false compassion; now, as Mrs. Rivers spoke of hope, though the hope was faint, all the pity died from it, and there came into it an expression of cruelty and anger no one could mistake—a regret that there was better news, a hope that it would prove false; all that Mrs. Rivers read in the dark eyes that met her own. For one minute the two women looked steadily at each other, then Lady Beatrice turned away, and her eyes fell.

"I will come in myself about twelve," said Lord Selwyn. "Ask Mrs. Purton to sit up with you, Mrs. Rivers."

"I would fain ask that I may be alone," she said gently. "The most careful people fall asleep, or make a noise. I should do it better alone. "Let it be so then, he replied; and just at that moment a footman entered with a bottle in his hand. Lord Selwyn took it from him and unwrapped it. In the bright firelight all three plainly and distinctly saw the

Whatever drug composed the opiate, in color it resembled water; it looked like clear, cold water, and nothing

else.
"It has no smell," said Lord Sel-wyn, replacing the cork, and giving the bottle to Mrs. Rivers. They remembered afterward every detail in that scene. Then Mrs. Rivers went out of the room, leaving the wife and child where she ought to have

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She turned to the sick room. The boy's shining eyes welcomed her—a faint smile greeted her.

"How long you have been," he said. Come and sit by my side. You must not go from me tonight!"

And she remembered distinctly placing the bottle containing the opiate on the mantel-piece before taking her seat by the boy's side.

CHAPTER XVII.

When the hour of eleven struck that evening, by the wish of Lord Vivian, the whole household had retired. It was the last chance for Rupert's life, and he was determined that no noise, no accident, should occur to deprive the son he loved so dearly of this one

He was well content that the gentle, kindly lady who had attended his boy so skillfully should remain with him. Who better suited? He would fain have remained himself, but that, he telt, in a case where such profound silence was necessary, the fewer persons in the room the better. Lady Beatrice told him so, and surely she knew best. His lordship had also suggested that Mrs. Purton should re-main in the ante-room, so that if anything was required, she would be at

Again Lady Beatrice overruled him. "Far better not," she said; "there are two bell-ropes in the room; if Mrs. Rives requires anything she has nothing to do but ring."

And when Lord Vivian slightly objected she laid her hand upon his

"Rely upon it," she said, "I am quite right. If Ruport did fall asleep, and Mrs. Purton by any untoward noise should wake him, you would never forgive yourself: better a thousand times trust to Mrs. Rivers alone." He agreed, as of late he had agreed with all his wife did and said, too sad and sorrowful to resist her in-

fluence; so the arrangement was con-cluded. Lord Vivian went in first to see the boy. The large, bright eyes were fixed full upon him. "Do you feel any better tonight, Rupert?" whispered his father, bend-ing over him and kissing the white

"I think so, papa. There is a weight upon my eyelids, as though I should sleep; and I have been dreaming, I am sure, of my mother. Do people ever dream awake?"
"Sometimes," he replied. "I shall

come back to you in an hour or twosooner, if you can not sleep, and want me. We are all anxious for you to sleep, Rupert; it would make you so much better.'

"I will try," said the boy, faintly; "my eyes burn so I can hardly close them; and my brain seems not and tired. Papa, if I could lie only one minute in my mother's arms I should

sleep like a little child."

And those words stung the father with sharpest pain. He remembered how devoted that mother and child had ever been to each other. Whose fault was it that, when the suffering boy cried out for his mother, she was not here? Was it retribution that, when the son he loved a thousand times better than his life lay dying, the only one who could have saved

him was not there?
And Lady Beatrice, standing by, heard all that passed between father and son-heard it with hot anger, with bitter hatred, with envious, growing jealousy against the suffering boy and the lost wife. It was she who went up to Lord Selwyn and said that he would do Rupert harm if he remained talking to him, and Rupert looked up at her with those unnaturally large bril-

"Lady Beatrice, when I get better, you will let me kiss little Lance," he

"Of course I will," she replied, in a soothing tone; then, anxious to divert attention from his words, she said something in a low tone to Mrs. Rivers.

"You always did kiss little Lance, and play with him, too, when you liked, did you not, Rupert?" whisper-

ed his lordship. The boy made no reply, save by a melancholy shake of the head, and then a strange suspicion shot through his father's heart. Could it be possible that Lady Beatrice had not been kind to this his idolized wife's son? Could it be that Rupert had been unhappy, as Violante was before him? A hundred little incidents flashed before his memory. How often he had returned home and found his boy absent. How often, years ago, he had seen traces of tears on his face, and when he had asked what had caused them, Rupert had laughingly refused to tell. How dearly his son loved Mrs. Rivers—this gentle, patient stranger. Surely, if Lady Beatrice had been to all that he should be, he would not have been driven from home to seek someone to love?

(To be Continued.)

The man who fights against his country is never a hero.-Victor Hugo.



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Lord Salisbury Asked for an Explanation.

Trouble in Bulgaria-Peasants' Rising Assumes Serious Proportions.

London, May 4.—Ambassador Choate has asked Lord Salisbury for explanations as to the alleged abuse of in-ternational right in the case of the American ship Sea Witch, which, according to the statement of her com-mander, Capt. Howe, was boarded by the British warship Wasp within the three-mile limit of Portuguese terri-

tory in East Africa.

The Sea Witch left Walloroo Dec. 3
and arrived at Delagoa Bay Feb. 12.
She sailed March 4 for Durban and arrived there March 9. TROUBLE IN BULGARDA

Sofia, Bulgaria, May 4.—The rising of peasants in the vicinity of Rust-chuk is assuming alarming proportions. The peasants have succeeded in disarming some troops and have used rifles against others. Two officers and fifteen men have been killed or wounded. A similar number of peasants fell. About 3,000 peasants are now marching on Rustchuk against two battalions of troops sent to defend the

London, May 4.—The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail, describing the Rustchuk riots, says: "The peasants stormed the prefecture, yelling for vengeance. They were armed with scythes, pitchforks and logs of wood. Only a few had firearms. They pursued the prefect into an upper room. The wretched man, driven into a corner, seized a crucifix and abjectly prayed for mercy, but the peasants fell upon him and beat out his brains. They then burned the furniture and wrecked the building, but refrained from molesting his wife and children.

LIBERAL ELECTED. London, May 4.-In the parliamentary bye-election at Portsmouth yes-terday to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of the junior Liberal member, Mr. Walter Ower Clough, who recently applied for the Chiltern Hundreds, Mr. T. A. Bramsdon (Lib.) defeated Mr. Majendie (Con.) by 610 votes, as follows: Mr. Bramsdon, 10,-301; Majendie, 9,691. Mr. Majendie represented the new imperialistic sentiment, which it was thought would have a strong hold upon a seaport constituency like Portsmouth.

INSURANCE LOSSES IN OTTAWA The Ottawa fire has caused the British insurance offices to carefully consider their position in Canada. Their sider their position in Canada. Their books show that during the past 30 years the fire losses in Canada consumed 68 per cent of the premiums, while the commission and other management expenses consumed 35 per cent, leaving a loss of 3 per cent. But they will hang on in the hope of better. times.

A VOTE OF SYMPATHY. At a banquet given by the entire Liberal party in honor of the Australian representatives at the National Liberal Club, a unanimous vote of sympathy with the sufferers in the ter-rible fire at Ottawa and Hull last week was passed. The Earl of Carrington was chairman at the banquet. and the resolution, at his instruction, was cabled to the Earl of Minto, gov-

ernor-general of Canada. DELAGOA BAY AWARD. Berne, May 4.-The complete Delagoa Bay Railroad award, which the secretary of the tribunal declared would be delivered April 15 at the latest, is not yet forthcoming, and fur-ther considerable delay is probable as the governments concerned are unable to determine till they examine the text

METHODIST GAIN

whether the award is acceptable.

It Has Been 97-Fold in the Last Century,

Chicago, May 4.—The interest of the delegates to the Methodist General Conference yesterday was centered in the reading of the bishops' quadrennial address by Bishop Andrews. When the delegates gathered from the report that while the country had increased fourteenfold during the past hundred years the Methodist denomination had developed ninety-sevenfold, they applauded enthusiastically.

Nearly all parts of the globe are represented in the Methodist conference. In all climes Methodism is reported to be progressing. "The work of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Japan," said Rev. Julius Soper, dean of the Philander Smith Biblican Institute, Aoyama, Tokio, "has been most success ful. We now have about 65 ordained native preachers and 5,500 native Christians, not including children and adher-

"The church in North India is growing rapidly," said Rev. E. W. Parker. "The Hindustan Church now numbers 45,000 souls, and we have an Epworth

League about 4,000 strong." "The condition of the church in South India," said Charles J. Mueller, one of the lay delegates from that country, generally speaking, is good. There are nopes, under the existing circumstances, of a considerable extension. There seems to be a paucity of laborers for the harvest. If that can be corrected, there is every reason to believe that the church in South India will attain great proportions." "The progress of Methodism in Liberia," said Rev. Wm. T. Hagan, the colored presiding elder of the Marrovia and Bassa districts of the Monrovia and Bassa districts, has been highly satisfactory. We have now over 50 churches and more than 30

30 MILES OF FIRE

Michigan Forests in Flames-Wide spread Destruction Threatened.

Menominee, Mich., May 2.-The towns of Arnold, Gardener, Swanson and Aimes, on the Wisconsin and Michigan Northern road, 40 miles west of here, have been wiped out by the fierce forest fires.

The passenger train reached here yesterday for the first time in two

Wires are down and traffic on railroads suspended. The forest fires cover an area of 30 miles, extending westward as far as Swans, and northward to Carbondale, Mich.

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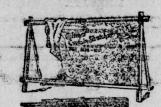
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, May 3, 8 p.m.—During to-lay a disturbance from the Atlantic day a disturbance from the Atlantic has moved into the Maritime Provinces attended by moderate to fresh gales and heavy rains. Rain fell in most parts of the lake region last night, followed by a rapid change to much cooler weather. The weather continues very warm throughout British Columbia. Minimum and maximum temperatures: New Westminster, 46-72; Barkerville, 34-78; Edmonton, 32-74; Qu'Appelle, 32-56; Winnipes, 16-52; Port Arthur, 28-44; Parry Sound, 34-46; Toronto, 39-48; Ottawa, 42-56; Montreal, 42-66; Quebec, 40-58; Halifax, 36-48.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Thursday, May 3, were 62.5 and 37.5 degrees.

Today (Friday) the sun rose at 5:06 a.m., and sets at 7:23. The moon rose

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stair. -Today is Arbor Day. -C. H. Tune, city, was in Sarnia

yesterday. -Mrs. Wilson Wood, city, is visiting friends in Hensall. -Rev. Walter Moffat, city, lectured in Harriston last night on South Africa.

Mrs. Stirton, city.

-The Misses McHugh, city, nave purchased Miss Hagan's dressmaking business at Hensall. -Annual convocation of the medical department of the Western University at the Auditorium tonight.

-Messrs. James and Robert Ross, sons of Mr. D. R. Ross, of Embro, will attend the Military School here. -Mr. E. O. Runians, of Messrs. Runians, Gray, Carrie Company, has

removed to 634 Wellington street. -Mark B. Thomas, of Hamilton, the new manager of the St. Thomas street nailway, assumed his duties yesterday. -Mr. Wm. H. Fraleigh, of London, township, sold his fine four-year-old Almedium colt to Mr. T. H. Weldon,

-The L. E. and D. R. R. expect a large trade at Rondeau this season, and will make many improvements of their property there.

of this city, for \$200.

-At the Montreal horse show, which opened yesterday, Lord Ranelagn, owned by Mr. Adam Beck, city, carried off second prize among the jumpers. -Fourteen out of the seventeen

prizes given at the Montreal Wesleyan Theological College were won by students from the London (Ontario) Conference.

-Rev. E. W. Crawford, of this city. leaves Canada the latter part of the month for England, and from there will sail for South America about the middle of June.

-Miss Clara German, of Rapids, Mich., and Mr. C. E. German, wife and daughter, of this city, are in Strathroy this week to celebrate the 71st birthday of Mr. G. G. German. -The death is announced of Hannah, relict of the late Matthew Rosser,

7, con. 12, Lobo, on Wednesday morning, May 2, in the 84th year of her age. This is to notify you that base substi- The financial secretary of the tution is practiced when the great Cigarmakers Union, Frank McGeary, sure-pop corn cure is asked for. Put-i is missing, and his relatives and fellow-nam's Painless Corn Extractor never! workmen say they know nothing of his sore spots and gives no pain. Be sure in his accounts between \$300 and \$400, and get "Putnam's." though it may be found that the money

has been paid out in sick or out-of-work benefits. -Patrick Murphy, an old and respected resident of Stratford, who died the other day, came to Canada in 1859 and settled in Downie. He had been a resident of Stratford for over 43 years. Two sons, two daughters and a wife survive him. The family are; Edward Murphy, of C. P. R., London; Conductor F. Murphy, Stratford, and Mrs. D.

-The Froebel Society held its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. Arrangements were made for an exhibit and sale of Perry pictures during the last week of May. Reports of addresses and work done at the kindergarten section of the Ontario Educational Association were taken up by some of the members who had attended, and proved very interesting. -The death of Mr. George Young, of St. Marys, occurred on Friday last.

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years ago, and had lived in St. Marys for 35 years. A wife and six children are left to mourn the loss of a loving husband and a kind and affectionate G., of London; J. M., of A. H. Lofft & Co.; Mrs. A. H. Lot, St. Marys; Mrs. Marshall, Buffalo, and Miss S. Young,

-Messrs. T. Milburn, J. R. McCut-cheon and J. F. Ellis, of Toronto, pro-moters of what is known as the High-land Advertising Company, Limited, have filled objection in the court of ap-peal accepts a judgment for \$1000 add. peal against a judgment for \$1,000 odd, in favor of Mr. W. A. Wilson, of this city. Their agents are alleged to have made misrepresentations to Mr. Wilson, and induced him to invest \$1,000 in the enterprise. Chief Justice Armour directed the appellants to refund the money with interest.

-Miss Wiggins, provincial organizer and lecturer of the W. C. T. U., gave two very able lectures in behalf of temperance work in the Methodist Church, Thorndale, on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, May I. Miss Wiggins a beautiful and eloquent speaker, appeals not only to the in-tellect, but also to the heart and conscience of those whom she addresses. As a result, 23 new members were added to the ranks of the W. C. T. U. -At Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Wednesday, in the matter of the Mason estate, Mr. J. H. Moss, for D. Howden and F. J. Winlow, trustees of estate of James Mason, deceased, the London and Western Trusts Company, the proposed new trustees, and the testamentary guardian of the infant beneficiaries, moved for order discharging the said trustees and appointing the said comtrustees and appointing the said company as trustees in their place. Order made and approving of accounts passed -Miss Jennie Smith, of Sarma, is made and approving of accounts passed spending a two weeks vacation with by retiring trustees on March 23 last, and directing reference to clerk of the weekly court to pass subsequent accounts. The securities representing investments made by the retiring trustees are to be cashed by them and proceeds paid to new trustees as if investments had been made to them. Costs of all parties and official guardian to be paid out of income of es-

LIQUOR IN CAMPS.

In his report on the Dominion militia just made public, Gen. Hutton says: The existing regulations prohibiting the sale of liquor within the camps were carried out. It is not, however, possible to prevent the consumption of liquor in camps, and it is equally impossible to prevent the illicit sale of liquor outside, but in close proximity to the confines of the camps."

Honored By Lord Roberts.

The Irish Times of April 11 says: The six-year-old daughter of Captain Richard Orpen Taylor, of Clontoo, Kerry, when sending a bunch of shamrocks to her brother, Lieut. Thomas Taylor, at the front, also sent a bunch to Lord Roberts, and she has been honored with the following interesting letter of thanks from the hero of Kandahar:

"Army Headquarters, Bloemfontein, "St. Patrick's Day.
"Field Marshal Lord Roberts presents
his kindest regards to Juanita. Emma Orpen Taylor, and begs she will accept best thanks for sending him some which took place at the residence of shamrocks. The welcome present ar-her grandson, Mr. Charles Zavitz, lot rived just in time for this eventful occastion, the first St. Patrick's Day spent

by her majesty's Irish soldiers in the capital of the Orange Free State." Lieut. Taylor, above mentioned, writes to his uncle, Mr. H. Taylor, 'Chaworth," South London, to say that he intends to come to live in London if he survives the war. He has been seven years in the military service in

NEWFOUNDLAND POLITICS. St. Johns, Nfld., May 4. - The Colonial Legislature adjourns today, and the general election will take place in the autumn. Sir James Winter, former premier, will retire from active politics. Mr. Morine will assume the leadership of the opposition. The premier, Mr. Bond, will lead the government

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Public Library Board Will Not Enlarge or Make Alterations in the Library Building This Year

The public library board met last night, those present being Messrs. Talbot Macbeth (chairman), J. C. Judd, James Egan, Henry Macklin, George C. Gunn, Hubert Dignan, A. O. Jeffery. Edward Manigault and

Librarian Blackwell. The most important question discussed was that of the proposed alterations, and it was unanimously decided to leave the matter over till next year. Architect Matthews' plans for a re-arrangement of the floor-space provided for the removal of the readingroom to the west section of the first floor, at present occupied as an art school; the removal of the ladies' wing as an auxiliary stack-room. The secretary's office was to be removed, and the counter extended so as to connect the present and the auxiliary stack rooms. The cost of the alterawas estimated at \$1,200. additional stacks, with a capacity of 6,000 volumes, would thus be provided

The members expressed themselves as not satisfied with the plans. It was thought that the proposed arrangements would not furnish sufficient accommodation for the expense incurred, and therefore the matter was

The librarian's report for the past month was presented, showing a circulation of 7,411, of which 4,044 were fiction, 1,102 juvenile works, 1,476 miscellaneous, and 789 magazines. The average daily circulation of books, 288; of magazines, 30, or a total of 318. The month's receipts amounted to \$78 54, of which \$745—or a dally average of 84 cents—was in fines. Forty-five cards were issued during the month,

making a total of 7,776 to date. Librarian Blackwell will attend the annual meeting of the American Library Association in Montreal, June

The Medical Association will be consulted with regard to the renewal of subscriptions to certain medical pubilications. The association pays half the annual cost of \$200.

Western Ontario.

ness is being purchased by E. C. Monteith, and Mr. Monteith's interest in the Express by D. H. Price.

The officers and men of the 21st (Essex) Fusiliers have been notified by Major Bartlett to make all necessary preparations to take the field on an hour's notice.

The Windsor, Ont., city clerk on Tuesday forwarded Windsor's check for \$500 to the fire sufferers at Otta-wa and Hull. This amount was voted by the council. John Thompson, an old resident of

North Easthope, passed away at his late residence, lot 44, con. 3, Wednesday morning, after a protracted illness. The deceased was over 80 years of age.

The roll returned by the St. Thomas assessor, T. L. Lindop, shows total assessment, \$4,572,762, as against \$4,494,-653 in 1899, an increase of \$72,762. The population is 11,908 as against 11,715 in 1899, an increase of 193, Augustin Swaffield died on Tuesday

at Union from the effects of dropsy, in the 76th year of his age. Deceased had resided in the village for 21 years, going there from Goderich. He leaves a widow and four children. Albert Hill, a St. Thomas lather,

attempted to kill himself on Monday night. He placed laudanum in some beer and drank it. The mixture made him sick, however, and he vomited it up, and soon came around all right. Othis Cochrane, the only son of D. Cochrane, municipal clerk of Ridgetown, died at noon yesterday in that

place. The young man was attending the School of Pharmacy in Toronto when taken ill, some time ago, and never recovered. He was 22 years of Dr. and Mrs. Guest, of St. Thomas, on Monday attended the 89th birth-day of the latter's father, Mr. John Silcox, who resides on Talbot street,

in Southwold. Mr. Silcox came to this country when 17 years of age and has resided in Southwold ever since. He is one of the best known and most highly respected farmers in the county, and is hale and hearty today. There is no criminal business at the Lambton assizes, which opened on Tuesday. The suit of Atchison vs. Grand Trunk Railway was to recover damages for the death of Edward Atchison, brakeman on that road, at Copetown, on Feb. 18, 1900, by being struck by a bridge while performing his duties as forward brakeman. A verdict was given for the plaintiff in the sum of \$500 and costs, exclusive of

SARNIA DOCK WRECKED. Port Huron, Mich., May 4.-Some unknown steamer bound down the river ran into Clark's dock at Sarnia, wreck-ing the dock and warehouse and inflict-ing damages to the amount of \$10,000. SMALLPOX CHECKED.

Winnipeg, Man., May 4. - It is understood that the quarantine in the infections and surgical wings of the hospital will be lifted in a week, as no cases have broken out in these places. No new cases have been discovered for the last three or four days. SEEDING IN MANITOBA.

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