
WHOLE NO. 16248;

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BASSETT-On Wednesday, April 10, at 507 South street, Clarence Fred infant son of John R. and Bassett, aged 3 months.

Funeral from the residence, on Friday afternoon, April 12; service, 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. EDWARDS-In this city, on Thursday, (April 12, 1901, Thomas Edwards, aged

Funeral will leave his late residence, 851 Elias street or Sunday, 14th, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this

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LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Friday) even-ing, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block. b C. M. B. A.-NOTICE-THE MEMBERS semble at St. Peter's school, Sunday, 14th inst., at 8 a.m., for the purpose of attending mass in a body. W. J. Smith,

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SIXTY AND SIXTEEN

Wealthy Frenchman Takes a routhful Bride-Brothers and Brides Meet at the Altar.

Mount Clemens, Mich., April 12.-At the parlors of the Sherman House, in this city, last evening, Vougel Champaigne, age 60, and Julia Deloney, age 16, were united in marriage by Justice Lyons. The youthful bride is an orphan, and in order to make all legal arrangements the party went to Port Huron, where Levi Deloney, with whom the bride has resided, legally adopted the child, and afterwards came here and signed a consent. Champaigne, the bridegroom, is a fineappearing old French-American gentleman, and is reported to be well

A GREAT SURPRISE.

Owosso, Mich., April 12.—Joseph Rundell and Miss Lizzie Pentler, of this city, went to Chesaning, to be married by an old family friend, Rev. W. G. Nixon. On arriving at the min-ister's house, Rundell found his bro-Scott Rundell and bride, Miss ther. Kate Hays, waiting to be united. It was a mutual surprise, as neither bro ther knew the other was contemplating matrimony, but they made a double wedding of it.

TWO FEET OF SNOW IN COLO-RADO.

Denver. April 11.-A snowstorm which began Tuesday developed into a blizzard during the night. Eastern Colorado and Wyoming are covered with wet snow from one to two feet. ARMOUR INSTITUTE GETS A

MILLION. Chicago, April 11.-Armour Institute finds itself richer by \$1,000,000 today.

J. Ogden Armour and his mother, Mrs. D. Armour, have made known their decision to give this amount in interest-bearing securities to the institution founded in 1893 by the late Philip D. Armour. This makes a total of \$3,-650,000 given by the Armour family to the institute.

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LOST—ON APRIL 4, ON GRAND TRUNK platform, long gold chain. Reward at this office.

If you take a Laxa-Liver Pill tonight before retiring, it will work while you sleep without a gripe or pain, curing biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia and sick headache, and make you feel better in the morning.

FOR FIVE CENTS!

Murder in New York Over a Game of Craps---Victim Couldn't Reach His Pistol.

involved was five cents. Scott had a a shiftless nigger anyway." gun as well as Fuller, but there was Fuller got away with the nickel.

New York, April 12 .- In a fight over | a hole in the bottom of his hip pocket a crap game on a canal boat at the and his revolver had slipped down and foot of East 144th street, John Fuller, got tangled in the tear so that he a negro, of 609 West 130th street, shot couldn't get at it in a hurry when he and killed John Scott, another negro, needed it most. Others of the canalof 265 West 146th street. The amount | boat party said that Scott was "always

AFTER HARD FIGHTING!

Col. Monro's Mounted Infantry Captured 80 Prisoners and Commandant Bresla.

Dewet Appears To Be Demented --- In Fear for His Life Among His Own Men---A Queen's College Graduate Won the V. C.

London, April 12 .- A dispatch from | that Boer prisoners be sent to Tas-Gen. Kitchener from Pretoria, dated Thursday, April 11, says Col. Monro's ounted infantry, after two hours hard fighting, has captured 80 prisoners, including Commandant Bresla, at Liet-

findeyne, near Dewetsdorp. The British war office confirms the report that it is going to try the experiment of supplying the army with only home-grown beef. The experiment will extend six months, from

DEWET'S DEMENTIA. A news agency publishes a dispatch from Cape Town, which says that Gen. Dewet is so distracted by the hopelessness of his cause that he can truthfully be described as insane. He goes in fear of his life amidst his own troops, and keeps himself surrounded night and day by a bodyguard of chosen adherents. But from his own

ranks voices are now more frequently calling imperatively for peace. For weeks past reports have been current to the effect that Gen. Christian Dewet has lost his reason in consequence of his incessant anxiety, his inability to rest, or even sleep, owing to the unrelaxing pursuit of his men by British columns. Although these stories have been attributed to reliable Boer prisoners, and have been accompanied with considerable details,

as entirely convincing.

London, April 12.—No further news has been received regarding the re-ported resumption of peace negotiations in South Africa, but the fact that the censor allowed the report to pass, and the fact that the government has he will henceforth support the policy not issued a denial, are held that negotiations of some sort are in progress.

NO SURRENDER! London, April 12.-The British war office has issued the following special order regarding surrenders in the field: 'Any officer of soldier, who, when in presence of the enemy, displays a white flag or other token of surren- ground." der, will be tried by general court-

martial." METHUEN WAS ILL. The casualty list issued yesterday revealed the fact that Lord Methuen was discharged from the hospital last week, this being the first notification that he had been ill.

It is learned that the British have evacuated Hoopstad, which the Daily Mail observes, "seems to show that Lord Kitchener's force is still none

It appears that Mr. Kruger's entourage assert that the route from Leydsdoran to Zoutpansberg is heavily fortified, and able to resist the British for a long time.

POSSIBLY. It is announced from Brussels that the Dutch Transvaal committee has handed to Mr. Kruger a check for 1,-000,000 florins, collected in Holland for the assistance of the Boers.

CANADIAN GETS THE V. C. Kingston, April 12.-Word has been received that Dr. H. E. Douglas, a graduate of Queen's College, and whose home is now in Kingston, Jafor bravery in action. Dr. Douglas guished himself. He was with the

London, April 12.-Mr. Chamberlain "As to the future government of the Transvaal, there has never been any change in our policy. What we offered at first we offer now, and we are not to be moved one jot from our conclusions in the matter. We pose a gradual progress towards selfgovernment. As soon as possible the military administration will be done away with, and subst.tuted for it will be an executive council, with a nominated, or partly nominated, legislative council.

HO. FOR PEKIN !

The Chinese Court May Get There the Course of a Month.

London, April 12 .- According to the Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, the Chinese assert that the court has decided to leave Sian Fu for Pekin, via the province of Honan on RUSSIA TALKS ROUGHLY.

M. De Giers demands the return of all communications to the Chinese authorities from the Russian legation reit has been impossible to accept them garding the Manchurian negotiations, says Dr. Morrison, wiring to the Times from Pekin, and he has warned Li Hung Chang that instead of being, as heretofore, an advocate of the Chinese cause in the conference of the powers, of the utmost severity. Russia has still ample means to indulge this spirit. "The report is current, but I believe it is premature, that Russia has already prepared a fresh form of convention. Doubtless, however, the process of intimidation has been carried far enough, a fresh attempt will be made to recover the lost

RAVAGES OF THE PLAGUE. Pekin, April 11.-Robert M. McWade, United States consul at Canton, China, reports that 10,000 deaths from the plague have occurred there during the past six weeks, and that there are 13 cases of smallpox on board the United States monitor Monterey. Only one death has resulted on the Monterey,

A GREAT ICE JAM!

and the other cases of smallpox are

progressing favorably.

Almost rerfect Dam in St. Clair River Formed-St. Clair Flats High Out of the Water.

Detroit, April 12.—An ice jam of tremendous proportions is blocking the St. Clair River and causing the lowest water ever known at the Flats. Ice to the depth of 26 feet is frozen solidly to the bed of the river, and so little water is flowing into the river that the locality presents out the river that the locality presents out the river that the locality with the reviews with whose home is now in Kingston, Jamaica, has received the Victoric Cross maica, has received the Victoric Cross that the Venice of America.

Houses built upon piles stand high and the Venice of America. was attached to the Gordon Highlanders as surgeon. It was at the battle of Magersfontein that he sc distinguished himself. He was with the of Magersfontein that he sc distinguished himself. He was with the Black Watch on its death march, and when the fire opened, though slightly wounded, crawled, amid the bullets, to the head of the column. The officers of his regiment were lying about dead or wounded. He dressed the wounds of all within reach, and made his way back in safety. He then rallied the scattered ranks of the Gordons, and led them out of action. He was wounded by a bursting shell, which carried away part of his cheek.

NO ROOM FOR BOERS.

Melbourne, Victoria April 12.—The Federal Cabinet at its first sitting today decided that it was unable to fecommend the suggestion of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, stream,

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Mr. Marter Votes With the Government.

Made a Strong Speech Favoring the New Pulp Agreement-Majority Twelve-The Trading Stamp Bill Goes Through Committee.

Toronto, April 12.-The legislature transacted a great deal of business yesterday, but was forced to postpone the closing up for another day. The feature of the session was Mr. Marter's defection from the opposition on the Keewatin pulp agreement. The former leader of the opposition in a strong speech described the advantages to be gained by the agreement, and from the general opening up of New On-tario, while his neighbors in the opposition vigorously denounced the pro-posal. His vote with the government

again brought the latter's majority up An important change in the grant to the Kingston School of Mining was announced, an endowment of \$22,500 annually for five years being substituted for a proposed grant of \$6,000 per year for an unlimited period. The ouse will meet at 11 o'clock today.

The bill respecting cash aid to certain railways was referred back, Hon. Mr. Latchford introducing an amendment, providing that the steel rails used in the construction of such lines should be made in Ontario, provided such rails as were necessary were procurable here at a price not greater than in the open market in the United States or Great Britain of the same

quality and at satisfactory freight Col. Matheson (South Lanark) proposed the words "Dominion of Can-ada" instead of Ontario, contending that it was discriminating against

other provinces.

It was decided to insert the words 'Dominion of Canada," as suggested. The bill was read a third time and

OLD UPPER CANADA GROUNDS. was again considered in committee. Hon. Mr. Gibson proposed inserting an additional clause to permit the trustees of Toronto University to enter into negotiations to sell to the city of Toronto Russell Square, or as it is better known, old Upper Canada Square, bounded by King, John, Ade-laide, and Simcoe streets. The clause

TO PROHIBIT TRADING STAMPS. The house went again into committee on Mr. Graham's bill allowing municipalities to prohibit trading stamps. Mr. Graham said he had been accused of running away from the when it was up before and denied that such was the case. As to the petitions against the bill, many of the signers were children, attracted to the trading stamp stores on red letter day. Colonel Matheson declared that Mr. Graham, as a member of the house, should be disciplined for sending out

an incorrect report. Members on both sides were divided on the question. Mr. Graham denied saying the Conservatives opposed the bill. He hoped Colonel Matheson was not ashamed of being a Conservative. (Laughter.) Mr. Whitney, personally, was opposed to the bill because it simply emphasized the evil in the trading stamp The bill proposed that one muidea. nicipality could abolish the practice,

and another retain it. SYSTEM SHOULD BE ABOLISHED. The attorney-general deprecated the introduction of personal attacks on the question. There was much to be commended in the suggestion that the trading stamp system should be abolished altogether, or left alone. In special committee to whom the bill was first referred had not brought in a report suggesting definite action one way or another. Personally he thought the system should be abolished. After some further general discussion the bill passed committee on a standing vote by a majority of 48 to

THANKS FROM THE KING. At the afternoon session a letter was read from the under secretary of state transmitting the King's thanks for the legislature's resolution of condolence and congratulation.

PULP WOOD CONCESSIONS.

An animated debate took place on the minister of crown lands' motion to ratify the agreement between the government and the Keewatin Power Company. Mr. Davis denied the Company. Mr. Davis denied the charge that proper development of the industry had not resulted from the pulp wood agreements previously made. Great progress had been made in consequence of the concessions which progress would continue. The minister then outlined at length the agreement before the house, and claimed there was no monopoly, as whenever it was apparent that there was more pulpwood on these lands than the company required to run their mills for twenty-one years, the government could allow other companies to enter. At any time the crown saw fit they could raise the dues. This was an agreement, Mr. Davis concluded, which should commend itself to the

good judgment of every member of the house. (Ministerial applause.) Mr. Matheson said that, considering the manner in which these pulp wood concessions had been presented discussed in the past, no more outrageous, no more criminal act was ever committed by the government than the proposition now brought forward. He attacked the Spanish River and Nepigon concessions, and contended that all such concessions should be put up to auction, so that the province might get full returns. He moved in amendment: That this house is of the opinion that all grants of pulp lands should be subject to popular competi-ion, and that all crown timber should be regulated from time to time by this

A GOOD BARGAIN.

Mr. Conmee (West Algoma) thought | Occasion

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216 Dundas Street. the agreement a good one. The area granted was not nearly so large as the onorable gentleman had contended. Unless inducements were offered to capitalists, the resources of the province would lie undeveloped, as they had

done for countless years past. MR. MARTER SUPPORTS IT. Mr. Marter (North Toronto) in a vigrous but comparatively brief speech, supported the agreement and the policy of the government in regard to like oncessions. The government, it would be granted, were the responsible party bring in such agreements, and if they did not assume that responsibility there would be reason to find fault with them. The interests of the country demanded that as far as possible these and similar agreements, with, of course, certain wise precautions, should be made. Continuing, he made a re-ference to the Spanish River Company's concession, and said he did not pany's concession, and say the house believe that any member of the house would now get up and say that he was even asked by the promoters to aid them in obtaining that concession. Mr. Marter paused long enough to allow any member to question this statement,

which was not, however, refuted. The Clergue and the Sturgeon Falls concessions had been passed without opposition. The Spanish River agreement had been opposed, but he wanted The bill amending the statute law to know in what manner it differed, and in what manner the present agree ment differed from the others, which had previously carried unanimously. There should be consistency on these questions, which were not party questions, but matters of vital interest to the whole province. (Ministerial ap-

better known, old Upper Canada Square, bounded by King, John, Adelaide, and Simcoe streets. The clause provided, however, that the purchase price should not be less than \$200,000. The attorney-general thought it would be well for all parties if the site were purchased by the city. At present it was an obstacle to development in the district. The clause carried.

TO PROHIBIT TRADING STAMPS.

The amendment was lost by 45 to 33 on a straight party vote, except that Mr. Marter voted with the government.

THE 'VARSITY BILL. Mr. Whitney moved an amendment to the Toronto University Bill, expressing regret that the government had not more liberally aided the institution. This was defeated on a strict party

wote.

Mr. Lucas, Center Grey, moved a resolution, condemning the government for the non-prosecution of Wildfong and Cummings for defacing and miscounting ballots in the North Waterloo election.

The attorney-general said they would be tried by a special court after the session Mr. Lucas' amendment was thrown

The house then went into supply, and GALT IN DARKNESS

The Electric Light Company Refuses to

Galt. Ont., April 12.-An interesting complication between the town coun-cil and the electric light company has been brought to a climax by the latter refusing any longer to light the streets of the town until a satisfactory settlement as regards a contract is arrived at. There is a strong feeling in favor of municipal ownership of the gas and electric plants, but the company's valuation of \$147,000 for the two is popularly considered exorbitant. The question has been an open one for over three years, and it is now either buy or give a contract with the company. The whole town is in complete dark-

ness. FIRE IN WINDSOR THIS MORNING Detroit, April 12.-The bright reflection over Windsor early this morning was caused by the partial burning of a dwelling and adjoining barn below the waterworks, owned by J. E. Laughlin, station agent for the Grand Trunk. A spark from a passing loco-motive is thought to have been responsible for the blaze.

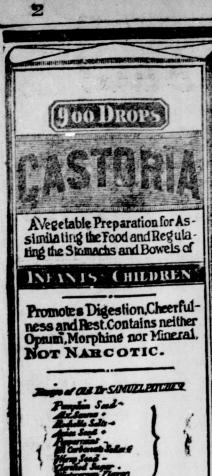
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Little Girl Terribly Mangled at Allandale.

Toronto Doctor Killed by a C. P. R. Train—Farmer Crushed to Death by a Falling Tree.

TERRIBLY MANGLED. Barrie, Ont., April 11.-A fatal accident occurred at Graham's Crossing, Ailandale, yesterday afternoon. A little daughter of Mrs. Aldrich, who was playing there, was run over by a freight train and lost both arms and both legs below the knee. She died at the Barrie Hospital this morning.

DOCTOR KILLED. Toronto, April 11 .- Dr. J. Archer Watson, a well-known surgeon, re-siding at 149 Sherbourne street, was instantly killed today at the C. P. R. on Dundas street, near crossing Lambton Mills. Dr. Watson was riding a rather restive horse, which beof the C. P. R. express. The doctor got it across the track, but it began to back, and as the express reached the crossing it was right across the track. The doctor and the horse were instantly killed. No blame is attached to the men in charge of the train.

FATAL EXPLOSION. West Branch, Mich., April 12.—The boiler of Ed. Arnold's saw mill at Rose city, exploded with terrible results. One man was instantly killed and another seriously injured. The boiler was huried a distance of 200 feet, and the entire mill is a wreck.

BADLY BURNED. Utica, N. Y., April 12.-Mrs. H. L. Kelsey, of this city, was fatally burned yesterday. She was burning some old papers in the garden, and the wind blew the flames against her skirts. Before the fire was put out her clothing was nearly all burned from her body, and it is said she cannot live.

KILLED BY FALLING TREE. Manila, Ont., April 12.-While trying to free a tree that had lodged in another, John Ferguson, a highly respected farmer, who lived on the 2nd concession of Mariposa, was instantly killed. The tree, although very small, crushed his skull and made a terrible

A BARGE WITH SEVEN CARS Nelson, B. C., April 11.-The C. P. R. sustained a loss of over \$10,000 yester-day on Kootenay Lake, between Kootenay Landing and Nelson. A car barge, carrying 15 cars, in tow of the tug Valhalla, sprang a leak and went down by the head, precipitating seven cars of coal and coke into the lake. The tug towed the barge with the balance of the cargo to the shore, where it now fies partly submerged. It is not known whether several tramps, who were

stealing rides from Fernie went down with the cars or not. The lake is about 400 feet deep where the accident oc-Six cars have been recovered, and it is expected that the balance of them with their contents will be also recovered. The barge will be in service again in a few days.

SERIOUS RESULTS OF AN EX-PLOSION.

Niagara Falls, Ont., April 11.-A distressing accident, attended with much suffering, occurred at the home of Peter Harriet, South End, Stamford township, yesterday. It seems his 9-year-old son George, had unearthed a number of bottles in the woodshed of the house, into which the family have recently moved. In one of the bottles was a black substance, which the little chap concluded was coal, and, in company with his sister. Ethel, he proceeded to empty the contents in the kitchen stove. The bottle proved to be coarse gunpowder, and when first grain ignited by the smoldering coals burned the boys fingers he dropped the bottle. Instantly there was a loud explosion, and when the frighten-

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before I commenced taking them, but now I am perfectly cured and cannot recommend them too highly." MRS. M. A. WYANT.

It is the cure of cases where other medicines failed that has made the great reputation for by an unusual incident. A sharehold-Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney

Tablets.

by an unusual incident. A shareholder der demanded that a committee of the shareholders be appointed to inquire into the policy and position of the company, declaring that the profits were made solely from transport work, and that another was and more butch. Tablets.

John Sturgeon, living on the Island, (Mrs. W. Singer, 28 Railway street, St. Thomas, Ont., says: "Some four years ago I had a severe attack of Almonte, used one bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets, and this is his report: "I have used Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets, and they did my kidneys more good than anything I ever got before. I have had a very bad back, and my kidneys were sluggish. The annoyance was much from the secretions. I was also a victim of indigestion, belching of wind, and a sensation of fulness, owing to an accumulation of gas. I had tried many remedies, but nothing did me any permanent good, till reading of these tablets I went down to M. Patterson, the druggist, and got a bottle. I did not follow the directions strictly, but nevertheless they did me good. They relieved me of distress in my head. I slept better and there was not those acute twinges in my back when lifting or stooping. I certainly can recommend them as an excellent remedy for backache and all forms of kidney complaint."

lumbago and neuralgia, and since then my back and kidneys have been Sometimes I have been laid up after doing heavy work washing, ironing and sewing machine work, when I really felt unable. I have tried other remedies, but this Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets that I got of H. F. Spencer, druggist, is by far the best. got quick and certain relief, taking three at a dose three times a day. I did not take over two-thirds of a bot-

tle and am well. I consider them a splendid medicine. Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets cure backache, lame or weak back, puffiness under the eyes, swelling of the feet and ankles, gravel, brick dust deposits, scalding, smarting or irritation, frequent rising at night and all kidney and bladder troubles of young copenhagen and the druggists. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Company Toronto Ont pany, Toronto. Ont.

ed mother entered the kitchen she saw that her boy's face was as black as coal, and little Ethel was minus her hair, it having been singed off, and the stove was a complete wreck. It is feared the boy will lose his eyesight. An investigation showed that two large holes had been blown in a copper teakettle that stood on the stove, and intervened between Ethel's face and intervened between Ethel's face and the explosion. As it was Ethel was badly burned around the neck.

MUST RAISE MORE MONEY

Problem Placed Before the British Chancellor.

A Blow at Free Trade Would Help the Liberal Party.

Freight Train Plunges Into the Sea in Scotland-A Cure for Delirium Tremens.

London, April 11.-Much attention is being given by the press to the new system of taxation which the chancellor of the exchequor, Hicks-Beach, may find it expedient to recommend in the budget speech, if he succeeds in pulling himself together for a courageous effort, to throw down the gauntlet to Sir William Vernon Har-The Mail has been advocating a tariff virtually of the protective order for several months, and its pro-tests against unlimited and unreasoning direct taxation have been even more strongly accentuated since the return of Alfred Harmsworth from America. The Times anonymous correspondent, to whom were accorded honors of large type, with a sympathetic leader, writes like another Robert Giffen in his mastery of financial controversy and the science of economics. This gun practice is not continuous, but every long range shot is deliberately aimed at graduated income taxes and progressive death duties as the sole resources of the treasury in an imperial crisis.

The alliance of these two journals

for what dissatisfied Tories describe as tariff reform fiels the Liberals with joy. Already they are forecasting a general revival of the Liberal party, if the free trade system is assailed. Nothing more serious than sugar duties can be expected from a timorous financier like Hicks-Beach. Farsighted men in English politics are convinced that sweeping changes in the tariff can be justified only by a deliberate effort to take up the business side of the imperial federation for the benefit of the colonies, and that Chamberlain is the only man capable of making so tremendous a fight.

TO CURE THE "D. T.S." At the sessions of the anti-alcoholic congress in Vienna, many of the delegates justified moderate drinking, and a stormy scene ensued. Strong at-tacks were made upon the medical profession for encouraging the use of alcohol, and there were mutual recriminations between the medical and nonmedical elements of the congress and between the moderates and the total abstainers. It was unanimously agreed on the evidence of statistics, that de-lerium tremens is curable. An equally unanimous opinion was recorded that every dose of alcohol administered to children is poisonous. In the evening the delegates dined with the minister of public instruction, Dr. Von Harte, and drank champagne and beer. TRAIN PLUNGED INTO THE SEA. While a freight train was descending the branch line at Kirkcaldy Harbor, Scotland, leading to the main line of the North British Railway, the brakes failed to work, and the engine and three cars, laden with paper and grain, dashed over the east pier and plunged

into the sea. The engineer leaped from his engine and escaped. ABDUL RAISED THE WIND. The Turkish government is reported to have raised a loan of \$1,000,000 from the Ottoman Bank, to settle the claims of the Cramps and the Krupps.

MAD KING OTTO. King Otto, of Bavaria, has been an utter idiot for several years, and has been as closely confined as a wild beast in one of the Bavarian royal castles. He fancies himself a dog. THOSE MISSING GOLD BARS.

On being asked if the bars of gold stolen from the specie room of the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, could possibly have been lost in transit between the United States assay office and the vessel's pier, an officer of the New York assay office says: "The bars were not lost in transit. They were placed on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, as our receipt from the National City Bank shows. The amount carried to the pier was \$505,003 99. The gold was packed in kegs, each of which held between \$50,000 and \$60,000. Several men I could not do my own work witnessed the sealing of each keg. It was the work of clever thieves, for the precaution taken in such cases are

extraordinary." The steamer's officers believe that the thief allowed himself to be locked up in the baggage room after the gold was deposited in the strong room, and managed to take the booty ashore during the confusion of arriving passen-gers, and the stowing away of the bag-

CUNARD COMPANY'S PROFITS. London, April 12.-The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Cunard Line Steamship Company was marked ering would be required to assure future dividends. The motion was not adopted, but the report, recommending a 5 per cent dividend and a 3 per cent bonus was adopted.

CABLE NOTES.

The Glasgow Exhibition will open on Rumors that Lord Chancellor Halsis on the eve of resigning are said to be baseless.

Kaiser Wilhelm, according to a reichstag decision, cannot copyright or prevent publication of his speeches. A gambling scandal occurred on the steamer Teutonic, which has arrived at Liverpool, from New York. Two first cebin passengers were caught cheating at poker. They secured considerably over \$10,000, but were obliged to make restitution.

The United Steamship Company will start a new steamship service between Copenhagen and the Danish West Indies by way of Holland, England and Lord Dundonald has been retired on

half-pay because he has agreed to give up the command which Lord Kitchener placed at his disposal.

placed at his disposal.

A census of the population of the Samoan group has been taken. The number of Samoans in Upola and other islands under the German Government, is 32,000, while the population of the six islands under the United States Government is re-United States Government is retine United States Government is returned as 5,500.

An Alexandria firm of cotton brokers has failed, with liabilities reported to amount to £250,000, while it is said that assets show on paper a margin of £30,000.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

NILESTOWN.

Nilestown, April 11.-Mrs. Cornish is tome from England. Mr. Cornish will Nilestown, April 11.—Mrs. Cornish is home from England. Mr. Cornish will remain there for a period.

Mrs. Peter Lawson is back from Seaforth, where she visited her daughter. There are rejoicings over the first child and heir at Arthur Moore's.

Mrs. George Byers is around again.

Quite a resuscitation of the C. M. Church choir here has been attained of late by the addition of a number of new members.

Through a little nerve and presence of mind, what otherwise might have been a serious mishap was averted the other night at L. and A. E. Barnard's. One of the lamps, through some defect of the burner, got on fire. Mr. Barnard picked it up, carried it outdoors, set it down, where it exploded.

Mr. J. A. James presented his prizes last Sunday at Sabbath school to those scholars entitled to them. Will and Louie Barnard received first honors for the greatest number of slips in the literature contest. Lottle Stevenson and Cora Reynolds were also winners. Cora Reynolds received the prize for attendance. There are three or four others to come in for rewards in another line of merit. Probably they will receive their prizes next Sabbath.

Buss Lee received the music box. His ticket was No. 31. Tickets cost accord-

Buss Lee received the music box. His ticket was No. 31. Tickets cost according to numbers.

Messrs, C. Jackson and R. Lee are doing a little professional horse clipping this spring. They are taking off the coats of a goodly number of horses

coats of a goodly number of horses around here.

Mr. James Jackson is now located at his new home, Kingsville.

Mr. C. Fletcher is moving this week to the residence made vacant through Mr. Jackson's removal.

Mr. John Milne was at Delaware for the Easter holldays.

Mr. Dick Marsh will be found at Wauouno for this season, as usual. Miss Lizzie Fitzpatrick has enjoyed a number of days at Ansley Barton's re-

STRATHROY.

[Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.] Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.]
Strathroy, April 11.—Mr. Wm. Wilson, of Wallaceburg, was the guest of his mother over Sunday.
Inspector Johnston, Principal Dunsmere and Mr. L. D. Culdy are in Toronto, attending the 40th annual meeting of the Ontario Educational Association.
The house of refuge committee of the Middlesex county council, with Warden Campbell and Engineer Talbot, met here last week.

Campbell and Engineer Talbot, met here last week.

Mr. W. J. Johnston received word a few days ago of the death of his brother Alfred, the sad event taking place in Calgary. Deceased was for some years a resident of this town.

Mr. A. B. McGregor, late of the Hudson Bay stores, Winnipeg, is the manager of Geddes Bros.' clothing room.

Mr. W. P. Laird has returned to Strathroy to resume his law practice here, and has taken an office over Dickinson's jewelry store.

The members of the Strathroy Gun Club indulged in their first shoot on Good Friday afternoon. Sides were chosen by James H. Lee and F. W. Tanner, Mr. Tanner's side coming out victorious by II, the score being 43 to 32.

The following are the officers of the e following are the officers of throy fire department: Chief, V Strathroy fire department: Chief, Wm. Hill; captain, G. K. Herd; first lieutenant, James Wood; second lieutenant, Herry Nettleton; first branchman, Wm. Healey, second, A. McIntyre; third, Harry Butler; fourth, Victor Dunn; Herry Nettleton; first branchman, Wm. Healey, second, A. McIntyre; third, Harry Butler; fourth, Victor Dunn; foreman of hose, Wm. Stevenson; assistant, John Smith; secretary, Victor Dunn; treasurer, John Mallon; engineer, John Mallon; first assistant, Irwin Armstrong; second assistant, Zack Frank, At the annual congregational and vestry meeting of St. John's Church, Mr.

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of stitching; flounce skirt trimmed with stitched Taffeta band and lined throughout. A good suit with lots of style at only......\$12 50

Of black Homespun Twill; coat 3-button cutaway, lined with silk serge; collar, lapels and cuffs finished with black Taffeta silk; flounce skirt finished with rows of silk stitching and Taffeta band at top of

Other Costumes with all the style as low as \$6 50 each and up to \$35 00. A visit to this department will better inform you as to what we can do for you than anything we might say here. Come a looker and you will go

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Sailors, Flowers and other Millinery, bought at less than 50 cents on the dollar, and consequently very large reductions from ordinary prices may be expected. Also a bankrupt stock of General Drygoods, consisting in part of Silks, Prints, Dress Goods, Corsets, Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Lace Curtains, Table Linens, Top Skirts, Underskirts, Handkerchiefs, Parasols, etc., etc. Also a big stock of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, etc., to clear at wholesale prices. In addition to the foregoing there is a large quantity of Shelving, Counters, Large Plate Glass Mirrors, a good Safe, Show Cases, etc., to be cleared out very cheap. Sale now on at

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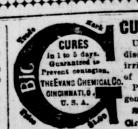
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Splendid lines of Tapesty Table Covers, Chenille Table Covers, Chenille Curtains, Damask Table Covers, Damask Curtains, at our usual low prices.

THE PROSPECTS FOR FRUIT AND GRAIN

Throughout Ontario Are at Present Good-More Farm Lectures.

Toronto, April 11.-Reports from almost all points in Ontario indicate that the fall wheat has wintered in comparative safety. On light soil the plant is healthy, and under heavier conditions, where the land is rolling. the promise is good. Only on level fields, where ice formed, there were patches where the plants are killed. On the whole an average crop may safely be counted on.

FRUIT PROSPECTS.

A member of the Toronto Globe staff visited the fruit belt east of Hamilton a day or two since, and found that peaches, plums, pears and other fruits had passed the ordeal of winter in entire safety. In a chat with Mr. E. D. Smith, M.P., of the Helderleigh nurseries at Winona, that gentleman expressed himself as fully satisfied with the outlook. In speaking of the possibility of profitably shipping our finer fruits to the Northwest, Mr. Smith said that the difficulty was not in packing, but in the fact that our climate does not produce fruits adapted for long shipments as California The search is now for varieties which will bear transportation, and that in this the fruit-growers would be successful. Incidentally Mr. Smith asserted that the H., G. and B. Electric Railway had added fully twenty dollars to the value of every head, Clinton; secretary, Wm. Wilson; fruit farm between Hamilton and Beamsville; that he alone had shipped 200 cars of freight over it last year, and that the electric road is an invaluable asset.

MORE FARM LECTURES. A staff of five lecturers has been sent out by Mr. G. C. Creelman, superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, to address the various local horticultural societies in the province. In addition to the evening meetings, the lecturers will hold afternoon meetings for school children, when they will give heart to heart talks on nature study. Creelman proposes by this means to draw the rural and urban population more closely together.

TRAVELING LIBRARIES. Hon. Mr. Harcourt has received a

The Croup.

it? Somehow, that awful for air, can never be for- siology and temperance, being withgotten. Be a little forehanded and prevent it.

Keep Vapo-Cresolene in the house, and when the children take cold let just where the croup lies. All irritation subsides, the cough quiets down and serious trouble is prevented. It never fails to cure whooping cough.12 Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit including the Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bettle of Cresolene, complete. \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Varo-Cresolene Co., 180 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

ities desirous of securing the use of cludes, the plans for the work will be

The Railways.

The C. P. R. has decided to put on an extra train between North Bay and the Soo, and otherwise improve the service.

traffic on the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ended April 7, 1901, as compared with the corresponding to the sufficient to hold the accused.

JUDGE JEROMES DECLETE compared with the corresponding period last year: 1901, \$528,187; 1900, \$513,-879; increase, \$14,308.

The traffic returns of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ended April 7, 1901, amounted to \$648,000, as compared with \$608,000 for the corresponding week of last year.

Teachers in Council.

Toronto, April 10.-At the education convention, in the inspectors' section, Inspector Silcox, of St. Thomas, made a strong plea for an increase in the number of male teachers in Ontario. He believed that much of the inefficiency of teaching was due to the replacing of males by females. The male teachers of Ontario now numbered less than 30 per cent of the whole. Their actual numbers had not increased since 1867, while the number of female teachers had increased from 2,041 to 6.120. The inspectors elected officers as follows: Chairman, K. R. Logdirector, John Dearness; London. The mathematical section passed a resolution to the effect that the time for introducing the metric system into Canada had not yet arrived.

At the general meeting officers were elected as follows: President, John Henderson, St. Catharines; secretary, R. W. Doan (re-elected); treasurer, W. J. Hendrie (re-elected). A resolution was adopted by a large

majority urging the adoption of a superannuation system to be operated under control of the minister of education. Prof. Robertson, of Ottawa, delivered an address on Manual Training, with special reference to the classes

now being established at various centers through the generosity of Sir William Macdonald, of Montreal. A special committee on the simplification of high school entrance examinations, consisting of a number of prominent educationists, reported in favor of limiting the entrance examination to six subjects: Grammar, It's a terrible thing, isn't geography, composition, dictation, arithmetic and writing, instead of ten as at present; four subjects: English cough, that hard struggle literature, history, drawing and phy-

drawn.

KILLED BY A WOMAN. Auburn, N. Y., April 11.—John Rossa, who was fatally stabbed by a woman known as Queen Jeppa in the them breathe-in the vapor during the Italian colony at Port Byron last evening. It goes right to the throat, night, died at the City Hospital here this morning. The woman has not yet been apprehended.

INCIPIENT FIRE AT OTTAWA. Ottawa, Ont., April 11.-Fire broke out this morning in the statistical office of the customs department, but was discovered before any serious damage was done. This office is in a building on Wellington street, rented by the government, and facing the House of Parliament.

THE MURDER OF WM. RICE.

Close of Patrick's Preliminary Trial.

Evidence of Hand-Writing Experts and Medical Men-Court's Decision Reserved.

New York, April 11. - At the close of the taking of testimony yesterday in the proceedings against Albert T. Patrick, accused of causing the death of Wm. Marsh Rice, Justice Jerome said whether a case sufficiently strong had been presented to warrant the holding of Patrick on the charge of murder until Monday next. Patrick was

remanded until that time.

The defense waived examination in the forgery charges against Patrick, David L. Short and Maurice Meyer, and they were held for the grand jury. Bail for Short and Meyer was fixed at \$10,000 each. The amount of Patricks bail on the forgery charge was not

EFFORTS TO PROVE FORGERY, As stated yesterday, William J. Kinsley, called by Assistant District Attorney Osborne as an expert on handwriting, expressed the opinion that checks paid by Swenson & Co., and signed by William M. Rice, were not

written by William M. Rice. Mr. Osborne then handed the witness the assignment on the Fifth Avenue Trust Company, and what is known as the "cremation letter," and Kinsley said: "I have already compared the signatures on these papers with the admitted signatures of the late Mr. Rice, and I say that in my opinion, were not written by the same

David N. Carvalho, another hand-writing expert, corroborated Kinsley's

MEDICAL TESTIMONY. Prof. Rudolph Willhus, the analyst, was the next witness. He testified to having received from Dr. Donly the heart, kidneys, liver, stomach and in-testines from the body of William Marsh Rice. He analyzed the different organs, and found traces of mer-cury in the stomach. In the intestines he found about half a grain of mercury and about one-ninth of a grain of mercury in the liver. There was not sufficient mercury to cause death, but the presence of it in the organs indicated that a larger quantity had been taken by the deceasedjust how much he could not determine. Defendant's counsel, Moore, asked whether the quantity of mercury found in Rice's body indicated that the man

had taken sufficient to cause death. The answer was "No. This ended the taking of testimony, and there was a recess until half-past one, when the attorneys' argument was begun,

ARGUMENT FOR DEFENSE. Lawyer Moore prefaced his argument in behalf of Patrick by asking Justice Jerome to discharge the accused lawyer from custody on four grounds. The porport of these was that the prosecuting attorneys had failed to establish the fact that a crime had been committed; that if a A Complete Victory for the traveling libraries soon to be established. As soon as the house conple had utterly failed to Patrick with it, and that there was not sufficient corroboration of the statements made by the valet Jones, who, Moore said, was a self-confessed murderer, a liar, and possibly a perjurer. Mr. Moore contended that there was an absence of material facts in the evidence, which would tend connect Patrick with the killing of Rice in corroboration of Jones.

> Justice Jerome then announced that in the work." the legal authorities in regard to it.
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> Justice Jerome said that he was going out of town over Saturday and sugarantee to the sufference.

OTHERS CHARGED. The charges of forgery against Patrick, Short and Meyers was taken up. Lawyer Moore asked for a few minutes' delay, during which he an earnest conversation with the three prisoners. He then announced Do not constitute a beautiful face, if to the court that they had agreed to waive examination, and Justice Je-rome ordered new commitment papers purities from the blood and regulating to be made out for each of them.

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the case of Meyers and Short, Justice Jerome committed them to the Tombs prison to wait the action of the grand jury and fixed bail at \$10,000 each. In Patrick's case, on the charge of forgery, Justice Jerome said that bail case could be applied for later on in the court of general sessions, as he still stands under a more serious

MURDERED HER HUSBAND. Des Moines, Iowa, April 12. - Mrs. Margaret Hossack, of Indianola, wife of a wealthy farmer, was found guilty yesterday of the murder of her husband on the night of Dec. 1, and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

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In copper there were increases at every center. In gold large increases in British Columbia and the Yukon were slightly offset by small decreases in the eastern gold mining districts. The iron smelting industry shows encouraging features. The total production of pig iron, from both foreign and quantity of homework to be given. and home ore, viz., 96,575 tons, valued at \$1,501,689, compared with that of the previous years, shows a decrease of 6.19 per cent in quantity and an increase of 9.03 per cent in

The very large growth in the output of lead was slightly offset by somewhat lower prices. British Columbia, as practically the only producer, is to be credited with the gratifying feature of the year's record.

China and Her Foreign Trade.

Sir Robert Hart, who knows China and her financial concerns thoroughly, contributes to the North American Review a statement on the above subject, which is of great interest at the present time. He says: "Many regard China as a far distant land, with an immense population, but so wanting to purchase in unlimited quantities, what is true, is this: China needs neither import nor export, and can do centuries has put agriculture, the productive industry which feeds and clothes, above all other occupations-China has all this and more; and foreign traders can only hope to dispose of their merchandise there, in proportion to the new tastes they introduce, the new wants they create, and the care they take to supply what the demand really means." According to this great authority the sanguine expectations based upon the treaties is not that the Chinese Government actively opposed foreign commerce, but that the Chinese people did not require it. Chinese have the best of food in the and possessing these staples, and their immeasurable native adjuncts, they do not need to buy a penny's worth elsewhere."

Thus, it is not so easy to create trade may even kill commerce. This article called the derelicts of life. is well worth reading, because it gives in a businesslike fashion, not only many facts which should be widely monuments erected to the memory of known, but also the Chinese view of the late Mr. Gladstone. Edinburgh, foreign trade, which shows that the his favorite Midiothian constituency, Chinaman has many reasons for feel- is to have a monumental statue. The ing himself aggrieved. Here we find King, who, as Prince of Waies, has a man of British birth, and of the always showed keen personal regard that the Chineman has much justice on Britain's greatest statesman, has ability to compete with the foreign- posed national memorial. Nor indeed er. "The motto of the Chinese trader will the universal respect for Mr. quite a match for the foreigner, whose there is speech of noble deeds his aim is to cut the ground from under name shall be held in remembrance.

his neighbor's feet, and whose commercial gospel is that competition is the life of trade." It is a weighty utterance, to which these fragmentary references do slight justice.

"Homework" or ".to Homework."

A test has been made in California regarding the no home study theory. dulge in flattery of any Liberal Ad-The result, which is favorable to ministration. It is, therefore, a comabolishing the preparation of lessons at home, is stated by the New York Montreal Star should speak so favor-Evening Post: "The principal of one school, after

a careful comparison of the work achieved by the class from which homework was not required with that of other classes, confessed his surprise 'to find that the "no home class holds its own with the rest. I have watched the work closeand the examinations were carefully prepared and conducted. I desire to continue the experiment fur-From another school there came a joint report signed by several teachers declaring: 'The work of the no-home-study section has equaled in every respect that of the homestudy sections.' The teachers add that in their judgment the pupils should do the greater part of their work within school hours. The principal of the third school reported that the percentages of the pupils not required to study at home, were as high or higher than they had been when homework was imposed. He added that in addition to the good results shown in the lessons there was also an improvement in the deportment of the pupils under the new system. The experiments are to be continued on a comprehensive scale, and the San Francisco papers hope that the poard of education will see the wisdom of relieving childhood from one of the onerous burdens put upon it by the present system of public education."

Notwithstanding the above conlusions arrived at by the teachers of San Francisco, the matter is still an open question. There are several things to be taken into consideration. In an ungraded school, where a teacher's time is necessarily taken up with one class at a time, opportunities are open for the other classes to prepare their work in school. In a graded school, on the other hand, where the teacher's time is spent all day with a single grade, there should be given time for the preparation of lessons. In the lower grades homework might be more easily dispensed with, but in the more advanced classes in both graded and ungraded schools it would seem almost a necessity. The subjects, history, geography, or English literature, which require reading, could be prepared more advantageously at home than in school. In fact, it is part of the function of an education to enable a person to read and interpret a book, and why should he not be taught to do this at his own fireside as well as in the school room? Though there may be wide diversity of opinion, the competent teacher is perhaps best qualified to decide as to the kind

A New Form of Benevolence.

A philanthropic idea is being put into practice in Birmingham, England. The idea, though old, is new from the point of view of practical application. George Cadbury has given 330 acres, situated about four miles from the center of the city, into the hands of trustees for the erection thereon of healthful dwellings for working people. About a third of this tract has been laid out, and 370 cottages built. of which 143 have been sold at cost price on leases of 999 years, 3 per cent being charged to those who paid less than half the cost; 21/2 per cent to those who paid at least half the cost. The remaining 227 cottages and shops are let to weekly tenants, who pay in all that others possess as to be ready their rents to the village trust. The receipts, after current expenses are whatever is offered for sale, whereas, defrayed, are devoted to the development of the estate and the erection of more cottages. This mode of philwithout foreign intercourse. A fertile anthropy is not a charity in the orsoil, producing every kind of food, a dinary sense, and for this reason the climate which favors every variety of workingman is provided with a comfruit, and a population, which for ten fortable home without in any way losing his self-respect. The trust acts as landlord, receiving rents and disposing of proceeds for the benefit of the tenant.

Who Are the Cabin Dwellers?

The Victoria Colonist disputes the Rev. Edward S. Rowe in attributing what are called the "cabin dwellers" of the coast to Chinese competition. have not been realized, "and the reason These are men who for one reason or another degenerated, and, having no family or social ties to influence them, have taken to cabin life as affording shelter with minimum of effort. Many world, rice; the best drink, tea; and of these people are well connected and the best clothing, cotton, silk and fur; have dropped behind in the race somehow. It is said there are quite a number of persons formerly of good position and education, some of them university graduates, who buried themselves in parts of New Ontario, with China as some people think. The Muskoka and what were once the vast powers should remember this before Hudson Bay territories. In some cases, they begin to fight for China's trade. as in the Hudson Bay territories and raltar, formerly the headquarters of a Their present action, Sir Robert Hart elsewhere, these men married Indian thinks, may do more than vindicate wives, and sank down to the level of the dignity of international law; it the aboriginal native. They may be

There will be a large number of highest ability, who, besides believing for the man, who was in many respects his side, has also full confidence in his offered to become a patron to the prois to live and let live, and his trading Gladstone cease at this; to adapt an strength lies mainly in combination, an expression of Pericles, his glory shall inherited science of business organiza- never die; the whole world is his tion, safe for its members and not sepulchre; his epitaph is written on harmful to their clients and he is the hearts of mankind and wherever

A Good Railway Bargain.

The Montreal Star distinguished itself by its opposition, in season and out of season, to the Liberal party during the last general election, so that it would be about the last paper in Canada to go out of its way to inpliment of no ordinary kind that the ably of the bargain made by the Ontario Government for the construction of the Manitoulin and North Shore Railway. As the railway is of considerable importance to London and Western Ontario, we think it worth while to give what the Star says, in full:

"The most favorable railway bargain arranged by any Canadian Government, Dominion or Provincial, for some years, is that just made by the Ontario Government with Mr. Francis H. Clergue, of Sault Ste. Marie, for the construction of the Manitoulin and North Shore Railway. The conditions are so favorable to the province that the Opposition could find no fault with them, and at once gave the bill, introduced by Premier Ross, their hearty

"The southwestern peninsula of Ontario is separated from the section of province known as 'New Ontario' by Georgian Bay, and it has commonly been supposed that there could never be railway connection between these two important districts except by a long and circuitous route which placed Southwestern Ontario at very great disadvantage for trade, not only with the northern part of the province, but with the whole vast ter-

ritory of the Canadian Northwest. "But Bruce County stretches northward into Georgian Bay a long arm, that reaches almost to Manitoulin, the great island which lies so close to the north shore of Georgian Bay, that it is quite easy to make railway connection with the mainland. Strange to say it never occurred to any one to run a railway up this arm of land and connect it with Manitoulin Island by a car ferry until Mr. Francis H. Clergue began to study the transportation problem. His new railway will run up this arm of land, connecting Meaford, Owen Sound and Wiarton with Tobermory, from which a car ferry will run to Manitoulin Island, and railway will run the full length of this island, making connection with the North Shore and extending to Sud-Ice-breaking boats will run between Tobermory and Manitoulin in winter, so that there will be an allthe-year service. Mr. Clergue thinks this winter route can be kept open as easily as the Straits of Mackinac, where communication has been constantly kept open throughout the winter for a number of years.

"Mr. Clergue's company is to get no cash subsidy, but will receive a grant of 2,500,000 acres of land, which is to selected along the route of the railway in alternate blocks, the railway company getting one block and the government the other, so that any development work done by the company will increase the value of the Government lands. In return for this land grant he agrees to construct a railway 300 miles long, which will oring Toronto 81 miles nearer to New Ontario, and London and other points in Southwestern Ontario 200 miles nearer. Mr. Clergue agrees to place 1,000 settlers a year for ten years on and will construct the land granted, a 300-ton smelter. The Ontario Government is to have control of rates. The Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific railways are both to have running rights over Mr. Clergue's railway. The Government of Ontario is to have the right to buy the railway by paying the cost of construction and 6 per cent annual interest from the time of construction to the time of purchase. The province is to retain all the pine on the lands granted to

the railway. "The railway is one that will revolutionize the geographical position of the towns of Southwestern Ontario. It will be of immense advantage to the fertile peninsula, and among the other advantages promised to the North Shore is a big reduction in the price

"The Chinese physician receives a salary from his patients as long as they are well, but as soon as they get ill his pay stops. Some American families, not disdaining to learn something from the other side of the world, have partially adopted the same plan that is, they pay the salary whether they are sick or well; and it is, of course, to the interest of the doctor to keep them well as far as he can, to save himself the trouble of attending

The Celestial Empire abounds in ideas, the majority of which are held in the same respect, by the rest of the world, as Chinese curios are. However, a modification of the custom stated above, is well worth our consideration. It cannot be denied that disease is the result of violation of natural laws, or perhaps better, the laws governing health. Consequently a large amount of sickness might be avoided were people to consult their physician in regard to correct environment, proper diet and healthy habits, while they are still enjoying good health. Often the doctor is called when it is too late and when very meager opportunities are open to him to effect a cure, which is neither fair to the doctor nor to the patient.

Well Named.

[Indianopolis Press.] The word "tariff" is derived from the name of the town, Tariffa, near Gibband of Mediterranean pirates. This reminds us of a man who, after watching some swine feeding, said: 'Well, a hog's mighty well named, ain't he?"

The Only Thing to Say. [Philadeplphia Press.]

"What would you say," began the voluble prophet of woe, "if I were to tell you that in a very short space of time all the rivers in this country would dry up? I would say," replied the patient man, "go thou and do likewise."

Canada's Four-Dollar Bill.

[Springfield Republican.] Canada's unpatriotic \$4 bill, on which is printed a picture of the United States, instead of the Canadian, lock at Sault Ste Marie, has been severely condemned in the Canadian House of Commons for advertising a foreign "Why not put on a picture of Mr. and | wards as follows: West ward, \$200,405; enterprise.

HE RUNIANS-GRAY CO. FRIDAY BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

We have decided, for the benefit of our many customers out of town, to continue our Friday Bargains this week on Saturday. A glance only is necessary to convince of the reality of these offerings.

Carpet Department

1 only, Tapestry Rugs, size 21/4 x3 yards, assorted designs, well covered, regular price \$8 50, bargain wool filling, cotton warp, regular price 55c, bargain day, per yard. 39c only, Puritan Carpet Sweepers,regular price \$1 75, bargain day

only, Companion Carpet Sweepers, regular price \$2 50, bargain slightly soiled, regular price \$6 00, bargain day \$4 00

Embroideries 10 pieces Swiss and Cambric Em-

broidery, 3 to 6 inches wide, regular price 12½c, 15c and 17c yard, special Saturday, per yard10c

Ribbons

Narrow Velvet Ribbon, in brown, Nile, yellow and blue, on sale Saturday only, per yard 1c

Hankerchiefs

10 dozen only, Ladies' Mourning Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, %-hem, regular price 15c each, spe-

Ruchings

Chiffon Ruching, light shades, suitable for dress trimming, regular price 10c yard, Saturday only, per yard 50

Furnishings Department

Men's, Boys' and Youths' Caps, navy serge and fancy tweed, some with leather peaks, were 20c and , 25c, Saturday, for 2 for 25c Colored Shirts, fast color, launderbosoms, some with cuffs attached, some with cuffs separate, regular value \$1 00, sizes 16, 16½, 17 and 17½, only, Saturday, for ... Men's Odd Pants, left out of suits, coat and vest have been sold, fancy checks, finest tweed, price

runs from \$1 90 to \$2 50, on sale fancy tweed, three-garment suits, neat check pattern, all sizes, 28 to regular price \$3 75 to \$4 50, Saturday for\$2 45 |

Mrs. McKinley?" which was greeted with a derisive. "Yes, yes!" The with-drawal of the bill from circulation is

Moral Suasion. [New York Journal.]

Mob law is always to be depreciated but when 500 armed men, with ropes, led by the president of the Mercantile club, entered the council chamber at Kansas City and induced the council not to pass an ordinance extending the franchise of a street railway monopoly for 30 years after the people had just elected an administration pledged to defeat the job, they exerted what appears, in the circumstances, to have been a highly commendable form of

ONTARIO WEST

Live Items Culled for Busy People's Information.

The debenture debt of St. Marys am-

ounts to \$92,328. Guelph's returned African soldiers have been presented with gold watches. W. W. Turner, of Chatham, has pur-

chased the drug business of A. D. Bran- men, doctors, lawyers, etc. Lots of room der. Wallaceburg. The St. Marys Creamery Company shipped on Saturday 6,555 pounds of but-

ter to Great Britain. The work of extending the Woodstock, Thames Valley and Ingersoll Railway to Ingersoll has been begun.

The Chatham Mineral Water Company, with a capital of \$65,000, will erect new bath houses at the mineral springs there, St. Marys town council has formulated a plan to raise money for the extension of the waterworks and electric lighting

systems. There will be \$100,000 spent on new buildings in Wallaceburg this season, besides a \$100,000 building erected for the

sugar beet company. Mr. John Walsh, a well-known St. Marys grocer, suddenly became blind last Saturday evening, and is now in Toronto

consulting an eye specialist. A report from Hespeler says that a joint stock company has been formed at that place for the manufacture of furniture, with ex-Ald. Greutzner, of Berlin,

as one of its chief promoters. William Scott, of the Sutherland-Innes office at Chatham, has been transferred to the company's office in New York city. He spent a few days with his parents in Petrolia before he left for New

The Grand Trunk authorities are making great improvements and alterations at the depot in Princeton, by doing away with the old-fashioned dwelling-house and enlarging the offices and waiting-

St. Marys assessor has figured out that the total assessment of that town is \$1,206,505, divided among the different

GREAT SILK SALE.

We offer on Friday the greatest snap in Silks ever given by this or any other establishment in London.

400 yards Fancy Taffeta and Fancy Blouse Silks, in pink, helio, blue, green, sky, cerise, cardinal and yellow; were 50c, 65c, 75c and special Saturday, per yard,

35c.

275 yards Fancy Taffeta and Blouse Silks, in violet, green, helio, cerise, blue, pink, sky and gray; were 75c and \$1, special Saturday, per yard,

50C.

200 yards Fancy Foulard Silks, in royal, cardinal, pink, blue, navy, black, also white grounds, with colored sprays and figures; were 75c, special Saturday, per yard,

50c.

120 yards Fancy Duchess and Taffeta Silks, in green, Tuscan, cardinal, sky, pink, reseda, nile and violet; were \$1 25 and \$1 50; special Saturday, per yard,

ooc.

Shoe Bargains

Youths' Lace Box Calf, also black oilgrain lace boots, sizes 11 to 13, regular price \$1 25 and \$1 50, Saturday for Ladies' Lace and Button Boots, all sizes, this season's shapes, regular price \$1 50 and \$1 75, Saturday only \$1 22

Gloves

48 pairs Ladies' Lisle Thread Gloves, all sizes, in shades of tan and brown, suitable for early spring and bicycle wear, regular price 25c, Saturday, per pair 15c

Hosiery

120 pairs Ladies' Black Cashmere Hosiery, spliced feet, worth regulariy 25c, Saturday, per pair15c 29 pairs Children's Black Cashmere Hosiery, in sizes 7, 8 and 8½, regular price was 30c, 35c and 40c, Saturday, per pair 23 pairs Children's Black Cashmere Hosiery, in sizes 51/2, 6, 61/2, 7 and 71/2, regular price 15c to 22c,

Ladies' Vests

96 only Ladies' Fleece-Lined Vests, suitable for spring wear, worth regularly 25c, Saturday, each15c 36 only Ladies' Vests, Fleece-Lined, frame, durable cover, regular regular price 50c, Saturday, each, 30c

North ward, \$397,655; South ward, \$608,295;

Hugh John McKay, a section man em-

ployed on the Michigan Central Railway,

was killed at Shedden Tuesday after-

noon while on his way to work, after

partaking of his noon meal. His father

and mother reside near Brussels. He

Wallaceburg News: Col. James O'Leary,

of Port Lambton, was in town Tuesday,

and reports that the ice in the St. Clair

River opposite the Port was piled up ten

feet high, and the village was in great

danger of being flooded at any moment.

The water is now up to the sidewalks

Probably a few farms in the county of

Huron have a record such as that of the

Hanford homestead, in the township of

Usborne, now occupied by Mr. James

Hanford. It was taken up by the late

Richard Hanford in the year 1831, and

from that time to the present not a single

person has died thereon, or a funeral

cortege left the premises. Few farms in

Wallaceburg News: Already strangers

are pouring into town. Laborers, me-

chanics, merchants, professional men-

and still there is room for more. Five

hundred laborers, 1,000 mechanics, brick-

layers, plasterers, carpenters; 100 mer-

chants of various kinds; 25 professional

and plenty of work for all. Wallaceburg

will be a city in five years; there will be

Ridgetown Standard: Mr. J. H. Smith,

promoter of the Western Agricultural

College, has consented to assist in the

collection of Pan-American fruit. As

the fruits ripen in the late summer aha

early autumn those who have nice sam-

ples will no doubt consult with Mr. Smith

and secure a place in the horticultural

building. A list of such exhibitors will

appear in the local press. Collectors of

fruit will be selected at Blenheim, Ridge-

St. Thomas Journal: W. Woollatt, man-

ager of the L. E. and D. R. R., arrived

in this city yesterday to inspect the work

of the erection of the bridge across the

ravine. The foundations are about com-

pleted, and the work of erecting the steel

superstructure will commence the latter

Journal that the rails will be laid to St.

Thomas by June 1, and that the Ridge-

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

by July 1. Superintendent Woollatt re-

turned to Walkerville today.

town and other fruit centers.

2.000 added to the population in the next

two years.

any country have such a record.

was a member of the A. O. U. W.

along the front streets.

non-resident, \$150.

Smallwares

36 only Patent Leather Belts, steel buckles, were made to sell for 35c, special bargain day 130 40 only Suede Belts, dog collar effect, in tan, gray and chocolate, were made to sell for 35c, special bargain 136

50 Belt Buckles, in gold, silver and black, worth from 15c to 25c, special, each

Special line of Soft Taffeta Silk Belts, hemstitched and corded, in cream, white, and black, at each. 50c

Mantles and Costumes

Ladies' Tailor-Made Costumes, in black, Oxford gray and blue bray, jacket double-breasted, mercerized lined, skirt 7-gored flare, spe-Ladies' Skirts in dark garnet and gray homespun, regular price \$2 95, Saturday, only\$1 95 only Ladies' Black Cloth Capes, with red pipings, regular price

\$3 50, Saturday\$2 50 only Capes, in green, blue and black, handsomely braided, regular price \$5 and \$5 50, Saturday

Umbrellas

Prescott, Mich., April 12.-Mrs. Frank

Gray, of Mills, may be afraid of a

mouse, but a little thing like a 200-pound bear has no terrors for her. She

the eggs and was met at the door by

vent to the chicken coop to gather up

oruin, who was looking for a meal.

She hurried to the house and got her

husband's Winchester rifle with which

she returned and filled his bearship

with lead. She then took what eggs

the animal had not eaten and coolly

Railways and Navigation

SETTLERS' O E-WAY EXCUR 1048

To Manitoba and Canadian Northwest will leave Toronto every TUESDAY dur-ing March and April, 1901.

hould take the train leaving Toronto at

Colonist Sleeper will be attached to

each train.

For full particulars and copy of "Set-tlers' Guide" apply to any Canadian

ner Richmond, London, Ont.; A. H. NOT-MAN, Assistant General Passenger Agent,

tlers' Guide" apply to any Cana Pacific Agent, or to W. FULTON, Passenger Agent, 161 Dundas street,

1 King street east, Toronto.

STELE

CANADAN

returned to the house.

1:45 p.m.

201/2 pounds of Redpath's Granulated Sugar for\$1 00

Grocery Department

Staple Department

day, per yard14c

per yard11e

17c, Saturday, per yard13c

day, per yard 140

ors, neat patterns, regular price 8c, Saturday, per yard 50

price is 75c, Saturday, per yard .. 57c

Saturday, per yard121/2c

19c, Saturday, per yard150

18 yards Persian Lawn, fine sheer

texture, regular price 18c, Satur-

160 yards, Persian Lawn, fine tex-

ture, regular price 15c, Saturday,

178 yards, India Linen, regular price

80 vards Circular Pillow Cotton,

44-inch, regular price 171/2c, Satur-

92 yards Circular Pillow Cotton, 44-

288 yards Art Muslins, assorted col-

62 yards Bleached Table Damask,

72 inches wide, heavy quality, worth regularly 90c, our close

98 yards Unbleached Cotton Sheet-

ing, 8-4 wide, regular price 15c,

120 yards Unbleached Cotton

Sheeting, 8-4 wide, regular price

116 yards Twilled and Plain

Bleached Sheeting, 8-4 wide,

regular price 25c, Saturday, per

Crockery Department

97-piece Illuminated Dinner Sets,

with gilt edges, your choice of four colors, good value at \$15 00,

only, 97-piece Dinner Sets, with

20 only, Printed Toilet Sets, in as-

giit edges, in three colors, regular \$10 00, for, per set\$7 88

sorted colors, for, per set\$1 64

25 per cent off all our Japanese China

221/2 pounds of Redpath's Bright Yellow Sugar for 11 pounds of Choice Roller Oatmeal, for25c pounds of Rice and 2 pounds of

Tapioca for250 pounds of Rice Cakes and 2 pounds of Ginger Snaps for 250 1/2 pounds of Clean, Handpicked

Our 40c Imperial Blend Black or

SHE WAS TOO MUCH FOR BRUIN.

On and after Sunday, March 10, 1901, the train leaving Union Station To-ronto (via Grand Trunk Railway) at 10:00 p.m., connects with the Maritime Express and Local Express at Bonaventure depot, Montreal, as follows: The Maritime Express will leave Montreal daily, except on Saturday, If you are scrofulous, dyspeptic, rheumatic, troubled with kidney complaint, general debility, lacking strength, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. at 12 noon for Halifax, N. S., St. John B., the Sydneys, and points in the

cept on Monday, at 5:30 p.m. Local Express will leave Montreal daily, except Sunday, at 7:40 a.m., due to arrive at Levis at 1:06

The Local Express will leave Levis at 4:20 p.m., daily, except Sunday, due to arrive at Montreal at 10:00 p.m. Through sleeping and dining cars on

Passengers traveling without live stock should take the train leaving Toronto at The elegant, sleeping, dining and The elegant, sleeping, dining and the elegant sleeping are the elegant sleeping. first-class cars make travel a luxury.

The Intercolonial Railway connects
the west with the finest fishing
streams, seaside resorts and tourist cutes in Canada.

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WILLIAM ROBINSON, General Traveling Agent, 10 King Street West.
Toronto.

SETTLERS principal of the Collegiate Institute and SPECIAL CHEAP ONE-WAY **EXCURSIONS**

Western States and Canadian Northwest Every Tuesday During April, via

MICHIGAN CENTRAL "The Niagara Falls Route." Particulars at the city ticket office, 395 Richmond street, or depot, corner Bath-urst and Clarence streets. Telephone 205.

JOHN PAUL, Agent; O. W. RUGGLES,

Passenger Agent.

part of this week or the first of next week. Superintendent Woollatt told the New York to Liverpool via Queenstown town extension will be in full operation

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

*S.S. MAJESTIC. April 17

*S.S. OCEANIC. Adril 24

S.S. CYARIC. April 30

*S.S. TEUTONIC. May 1

S.S. GERMANIC. May 8

*S. GERMANIC. May 8 S.S. GERMANIC May 8

Is successfully used monthly by over 110,000 Ladies. Safe, effectual. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Reet Compound. Take no other, as all Mixtures, pills and imitations are dangerous. Price, No. 1, \$1 per box: No. 2, 10 degrees stronger, \$5 per box: No. 1 or 3, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps. The Cook Company Windsor, Ont. 1 or 3, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps. The Cook Company Windsor, Ont. 1 or 3, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps. E. De La Hooke, No. 1 and No. 2 is sold in London by Anderson & Nelles and C. McCallum & Sele Agent for London, "Clock" Corner

Railways and Navigation

Maritime Provinces.

The Maritime Express from Halifax, St. John, the Sydneys and other points east will arrive at Montreal daily, ex-

the Maritime Express. The vestibule trains are equipped

Tickets for sale at all offices of the Grand Trunk System, at Union Station, Toronto, and at the office of the

H. A. PRICE, Assistant General Passenger Agent, 148 St. James Street, Montreat.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY Special Trains to

Will leave Toronto every Tuesday during March and April, 1901, at 9 p.m.
Colonist Sleepers will be attached to these trains, in which berths will be free, these trains, in which berths will be free, and can be secured by passengers on arrival at Toronto.

Passengers traveling without live stock should take the "Pacific Express," leaving Toronto at 1:45 p.m.

Full information and tickets from agents, Grand Trunk Railway system, or E. DE LA HOOKE, C. P. and T. A. M. C. DICKSON, District Passenger Agent.

Picturesque Pan American Route to Buffalo.

ALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Between Portland and Liverpool and New York and Glasgow.

A new species of mountain sheep has been sent from Dawson City Director Horaday, of the New York Zoological Society. absolutely new to science.

Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipa-tion and all liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills

The non-irritative cathartic. Price 25 cents of all druggists or by mail of C. J. Hood & Co. Lowell, Mass.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

AROUND THE CITY.

-Miss Della Thomas, Strathroy, is visiting friends in London. -Mrs. C. R. Smith left yesterday to visit friends in Jersey City, N.J.

is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. James Sharman, at Woodstock. -A very attractive programme has been prepared for the Ema Scott Raff concert in Askin Street Methodist Church, Friday evening.

-Miss Oldine Dickinson, of London

aul Hansen, of Hill street her sister, Mrs. F. Down-ttle, Washington Territory. is visit h may reside permanently

butors to the rummage sale which opens on Friday, are requested to notify Mr. B. A. Mitchell, at 114 Dundas street, should they require the dray for large articles. Telephone 623. -Mrs. R. Yeatman and Mrs. B. Vaughan, of Toronto Junction, and Mrs. R. Hughes, of Buffalo, are here attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. H. Gomersal. Mrs. Vaughan is

accompanied by her daughter. -Miss Lottie Proctor, court reporter. this city, is at Ingersoll reporting the arbitration proceedings before Judge Finkle and two arbitrators, in the case of Harris vs. Town of Ingersoll. The witnesses in the case are engin-eers, and the question in dispute is as to the diverting of a water course by the town authorities.

-Three sessions of the Salvation Army Council were held yesterday, and addressed by Major McMillan, provincial officer, assisted by distric officers. Various important matters were dealt with. In the evening, the officers had a tea meeting, and to-night a public gathering at the citadel, at which appointments to 28 corps are to be announced, will be held.

-Mr. W. T. Oliver, formerly man-ager of the Rossland branch of the Bank of British North America, who left the northern city on March 26 to take charge of the bank's interest in this city, was tendered a farewell banquet by the citizens of Rossland. Over one hundred prominent citizens were prechair being occupied by Mayor Lalonde, and the vice-chair by Mr. J. B. Johnson, president of the board of trade

BAPTIST CONVENTION.

The executive of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec held a meeting yesterday afternoon at Toronto to decide upon the time and place of the next convention. The date was fixed for Oct. 14 to 18, and the only place mentioned was Brantford, though the place was not definitely arranged. Among those present was W. M. Wal-

MIDDLESEX FRUIT AT THE PAN-

Mr. Hunter, of Darch & Hunter, has kindly consented to ship choice sam- and May Orange, of this city ples of fruit to the Pan-American Ex- are suing Patrick Cooney, of Chicago, ples of fruit to the Pan-American Exposition. John Balkwill, of Bruce street, has been asked to assist in the good work. Every public-spirited fruit grower will, as their fruits ripen in late summer or in early autumn, co-operate in securing nice samples. Isaac Rathburn, reeve of Glencoe, will ship from that point. Other collectors will be selected later on.

ARRIVED IN BUFFALO.

A Buffalo dispatch of today's date says: "William Hutchinson, of Ottawa, the commissioner of the Dominion of Canada to the Pan-American Exposition, arrived in the city this morning, accompanied by H. C. McBride, of London, the architect of the Canadian building. They will inspect the Dominion structure, which is in an advanced state of erection, and is expected to be completed early They speak in enthusiastic in May. They speak in enthusiastic terms of the prospects of the exposi-

POLICE COURT.

back \$3 75.

While "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" were astonishing their friends at the opera house last night, the audience was further surprised by a commotion in the "gods." It was caused chiefly by Wm. Laundry, who started an altercation with another onlooker and tried Hyde tactics upon him. His antagonist resented the offense and a fight ensued, to the evident discomfiture of the pit and the delight of the gallery. The Laundry man and his opponent, who merely acted on the defensive were before Police Magistrat Love this morning. Only the former, being the aggressor, was fined for violating the sanctity of the gods' domain. His bank account was set

W. H. Fitzsimmons, alleged to be a keeper of an unlicensed livery stable, appeared, and had his case adjourned for a week.

Maurice Sullivan was said to have a cart for hire without having paid the customary fee, but the charge was

For driving immoderately, Wm. Homister and Christopher Aggett were fined \$2 each, and \$1 each settled the cases of three men who walked on Victoria Park grass.

Two drunks were discharged.

LONDONERS IN CALIFORNIA. San Diego (Cal.) Union: James Mc Nee, of London, Can., leaves for Pasadena and Catalina Saturday, after a several months stay at Hotel del Coronado. Among popular guests of the carried away by the ice. Consequentpast season who leave Hotel del Coronado for northern routes this week, en route east, are Mrs. Charles Hallett Thorne and family party, and sister, Miss Florence Benton Wilber, of Peoria, Ill. Mrs. Thorne has spent other seasons at Coronado, welcomed by numerous friends. Both Mrs. Thorne and Miss Wilber have been the recipients of much social attention during their stay at this resort, and many admiring friends regret their departure. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swift gave a welsh rarebit party last even-

ated as chef. Among those enjoying the hospitality of the occasion were Mrs. Louis F. Swift, Mrs. Charles H. Thorne, James McNee, and others. Miss Annie Howard, of Chicago, who has been at Hotel del Coronado the greater part of the winter with Mrs. Paul Morton and Miss Pauline Morton departs on today's noon train accompanied by Miss Morton, for the east. Miss Howard has been one of the most popular, certainly one of the handsomest and most charming young women at the famed resort (where beautiful women are often met), visiting here this winter. Morton returns east to re-enter school. Last evening these young ladies were Last evening these young ladies were given a farewell plunge party by Mrs. Harvey, followed by a luncheon given by Mrs. Louis F. Swift, at her home in Star Park. Among those at the swimming party were: Mrs. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Eckles, Mrs. Swift, Mrs. Charles Thorne, the Misses Howard. Charles Thorne, the Misses Howard, Morton, Wilber, Swift, Trude, Foater, also Messrs. W. A. Bissell, J. D. Spreckels, jun., James McNee, Nathan Swift, Alexis Bjornson and others.

AN \$18,000 ESTATE

Left by the Late William Telfer of Princess Avenue.

The late Wm. Telfer, who died on Feb. 14 last, left an estate totaling \$18,125. The house and lot at 370 Princess avenue and a cash annuity is left during her lifetime to Mr. Telfer's sister, Miss Mary F. Telfer. The balance of the estate is to be converted into cash, and handed over to Mr. Telfer's daughter, Mrs. Teresa B.
Thompson, wife of Capt. Robert
Thompson, of Port Huron, Mich. At Miss Telfer's death her property goes to Mrs. Thompson, and at Mrs. Thompson's death the whole property is divided equally between her children. The executors are Judge Harris and Attorney W. L. Jenks, of Port Huron, and Police Magistrate Frank Love, of

GONE TO THE JURY

Case of Anderson vs. G. T. R. Has Been

Concluded. The case of Anderson vs. the G. T. R. was taken up yesterday, continued this afternoon, and went to

the jury at 2:30 p.m. The action is for \$1,500 damages for injuries sustained in a collision at Petrolia. The case of Ashplant vs. G. T. R. was then taken up. It is a case aris-

ing out of the same accident. The case of Kent vs. St. John was dismissed by consent upon payment by plaintiff of part of defendant's The action was one brought by John Kent, a McGillivray farmer, against Robert St. John, a Lucan hoteikeeper, for \$1,000 damages for personal injuries sustained while being ejected from defendant's premises. Dickson & Carling, Exeter, for plain-

tiff; Meredith & Fisher for defen-WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. The suit of Orange vs. Cooney was taken up about 3 p.m. and organization of the Canadian Patriotic continued till 5:30. John Orange for discharge of a \$500 mortgage and recovery of an insurance policy tendered in payment of the same. action was enlarged to permit the parties to reach an agreement.

list, has been postponed till the next assizes. The amount paid to the crown witnesses in the Sifton case was about

The Kersey case, on the criminal

FELL 160 FEET!

The Second Fatal Accident at Pan-American Exposition Grounds.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 11.-Michael Hohenstein, a sub-contractor, engaged in putting a staff on the governbuilding at the Pan-American Exposition, fell from the dome of that structure this morning and was instantly killed. He fell about 160 In his fall, Hohenstein struck almost the identical spot where William Highlander was killed about two months ago. This is the second fatal accident that has occurred on grounds.

NO PLEASURE POSSIBLE

Could Entertain No Company-Ill All the Time-A Sad Case With a Happy Ending.

Napanee, Ont., April 8 .- "I have been troubled for over six years with Kidney Disease. The pain was so great I could not endure it. I could not entertain any company. One night I was feeling particularly miserable. I chanced just then to hear of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I decided to try them. I did so, and am completely restored to good health."

This unsolicited statement is from Mrs. John C. Huffman, of this town, a well-known lady. It was made in May, 1896. Mrs. Huffman said, "Before using Dodd's Kidney Pills, my urine was something terrible, and at times very disagreeable to

Today she says: "Yes, I was entirely cured in '96. I have not since been troubled. Every woman should know of this medicine.

WRECKED BY FLOATING ICE. Terrebonne, Que., April 11.—That part of the Masson toll bridge which has withstood the ice for years has been ly Terrebonne has no communication with Montreal. This is a serious loss in the surrounding district.

Corns! Corns! Corns!

Tender corns, painful corns, soft corns, pleeding corns. The kind of corns that ther remedies have failed to cure—that's other remedies have failed to cute that a good many-yield quickly to Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Putnam's Corn Extractor has been a long time at the business, experiences in fact just know to do it. At druggists.

The United States leads all other nations in the matter of fruit growing.

Piles To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Cintment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Batts & Co., Toronto, Chase's Cintment

Straw last year, and grap.

Every time an argument gains you a new friend it loses you two old ones.

SAFE, CERTAIN, PROMPT, ECON-OMIC.—These few adjectives apply with peculiar force to Dr. Thomas' Eclectric oil—a standard external and internal remedy, adapted to the relief and cure of coughs, sore throat, hoarseness and all affections of the breathing organs, kidney troubles, excoriations, sores, lameness and physical pain.

172-174 Bayley's Dundas St

For Saturday MORE CHARGES Traders

Lively bargains bring lively business. Sharp, clear-cut values are evident in every section of these stores. Shrewd people very soon find them out-that's why we're busy these days.

A Few of Saturday's Specials:

HOSIERY.

The Leather Hose, 2 and 1 rib, Cotton, fast black, seamless, in sizes 6 to 9½, worth 15c to 20c, now selling, all sizes, at 100 10 dozen only Ladies' Pure Cashmere Hose, medium weight, worth

25c, while they last, Saturday .. 15c better quality Cashmere Hose, for ladies, regular 35c, for 25c No store sells Good Hose so cheaply

CORSETS.

There are none to compare with our Corsets, the great leader, Erect Form, perfect in fit and finish, back if wanted, worth \$1, now selling at 50c

MILLINERY GOODS.

Special lot of Untrimmed Dress Hats; millinery prices \$1 to \$2, in We want you to see these millin-

ery bargains.

FLOWERS—A few people may overlook this great sale of Flowers, but 'twill be their loss, 1,200 bunches of Flowers, worth 25c to

KID GLOVES.

Our wonderful Dollar Kid Glove, perfect French kid, a most hand-some glove on the hand, delight-fully bright and soft, sold everywhere at \$1 25, our price\$1 00

STAPLES.

Excellent drives in prices of Staples. Read: Check Ginghams, regular 8c, for 5c. 35c Table Linen for 25c. Seconds in Towels, one-quarter off regular price; now selling at 71/2c, 121/2c and 15c. Prints-Special Heavy Prints at 5c; better and wider at 61/2c, 10c and 121/2c.

WE CAN INTEREST THE ECONOMICAL HERE.

BAYLEY'S

WIDOWS LEFT

Two Thousand Five Hundred To Be Provided For.

Heavy Call Upon the Royal Patriotic Fund-Letter From the Duke of Cambridge.

Ottawa, April 11. — The governor-general has received the following letter from the Duke of Cambridge: "Royal Commission of the Patriotic Fund, 53 Charing Cross, London,

S. W., Jan. 25, 1901. "Dear Lord Minto,-I have to thank you very cordially for your letter of

Fund Association, initiated by your-"I have to congratulate you on the success of obtaining such a generous support, not only from the Canadian public, but from the people of England and elsewhere, as you say, for the carrying out of the most laudable object of the association, in providing for the widows and dependents of Canadian soldiers who have lost their lives in the war in South Africa. Mr. Court ney, C. M. G., your deputy minister of finance, had already been good enough to call at the offices of the patriotic fund commission and give information regarding the Canadian patriotic fund. "Arrangements were then made which I am glad to know are in accord with the views expressed in your letter, that all applications from widows, orphans and other dependents of those connected with the Canadian contingents who have lost their lives in the war in South Africa should be referred by the secretary of the patriotic found commission to the secretary of the Canadian patriotic fund. This is all the more necessary, as, owing to the prolongation of the war in South Africa, there has been already registered as applicants for assistance from the Transvaal war fund, administered by the patriotic fund commissioners, ered next Thursday. upwards of 2,500 widows, 3,000 phans and 1,600 other relatives, while greater numbers will no doubt have ultimately to be provided for by us. for the patriotic fund commissioners, as the contributions from the public to the fund administered by this commission, although large, will not permit of any but the very smallest alowances to be granted to the widows. Under these circumstances it is a mat-

This position is one of deep anxiety ter of congratulation that there appear to be ample funds in the hands of the Canadian Patriotic Fund Association to provide for the widows and other dependents who have lost relatives in the war in South Africa, without these having to be provided for from the

fund administered by the patriotic fund commissioners. "I remain, dear Lord Minto, yours very sincerely (Signed) George.

Amusements.

WEST'S MINSTREL JUBILEE. No more popular or meritorious perormances are ever given in this city han the minstrel entertainments given by Billy West and his splendid aggregation on their annual visits. Mr. West claims his present organization the strongest and best he has ever had, and a glance over the names of some of the principals seems to bear out his statement. The roster includes such well-known favorites as Emerson, Billy Van, Richard J. Jose, J. R. Rodgers, Manuel Romain, Ernest Tenny, Raymond Teal, Waterbury broto the public here, and the farmers thers, and Tenny, Teal and Whalen, in the surrounding district. did company will appear at the London Opera House, Saturday, matine e and night, of the current week. BURRILL COMEDY COMPANY.

In the matter of scenery and effects, the Burrill Comedy Company, which will be the attraction at the London Opera House, five nights of next week, commencing Monday, is the leader among popular-price repertoire companies. All the plays presented by the company are handsomely mounted, and it is doubtful if there is any company of the same kind on the road that arries so much special scenery. The ostumes of the company, too, are very handsome, the gowns worn by Miss Laura Hulbert, the star of the company, being especially beautiful. Plan of seats opens Friday morning.

HOLLOWAY'S CORN CURE is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts, and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents

SALE STOPPED

BY THE WAR The Manitoba Railway Bargain May Fail.

> Report That the President of the Great Northern Has Other Plans in View.

Winnipeg, April 10.—A St. Paul dispatch tonight reads: "The rumor escaped from an authoritative source today that Mr. J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern, had interposed to prevent the sale of the Northern Pacific lines in Manitoba, and that he had, under the new order of things, other plans are are not disclosed, but it is quite evident a halt has been called in the Northern Pacific negotiations with the Manitoba Government, and that something besides parliamentary approval of the deal is necessary for its consummation. It is said that all parties concerned are awaiting the outcome of the Hill-Morgan Burilngton deal. Orders have been issued by those in control of the Northern Pacific to let the proceedings rest for the pressure as the load of the deal in the reading of the bill to incorporate the reading of the bill to incorporate the reading of the bill to incorporate the Canada National Railway and Transport Company was resumed by Mr. Clarke, who moved in amendment that the bill be referred back to committee for the purpose of adding the following section: "His majesty shall have the right at any time to take over the undertaking, property rights and franchises of the company, and for that purpose the provisions of the expropriation act shall apply. From any valuation placed upon such property so taken there shall be deducted on payment the amount of any bonus or subsidy paid by the government of Canada to the company towards the construction of such line of railway or any part thereof."

The house divided, and the amendment was lost by a vote of 45 to 62.

The estimates for Indian affairs having been passed, the house adjourned at 11 Winnipeg, April 10 .- A St. Paul dislet the proceedings rest for the pres-

AT THE CAPITAL

Crow's Nest Southern Railway Bill Hela Over-Death of an Editor.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., April 11.—The Crow's Nest Southern Railway bill came up before the railway committee today. Mr. Lash, K. C., Toronto, explained

Mr. Blair pointed out that the Crow's Nest coal people had agreed to the C. P. R.'s interests being protected in every way, and the difficulty now was to frame a clause to see that this was done. He suggested that the bill stand over until this was done.

Hon. Mr. Tarte suggested that the bill remain before the committee. This was done, and the bill will be consid-

DEATH OF AN EDITOR. J. C. McLagan, editor and manager of the Vancouver World, died last evening at his residence in Vancouver. Mr. McLagan was, before going to British Columbia, a partner with Mr. James Junes, in the Guelph Mereury. He was a Liberal in Dominion politics, party lines in the provinces not being rigidly recognized. Mr. Mc-

LAWYER PATRICK

May Learn Today Whether or Not He Will Be Tried for Murder.

Lagan was about 60 years of age.

New York, April 11.-Lawyer Albert T. Patrick, who is charged with having caused the death of Wm. Marsh Rice, the Texas millionaire, will probably know this afternoon whether Justice Jerome will hold him to await the action of the grand jury on the capital charge. It is generally expected that the testimony in the commitment will be all in by this afternoon. ALLEGED FORGERIES.

The first witness today was William J. Kinsley, who was called by Assistant District Attorney Osborne as an expert on handwriting. The witness was handed several checks paid by Swenson and Coy and signed by Wm. M. Rice, and then was handed the 1900 will and the checks for \$25,000 and \$65,000 drawn on Swenson & Co. in favor of Patrick. Mr. Kinsley said that in his opinion the signatures on the will and on the \$25,000 and \$65,000 checks were not written by the person who had signed the checks presented by the prosecution as bearing the genuine signature of Wm. H. Rice.

A PLEASANT MEDICINE.-There are A PLEASANT MEDICINE.—There are some pills which have no other purpose, evidently, than to beget painful internal disturbances in the patient, adding to his troubles and perplexities rather than diminishing them. One might as well swallow some corrosive material. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills have not this disagreable and injurious property. They are easy to take, are not unpleasant to the taste, and their action is mild and soothing. A trial of them will prove this. They offer peace to the dyspeptic. Banana is a feature of fruit cmfwyp Banana growing is a feature of fruit

enterprise is said to be making a fair To cure a cold in a night—use Vapo-Cresoene. It has been used extensively during more han twenty-four years. All Druggists.

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aising in Southern California.

BY OPPOSITION

Estimates Have All Passed the House -New Postoffices in Canada-Northern Railway Debate.

Ottawa, April 10.-The house spent the greater part of the day in supply, the estimates for railways and Indian affairs being under consideration. Mr. Haggart attacked the minister of railways for making a contract with the Clergue Company for a supply of steel rails for the government railway. Mr. Blair replied that the government had by making the contract dustry in Canada without cost to the treasury, and had thus furnished employment to a large number of Canadian workmen. In the evening Mr. E. F. Clarke moved an amendment to the bill incorporating the Canada Na-tional Railway and Transport Company, providing for expropriation by the government of the property rights and franchises of the company, and the deduction from the valuation of any bonus or subsidy paid by the government of Canada. The amendment was voted down, and the bill was given the third reading.

NEW POSTOFFICES. In answer to Mr. Bruneau, Mr. Sutherland stated that from Aug. 1, 1836, to March 1, 1901, there had been established in Canada 1,071 new postoffices -in Ontario 226, in Ontario 227, in Nova

Scotia 167, in New Brunswick 85, in Prince Edward Island 28, in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories 215, in British Columbia 123.

In answer to Mr. E. F. Clarke, Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that the new alien labor bill was submitted to the president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, Mr. Smith, of Vancouver, and also to Mr. Puttee, member for Winnipeg. Both of these gentlemen approved of the bill so far as it went, but reserved to themselves the right of moving amendment and making suggestions.

The house then went into supply on

The house then went into supply on the Intercolonial estimates.

After a lengthy debate, in which the opposition speakers charged that the government had entered into an enormous contract without first submitting it to parliament, as they had contended should be done when they were in opposition, the house arose at 6 o'clock.

THE CANADA NATIONAL.

been passed, the house adjourned at I

Whisperings of the Wires.

Mr. J. C. McLagan, editor of the Vancouver World, is dead. Mayor Tom L. Johnson has declared war on gamblers and gambling in

Cleveland. Emperor William today unveiled the equestrian statue erected in honor of Emperor William I., at Pottsdam. Census enumerators in Algoma refuse to work until they receive an advance to cover traveling expenses. The well-known Danish actor Emil Goulsen is arranging to tour the

The plant of the Schenectady (N. Y.) Brewing Company was totally destroyed by fire early this morning. Damage

United States during the coming sum-

Contributions to Grace Church, New York, on Easter Sunday amounted to \$107,000, which will be used for new

buildings. Diphtheria is epidemic at Fort Alexander, on the Winnipeg River. Seven or eight families are affected and seven deaths have occurred.

Rev. Mr. Fenton secured a verdict against the Misses McDonald at Brockville assizes for \$750 for libel. He conducted his own case. A true bill for manslaughter was returned at the Brockville assizes against four Kemptville young men

concerned in the death of Lancelot The plant of the Amhertsburg, Ont. Electric Light Company was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. Loss, \$5, 000; insured in Liverpool London and

Globe for \$3,500. Edward Perry, convicted of stealing from the Ontario Wine and Fruit Growing Company, of St. Catharines, Ont., was sentenced at Montreal one year's imprisonment. Many Perry's customers asked the judge make the sentence light.

AGREEMENT ANNOUNCED

Between the C. P. R. and the Crow's Next Pass Coal Company.

Ottawa, April 10.-Representatives of the C. P. R. and of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company had another conference here today, after which the former caused it to be given out that an agreement had been reached, and that further opposition by the C. P. R. to the granting of a charter for a railway from Fernie to the boundary line would be abandoned. It was also said by friends of the C. P. R. that the Crow's Nest Coal Company had consented to the insertion of a clause in the latter's bill, agreeing to sel coal to British Columbia smelters at the same rate as to smelters in the United States.

A DIFFERENCE. The statement of the directors of the coal company who are here, did not

however, tally exactly with that fur nished by the C. P. R. They were glad to receive the assurance that the C. P. R. would not proceed with the opposition, but they would not confirm the report that they had entered into an agreement to sell in British Co-lumbia, under all circumstances, at the same rates as in the United States.

A. SCREATON & CO. Say Government Acted Arbitrarily in Awarding Contracts. Great April Carpet & Rug Sale

This is a sale of all the best and most desirable patterns made this season by the leading Carpet manufacturers in the world. Our new store is filled with all the best and most reliable makes, and you will do yourself an injustice if you buy any floor coverings before coming to inspect our stock

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ON SATURDAY we will give a free sample of KENNEDY'S BAKING POWDER to everyone calling at our store, 268

Dundas street. Our Baking Powder is absolutely pure, and sells at 20 cents a pound.

Kennedy's Pharmacy, 268 Dundas St.

Sherwin Williams' Oil and Varnish Stains,

Flooriac for Floor Borders, Enamels, Etc.

Wall Colors, Alabastine, Kalsomine, Step-Ladders, Curtain Stretchers.

Bissell's Grand Rapids Carpet Sweepers.

Wringers and Mangles, Window Brushes and Rubbers, Molson's Pad Window Cleaner,

REID'S HARDWARE,

No. 118 DUNDAS ST, North Side, LONDON, ONT

Strikes and Strikers. Indianapolis, Ind., April 11.-Work in the block coal districts of Indiana, where over 3,000 union miners are employed, is at a complete standstill, owing to the disagreement over the pow-der question. On Monday the execu-tive board of the United Mine Workers will bring the miners into joint session with the operators at Brazil. New York, April 11 .- It was said at

the office of the Central Railroad of New Jersey today that no change had taken place in existing conditions between the employes and officials of the Paris, April 11 .- Coal workers in Mareilles have abandoned their strike. Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 11.-The employes of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, in the Ashley car shops, struck

at noon today because Supt. Thomas refused to reinstate 30 discharged men.

CANCER,

THE MOST MALIGNANT DISEASE TO CURE.

The action of B. B. B. on Cancer is first felt by reducing the pain, afterwards the healing commences restoring a healthy condition to the flesh surrounding the parts affected. TREATMENT :- Bathe freely with B.B.B., and take internally according to direc-

tions. Three bottles will prove its efficacy for relieving or curing any kind of cancer. MR. GEO. MEGGISON, of QUINN. ONT., writes under date of Dec. 17th, 1900, of the wonderful benefit he has received from the use of B. B. B. for cancer on the throat, from which he has been suffering for seventeen years: "Seventeen years ago a cancer formed on my throat just beside the wind-pipe.

they failed to give me a particle of relief. Some of them advised an operation, others cautioned against it as the cancer was in such a delicate place. But to make a long story short, for seven years I suffered untold agony, until at last the cancer broke and discharged a thick bloody matter, after this it would heal up and a scab would form, but would eventually drop off and leave the opening larger than before. I suffered this terrible agony until a short time ago, when I happened to read of Burdock Blood Bitters

being good for cancer, and I decided to

procure a bottle, but hardly had faith in

I doctored with several physicians, but

anything and did not dare to think of it giving me any relief.

However, I started applying it to the ore with a piece of cotton. I also took the B. B. internally according to directions. I had not used the treatment long before I could notice a great change for the better, and believe by continuing its use I will ere long be permanently cured. I cannot too highly recommend B. B. B. to any person who is troubled with cancer.

has returned to Toronto. that McLeod has been doing very well there, but that he intended to come back to Toronto next month. The latter was backed heavily when he raced Colter at Vancouver, but the weather conditions were against him and the

Pacific champion won out. THE C. C. A. LOSES ITS HEAD. Montreal, April 11.-Mr. Geo. Tait, president of the Canadian Cyclists' Association, has resigned, and that or-ganization will soon be a thing of the past, as several of its affiliated clubs, including Three Rivers and Montagn. ard, will return to the C. W. A.

CANADIAN HALF-DIMES MUCH IN DEMAND

They Are the Standard Weight Used by Tea

Brokers in Sampling Tea. WOULD RACE McLEOD.

Harley Davidson has declared his willingness to meet McLeod in a series of match races for the champlonship.

Alf Boake, the Toronto rider who has been in Vancouver, B. C. with Champion McLeod for the last year.

A Sun reporter who visited the office of a tea merchant recently was surprised to see one of these coins lying in one of

of a tea merchant recently was surprised to see one of these coins lying in one of the scales in which tea is weighed when a sample is to be tasted. He picked the coin up and examined it. The manager quietly remarked:

"I hope you won't take that for a pocket piece. We have quite a lot of difficulty in getting those coins and keeping them."

ing them."
"What are they used for?" asked the reporter.

"A Canadian five-cent silver piece is the standard weight in the tea trade in this country for weighing tea sufficient to make one cup. Where the custom originated I don't know, but when we make a sample cup of tea we just take enough to balance this coin in the scales.

"We have lots of trouble in keeping them. Everyone who comes in looks at the coins, and probably not realizing what we use them for, takes one away.

"Some of the brokers use a piece of lead of just that weight instead, but the weight of a piece of lead may be questioned when the tea is weighed. Others stick a piece of paper on each side of the coin to disguise it.

"It is one of the old trade customs, and I suppose will last as long as tea is bought and sold." reporter.
"A Canadian five-cent silver piece is the

How Catarrh Poisons the System. How Catarrh Poisons the System.

Few people realize the vast amount of ill health that arises from the absorption of catarrhal poisons into the system. Langour, sleeplessness, loss of appetite, indigestion and many other discomforts are caused by catarrh. But to know this is to only half. Catarrh is a most deadly disease, and affects more than 30 per cent of the people today. It undermines health and if unchecked will surely and quickly lead to the grave. Consumption can be traced back in most instances to a bad cold or catarrh that was neglected. Don't court this white plague, insure Don't court this white plague, insure yourself at once against it by inhaling Catarrhozone, a pleasant antiseptic medication that is inhaled into the lungs,

Kingston, Ont. TRY THE FOLLOWING as an appetizer and general tonic before eating: One-cuarter wineglass of Angostura Bit-ters; fill glass with water and cracked ice, and add a heaping teaspoonful of pow-dered sugar. Stir briskly before serving.

There is a mile of railroad in Kansas for each 150 of her inhabitants.

medication that is finance into an asal passages, throat and bronchical tubes where it kills disease germs and prevents their development. Catarrhozone heals inflamed surfaces, relieves congestion, clears the head and throat, aids expectoration and absolutely cures also contains and appoint the contained and properly Catarrh and Bronchitis. Quick relief, cure guaranteed, pleasant to use. Price 25c and \$1.00. Druggists or Polson & Co.,

Because of its ABSOLUTE PURITY Dyspeptics drink it fearlessly. It tones and strengthens the stomach.

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NEW YORK STOCKS. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker,

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Anaconda 51	511/2	523/4	50%	114
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Atcheson Pfd 95%	361/4		95/4	951
B. & O 92%	931/2	931/2	92%	82
Brooklyn Tran 8274	83	831/4	82	
C. B. & Q19136	192	1921/4	1885%	
C. C. C 815/8	81%	8176	81%	81%
Q. F. I	7334	7514	7334	747
Brie 3834	391/8	29.43	373/4	373
Erio. 2814 K.& T. Pfd 6014	6134	6116	60	69
L. & N 105		105%	104 1/2	1045
Manhattan 128		19834	1265/8	1263
Metropolitan St. 167	1673%	168	16534	166
Mo. P	103%	10374	1021/2	
Mo. P	15116	15214	1491/2	1505
Norfolk and W 51	5134	53	511/4	513
Northern Pacific 98%	9914	991/4	97	973
Ont and Western 34%	3474	30	341/4	315
Pacific Mail 3714	271/2			
Pennsylvania 156%	15614	157%	1551/2	155%
People's Gas111	1113/3	111%	1101/4	110%
R. I	148	1511/4	14734	1485
Handing 75%	7534	76	75%	755
St. Paul 15578	15654	15734	154%	155%
Southern Ry. Pfd 80	79%	803%	79	791
Southern Pacific 45%	4634	45%	45	45%
Texas	43	431/2	42	423
T C. 1 64	64	64 1/2	63	633
U. Pacific 823%	93	9378		
W. U 98	93	935%	9218	923
TRUSTS-				
Leather 76%	76%	7814	75%	765
Sugar	14356	14814	1431/4	145
U. S. Steel Cora. 48	4846	49%	47	475
II & Steel Ped 95		981/4	94 1/2	945
U. S. Steel Pfd. 95 Rubber 2116	21%	211/4	21	23
Tobacco 128%	1291/8	1801/2	128%	
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J. M. YOUNG -STOCK BROKER New York and Chicago stocks bought and sold. KING STREET, MASONIO TEM

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THE LOCAL MARKET.
A M HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT
London, Friday, April 12.
Wheat white, per bu
Wheat red per bu
Wheat spring per bu
Ogta ner bu
Peas per bu
Corp. per bu

Beans, per bu......31 15 to \$1 40

The receipts were light, as usual on Friday. No change in prices from yester-

GRASS PEAS (Bug Proof). NEW ZEALAND OATS, LAWN GRASS SEED, ROOT SEEDS.

HAMILTON'S, Near King St.

Barley, per bu

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET Toronto, April 11.—Wheat—Dull and un-settled; red and white, 65c to 65½c, middle Toronto, April 11.—Wheat—Dull and unsettled; red and white, 65c to 65½c, middle freights, and at 66c to 65½c on a 13½c freight to New York; goose, 66c for No. 1 east, and 65c for No. 2, middle freight; No. 1 goose is quoted at 66½c on a 13½c freight to New York, and No. 2 at 66c; No. 1 spring lower, at 67c east; Manitoba unchanged; No. 1 hard is quoted at 97c; 94c for No. 2 hard, and 80c for No. 3 hard, grinding in transit, and 96c for No. 1 hard, 98c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 1 hard, 98c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 1 hard, 98c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 1 hard, 98c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 1 hard, 98c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 2 hard, all rall, North Bay. Flour—No change; holders are asking \$2 60 for 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights, and exporters quote \$2 55; choice brands, 15c to 29c higher; Manitoba flour is steady, at \$4 20 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$3 90 for strong bakers in car lots, bags included, at Toronto. Millfeed—Steady, at \$15 50 for shorts and \$4150 for bran in car lots west. Barley—Steady; No. 2 at 43c, middle freights, and 44c to 44½c on a 13½c freight to New York; No. 3 extra is quoted at 42c, middle freights. Buckwheat—Nominal, at 52c,

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, April 11.—Baled hay—Firm; choice timothy, on track here, \$11.25; two-ton lots, delivered, \$12. Straw—Firm; car lots of straw, on track here, \$6 to \$6.50. THE DAIRY MARKETS.





PHONE 909. Tenderloin Bouillon

red, 141/2c to 141/2c; fancy small white, 12c CHICAGO, April 11.—Butter—Steady; reamerles, 15c to 20½c; dairies, 11c to 19c. Cheese—Firm, 11c to 12½c.

ENGLISH MARKETS. The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

WHEAT-	A	pril	A	pril 9.		pril 0.		pril
Red Winter				_	-		-	111/
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	01/2	6	0		111%	6	11%
Walla	6	4	6	31/2	6		0	0
No. 1 Cal	0		0	0	0	0		3
			6	3	6		6	0
March		0	0	0	0	0	0	
May	5	113%		101/8	5		5	93%
July	5	113/4	5	103%	5	97%	5	934
CORN-								
New			4	01/2		111/2	4	0
Old	4	01/4	4	. 1			4	1
Jan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Мау	3	101/8	3	10%	3	1134	3	1134
July			3	105/8	3	10 %	3	11
Sept		105%	3	11	3	1134	3	1134
Flour		3	19	3	19	3	19	3
Peas		0	5	71/4	5	734	5	71/4
Pork, prime mess.		3	63	0	63		63	0
Lard			43	3	42	9	42	9
Tallow		0	21		24		24	6
Bacon, light		0	43		43		43	3
Cheese, white		0	48	0	48		48	0
Cheese colored	0	0	47	6	47		47	6
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Wheat-Spot						Calif		

Wheat-Spot quiet; No. 1 California, 6s 2½d; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 11¾d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 1d; futures steady; May, 5s 9¾d; July, 5s 9¾d. Corn-Spot steady; American mixed, new, 3s 11¾d; American mixed, old, 3s 9d; futures firm; May, 3s 11¾d; July, 3s 11d; Sept., 2s 11¾d. Peas—Canadian, 5s 6%d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady,

8s 6d.
Hops—At London, (Pacific Coast),
steady, f4 to f4 17s.
Beef—Easy; extra India mess, 61s 3d.
Pork—Prime mess western steady, Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 4s: prime western, in tierces, steady, Hams-Short cut firm, 45s 3d.

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Bacon—Cumberland cut, 25 to 30 lbs,
firm, 47s 9d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs,
firm, 44s 6d; long clear middles, light,
25 to 34 lbs, firm, 42s 3d; long clear middles,
heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, strong, 42s 3d; short
clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 40s 6d;
clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 47s 3d.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm,
36s 6d. 36s 6d.

Butter—Finest United States dull, 90s; good United States quiet, 67s 6d.

Cheese—American finest white dull, 48s; American finest colored quiet 47s 6d.

Tallow—Quiet; prime city 24s 6d; Australian (in London), 26s 3d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm, 21s 3d.

Turnenting spirits Quiet 18s 6d.

Is 3d.
Turpentine spirts—Quiet. 26s 6d.
Rosin—Common steady, 4s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined quiet, 7%d.
Linseed oil—Strong, 27s 6d. SUGAR.

London, April 11.—Beet sugar, April, 8s 114d.

AMERICAN MARKETS. BUFFALO, April 11.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, old, 83c. Winter wheat—Nominal; No. 2 red, 76c; No. 1 white, 75c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 46c; No. 3 yellow, 45%c; No. 2 corn, 45%c. No. 3 corn, 45%c. Oats—No. 2 white, 31%c to 31%c; No. 3 white, 30%c to 30%c; No. 2 mixed, 29c, on middle freights. Rye—Nominal, at 49c, middle freights. Corn—Steady; Canada yellow 46c west and mixed at 21%c west;

yellow, 44c west, and mixed at 42½c west; No. 3 American yellow is held at 49c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 29c to 29½c, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 63c north and west, and 63½c to 64c. to 29½c, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 63c north and west, and 63½c to 64c, middle freights. Butter—Demand fair; prices steady; rolls, 15c to 16c, and 12c to 13c for low grades and old tubs; creamery, 20c to 2ic for prints, and 18½c to 19c for solids. Eggs—Market holds steady, at 12c, with a lowering tendency. Dressed hogs—Receipts today, 800; prices Dressed hogs—Receipts today, 800; prices unchanged; choice, 6%c; heavy fat, 6%c; light, 6%c.

DETROIT, April 11.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 74½c; No. 2 red, cash, 74½c; April, 74½c; May, 75¢; July, 74½c. TOLEDO, April 11.—Wheat—Cash, 72½c; May, 73¼c; July, 73¾c. Corn—May and July, 44c. Oats—May, 26c; July, 25¾c. CHICAGO, April 11.-Possibilities of fly lamage were influential in the wheat market today, and May closed 1c higher. Other markets ruled higher, corn closing a shade, oats %c. and provisions 2½c to 7½c improved. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 729,000 bu, nearly all of its wheat. Primary receipts were 416,000 bu, compared with 407,000 bu last year. Local receipts were 35 cars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 210 cars, against 269 last builth reported 210 cars, against 265 last week and 282 a year ago. Exporters reported 50 loads taken today. Corn was rather quiet but steady, despite some selling of May by the bull leader, who, like many other traders, was changing some long stuff over to July. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 65 cars; corts, 125 cars; hogs, 22 000 head receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 95 cars; oats, 135 cars; hogs, 23,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2. May, 71½c to 71½c; July, 11½c Corn—No. 2. April, 46½c; May, 42¾c; July, 42½c. Oats—No. 2. May, 25½c; July, 25c. Mess pork—May, 314 45; July, 314 55. Lard—May, 38 22½; July, 38 15; Sept., 38 15. Short ribs—May, 38 17½; July,

Sept., \$315. Short ribs—May, \$81742; July. \$8; Sept., \$795.
Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 2 red wheat, 70½c to 73c. No. 2 corn, 43½c; No. 2 yellow, 43½c. No. 2 oats, 27c; No. 3 white, 27¾c to 29c. No. 2 ryc, 53c to 53¾c. Good feeding barley, 46c; fair to choice malting, 51c to 58c. Prime timothy seed, \$410. Mess pork, \$1435 to \$1440. Lard,

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\$8 32½ to \$8 35. Short ribs, \$8 10 to \$8 30. Dry salted shoulders, 6¾c to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$8 37½ to \$8 50. Sugar unchanged. Clover, \$10 75. Eggs steady; fresh, 12c.

Receipts-Flour, 27,000 bbis; wheat, 135, Receipts—Flour, 21,000 bils, wheat, 150,000 bu; corn, 142,000 bu; oats, 207,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; barley, 14,000 bu.
Shipments—Flour, 30,000 bbls; wheat, 197,000 bu; corn, 46,000 bu; oats, 222,000 bu; rye, 15,000 bu; barley, 2,000 bu. NEW YORK, April 11 .- Flour-Re-

ceipts, 23,490 bbls; sales, 4,100 pkgs; state and western market was moderately active and firmer in tone following wheat. Rye flour—Dull; fair to good, \$2 80 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 45. Wheat-Receipts, 167, 200 bush; sales, 2,680,000 bush; option market was active and stronger this morning on liberal covering, due to alarm over the government's reference to widespread hessian fly appearance; May, 76e to 77¼c; July 75 11-16c to 76 13-16c; Sept., 75½c to 76¼c. Rye—Quiet; state, 56c to 57c c.i.f. New York car lots; No. 2 western, 60%c f.o.b. affoat. Corn—Receipts, 54,000 bush; sales, 45,000 bush; option market was quiet but steady in sympathy with wheat; July, 47%c to 48c; Sept., 47%c to 47 9-16c. Butter—Receipts, 4,893 pkgs; market firm; state dairy, 15c to 21c; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; factory, 11c to 14c; imitation creamery, 14c to 181/2c; creamery, 22c; do onds, 19c to 201/2c; state dairy, 21c; do thirds, 16c to 18c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,469 pkgs; market firm; fancy, large, colored, 114c to 114c; fancy, large, white, 11c to 114c; fancy, small, colored, 124c to 124c; fancy, small, white. sylvania, at mark, 13%c to 14c; western, fresh, 13%c to 13%c; storage, western, 14c; southern at mark, 13c to

Coffee-Dull. Lead-Dull. Wool-Dull. Hops-Quiet.

131/2c. Sugar-Raw, firm; refined, firm.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. CHICAGO, April 11,
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler
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Open.
Wheat—May 69%
July 70%
Corn—May 43%
July 43
Oats—May 14 40
July 14 45
Lard—May 8 22
July 8 12
Ribs—May 8 20 High 711/4 717/4 44 43/4 25/4 14 57 14 60 Low. Clese

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, April 12.—Beans are firm and inactive. Quotations: Cash, \$1 90; May, \$1 85, nominal.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 11.-Oil opened ances, \$1 20; certificates, sales, 1,000 bbls cash oil at \$1 15. OIL CITY, Pa., April 11.-Credit bal-

Petrolia Advertiser: Petrolia crude, \$156, net; Oil Springs crude, \$155, net; refined, in bulk, 11½c to 12½c; refined, in barrels, 14½c to 15½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. MONTREAL, April 11.-The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 300 head of cattle, 40 calves, 25 sheep and 25 lambs; the demand was dull and prices quiet: choice cattle sold at 41/2c to lb: good, 4c to 4½c; lower grades, 3½c; calves were sold at \$2 to \$10 theep, 3½c to 4c; lambs were sold from 5c to 51/c; hogs, 6c to 7c.

from 5c to 5½c; hogs, 6c to 7c.

NEW YORK, April 11.—Beeves—Receipts, 38; none for sale; nominally steady; cables steady; shipments, none. Calves—Receipts, 59; very little trade, but prices steady; veals, \$4 to \$6 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1.054; sheep firm; lambs steady; for desirable steady; heavy blocks weak; all sold; common to good sheep, \$4 to \$5; good to prime unshorn lambs, \$6 to \$6 40; clipped do, \$5 to \$5 80. Hogs—Receipts, 1.406; market weak, at \$6 to \$6 30.

CHICAGO April 11 -Cattle-Receipts. 11,500; choice cattle steady to strong; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$6; poor to medium, \$3.80 to \$4.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to \$4.75; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.50; heifers, \$2.75 to \$4.75; canners, \$2.10 to \$2.75; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$4.50 to \$5.50; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$4.50 to \$5.50; Texas steers, \$3.50 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2.75 to \$3.90. Hogs—Receipts today, 22,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 3,000; tops, \$6. to \$6.02½; mixed and butchers, \$5.80 to \$6.07½; good to choice, \$5.90 to \$6.12½; rough heavy, \$5.75 to \$5.85; light, \$5.70 to \$6.02½; bulk of sales at \$5.90 to \$6.07. Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; sheep low; exports, \$4.75 to \$5.25; clipped up to \$5.30; good to choice wethers, \$4.75 to \$5; fair to choice mixed, \$4.60 to \$4.85; western sheep, \$4.75 to \$5; yearlings, \$4.80 to \$5.10; native lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.35; western lambs, native lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.35; western lambs, \$5 to \$5.35.

\$5 to \$5.35.

EAST BUFFALO, April 11.—Cattle—Market without special feature; calves, moderate demand; choice to extra, \$6 to \$6.25. Sheep and lambs—Dull; 28 loads on sale; market lower; lambs, choice to extra, \$5.90 to \$6; one load at \$6.10; good to choice, \$5.75 to \$5.90; clipped lambs, \$5.25 to \$5.40; sheep, choice to extra, \$5.25 to \$5.50; good to choice, \$5.50; good to choice, \$5.50; beave, \$6.25. Hogs—Slow on light hogs and pigs; the total offerings were 20 loads; heavy, \$6.15 to \$6.20; mixed, \$6.15; Yorkers, \$6.10 to \$6.15;

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OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, April 11.—American cattle at London and Liverpool are unchanged, at 11% to 13% per lb, dressed weight; sheep sell at 13c to 14c per lb, and lambs at 15c per lb; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9% to 10c per lb.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at Prominent Points.

	London, April TEMPERATURE.						
TATIONS-	0	Min.	WEATH				
algary	8 a.m.	28	Cloud				
Vinnipeg	44	30	Fair				
arry Sound		24	Clear				
oronto	43	30	Clear				
ttawa	38	28	Clear				
lontreal	36	28	Olear				
uebec	26	22	Clear				
ather Point	32	16	Clear				
FINE	AND	MILD.					

Toronto, April 12.-Forecasts: Fine and mild today and on Saturday. WEATHER NOTES.

Fine weather prevails in all parts of the Dominion, and for the most part it is quite mild. A depression covers the Southwest States, but at present no change is likely in existing weather conditions.

DREDGING THE RIVER THAMES

Member for Kent Accuses Government of Unnecessary Delay.

Opposition Wants Vacancy in the King's Bench Filled at Once-Sir Wilfrid Laurier Answers Mr. Bennett.

Ottawa, April 11.-Several government measures were considered in the committee stage this afternoon, including the bill to amend the Dominion franchise act in reference to the vot-12c to 12½c. Eggs—Receipts, 14,340 ers' list to be used in Dominion elec-pkgs; market easier; state and Penn-tions. Mr. Stephens (Kent) presented with some vigor a grievance in connection with the failure of the Public Works Department to dredge the bar at the mouth of the River Thames, and alleged lack of courtesy by Mr. Tarte. The minister of public works explained that he had no funds for the work until the supplementary esti-mates were passed. This evening Mr. Bennett brought up the question of filling the vacancy in the King's bench judiciary in Ontario. Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that it was the duty of the government to fill the va-cancy, but he had received no complaints of inconvenience having arisen from delay. He characterized as unseemly the circulation of a petition to the government asking for the appointment of any individual to the po-

> SELECTION OF COAL LANDS. Replying to Mr. Haggart, Mr. Sifton said that the coal lands in the Northwest had not been conveyed to the government, but that the railway company had for some time been ready to convey the lands as soon as they vere selected, and the selection was a matter requiring great care and involving considerable work.

The house went into committee on the bill to amend the franchise act, 1898, and after discussion the committee reported

DOMINION LANDS ACT. After recess the house went into committee on the bill to amend the Dominion ands act. There was some discussion upon the second clause, which provided that the minister might in certain cases lectare the homestead entry void, and also that he extend the time for perfecting an entry by one year. ing an entry by one year.

The bill was reported with several amendments and given third reading. The bill to amend the unorganized territories game preservation act, 1894, was also passed through committee and given third reading.

SAN JOSE SCALE. The house went into committee of supply, and the estimates for arts and agriculture were taken up.

Dr. Sproule, on the vote of \$2,500 for the Dr. Sproule, on the vote of \$2,000 for the fumigation stations established to prevent the importation of the San Jose scale, complained that the pest had not been stamped out, as it was supposed it would be, by process of fumigation; instead, it had spread, and this led him to question whether fumigation has been effective.

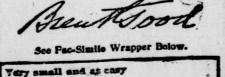
Mr. Fisher explained that the Dominion Mr. Fisher explained that the Dominion government had not undertaken to stamp out the pest, that work having been undertaken by the Provincial government of Ontario, which was the only province affected. The Dominion established these fumigating stations to prevent the importation of the scale in nursery stock, and that the work done had been successful was shown by the fact that in no case had the spread of the pest been traced to fumigated stock.

Good progress having been made with the estimates, the house adjourned at 12:30 o'clock.

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pigs, \$5.80 to \$5.90; roughs, \$5.25 to \$5.50; stags, \$4.50 to \$4.60; close very bad on pigs, and about steady on Yorkers and heavy. **APPOINTMENTS**

Annual Redistribution of Posts to Various

The following appointments were announced at the Salvation Army Citadel last night: Captain Williams, of Woodstock, and

Lieut. Kitchen, of London, who has been promoted to captain, take charge of Guelph. Adjutant and Mrs. Mc-Gillivray, with Lieut. Crawford, who has been promoted captain, take charge of London. They come from Brantford. Adjutant Cameron, of Toronto, and Captain Copeman, of Paris, take charge of Brantford. Ensign Gamble, of Guelph, and Lieut. Erb, of Galt, go to Chatham. Lieut. Crofts, of Guelph, goes to Galt. Capt. Hancock and Lieut. Fennacy, of Palmerston, proceed to Paris. Capt. Welch, of the Soul-Saving Troupe, is appointed to Simcoe. Capt. Harman, of Bothwell, and Lieut. Allen, of Stratford, go to Tilsonburg. Capt. Bonney, of Dray-ton, to Norwich. Lieut. Pickle, of Norwich, has been promoted captain, and goes to Forest. She will be assisted by Lieut. Cook, late of Sarnia. Capt. Wiseman, of Berlin, goes to Wyoming. Lieut. Greenwood, of Simcoe, takes charge of Watford. Lieut. Groombridge, of Hespeler, has been promoted captain, and is appointed to Thedford. Capt. Coy, of Seaforth, goes to Strath-roy. Capt. Campbell, of the Soul-Saving Troupe, is appointed to Bothwell. Capt. Dowell, of Strathroy, is appointed to Ridgetown. Capt. Jordisen, of Hespeler, with Lieut. Craik, of Paris, have been appointed to Blenheim. Capt. Gibson, of Norwich, and Lieut. Stickells, of Listowel, have been appointed to Leamington. Ensign How-croft and Lieut. Edwards, of Ridge-

croft and Lieut. Edwards, of Ridge-town, have been appointed to Sea-forth. Capt. Ringler, of Listowel, goes to Wingham. Capt. Fyfe, of Wingham, and Lieut. Watson, of Blenheim, are appointed to Listowel. Lieut. Plant, of Watford, is promoted captain, and goes to Drayton. Capt. Haley, of Sarnia, and Lieut. Barner, of Leamington, go to Palmerston. Capt. Hawkin, of Forest, is transferred to the Pacific coast.

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Wholesale Saddlery Concern in Hamilton Burned Out-Adjoining Flour Mill Damaged.

Hamilton, Ont., April 12 .- A fire last night in the three-story brick premises corner of John and Mains streets, occupied by Morgan Bros., wholesald saddlery merchants and whip manufacturers, caused damage to the extent of about \$35,000. The fire originated in the basement near the boiler.

Lake & Bailey's flour mill is in the rear of Morgan's premises, and damage to flour and wheat was about \$5,000, mostly covered by insurance.

In the Morgan Bros. loss the building, which is owned by them, is included. The adjourning stores will also suffer some loss. Blacher & Reche, drugs, report stock in cellar much

Tersely Told.

Census enumerators in Algoma refuse to work until they receive an advance to cover traveling expenses. Students of the U. of M., Ann Arbor, clip each other's hair without asking permission. The clipping record to

date stands 17 to 10 in favor of the sophs The Conservatives of West Hastings met on Thursday to nominate a candidate for the House of Commons. Mr. E. Guss Porter, of Belleville, was

Park Baptist Church, Brantford Ont., has decided to call Rev. M. Cowsert, of Belleville, to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Rev. Mr. Hutchinson

BRIEFS ..6 ..6 6½ 6½ 6½ ..½ ..½ ..½ ..½ The report of the Prince Edward Island provincial auditor for the past year shows a deficit of \$95,938 16. net debt of the province \$602,727 51. J. W. Munro, M.P.P., of Pembroke, has been awarded the contract to construct a pulp and paper mill and dams for the Spanish River Pulp and Paper Company, at Webbwood, Ont.,

to cost \$200,000. Mgr. Conaty, speaking before the Catholic education conference in Chicago, said Catholics spent \$25,000,000 last year on their educational system in the United States and must prepare for a struggle to maintain their system.

MAKING THE BEST OF IT. St. Petersburg, April 10, 3 p.m.-The

Russian press now declares that the joy with which the British press greeted China's refusal to sign the Manchurian agreement has merely postponed the signing of a new standing with China, since the convention would have been advantageous to China. One paper says: London friends overlooked the fact that in dissuading the signing of the agreement they did not hasten the evacuation of Manchuria, strengthened Russia's position." but

Yokohama, April 11.-The Nishii Shingi Eshi, which reflects the government's views, applauds Russia's judgment and says the great desideratum now is the restoration to the Chinese Government of effective authority, adding: "Russia cannot justly be condemned for the adoption of measures to protect rights acquired in Manchuria. Under the present conditions the duty of preserving order in Manchuria would devolve upon those responsible for Russia's withdrawal. It would not conduce to Japan's interests to accept such a responsibil-

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Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan declared today he knew nothing regarding the Panama Canal scheme, with which his name has been connected in the English press.



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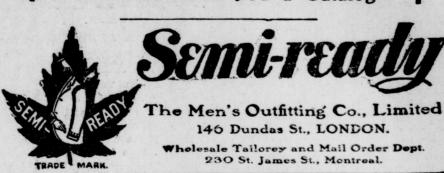
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"You have said some rather sharp things to me," she remarked; "but, truly, I do not believe that you are quite so acrid as you appear. I am afraid that your former companions have not been as and or respectful as they ought to have

child, you should have been named Charity, instead of Sinney," said Madame Marton, more kindly than she had yet spoken, while the young girl saw had yet spoken, while the young girl saw that her lips were trembling slightly. "I hope you will always be as charitable," she continued; "but I'm afraid you will not, if you come to live with me, for everybody gets out of patience with me and dislikes me. I was born with a sensitive disposition, and adverse circumstances have made me morbid and given a sharp tongue; so people have me a sharp tongue; so people have shunned me all my life. I am free to tell you that I can't keep a companion more than a month at a time, and my last one was impudent and neglected me shamefully. I suppose it is dull staying with a cross old crone like me; but still, I must have some one—I can't live alone, and there isn't a soul in the world who really loves me—"."

"Oh! I am sorry!" Shirley impulsively interposed, in a tone that was full of sympathy at this confession. interposed, in a tone that was full of sympathy at this confession.

"I believe you are, upon my word!" said madame, with a softened gleam in her eyes. "That had the ring of truth in it, and you look as if you mean what you say. Now, they all pretend to think a great deal of me here; but, between you and me, I believe if Aunt Felice hadn't plenty of money, she might go begging for kind words and polite attentions." Shirley felt very uncomfortable to be made a confidante of private matters, and so, being in doubt as to the wisdom of making any reply, she held her peace. "I imagine you think I am a garrulous old woman, with all my other failings, the woman went on, slightly irritated by her companion's silence, "and I'm sure I don't know why I have run on in this way to a chit of a girl like you—a perfect stranger, too. But we may as well settle this bushness at once. What do you say?—will you come to me, or have I frightened you so that you will be glad to get away Irem me?"

If Shirley was not frightened she was far from being prepossessed by this strange woman; and yet, somehow, her heart was deeply touched by her forlorn and loveless condition, and she yearned to make life a little more attractive to her.

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her.

"I wonder if I could soften and brighten her existence a trifle if I should go to her?" she mused. "If mamma were living she would say that this is an opportunity for real missionary work; but whether I am the right person to undertake it, is another question, and I am afraid it will require a great deal of patience to live with her. I believe I will try it; it will at least be a change, and

this hot weather."

"Well," said madame, impatiently breaking in upon the young girl's reflections, "it's rather a hard question to decide, isn't it? But I can't abide dilly-dallying. If you think I'm too much of an ogre, say so, and have done with it." Shirley's eyes began to dance again. She was sure that it; strange old woman was not as bad at heart as she appeared to be; that, to quote a homely old proverb, "her bark was worse than her bite."

A sense of the ludicrous almost overhot weather

A sense of the ludicrous almost overcame her as Aaron Hill's suggestive rhyme flashed through her mind:

"Tender-handed stroke a nettle, And its stings you for your pains; Grasp it like a man of mettle, And it soft as silk remains."

"Well, what is it now?" cried madame, "Pardon me, Madame Marton," said Shirley, flushing to find that she had so nearly betrayed her thoughts; "but you call yourself such hard, disagreeable names, and I do not believe that you are an 'orge' at all; at any rate I am not going to believe it until I have become a little better acquainted with you; and so MORE 'PINOS SURRENDER. me, Madame Marton,"

little better acquainted with you; and so, if you think I will do for a companion, I believe I would like to come to you for 'Humph! you believe you would like to come," repeated the woman suspiciously, while she searched the lovely face before her. "That sounds like a little 'taffy, as the street gamins say, for I'm sure I have not held out any very tempting prespects to you."

prospects to you. "No, I do not think you have," frankly admitted Shirley, and resolving to "grasp the needle" firmly. "But I am, on the whole, rather fond of original people, and

whole, rather fond of original people, and I fancy that we might get along quite comfortably together."

"'Original people!' Well, that is a polite way of telling me that I am a crank, I suppose," retorted madame, grimly, but with a gleam of amusement in her black eyes. "You do not appear to be in the least afraid of me."

Shirley thought she had never before seen any one so suspicious, so antagonistic, or so morbidly self-depreciating. She was not sure whether she really meant it or whether she was simply trying to sound her.

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"I am sure, madame, you would not

"I am sure, madame, you would not wish me to be afraid of you." she gently returned, "for such an attitude on my part would destroy all confidence and all feeling of companionship between us."

"You certainly have a wise little head on your shoulders." said madame, a slight smile curling her lips, "and as you have made up your mind that you are not afraid to 'beard the lion in his den,' so to speak, I guess we'll call the matter settled, and you may come to me. Only," she added, "I hope you are not one of the vacillating kind; I shall expect that you will stay, if you go home with me. Will you promise to remain six months or a year, if I engage you?"

"I could not do that—I could not pledge myself for any specified time," Shirley gravely returned. "But if I find that I can be really useful to you, I shall hope to remain with you during the summer, at least."

'Humph! what do you mean by being ally useful to me?" demanded Madame really useful to me?" demanded Madame Marton, suspiciously. "Why, if I find that my companionship

"Why, if I find that my companionship is agreeable to you, and we are happy together, I should feel as if I were being useful. But, if we should prove to be antagonistic to each other, then, of course, it would not be wise for me to stay with you." Shirley responded, with a straightforwardness that proved she intended to do as near as possible what she thought to be right and wise.

Again madame thin lips twitched and she was seized with a sudden fit of conching, which necessitated her going to the ice pitcher to get a glass of water. She drank a few swallows slowly, with her back turned to the young girl.

Presently, however, she came and stood beside Shirley, and, looking down upon her, inquired, with a kindly gleam in her eyes:

"What wages do you expect to receive

for your services?"
Shirley thought a moment. Shirley thought a moment.
Then she asked:
"What have you been in the habit of
paying your companion, madame?"
"Five dollars a week and all expenses,"
was the brief reply, while the woman

tace before her.

"I shail be satisfied with that amount, and I will do the best I can for you," said shirley, lifting her clear, irank eyes to the aged lace, and thinking if she could but win a little nook in the woman's heart besides she would feel more than repaid for any service she might render her.

"Then we'll call it settled," said madame, a look of satisfaction over-spreading her leatures, "and I shall want you mimediately, for I have a great deal of shopping to do, and I wish to go out of New York at the earliest possible moment, for I detest the place; it is a perfect bediam. I shall want you tomorrow—"

"Here?" exclaimed Shirley, flushing crimson with dismay at the thought of coming there to Mr. Norwood's house, to be provided and insuited by his haughty daughter as she had been only a short time previous

sne was greatly relieved by madame's No," she said. "I have engaged rooms at the Hoffman, and you win come to me there tomorrow at ten, as I shall need your assistance in shopping. We shall start for St. Sauveur one week from to-

night."
Snirley's heart and courage sank a little at this information, as sne thought of leaving Chiton so soon; but she was not one to turn back, after once having made up her mind to any course, so she remarked cheerfully as she arose to take her leave:

"Very well Madame Marton, I will

"Very well, Madame Marton, I will come to you, as you desire, at the Hoffman, tomorrow, although I fear I shall be of very little service to you in a shopping expedition." shopping expedition.

shopping expedition."

"Why?" inquired her companion.

"Because I know almost nothing about costly and fashionable fabrics;" Shirley smilingly replied, "for all my life I have been obliged to use only the most inexpensive materials.

"Well, at all events, you have good taste, and that is more than many rich people possess," said madame, while her glance roved appreciatively over the dainty figure before her.

Shirley was surprised at this speech,

Shirley was surprised at this speech, for it was really the only gracious remark she had made during their inter-

mark she had made during their interview.

"Thank you," she said, brightly. "I believe I have an eye for color and effect, and I will gladly give you the benefit of my judgment in these respects. But," with a glance at the handsome pearl and gold clock on the mantel, "I think I must go now, if I am to catch the next train back to town," while she was more relieved than she would have liked madame to know that she was not doomed to spend the coming week in that house.

doomed to spend the coming week in that house.

"It is almost lunch time, and as I have kept you waiting so long, I will ring for some refreshment for you," the woman remarked, for she was always considerate of the physical comfort of her servants, if she was not thoughtful of their mental and spiritual needs.

"Thanks, no," Shirley replied. "I shall be at home in time for my own lunch." "Then you will at least have a glass of wine," urged her employer, as she reached out her hand toward the bell.

Shirley had hard work to keep her face from telling tales at this unheard-of proposition, while she wondered if madame was in the habit of offering her servants wine.

"Excuse me," she politely responded, "but I never take anything of the kind; I am in perfect health, and do not need

[To be Continued.]

IN THE COURTS

Charges Against a Sewing-Machine Agent Fall Through - A Kidnapping Case.

Windsor, April 11.-At the Sandwich spring assizes, the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty" in the case of George S. Bliss, accused of embezzlement. Bliss was the Essex county agent of the Singer Sewing Machine try it; it will at least be a change, and I have begun to realize, as Clifton says, that I cannot keep on with my sewing the defendant had used a large am-

company's business.

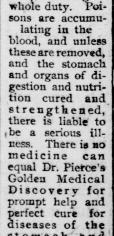
as she noticed the twinkling eyes and dimpled cheeks of the amused girl. Thomas, Oshawa, convicted of brib"What are you laughing at?"

Thomas, Oshawa, convicted of bribery in the South Ontario bye-election said ery in the South Ontario bye-election

Washington, April 11.-The war department this morning received the following cablegram: "Manila, April 11.—Col. Arce surrendered Castillenjos yesterday with 335 soldiers, 12 officers and arms. This and the surrender of Col. Alva at Olangapo, April 8, with 15 officers, 394 men and 92 rifles, frees Battan, Zambeles Provinces. (Signed)

And she does not understand why. Her work used to seem so easy. You could tell her whereabouts as she worked by the snatches of song which now and again overflowed her happy lips. And now she can hardly keep up. Her head pains, her back hurts, and she feels

entirely worn out. What is the matter? The probability is that the stomach is disordered, the liver is not performing its whole duty. Poisons are accumulating in the blood, and unless



stomach and blood. It strengthens the stomach, purifies the blood. nourishes the

nerves, and brings back the happy days of health, when life is all song and

sunshine. sunshine.

"I suffered ten months from a complicated case of liver complaint, constipation, indigestion, suppression of monthly function, and kidney disease, too," writes Miss Lula M. Brittle, of Ivor, Va. "I also suffered excruciating pain in my back and head. I am glad to say that six bottles of 'Golden Madical Biscovery,' three vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and two bottles of 'Compound Extract of Swart-Weed' cured me entirely. I gladly recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to all sufferers."

THE WORLD OF SPORTS

Winners in the First Events at Toronto Boxing Tournament.

International University Sports May Take Place in September—Canadian Baseball Players Round- 1 ing Into Form.

FISTIC.

THE TORONTO TOURNAMENT. Toronto, April 12.-The preliminary bouts in the amateur boxing championship contests of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union took place last night at the Mutual street rink, under the management of the Argonaut Club, before a large gathering. The contestants were mostly young boxers, who exchanged sturdy blows, that brought blood sometimes, but many of them were guiltless of any knowledge of defense. The contests will be continued today and Saturday. Following were the results of the fights last night:

Bantam class, 105 pounds—C. G. Godwin, "B" Bicycle Club, Toronto, beat Bert Joslin, Jubilee Athletic Club, Toronto: J. Rowe, Waverley Athletic Club, Toronto, beat Bert Gale, Riverside Club, Toronto; A. L. Hewitt, To-ronto Lacrosse Club, beat Douglas Hallam, Toronto Boxing Club.

Featherweight class, 115 pounds-Thos. McCarthy, Ontario A. C., Toronto, beat Ben Milne, "B" Bicycle Club; Wm. Harrison, R. C. B. C., Toronto, beat T. Hanley, Shamrock A. A., Montreal. This was a very lively beut. Claude Aisthorp, Toronto Boxing Club, beat Arthur Edmunds, National Baseball Club.

Lightweights, 135 pounds-Vivian Austin, Canadian champion, Ottawa, beat Wm. Fellows, Toronto Boxing Club; Harry Bremner, "B" Bicycle Club, beat Loudon B. Arthur, To-ronto Boxing Club. This bout took

four rounds to determine. There are quite a number of out-oftown competitors still to box.

POLICE INTERFERED. Louisville, Ky., April 12.-Tom Couhig, of Dunkirk, N. Y., was Wednesday night given the decision over Eddie Connolly, of New Brunswick, in the eleventh round of a twenty-round bout. Connolly was all but out when the police stopped the fight. Before the Connolly-Couhig fight it was announced that the winner would meet Matty Matthews before the Monarch Club on April 29 for the welterweight championship of the world. Announcement was also made that the winner of the Dave Sullivan and Jack Me-Clelland fight, before the Southern Athletic Club, on April 29, would meet Terry McGovern in this city on Mc-Govern's return from the Pacific coast, under the auspices of the Southern A. C. The details are said to have been closed last night with McGovern.

ATHLETICS.

THE INTERNATIONAL GAMES. London, April 12.-The reply of Oxford and Cambridge to the challenge of Harvard and Yale for a series of track games this summer agrees that New York should be the place of meetthe defendant had used a large amount of the money in transacting the ling and that the programme should be the same as in 1899, except that the James Allan, jun., of Amherstburg, was convicted of kidnapping, but was three-mile run be changed into a twowas convicted of kidnapping, but was let go on suspended sentence. The offense was committed last summer at Amherstburg, when the young son of Sol. White, jun., was kidnapped from home and taken to Wyandotte, Mich. (so it is alleged) by the mother of the child, who was divorced from Mr. White. Young Allan was accused of having assisted the woman to secure possession of the child.

FINE REDUCED.

Toronto, Ont., April 11.—Judges Osler and Ferguson this morning, acting as an election court, reduced the penalty inflicted upon Mr. W. H. Thomas, Oshawa, convicted of bribery in the South Ontario bye-election at the Queen's Club in 1899 It is with exactly the same events as decided at the Queen's Club in 1899. It is hoped the Americans will agree to have the match the latter part of September.

BASEBALL.

The Bisons have already won the Eastern League championship, in their minds, and Franklin has issued a challenge to play a series with the winner of the American League the coming season. Groos, of the Milwaukees, has informed the Buffalonian that the Brewers will play him a series of games for \$1,000 to \$5,000 whether they win the championship or the leather medal.

Toronto Telegram : Toronto ball team has straightened away to practice down in New Jersey, and, as usual, the reports are most promising. However, a better line on their play will be got on Friday and Saturday, when they play the Philadelphia team. Montreal team in the meantime is going right ahead getting beaten by everything it tackles, and laying up trouble for other teams after the regular season opens. These be the balmy days of baseball, when every player of every club is full of hope, but the day will come for most of them when the bad boy in the bleachers will suggest that that hope has turned to

prunes. Reidy, the Milwaukee pitcher, is nade of the right stuff, and if all players were like him baseball would stand very much higher in the estimation of the public than it does just ning. at present. According to a Milwaukee dispatch a well-known National League manager last week approached Reidy with a big offer to jump his contract. Reidy, without mincing words with the tempter of the bribe, gave him five minutes by the watch to leave his presence or stand for a

The Guelph management are in re-

STRONG INDEPENDENT TEAM. "Knotty" Lee, the ex-Torontonian has been appointed manager of the Gananoque club. He claims to have signed the following players: Catcher, Bill O'Brien, of last year's Crescents; infielders, Dinney Burke, of Brantford; Bill Roden, of last year's Guelph team; Curley Ross, of last year's Crescents; W. Lockheed, of Bay City, Mich.; F. Brennan, of Toronto; Tom Boucher, W. Barker, S. Dorrie, Gananoque, and expects to open the season with the fastest independent team in Canada.

Joe Kostal, formerly of London, has accepted the flattering offer of the from now out.

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Write your name and address plainly on the coupon below, present it to the clerk at the above-mentioned store, and you will receive a regular 10-cent sample box of Japanese Catarrh Cure without any charge whatever.

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and had a good day's practice. Some of the boys are still sore and stiff. Hargrove won't be able to play for coming to them. Until these prizes phia tomorrow morning for two games | at Ottawa. there. It is expected that Carr will meet the club there and take part in both games.

PRACTICE GAMES. Philadelphia, Pa., April 12.-Yale 3, Philadelphia (American) 4. Eleven in-

At Philadelphia-Philadelphia (National) 7 13 Rochester (Eastern) 6 10

THE WHEEL.

McLEOD WILL DEFEND TITLE. Victoria, B. C., April 9.-Angus Mc-Leod, of Sarnia, has passed the word along that he will this year defend his title to the Canadian bicycling ceipt of scores of letters from players championship for the quarter, two and offering to come to Guelph from Can- five mile distances, and while not in ada and the States on very liberal training he looks well able to repeat his performances at the Ottawa race meet of last year. During the weather of three weeks ago McLeod commenced to do a little rough work, but the coming of the rain put a stop this. He stated yesterday afternoon that he expected to leave here for the Pan-American races at Buffalo about the latter part of May, and from there he would leave to attend the parture for Buffalo McLeod will get up a little strength on the Brockton Point track and will be be be because the beautiful and the brockton of the brockton Point track and will leave his finishing touches till he arrives in the east, where track accommodation is somewhat better than here. In the event of the championships being pulled of either at Brantford or the Guelph Manager Bates is beginning to corral his men. Joes has no time to lose from now out.

THE TORONTO TEAM.

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At the second day's racing yesterday of the Warwick spring meeting, the best in the country, being classed high among the speed-producers.

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> "MAJOR TAYLOR WINS. Berlin, April 12.-In the bicycle races here yesterday "Major" Taylor won the kilometre match, with a prizeof the kilometre match, with a prize of 30 marks, defeating the German riders. Arend, Huber, Ellegard, Seoil and others, and leading Arend by twenty lengths. In the tandem race, 6,900 metres, "Major" Taylor and Arend

were the winners.

TURF.

AT BENNINGS. Washington, April 12.-Following are summaries of the races at Bennings First race, maidens, 5 furlongs False Alarm 1, Brahmin 2, Souprep 3.

Time, 1:03. Second race, maiden 2-year-olds, 41/2 furlongs-Sister Juliet 1, Laracor 2, Miracle II. 3. Time, :56%. Third race, maidens, hurdle, 1% miles, over 7 hurdles-Conover 1, Hopeful 2, Farn 3. Time, 3:23%. Fourth race, 2-year-olds, selling, 41/2 furlongs-Honolulu 1, Right Away 2, Red Damsel 3. Time, :57. Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs - The yards-Cherry Wild 1, Arbitrator 2, Micou 3. Time, 1:52%.

OLD WORLD RACES. London, April 12.-At the Croxton

Lester Reiff.

LAWN BOWLING. KINCARDINE CLUB.

Kincardine, Ont., April 12 .-- An enthusiastic meeting of lawn bowlers was held in the Queen's Hotel last evening, when the following officers were elected: Honorary president, John Tolmie, M.P.; honorary vicepresident, Alex. Mitchell; president, Dr. John McCrimmon; vice-president, J. H. Scougall; secretary-treasurer, Dr. J. H. Bruce; committee of management, W. Bishop, W. Hay, W. Murray, Dr. James McDonald and G. M. McKendrick; representative to On-tario Lawn Bowlers' Association, W. Murray and Robert Ross. The club starts out with an increased membership and with bright prospects for an | mans.

interesting season. LACROSSE.

PORT ELGINS ORGANIZE. Port Elgin, Ont., April 12.-The Port Elgin Lacrosse Club was organized Wednesday night, with the following officers: C. M. Bowman, M.P.P., and wife, patron and patroness; John Tol-mie, M.P., honorary president; Henry E. Hilker, honorary vice-president; Will Cameron, president; D. J. Izzard, first vice-president; B. Hilker, second vice-president; A. D. George, secre-tary-treasurer; D. McFarlane, captain; P. Livingstone, field captain; committee, J. Baker, H. McLaren, W. Hartley, R. Bowes and W. Falconer; S. S. McMillan, manager. There is

SORE FEET.

composed of the lacrosse clubs Paisley, Hanover, Chelsey, Tara and Port Elgin.

Assist Nature.

You have been told to "hitch your wagon to a star"—that Nature will assist you. That's all right. There are times, however, when you should assist Nature, and the spring is one of these times. times.

Nature is now undertaking to cleanse

your system—if you take Hood's Sarsa-parilla the undertaking will be successful, and your complexion bright and clear. e 'Among the ruins of Pompeii have een found chafing dishes of exquisite workmanship, which gives undisputed proof of their use in the city which contained villas of many wealthy Ro-

Starving Children.

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VERDICT FOR \$1,500

Jury in Case of Ashplant vs. G. T. R., Award

Heavy Damages-Miss Anderson

Receives \$500.

of the extent of her injuries.

Ashplant, of this city, is a sister of the

cident. She was doubled up between

two seats and very seriously injured. She asked for \$5,000 damages. The

witnesses for the plaintiff were Drs. Eccles, Waugh and Meek, of this city,

while the defense called Dr. Arthur

Jukes Johnson, Dr. J. M. Cameron and

Dr. John Ferguson, of Toronto; Dr. D.

J. Evans, professor of obstetrics at McGill University, Montreal; Drs. Mc-

Callum, C. S. Moore and J. D. Balfour,

of this city. The counsel were the same as in the Anderson case.

for Mrs. Ashplant.

ENGINEER MEETS

The jury returned a verdict of \$1,500

Works.

The board of works last night en-

countered two instances of opposition

to work being done and about to be

done by the city engineer. First, a

deputation of residents from the neigh-

borhood of Colborne and St. James

streets protested against the construc-

tion of the street sewer there, saying

that the people did not want it and

that it was not necessary. On the

other hand, Mr. Graydon maintained

that the petition for it had been suf-

ficiently signed, and that it was needed

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Meteorological.

Toronto, April 11—8 p.m.—In the Maritime Provinces the weather has been cloudy, with strong northeasterly winds, and elsewhere in Canada it has been fine and for the most part decidedly mild. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria 50-50: Kamcidedly mild. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50-50; Kamloops, 54-68; Calgary, 36-66; Qu'Appelle, 36-52; Winnipeg, 34-58; Port Arthur, 28-42; Parry Sound, 28-58; Toronto, 32-58; Ottawa, 28-56; Montreal, 30-48; Quebec, 30-64; Halifax, 36-40.
Local temperatures Thursday: Highest, 55 above; lowest, 27.5 above.

Today (Friday) the sun rose at 5:41 a.m. and sets at 6:57 p.m. The moon a.m. and sets at 6:57 p.m. The moon rose at 1:43 a.m. and sets at 11:52 a.m.

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-Mr. Robert Smith, of Oxford street, is spending this week with friends at -Miss Annie Galbraith has returned

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-Miss Ella Lochead, of London, is the guest of Miss Stella Webster Shrewsbury street, Stratford.

-St. Marys Journal: Misses Maude and Lulu McConnell, of London, are visitors with Mrs. P. S. Armstrong. -St. Marys Journal: Mr. Chas. Roulston of this town has been appointed buyer for the Canadian Packing Co., of London.

-Wallaceburg News: Mr. Riddell, teacher in London Collegiate Institute, spent his Easter nolidays visiting his Wallaceburg friends.

-Mrs. A. Wilkins and sons Percy and Frederick are spending the holi-days at the home of Mr. John Mitchell, of the postoffice department, Sarnia.

-Mrs. L. Thorne, formerly of this city, has sold her residence in Los Angeles, Cal., for the sum of \$9,000, and will visit London and Exeter this

-Grand Organizer Alexander, of the Canadian Order of Foresters, paid an official visit to Court Middlesex last night, and delivered an address on the

work of the order. -Mrs. Trotter, of Toledo, and Mrs. Brown and daughter, of this city, were in Chatham on Wednesday attending the 55th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. Wemp, of that tain.

-Mr. Joseph Monture, Delaware Indian evangelist, finished two weeks' vork at Lower Muncey Methodist Church, April 9, with great success. During these services the church was rowded to the doors and many had

to be turned away. -Rev. Walter Moffat, of Chalmers Presbyterian Church, gave a very interesting lecture on "Scotland" to the planishes the body, the blood, the of the Home for Incurables

in acceptable manner. -Adjutant Wakefield, of the London corps of the Salvation Army, and Mrs. Wakefield will leave on the 23rd Inst. for Toronto, where the former has been appointed to a very responsible command, the charge of the Temple corps

and the men's training garrison.

the Huron and Bruce Loan and Investment Company have decided to recommend to the shareholders the sale of the company's business and assets to the Huron and Erle Loan Company, of London. We understand that the age. price upon which the purchase of the latter company is to be made is \$7 Stuart Co., of Marshall, Mich. cents on the dollar. The transaction is Any druggist will tell you i still to be ratified by the shareholders, universal satisfaction.



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but this will probably be a purely formal matter. The Huron and Bruce Company has found its profits diminishing the past few years, and is simply yielding to the tendency of the times towards the absorption of smaller companies in large concerns.

PLEASANT ENTERTAINMENT. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church provided a very pleasant entertainment last evening. The pastor, Rev. S. J. Allin, presided. Solos were given by Messrs. Chris Pink, Evangelist J. Caldwell and J. Studley Ashplant, and a very able lecture on "A Trip to the Old Country" was delivered by the Rev. W. Ayers of Sarnia. Refreshments were served in the schoolroom by the ladies at the close of the entertainment.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY. The birthday party given last evening in the First Congregational Church school room, proved a very successful affair. Each person who attended was asked to contribute one plaintiff, and Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., cent for each year of his or her age, and the result was most gratifying. During the evening refreshments were served by the ladies. Mr. W. H. Davis presided during a short programme of music and recitations, in which Miss Burnip, Mr. Walsh, Miss Wrighton, Mrs. Ralph, Miss Anthistle and Mrs. Anthistle participated. Mr. W. A. Bleuthner was the accompanist.

MEMORIAL CHURCH SUNDAY Rev. C. C. Owen presided at the annual meeting at Memorial Church Sunday school last evening. The annual reports presented revealed the fact that the school is in a prosperous condition. During the year the membership increased by 80, and the average attendance has also shown a considerable improvement. Addresses were delivered by the Rev. W. J. Doherty, A., of Hensall, on "The Parents' Duties to the Sunday School," and Mr. D. A. McDermid, superintendent of the Dundas Street Methodist Sunday school, on "The Children's Duties to the Sunday School." At the close of the meeting diplomas and prizes presented to the meriting them. Mr. G. W. Armstrong presented several special prizes for supplemental studies in the book of Common Prayer. The medal offered by his honor Judge Wm. Elliot was home to Ingersoll, from visiting --Miss Ethel Wyatt, of London, is the awarded to L. Olmstead for recruiting tions during the evening, including a cornet solo by Mr. Clarence Robinson.

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ed to oppose it.

The walk on north Lorne avenue, between Adelaide and English, already petitioned against, may yet be laid, as it is badly needed.

The engineer will consider improve

ments to Pall Mall street, between Col-borne and Maitland, and will supervise the work of tapping a drain at Ridout and Kent streets, as requested by Mr. E. T. Essery.

ENTERTAINMENT WAS A SUCCESS

A Large Audience Witnessed the Perform ance of Dr. Fred. L. Wood's Juvenile Opera Company.

The jury in the case of Angerson vs. G. T. R., yesterday afternoon return-As a result of the entertainment ed a verdict for \$500 damages for the plaintiff. The suit was one in which ile Opera Company, the Children's Aid Miss Florence Anderson, daughter of Mr. J. D. Anderson, of Hellmuth ave-Society of London is richer by a connue, sued for \$1,500 damages for insiderable sum. The success of the afjuries sustained in January, 1899, while fair was not, however, measured by a passenger on a G. T. R. train from the number of dollars it netted this Wyoming to Petrolia. The car in worthy charity, for the programme which Miss Anderson rode was being was one of the most interesting of the pushed ahead of the engine, and when kind ever prepared in London. Dr nearing Petrolia a misplaced switch caused it to collide with another train. Wood's young people were as much at home as professional players in the Miss Anderson was thrown over a seat little stage world in which they perin front of her, and sustained injuries to her lower limbs, which she supposed formed. They were assisted by their slight at first, but now claims to have own orchestra, composed of Messrs. had serious results. Miss Anderson at-George Zwicker (pianist and leader), Cresswell and Elliott (violinists), tended a ball in Petrolia the night after the accident. The G. T. R. claims Blinkhorn (clarinet) and C. Irwin (coragent secured a settlement with Miss net). All the specialties were very cleverly done, the newsboys' chorus Anderson for \$150 before she was aware particularly delighting the audience. Between the acts, Mr. Wilfrid Blackie sang and Mrs. William Burns recited. claims that recurring periostitis afterwards set in, and she was compelled to leave the theatrical company with which she was traveling, and receive The former is well known in London, but Mrs. Burns is a comparative stranger. Her work showed careful medical treatment in New York, Chicago and Toronto. The medical men called for the plaintiff were Dr. Waugh, study, the selection "Ordered to the Front" greatly delighting the audiof London, and Dr. Dunfield, of Petrolia. The defense called Drs. Drake and McCallum, of London, Dr. Hutchinson,

At the close of the entertainment, of Montreal, and Dr. Cameron, of To-Sheriff Cameron, president of the Chilronto. The jury was out for an hour before returning their verdict. George dren's Aid Society, expressed the gratitude of the society to all those who contributed toward the success of the entertainment, special mention being of Toronto, and W. E. Foster, of Bellemade of Messrs. Wood and Flock. ille, conducted the defense.
After the conclusion of the Anderson The cast of characters in the play presented by Dr. Wood's company was case, that of Ashplant vs. G. T. R. was taken up. The plaintiff, Mrs. J. S.

as follows: Dick (never ready)......Lorne Wood plaintiff in the previous case, and her injuries were incurred in the same ac-... Miss Alice ClarkeJohn Wood Captain (gruff) Tourist (pleasant) Miss Alma Fax Baby (noisy) Harold Willis First Mate.....Ralph Turner Second Mate. Customs Officer John Wood Tourists, Sailors, etc.

Misses Amy Piggott, L. Underwood, B. Underwood, G. Stacey, Ruth Stacey, Olive Fax, V. Fax, Addie Wood and Cora Chit-tick, Harold Wood, Cliff. Stacey, Geo. Fraser, Harold Fraser, C. Wilson, Duff Wood, Wes. Wood and Tom Purdom.

The following special numbers were rendered: "Honey, Can't You Learn to Love Your Baby," by Lorne Wood and quartet chorus, which was one of the gems; "Olcott's Lullaby," Miss Addie Wood, with Baby Madge, the 18-months-old actress on her 'There's Where My Heart Is Tonight, George Fraser; "Don't You Cry Ma Honey," Miss Elma Fax; "My Georgia Lady Love," John Wood; "Every Race Has a Flag," Harold Willis; "Honey Stay in Your Own Yard," Dell Wood "Mar Tiger Lily," Miss Alice Clarke:
"Pickin' on a Chicken Bone," Haro'd
Wood; "An Innocent Young Maid," Miss Josephine Underwood; Up the Band," Harold Fraser,

This Day in London Thirty-Three Years Ago.

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