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## RECALL FOR KUROPATKIN; TREPOFF FOR THE INTERIOR

Sensational Rumor From St. Petersburg Says a Big Shake Up Is Imminent.

#### REPULSE THE RUSSIAN CAVALRY

mors are current of ministerial and bombarding the Russian trenches. The military charges including a report Japanese were driven off. military changes, including a report In regard to the attack on the bridge that War Minister Sakharoff may be between Guaplin and Fantziatun, Feb. sent to relieve Gen. Kuropatkin, and 12, Gen. Sakharoff says the Japanalso one to the effect that M. Bouligan, ese force comprised 100 cavalry and 200 Chinese bandits. The Russian frontier Minister of the Interior, is not in guards drove off the attackers, who sympathy with the situation and may subsequently destroyed a few rails, retire in favor of Gen. Trepoff, Gov- blew up a telegraph pole southward ernor-General of St. Petersburg.

The successor of M. Muravieff, for- Japanese 25 miles. mer minister of justice, appointed ambassador at Rome, has not yet been to happen, but nothing definite can be (Lone Tree) Hill, a projectile from a

M. Annensky, editor of the Russian Wealth, who was arrested simultane- and two staff captains who were playously with Maxim Gorky, the author ing cards. and reform leader, was released yesterday. Upon his appearance before a scientific society lest night he was re- batteries with good results, firing as ceived with great enthusiasm.

#### Vladivostock Blockaded.

New York, Feb. 16. - A St. Petersburg dispatch to the Herald says: Reports received here announce that Vladivostock is being closely blockaded by Admiral Uriu's fleet,

#### Cavalry Attack Repulsed.

Tokie, Feb. 16. - The following dis- nightfall. patch was received this morning from the headquarters of the Japanese armies in Manchuria: In the direction of the Shakhe River off's division of four battleships, sunmupaotzu and set fire to that vil-The enemy's artillery in the

neighborhood of Sanchoutu Mountain "During the night of Feb. 14 a section of the enemy's infantry attacked

"In the direction of Chitaitzu in the monsoon period the resumption of his morning of Feb. 15, 500 of the enemy's cruise. of Chitaitzu, Another force of cavalry ture of hostilities that are likely to be advanced south along the right bank opened within a short time. Press disadvanced south along the right bank of the Hun River Feb. 14, and passed the night in the neighborhood of Chenchiawatzu, placing outposts in

the vicinity of Kavehangtzu. Before the arrival of our detachment, dispatched to dislodge the enemy, his force began to retreat north. Our detachment quickly pursuing him towards Helyukou, inflicted some damage. The enemy's artillery taking up a position in the neighborhood of Wanchiawopeng, covered his retreat. enemy's strength was about ten squad-

#### rons of cavalry and artillery.' Russ and Chinese Clash.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 16. - A telegram from Saehtun reports that a fatal affray has occurred between Russians and Chinese at a village 40 miles northwest of Saehtun, where a party of Russians went on a foraging expedition. The villagers seized the Chinese interpreter with the Russians, and a fight ensued, during which a Chinaman was killed. The villagers killed the interpreter and fled.

Che Foo, Feb. 16. - A steamer with 117 non-combatants arrived here today from Port Arthur. Very few non-combatants now remain at that place. Convalescent soldiers totaling 2,500 begin arriving at Che Foo on Feb. 20, The local Russians are indignant, claiming that they are unable to care for the healthy, let alone invalids. The Japanese say they lack means of transport to take the invalids to

the buildings and walls of Nangaio, ferred to.

DISASTER ON

## GOUIN CLAIMS **NEW SUBMARINE**

#### Nine Injured and Two Missing Bolting Ministers of Parent's by Explosion in Queenstown Harbor.

Queenstown, Ireland, Feb. 16. - An explosion of gasolene occurred on board the new submarine boat "A-5" this morning while the officers and crew, eleven men, were engaged in charging the tanks. The crew were hurled in all directions. Nine of them were picked up by boats and taken to the hospital. Two are missing. LATER.

Queenstown, Feb. 16. - A number of the crew of the British gunboat Hazard volunteered to go to the rescue of the submarine boat's crew, but hardly had they got on board the submarine when a second explosion took place and all the rescuers were more or less

injured. Lieut, Skinner, an officer of the submarine boat, subsequently died of his injuries. The bodies of the two missing men

were found on board the "A-5." The total number of men injured was fifteen. Some of them were dreadfully mutilated.

#### Was Not Asleep.

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 16. - Albert Elliott, the police officer who was charged with being asleep while on duty the night that Sergt. Nash was shot by Samuel Jarvis, had a hearing before

St. Petersburg, Feb. 16. - Many ru- from which the Japanese had been

of the bridge, and then fled. The Russians were reinforced, and pursued the

Russian headquarters. Huan Mountain, Manchuria, Feb. 15.-During the appointed. Almost everything is likely Japanese bombardment of Poutiloff siege gun entered an underground hut, burst inside and tore off the head of a lieutenant and wounded a colonel

In front of Koudozi, on the right flank, the Russians are trying the effect of concentrated siege and mortar many as twelve mortars simultane-

Libau, Feb. 15. - The third Pacific quadron sailed at noon today. Grand Duke Alexis and Admiral Birileff inspected the squagrons before its departure. The ice-breaker Ermak cleared the way. The battleship Vladimir Monomach was the first to start, and the others were towed out in turn. All the vessels were out at sea by

St. Petersburg, Feb. 16, 4:20 a.m. The departure of Admiral Nebogatour artiflery Feb. 14, bombarded Chien- cruiser and two auxiliary cruisers, frem Libau yesterday, to reinforce Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron in the Far East, is a source of gratification to the admiralty in view of the difficulties caused by the strike. point of rendezvous with Rojestvensky Waitao Mountain and at dawn Feb, 15 is not stated, but it is understood that a battalion attacked Waitao Mountain, it is beyond the Indian Ocean, Vicebut the Russians were entirely re- Admiral Rojestvensky being under instructions not to delay into the

Along the Hun River the boo Shengtsaimen, three miles northwest of heavy guns is sounding the overpatches indicate that the cannonading is increasing in intensity. Special dispatches from Mukden report the wiping out of an entire detachment of Japanese cavalry, which had destroyed the railway bridge between Mukden and Harbin. Russian cavalry overtook the raiders, who are said to have refused quarter, and fought until the last man was killed.

#### JAP TOOLS DID IT

#### General Stoessel Explains How Port Arthur Came to Fatt.

London, Feb. 16. - The correspondent at Port Said of the Standard. gives an interview with Gen. Stoessel, chiefly denying the charges made by the Pekin correspondent of the Times concerning the surrender of Port Arthur and its defensive condition. Gen. Stoessel attributed the Japanese success in great measure to the superlative quality of their drilling tools, as compared with those of the Russians, which latter quickly deter- Gates has not recently had the repuiorated against hard rock. The gen- tation of doing things by halves, there eral emphatically declared that all the public descriptions of the second line Mr. Gates and his friends and h of forts wert purely imaginary. These forts, he said, were only temporary defenses. Gen. Stoessel further declared that the strength of the garrison never amounted to 25,000 men. At the end of April, before the investment became total, the Russian forces on the Kwan Tung Peninsula were orly 19,688. He adhered to the original Sakharoff telegraphs that the Russian artillery on Feb. 13 destroyed the buildings and walls of Nangaio, formed to

## FIFTY MEMBERS

#### Cabinet Say His Defeat Is Certain.

Montreal, Feb. 15.-The Gouin, Turgeon and Weir faction, who now claim they have secured a certain victory Premier Parent, announced through Mr. Godfrey Langlois today that they are now certain of the support of 50 members of the House out of a total number of 74. The number was made up of 44 members who had signed the resolution supporting the three ministers on resigning, three members who did not attend the caucus, but sent telegrams approving the action taken, and three members who did not desire to pronounce themselves on the present crisis, but who had declared in the presence of witnesse that they would support the ministers

#### SEIZING RUSS PROPERTY

Japanese Said To Be Grabbing All Port Arthur Land.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 16.—M. Lessar, the Russian ambassador at Pekin, having on Feb. 11 notified his Gov-Arthur are trying, by a system of persecution, to compel private citizens to abandon their property, which the Japanese then seize, the Russian Government has ordered its representative at Paris to lodge a strong protest through the intermediant of France.

#### JOE WANTS MACMASTER | London-St. Clair RR. Bill | ASQUITH WANTS "YES" OR "NO" Emigent Montreal Lawyer May Con-Passes the Committee test a British Constituency.

Montreal, Feb. 16. — Mr. Donald MacMaster, K. C., the eminent Mon-[Special to The Advertiser.] treal lawyer, who represented the United States Government when the appeal of the Gaynor-Greene extradition case was argued before the Privy Council, has been invited to contest British constituency as a Chamberlain candidate. He has already announced his intention to spend the next few years in England. At one time Mr. MacMaster represented Glengarry, his native county, in the Canadian Comyears. After Congress had sanctioned P. R. undertaking. it, and the time for building the tun-A Nephew of King Edward to Marry

A ROYAL BETROTHAL

German Princess.

Cobourg. Duchy of Saxe-Cobourg and Gotha, Feb. 16. — The betrothal is announced of the Duke of Saxe-Co-

bourg and Gotha to the Princess Vic-

toria, eldest daughter of Duke Fred-

burg-Gluecksburg. The princess is

**GATES AFTER THEM:** 

Only 6,000,000 Bushels of

"Contract May" Visible.

LINE MAY REACH 40.000.000

Ambition to Run the Biggest Corner

Yet-Success Will Mean Wheat

at \$2.

Chicago, Feb. 16. - John W. Gates is

out for blood - the blood of a large

in 24 hours after he reached the city

planning to stop en route at the Hot

Springs in Arkansas and to remain un-

til April 1. Before going he said that

present prices of wheat would look

this has been his boast for some time,

very cheap within the next 60 days. As

and as he has a plan of making good

his boasts-when it suits his purposes

to do so-there was a panicky feeling

In the large number of conversa-

tions held by Mr. Gates with friends and acquaintances who called at his

offices in the Rookery and the Railway

Club, where he spent most of the Mon-

Mr. Gates was figuring with his

els of contract wheat to him by the

end of May next. With such a basis

to figure out that Mr. Gates' wheat

hold, now or in contemplation, must be

thus much being necessary to insure a

profit from the deal if the cash wheat

to be paid for, the "corpse," of the

deal, was 10,000,000 bushels. As Mr

perhaps 30,000,000 to 40,000,000 bushels

pared with the Louisville and Nashville

small in a financial way when

Even this large total would look

Exchange building and at the Chicago

among the shorts in wheat.

off of the fireworks.

King Edward of England.

riece of the German Empress, while the bridegroom-elect is a nephew of

of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonder-

SHORTS QUAKING

gress had sanctioned it. St. Clair Railway Company was also Falls.

#### FARMERS TO INCORPORATE Bill to Give Charters to Agricultural Organizations.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 16. - The Hon. Mr. Fisher will likely introduce a bill this session for the incorporation of agricultural organizations.

Mr. D. Mann, of Mackenzie & Mann, tated today that the first train over their road from Toronto to Parry Sound on the new James' Bay Railway, would be running by next Sep-

#### Australian Liner Aground.

Perth. West Australia, Feb. 16.-The Orient Line steamer Orizaba, with passengers and mails, for Sydney, New South Wales, is ashore off Garden Island, 20 miles out of her course. Her position is not considered dangerous. The British cruiser Katoomba has gone to the Orizaba's assistance. A Produce Trust.

#### Trenton, N. J., Feb. 15.-The Ameri-

can Butter Refining Company, with an arrival in the city. number of bears in the Chicago wheat authorized capital of \$17,000,600, was pit. This much became so plain with-deal in milk, butter and food proin 24 hours after he reached the city ducts, and to acquire the business and Monday that it required the sale of a plants of other incorporations, firms number of millions of bushels of his and individuals. The capital stock is wheat to prevent a miniature touching divided into \$2,000,000 preferred, with 6 per cent, non-cumulative dividend, off of the fireworks.

Mr. Gates left for the Pacific coast incorporators are Walter E. Hope, over the Illinois Central last night, Beverly R. Robertson, I. Theo, and I. Thygeson, all of Jersey City.

adopted. The incorporators are W. D. Ottawa, Feb. 16. - At the railway Matthews, H. C. Hammond, L. A. Hamommittee of the Commons today sev- liton, H. Beatty and R. A. Smith, Toeral bills were disposed of in very quick ronto. This is for a road from a point order. The Kootenay, Cariboo and Pa- on the Ontario and Quebec Railway, cific Railway was granted an extension west of the city of London, to a conof time of five years for the completion venient point on the St. Clair River, of the road. The time for completing near Sarnia, or between Sarnia and the Canada Southern bridge across the Lake St. Clair. Mr. Calvert had Detroit River was extended for seven charge of the bill. This is also a C.

Mr. Caldwell (Lanark) objected to nel was extended for ten years, the blanket charters being granted to the time for the construction of the Can- | Canadian Pacific, and Mr. Calvert reada and Michigan bridge across the plied that the road was very much Southern Railway to connect by a A bill to incorporate the London and bridge with Grand Island at Niagara supported this demand for an im-

#### NO DATE FOR OPENING

Whitney Says It Will Be Decided After the Bye-Elections.

neeting of the Ontario Cabinet this morning, but at its conclusion Premier Whitney said he had nothing for pubication. would be done until after the bye-elec tions. Within 24 hours of the elections appeal to the people.

the date for the opening of the House Mr. Austen Chamberlain, the Chanwould be fixed.

#### LADY SYBIL HAS MEASLES

#### Consequently Gov. General's Trip to Toronto Has Been Postponed.

Toronto, Feb. 16 .- News of the postponement of the visit to Toronto of His Excellency the Governor-General and the Countess of Grey created great disappointment in the city last night, as a number of important social functions had been arranged in their honor. Their daughter, Lady Sybil Grey, is down with the measles at Rideau Hall and the countess is herself indisposed No announcement has yet been made as to the probable new date of their

#### Main Dam Burst.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Feb. 15.-The main dam at West Neebish, where Macmain dam at West Neebish, where Macarthur Bros. & Co., of Chicago, are making a channel for the Government improvement in St. Mary's River, broke last night. The water also went through the intermediate dam, flooding many acres where excavations were in progress. Ice is supposed to have caused the trouble. Nearly 400 men are employed on the works now.

## ALL NOVA SCOTIA ROADS BLOCKED; TOWNS ARE SHORT FOOD AND FUEL

#### Great Snowstorm Sweeps the On the Dominion Atlantic system and Maritime Provinces-Railroads Are fielpless.

day holiday, a great deal leaked out to give basis for the fears of the bears Halifax, N. S., Feb. 16. - A snowstorm, commencing early last night, and general over the Province of Nova friends that the western short sellers might be able to deliver 10,000,000 bush-Scotia, accompanied by high winds from the northeast, continued throughout the night, ten to fifteen inches alto figure from it did not take the specready having fallen. As a result there ulative experts of the wheat trade long is but little doubt that the entire railway system of Nova Scotia will be tied 25,000,000 bushels at the very least, up for some time to come.

## Hiding as Rumored.

forced J. Pierpont Morgan to pay a tremendous price for a controlling interest in the road, meanwhile paying Mr. Gates' firm, then Harris, Gates & willingness to have the matter

for the handling of the deal.

Allowing for necessary losses in marketing this wheat at lower prices in case the next crop prove a normal one, the wheat experts calculate that Gates counts on making a deal that will set a record for many years to come, and that will outclass anything ever before seen in the Chicago wheat pit.

To outdo all predecessors, both in price and quantity of wheat handled, it would be necessary to put wheat above the \$2 price marked by B. P. Hutchinson in 1888 on the small quantity, and above the \$1 \&5 figure reached at one time on a large quantity in the Leiter deal, nearly nine years later. years later.
Having shown what he could do with Having snown what he could do with the leading financiers in the east, Gates has an ambition to show that he is bigger than anything in Chicago, where he made his big start in life. Thus far he has proved nothing satisfactory in this line. In a corn deal a few years since his firm ran the price to about 90 cents, but it was generally thought to have cost them and their friends a large amount of money to do it. In a corn deal last fall the weather conditions proved against

the weather conditions proved against the success of such an undertaking, and this also was abandoned at a loss.

To run a successful deal—and Mr. Gates certainly does not contemplate anything else at present—he must therefore go after large game, wealthy shorts among conitalists speculators crain among capitalists, speculators, grain dealers, elevator men, millers and the like. Smaller speculators have within the last week abandoned the May deal as too blooded for them, thus leaving the deal stripped to its elemental properties.

#### Blind, She Now Sees.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 15.-The case of in their action against Premier Par- Miss Sadie Clark, of Menasha, Wis., a high school student, who today recovered her eyesight as suddenly as she lost it about a week ago, is attracting much attention here. Clark had never had any eye trouble until she awoke on the morning of Feb. 6 to find herself stone blind. She was on a train going to Milwaukee to undergo an operation when her sight suddenly returned unimpaired by the mysterious period of blindness.

#### Boy Found \$13,000.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 14. — George Putnam, 15 years of age, found a purse on Superior street today containing \$13,000 in currency and drafts together with a bank book showing deposits in the Guardian Trust Company of this city. The lad returned the purse and contents and received a reward contents and received a reward.

and blocked roads.

## Leech Had Been Visiting Family, Not Half Nude He Races Down Broad- a few days until the Government had

Winnipeg, Feb. 16. - Mr. R. E. A. Leech, late Liberal organizer for Mani- four hours after his release from primorning. Mr. Leech stated to a re- for smashing more than \$2,000 worth of not aware until last Saturday that his escapade and started in to duplicharges had been made against him in cate the feat of two months ago. He dent will be rigid and comprehensive. daily newspaper. Mr. Leech made immediate preparations for returning to Manitoba, and left the following day traveling by way of Chicago, Mr. Leech's prompt return and apparent into without delay has somewhat nonplussed those Conservatives who, because he was absent from the city on private business, were pleased to imagine he was hiding.

#### THE WEATHER.

## Tomorrow-Light Snowfalls.

London, Thursday, Feb. 16. Sun rises. 7:15 a.m. Moon rises. 2:32 p.m. Sun sets. ..5:48 p.m. Moon sets. ..4:37 a.m. Toronto, Feb. 15-8 a.m. Very cold weather has prevailed again today throughout Ontario and Quebec, and high winds have also been general. Conditions have been much milder in Manitoba, and the outlook for Ontario is more promising.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 8 below—4; New Westminster, 24—46; Kamloops, 6—26; Calgary, 18—34; Qu'Appelle, 6—28; Winnipeg, 16 below—20; Port Arthur, 20 below—8; Parry Sound, 12 below—4; Toronto, 2 below—6; Ottawa, zero—10; Montreal, 4—10; Quebec, zero—12; St. John, 12—28; Halifax, 4—34.

FORECASTS.

Thursday, Feb. 16—8 a.m. Today-High southwesterly winds. Friday-Less wind; light snowfalls and higher temperatures. TEMPERATURES. Weather Min.

Stations. 8 a.m. Calgary ......
Winnipeg .....
Parry Sound....
Toronto ..... Quebec ...... Father Point. The sign — indicates below zero. WEATHER NOTES.

The weather continues very cold in Ontario and Quebec, and another severe storm prevails in the Maritime Provinces. In Manitoba and the Territories the weather is fair and almost mild. LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Wednesday were: Highest, 10° above; lowest, 6°

#### on the Intercolonial, the heavy cuttings, which on previous occasions were packed solid with snow ten and twenty feet high, are filled again with snow, which can be removed in many cases only with extreme difficulty and slow

The Midland system and Southwestern road have been both tied up for the Chairman of the Temiskaming Compast two weeks, and probably will remain in their present condition until spring opens. It is said that provisions, flour, coal, etc., are getting low in some towns in the province on ac-count of the limited railway facilities

## way Throwing Bricks.

New York, Feb. 16.-Within twenty-

toba, arrived from the south yesterday son, where he had served a sentence porter that he had been visiting his plate glass windows, John Grogan family in Western Ontario, and was early today returned to the scene of connection with the Provencher lists. was not so successful this time, how-He got his information from a Toronto ever, having broken only three of the large show windows when he was overpowered and again taken to a cell. Two months ago today Grogan appeared at the corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue, nude, and, armed with a short iron crowbar. Running down the street he swung the crowbar through every window for nearly a block before a policeman attacked him. Grogan then perched himself upon a heap of snow in the street, and by freely swinging his crowbar, defied arrest until more than a dozen policemen had reached the scene. When he reached the place today he was stripped to the waist, although the thermometer was near the zero mark, and had as a weapon of destruction a brick in a stocking. He was traversing the same route which he took two months ago, swinging the brick through one window after another, when a po-liceman crept up behind him and felled him with a night-stick.

## ON ERRAND OF MERCY

#### A Father Perishes While Carrying Medicine to Sick Child.

Cheboygan, Mich., Feb. 16. - Albert Fleury walked on the ice from Bois Blanc Island to this city Saturday night to get medicine for his sick child. The mercury was 16 below zero and a wild snowstorm was raging, but he bravely set out on the return trip about midnight with a lantern and a compass to guide him. That was the

# BUT BALFOUR KEEPS MUM

British Premier Declines to State His Position in Regard to Fiscal Matters.

#### CABINET HASTILY CALLED OVER FAR EAST NEWS

previously published. Mr. Asquith mediate dissolution of Parliament with some trenchant remarks on the wide fiscal gulf separating the Unionist factions. Turning to Premier Balfour, Mr. Asquith asked him to give a menosyllable answer whether there was any practical difference between his and Joseph Chamberlain's fiscal Toronto, Feb. 16. - There was a short policies, but the Premier maintained silence. The speaker then declared that Mr. Chamberlain was also becoming noculated with the "malaria of amlication. No decision had been come to, said the Premier, in regard to the opening of the House, and nothing to industry and the Empire, could only be cleared up by a prompt and direct

> of the Exchequer, replying, taunted the Liberals with asking the country for a mandate to stimulate bounty-fed competition with British manfacturers, and to maintain a system of free imports without a free noth exchange. The Opposition's policy, he ject.

London, Feb. 15. - In the House of added, was to shut its eyes to all that Commons today the debate on the was passing in the rest of the world and cling to the ancestral traditions address in reply to the speech from of sixty years ago. The Government the throne was resumed by Mr. As-Detroit River was extended for five needed. The railway committee grant- quith (Liberal, and former home sec- matters with foreign countries and the years after the United States Con- ed an extension of time to the Canada retary), who moved his amendment, cclonies, and an unfettered conference of the latter to see if a closer union could not be promoted between Great Fritain and the other parts of the

Mr. Asquith's amendment in the reply to the speech from the throne was discussed at the evening session. Sir Edward Grey said that a new feundation of force, a foundation of taxes, was the weakest upon which an empire could be built. The present suspense, he said, was bad, both politically and materially. A moral obligation rested on the Government to appeal to the country.

The debate was adjourned. The discussion was robbed of interest by the unexpected and unusual calling of a second cabinet meeting which sat two hours during the evening. It is believed that the meeting had no connection with parliamentary affairs. There is a rumor that it was owing to the receipt of important dispatches from the Far East connected with the possibilities of peace; but nothing reliable is known on the sub-

#### WEST HURON GOES MR. CHAMBERLAIN FOR MR. CAMERON SCORES LIBERALS

#### Recount flives Liberal Candidate Says Policy Is a Fantastic Dea Majority of Two-Conservatives Will Appeal.

Goderich, Ont., Feb. 16.-His Honor today in the West Huron recount, a full house when he rose to address the House of Commons this afternoon holding that Mr. M. G. Cameron has a on the fiscal amendment to the admajority of two of the total votes cast, dress in reply to the speech from the Mr. Holmes gained three votes. Mr. Dickinson counsel for Mr. Holmes, has liament had no terrors for him,

Mr. Garrow was declared elected by the casting vote of the returning officer in this same West Huron. It would be strange if history repeats itself and the returning officer, Sheriff Reynolds, has again to give the casting vote as a result of the appeal.

#### MR. JAFFRAY RESIGNS

## mission Steps Out.

Toronto, Feb. 15.-At the conclusion of the cabinet council today Premier Whitney announced that Mr. Robert Jaffray, president of the Globe Printing Company, had resigned from the READY TO MEET CHARGES CHAMPION WINDOW-SMASHER Railway Commission, of which he was chairman. Mr. Whitney said that he had asked Mr. Jaffray to hold on for

#### come to a decision in the matter.

Roosevelt After Oil. Washington, Feb. 16. - President Roosévelt has directed James R. Garcommissioner of corporations of the department of commerce and la-bor, to begin immediately the oil in-years. His health had been waning vestigation requested by the House of Representatives yesterday in a resolu- has been known generally that his tion adopted unanimously. The inves-

Salem, Mass., Feb. 16. - Fire today damaged the works of the Salem Gas Light Company, causing a loss of \$27,000. The blaze originated in the retort had he ever confessed the belief that with the coal shed with 2,000 tons of stitution and remarkable vitality have The operations of the plant were been responsible for prolonging his not seriously hampered.

### fense and Does Not Fear an Election.

London, Feb. 16. - Joseph Chamber-Judge Doyle handed out his judgment lain, the former colonial secretary, had throne proposed by Mr. Asquith (Liberal), yesterday. A dissolution of Pargiven notice that he will appeal from said. He was quite content to trust his his honor's judgment to a high court political fortunes to the workingmen who for thirty years had placed their In the Garrow-Beck election of 1900 his opinion the sooner a dissolution came the better. He hoped, however, that the Government would not aban-don its trust simply because the Opposition's contentions in regard to a dissolution were a "fantastic pretense." The real object of the "foolish and illjudged amendment" was to create dissension on the ministerial side. He had never said free trade ought to be aban-

#### A 334-CARAT DIAMOND

#### Another Big Stone Found in the

Johannesburg Diggings. Johannesburg, Transvaal, Feb. 15.-A diamond weighing 334 carats has been discovered in the vicinity of the place where the largest diamond ever unearthed was recently found.

### BEN HUR" WALLACE DEAD

#### Author of the Famous Story Passes Away, Aged 78.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Feb. 15. - Gen. Lew Walace, author, former United States Minister to Turkey, and veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died for several years, and for months it vigorous constitution could not much longer withstand the ravages of wasting disease. For more than a year he has been unable to properly assimilate food, and this, together with his extreme age, made more difficult which was destroyed, together the end was near, and his rugged con-

## \$60,000 For Soo Company For Steel Rail Bounty

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 16. - The first pay- out.

been made by the department of trade | well as a duty upon steel rails. The and commerce. A check for \$60,000 was advice of Mr. Aylesworth, K. C., alsent to the Consolidated Lake Superior lowed the glaim of the rail manufacturers under the act providing a boun-Company. The claim was for 20,000 ty on structural steel.

tons of rails, which have been turned It was never the intention of the ment of the bounty on steel rails has Government to have given a bounty as auditor-general,

#### CASTRO DEFIES TOLD OF MURDER UNITED STATES IN HIS SLEEP

#### His Courts Order Sequestration How the Irish Police Placed of American Asphalt Property.

Paris, Feb. 16. - A semi-official dislast seen of him and there is little patch from Caracas, Venezuela, says the supposed poisoner, arrived from doubt that he perished and his body that upon the pressure of President Montreal today for Armagh. was covered up by the drifting snow. Castro, the court has ordered the se-His wife came to the city to look for questration of the landed property of was arrested in Montreal on a warhim, and large searching parties were the American Asphalt Company. This rant issued for her extradition on a organized, both here and on the island, decision, the dispatch adds, has caused charge of murder in Ireland. Her com-

### Complicity in Crime on a Montreal Woman.

London, Feb. 15.-Sarah Ann Pearson, brought before a magistrate and reto search for his body. He was 31 excitement in the American colony at years old.

| Caracas. | Plicity in the crime was revealed by her husband's talking in his sleep while in an Irish jail STORESTON DE MORESTE

## CHANGE IN THE PRESIDENCY OF WESTERN FAIR BOARD

Col. W. M. Gartshore Retires and Capt. W. J. Reid Is Elected to Succeed Him-Wm. McNeil Placed on Directorate-Dates of Fair Discussed, but Not Fixed.

clerk at once so that the city council

may be given an opportunity to place the amount necessary for the work in

Mr. McNeil wanted the aldermen

present to say if the city council would

not pay half the cost of the repairs last year, about \$160 in all. He

said the council had agreed at one

time to pay half the cost of a new roof. Mr. Carrothers said he understood when the repairs were made last fall that they would tide the board over

this year anyway, but Superintendent

of Grounds Brown said the repairs

Mr. McNeil to state their opinions on

the subject, but they did not commit

On motion of Mr. Carrothers, it was

decided to ask the city to have Engin-eer Graydon inspect the roofs of all

the buildings on the grounds, and make

a report on the same at once, in order

that if necessary the money needed for

repairs may be placed in the council's

Mr. Trebilcock having brought up the

matter of directors being appointed as

udges, it was referred to the executive

President Reid pointed out that the

dates of the Toronto Exhibition had

been set for Aug. 26 till Sept. 12, and

Ottawa had decided upon the same

Mr. Trebilcock moved that the West-

Mr. McNeil said a clash of dates be-

tween Ottawa and London will not in-

jure the Western Fair, as exhibitors

would much rather come to London

than go to Ottawa to an inferior show.

as the Toronto Fair does not close un-

til Tuesday, this year, it might be im-possible for London's show to secure

the live stock on Saturday, as was done last year. If the live stock were

held till Tuesday, London fair would

be ruined. No live stock, meant no fair

in London. Consequently, he advised

that the board go slow in the naming

Toronto management does not say the

live stock cannot be removed on Satur-

Col. Little asked if Toronto would

secretary Nelles replied that Toron-

Col. Little then moved that before

anything is done the president and sec-

this information, it will be time to

Those present at the directors' meet-

ing were President Reid, Col. Little,

Col. Gartshore, Messrs. Trebilcock, Fleming, Bogue, Carrothers, McNeil, Gammage, Ald. Carson, Abram and

Saunders, Superintendent Brown, and

At the annual meeting of the asso-

ciation the annual report, already published, was read and adopted.

President Gartshore declared the re-

port to be eminently satisfactory, as

t showed the association to be in a

fact that the semi-centennial will be

held this year, he suggested that the

COL. GARTSHORE.

The retiring president

board should make an effort to make

the Western Fair a still greater success

this year than it had ever been before.

The fair board, he thought, should

join hands with the other associations

and do all in its power to make this

also suggested that an effort should be

ernor-General attend the fair this

year. He intimated, in conclusion, that

through pressure of business he would

be unable to again accept the office of president of the association, though he had been asked to again do so.

After a short discussion it was de-

cided to issue unlimited tickets of ad-

mission to all members of committees,

and it was further decided that such members shall be notified that failure

to attend the committee meetings will

forfeit their rights to these tickets.

name the date, Col. Little said.

Saturday, as was the case last year.

Secretary Nelles explained that the

President Reid, said, however, that

ern Fair be held from Sept. 8 to 15.

o investigate and report back

Date of the Fair.

of dates.

to had not said so.

The motion carried.

The Association Meeting.

Secretary Nelles.

were only of a temporary nature. The aldermen were again asked by

Capt. W. J. Reid is the new president tention of the directors the necessity of the Western Fair Association, hav-ing been unanimously chosen at the fair grounds. He related that it was a annual meeting, which was held in the matter for the city to deal with at city hall yesterday afternon. An ef-fort was also made to name the dates to re-roof the building because of the for this year's exhibition, but owing to the fact that Toronto has decided not to close its exhibition until Tuesday, it suggested that the secretary be empowered to communicate with the city



CAPT. W. J. REID, Successor of Col. Gartshore as president of the Western Fair.

was agreed to allow the matter to

board. dates as London had last year, Sept. Yesterday the annual meeting of the association was first held, and 8 to 16. the directors met and selected Mr. Reid for president also electing the chairmen of the different committees, and appointing the officers. In selecting the board of directors, the association made but one change, Mr. Wm. Mc Neil being chosen to succeed Mr. W.

M. Spencer, who retired. The officers and directors year are as follows President-W. J. Reid.

Second Vice-President-Allan Bogue, Woodbank. Secretary-J. A. Nelles.

Treasurer—D. Mackenzie. Superintendent of Grounds Auditor-Geo. F. Jewell.

Chairman of Finance Committee-A Chairman of Grounds and Buildings

Chairman of Printing-John Pringle. Chairman of Attractions—W. J. Reid. Directors—Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gart-George M. Reid, Lieut.-Col. F. B. Leys, Lieut.-Col. J. W. Little, W. J. Reid, George McCormick, R. A. Carrothers, A. M. Smart, Wm. Gammage, Wm. McNeil, John Pringle and J. W.

At the directors' meeting, Col. Gart-shore moved, seconded by Col. Little, that Capt. Reid be the president of the association for 1905. Capt. Reid said, however, that he felt the honor should go to Col. Little, than whom an abler or a better man could not be chosen. He moved, seconded by Ald. Saunders, that Col. Little be president, but Mr. Little positively refused to accept the honor, saying that he felt it should go to Capt. Reid this year, and as a result a vote was taken and Capt. Reid was unanimously chosen.

Echo of Last Year.

### Mr. Allan Bogue brought to the at-Why Women Are Weak

To Any Womanly Sufferer I Offer a Full Dollar's Worth of My Remedy Free.

Only one woman in 98 has perfect health. And almost all womanly sickness can be traced to a common cause— the nerves are weak. Not the nerves you ordinarily think about—not the nerves that govern your movements and your But the nerves that, unguided and un-

known, night and day, keep the heart in motion—control the digestive apparatus—regulate your liver—operate the kidneys—the nerves on which all the vital functions descend

These are the nerves that worry wears out and work breaks down.
It does no good to treat the ailing organ—the irregular heart—the disordered liver—the rebellious stomach—the derang-ed kidneys. They are not to blame. But go back to the nerves that control them. There you will find the seat of the

My remedy-Dr. Shoop's Restorative-is

the result of a quarter century of en-deavor along this very line. It does not dose the organ or deaden the pain—but it does go at once to the nerve—the inside nerve—the power nerve—and builds it up, and strengthens it and makes it well—and that is the end of womanly weakness.
In more than a million homes my remedy is known. It has cured womanly weakness not once, but repeatedly—over and over again. Yet you may not have heard of it-or hearing, may have delayed or doubted. So I make this offer to you. a stranger, that every possible excuse for doubt may be removed. Send me no money—make me no promise—take no made to have his Excellency the Govins Simply write and ask If you have money—make me no promise—take no risk. Simply write and ask. If you have not tried my remedy, I will send you an order on your druggist for a full dollar bottlet—not a sample, but the regular standard bottle he keeps constantly on his shelves. The druggist will require no conditions. He will accept my order as cheerfully as though your dollar laid before him. He will send the bill to me. Will you accept this opportunity to Will you accept this opportunity to learn at my expense absolutely, how to be rid forever of all forms of womanly weakness—to be rid not only of the trouble, but of the very cause which produced it? Write today.

exhibition would enjoy better weather grounds.

ter will likely come up at the next meeting of the directors.

Cannet Change the Dates.

Col. Gartshore having suggested that the Old Boys' reunion, the semi-centennial celebration and the fair, should be held as near together as possible, so that the one might assist the other. The members began to discuss the advisability of changing the fair dates, and having the date of the reunion changed.

Col. Gartshore, speaking again on the subject, said it might be possible for the fair board to hold the exhibition a little earlier this year than last. It might also be possible for the Old Boys to fix their date close to that decided upon by the Western Fair.

President Carrothers, of the Old Boys, informed Col. Gartshore, however, that the Old Boys two years ago decided to hold its celebration the week of Aug. 5. He did not think it would be possible to change this date.

Mr. W. J. Reid said that it would be to the interests of the exhibition to hold the fair earlier than usual. The exhibition would enjoy better weather

## Estimates Nearly \$15,000 in Excess of Last Year

Fire and Light Committee Will are liable to freeze, access to them is often blocked by snow and ice, and Ask for a Much Larger Appropriation.

The estimates for the year were pre sented at a meeting of the market, fire and light committee last evening, look after these matters, but the assoand the totals show that the committee this year is asking for \$14,834 59 informed that all precautions are being more than in 1904. The extras include \$5,000 for a north end fire hall. \$5,000 for alterations to the market house, \$2,828 59 more for firemen's salaries, \$550 for gongs in firemen's houses, \$1,-500 for payment of claims arising from the Sterling fire, and nearly \$1,000 adfactorily. He proposes to have the ditional for street lighting. There are work done by the day, using the horse several other increases in the estimates, but these have been overcome by reductions in certain fire departthe estimates of over \$400. This is an over saving. This year Chief Clark has also saved the department mendation of Chief Clark and ap-\$1,500 on hose, as owing to the care pointed H. Davis and O. Hanna to the which has been taken of the apparatus permanent force. Both have been on the past year, it will not be necessary the substitute staff for some time. to purchase any new hose in 1905. The chief's estimate for capital expenditure totals \$3,300 for 1905, but this includes \$1,000 for a new combination

The following are the estimates in detail: Market expenses ... \$ 800 \$ 600 Street watering ... 10,900 10,796 lighting ..... 26,200 North end fire hall Alterations to market

lose and chemical wagon.

permit the live stock to be removed on Increase for 1905, \$10,754. Fire Department-Fire alarms :..... 500 00 1,285 00 Fodder ..... retary write to Toronto and secure all General information as to what Toronto in-Fire and light .... tends to do. When the board secures Building ..... 

Total ..........\$26,401 00 \$23,820 41 Grant to Mrs. Roe and Fireman Roberton ..... 1,500 00

Total .... \$27,901 00 Increase for 1905, \$4,080 59 Summary-General expenses increase for

1905 .....\$10,754 00 Fire department increases for

healthy financial state. In view of the A Tip for London. A letter was received from the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association

the usual fire apparatus is liable to be out of proper working order. The association asked that the city sees that all the apparatus and appliances are tested, so that if a fire broke out it would not make headway because the city was not prepared to fight it. The members of the committee thought the fire chief knows enough to

ciation will be communicated with and City Engineer Graydon informed the committee that he does not propose to call for tenders for watering or cleaning the asphalt pavements this year, as the street watering contractor last year gave the city a great deal of worry and did not do the work satis now in the possession of the board of works for the purpose. He says the city can save at least \$150 a year by ment items, such as fodder. On this having the work done by the day. The item there is a saving as shown by committee laid the communication over

A Nice Point. Mr. J. G. Dodd, a local contractor, appeared before the committee, and rather surprised the members by claiming the contract for the work which it is proposed to do to the market house. It appears that in the spring of 1903 the committee called for tenders for certain alterations to the building. Mr. Dodd tendered and was awarded the contract. He signed it and handed it to the city engineer Fire Department— 1905. 1904. city proposes to make the changes. Salaries .......\$19,185 00 \$16,366 41 Mr. Dodd contracted for and also to wielded immense power, being itself tions are merely extras. Chairman Matthews raised the point that Mr. Dodd over a year ago had informed the committee that he could not go on with the work at the price

tendered-\$676-owing to the fact that the prices of material had gone After consulting with City Engineer Graydon the committee came to the conclusion that Mr. Dodd has no claim on the city, but Ald. Saunders suggested that Mr. Dodd be given until Monday night in which to put in a tender for the entire job. It was finally agreed to give Mr. Dodd until Saturday noon to submit a

of the committee will be held and all new tender. Then a special meeting of the committee will be held and all the tenders will be opened. Chairman Matthews, Ald. Saunders and Abram, Secretary Bell, Engineer calling attention to the fact that dur- Graydon, Fire Chief Clark and Ining this very cold weather hydrants spector McCallum were present.

#### **GLASGOW WANTS** CZAR HESITATES TO CALL ZOBOR EMBARGO LIFTED

A Resolution to Let Canadian Powerful Influences Pressing to Cattle In Was Carried Unanimously.

London, Feb. 15. - Consequent on all possible to effect this.

DEADLY WAL GAS

Block Emperor's Move

for Reforms.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 15, 11:40 p.m. Lord Onslow's recent speech a special In spite of Emperor Nicholas' personal for it at that time, which have now conference of the Glasgow District inclination in favor of the Zemsky been modified greatly. For transmis-Co-operative Defense Association met Zobor, as intimated to Count Leo sion by this apparatus, messages first to consider the cattle embargo ques- Deonovitch Tolstoi, the imperial de- are perforated on a slip of paper by a tion. A resolution that the act of 1896 cision to summon this Parliament has strip of paper then run through the should be amended to allow Canadian not yet been taken. The Emperor is telegraphic apparatus, the characteristics of the characteristics cattle to enter the country without carefully weighing arguments for and being slaughtered at the port of entry against the plan before committing was carried unanimously. Resolutions himself to this course. This state- prepared for delivery. will be sent urging members of Par- ment is made upon the authority of liament in local constituencies to do perhaps the most liberal of the Emperor's ministers, who tonight said: Mr. Fielding, the Canadian Minister of Finance, sailed today per steamship his majesty the view that the time practically the whole of the wheel-mak-Baltic. Before leaving he received an encouraging telegram from Vienna, longer be denied a voice in the government. It is daughter was making ernment, and the same counsel has COLDS LEAD good progress. During his stay in been given by many others who be-London Mr. Fielding took advantage lieve that the moderate liberat eleof many opportunities to discuss differ- ment, which is drifting away, can ent matters of interest to Canada with leading members of both political parties. The leading members of both parties urged him to speak at both private and public functions, but he declined. He has received every courtesy from both parties. Lord Strathcona is about his majesty received our views sympathetically, and I believe personally is inclined to adopt the course we suggest. It is no secret, however, that powerful influences about his majesty are pressing the ent matters of interest to Canada with thus be rallied to the support of not sailing by the Baltic. Though contrary view. Precipitation is imposmuch better, he is still confined to his sible, although the people forget that

sible, although the people forget that 6 to 14 days. time is necessary to formulate the scheme for the electoral composition and functions of the body. Reasons of state also exist which might make it inadvisable to summon such a body

THE WEATHER TODAY -Fair, and not quite so cold.

GOODS YOU'VE BEEN WAITING FOR JUST ARRIVED FROM ACROSS THE SEA.

The coming of new stocks of Dress Goods always has been an important occasion here. It brings out the people who always look to us to bring out the newest and most fashionable creations in Dress Materials. Our buyers have been on the spot for months and personally selected the beautiful goods we now ask you to select. The big assortment will certainly interest you. The present shipment comprises all the latest weaves in Fancy Mohairs, Lusters, Sicilians, Roxanas, Panamas and Fancy Weaves, in self colors. All the seasonable and most becoming shades.

Beautiful Fancy Mohair. Per vard......\$1.00 Silk Finish Mohair. Per yard...... 90c Roxana Mohair. Per yard...... 65c New Shades in Plain Lusters...... 65c

Sicilians, in brown shades. Per yard......\$1.00 Beautiful Basket Weaves...... 65c New Panama Weave. Per yard............ 65c IN ALL THE LATEST SHADES.

180 yards Remnants Curtain Nets, 11/2 to 5 yards in length, and worth from 12½c to 25c a yard. On sale Friday at only

The lot comprises Curtain Muslins, Art Silkolines, Nottingham Nets, Brussels Nets and Ruffled Bobbinets. Wonderful Values.

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White Flannelette Gowns, with dainty trimmings of pink silk embroidery, gimp and fancy stitching, low neck, long sleeves, best quality. Regular price \$1.50. Sale price..........\$1.00 Gowns in Pale Blue Flannelette, trimmings of white and blue, insertion and embroidery frills.

Good value at \$1.50. Now only..... Another dainty style in Pink Flannelette, square yoke, wide reveres, trimmings of silk insertion, white lace and gimp, good full style. Regular price \$1.75. Friday for only.......\$1.25

### Reduced Prices On Chic Evening Waists.

Two groups of Dainty Waists for Evening Wear. This is your opportunity to secure real bargains in Stylish Silk Waists.

12 only Black and Cream Jap Silk, extra fine finish, trimmings of silk straw lace, insertion with tucks, and fronts of dainty embroidery. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.25. For only .... \$2.75 Another group of 16 Handsome Taffeta Silk Waists, assorted colors, prettily trimmed with buttons, fancy stitching, silk gimps and clustered rows of open hemstitching, rare

values. Prices were \$5.00 and \$5.50. On sale now for..... We have a rare assortment of Waists in Silk, French Flannels, Lusters and Fancy Goods. All dainty new styles, pretty trimmings and perfectly made.

## \$47,900 \$37,146 or be done in the summer and Mr. Dodd was ordered not to proceed with it. Since then nothing has been done to the building. But now the late the work STALLMAN & INGRAM 149, 151 and 153 Dundas Street.

make further alterations, and Mr. Podd claims that his contract holds good, and that the additional alteragood, and that the additional alterathat, therefore, it might even underthat, therefore, it might even underbidding the "rolling of nills" in public take, if again called into being, to bidding the "rolling of pills" in public elect a new ruler.

Today's Moscow Gazette draws from Alexander II., and after his assassination confronted Alexander III. with a choice of alternatives, The ar-

ticle continues: "But Alexander understood that the first condition for the welfare of Russia was the restoration of order. The Government and not the people, the Emperor and not the Zemsky Zobor, then rescued Russia from revolution. What was true then is true now-the Emperor must again

FAST TELEGRAPHING

New Machine That Transmits 40,000 Words an Hour.

Paris, Feb. 16 .- Interesting experinents were made yesterday between Paris and London with a new rapid telegraphic apparatus. The inventors, Pollak and Virag, claim that the instrument can transmit 40,000 words an hour with the help of six clerks. The messages arrive in writing instead of telegraphic characters.

The telegraphic apparatus referred to is the invention of Antin Pollak and Joseph Virag, Hungarian engineers. It was tested in October, 1899, over a wire between Budapest and Berlin. but did not realize the claims set up kind of typewriting machine, and the ters reappearing as photograms at the receiving office, where they are tran-

At a recent conference of the trade in Leicester the president of the Insting industry of England had been cap-COLDS LEAD TO PNEUMONIA Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world-wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look or signature of E. W. Grove. 25c. ywt The late Sir Edwin Arnold is said to have written 10,000 leading editorials during his life. GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES

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ern resorts are on sale daily.

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During the months of March, April and May the Wabash will make sweeping reductions in the one-way colonist rates from Canada to Texas, Old Mexico, California, Nevada, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Arizona, Utah, Washington and British Columbia. Also round trip tickets on sale daily at greatly reduced rates to the South and West. There is nothing more assuring to the traveler than his knowledge of the fact that he is traveling over the Wabash system, the great winter tourist route to the South and West. For full particulars address J. A. RICHARD-SON, district passenger agent, northeast corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto

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BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS .- One cent per word each insertion; six inser tions for price of five; twelve for nine; eighteen for price of thirteen; one month for price of seventeen.

#### BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS MARRIAGES.

RATTENBURY-HANKINS-On Feb. 18 1905, by Rev. Father McKeon, W. J. Rattenbury, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., to Helen M. Hankins, of London, Ont. DEATHS.

CONNOLLY-In this city, on Feb. 15, 1906, Cornellus Connolly, in his 69th year. Waterloo street, on Friday morning to St. Peter's Cathedral; Mass at 9 a.m. Please omit flowers. Please omit nowers.

Niagara Falls papers please copy.

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FLANNIGAN-In West Nissouri, on Feb. 15, 1905, Elizabeth Jane, beloved wife of D. H. Flannigan, in her 57th year. Funeral from her late residence, con 1, lot 5, West Nissouri, on Friday, at 2:30; services at 2 o'clock. Friends and

SHORT-In this city, on Feb. 15, 1905 Ellen, beloved wife of Mr. Job Short. Funeral from the family residence, 105 Hamilton road, on Saturday, Feb. 18, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friendsand acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

HAMILTON-In this city, on Thursday, Feb. 16, 1905, Walker John Hamilton eldest son of W. T. and Mary Hamilton in his 21st year. Funeral from his late residence Craigalee, Wharncliffe road, West

London, on Saturday, at 3 p.m.; services at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

#### AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Grand-Tonight 8:15 Jane Corcoran ported by ANDREW ROBSON, in

PRETTY PEGGY Prices: 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1. Seats on sale. SATURDAY, Matines and Eve.

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MUSIC BY ROBERT HOOD BOWERS.
Original New York Theater Froduction,
Including the Dashing
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ALL NEXT WEEK J. R. Shannon presents the famous Kennedy Players

The strongest and most perfect dramatic organization touring at popula Monday—MIDNIGHT EXPRESS Ladies accompanied by one paid admission ticket free Monday night only.

in a repertoire of great plays.

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No game last night, owing to train being four hours late.

Cunard Line Campania sails Saturday, Feb. 25; Etruria, March 41; New York to Liverpool. F. B. Clarke, 416 Richmond

NOTICE - THE LONDON DANCING Academy will hold their weekly hop on Saturday night. Dawe & Gruber.

LONDON VAUDEVILLE THEATER SHOW EVERY NIGHT.

Prices: 10, 15, 25 and 35 cents. Matinee every day at 2:30 p.m. Prices Children, 10 cents; adults, 15 cents. 371 DON'T FORGET YOU ARE INVITED

#### Blue Label Baseball Club Hop, AT CITY HALL, FEB. 17, 1905.

All welcome. Tickets, 50 cents. 38c

9th POP, Auditorium, Saturday Evening, Feb. 18. Alfred E. Harding, musical humorist; Mrs. F. Stone, soprano; Miss Gwendolyn Anthistle, reader; Becher Furness, bari-tone; Miss Elva McBroom, violinst; illustrated songs, Will Spence and others Plan opens Friday 9 and others. Plan opens Friday, 9 a.m.,

WESTMINSTER RINK-FINAL HEAT of city championship, Friday. Band. Admission, 15c. ALLAN LINE-LOW RATES TO BRING

your friends from Old County. New turbine steamships. F. B. Clarke, 416 TEN-CENT SOCIAL, THIS (THURS DAY) night, Richmond Street Mission Gramophone concert.

CONVERSAZIONE, WESTERN UNI-VERSITY, literary and musical programme, promenades, scientific exhibits radium, liquid air, etc., etc., refresh-ments. Monday evening, Feb. 29, 8:15 p.m. Tickets, 50 cents. 28c

HOCKEY-ASKIN STREET INSTITU-TIONAL Department vs. Colborne Street Methodist Church, Trursday evening, Westminster Rink. Skating till 9 p.m. Admission, 10c. 37e-yw CLARK'S BRIDGE RINK-BAND TO-NIGHT. Comic dress carnival Thursday evening, Feb. 16. Cash prizes given. Good music. Band Saturday afternon. Admission, only 10 cents.

DANCING - BEGINNERS' CLASSES now forming. Gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday evening. Pupils may start any time. 'Phone 1,774. Dayton & McCormick.

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TEACHERS WANTED. FEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 13, McGillivray, for balance of year 1906. State salary. Address J. J. Breen, sec-retary-treasurer, Moray P.O., Ont. 38c PEMALE HELP WANTED.

WO INTELLIGENT GIRLS TO LEAR bookbinding; also two experienced. City Bindery. 39c T-CLASS PANTMAKER WANTED Apply B. Gidley & Son, Clarence street. HEL WANTED FOR GENERAL houseweek, no washing. Mrs. Loveles, housewerk; no wash 711 Waterloo.

SCRUBWOMAN WANTED. OOD GENERAL MAID WANTED-Highest wages; references. Apply 362 Dufferin. 30 WANTED-COOK AND DINING-ROOM girl at once, Apply Victoria Hospital.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY FOREST Funeral from his late residence, 471 HOUSEMAID WANTED. APPLY MRS
Westerless street on Friday morning to WANTED - COMPETENT NURSE; Mrs. Wilson, 260 Queen'

> COMPETENT SERVANT FOR FAMILY of two; no laundry; references, 3; Wolfe street. GENERAL SERVANT-MIDDLE-AGED woman preferred. Apply 26 Ridgeway.

acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Webster's Cemetery.

WANTED - MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN for general housework; good home for general housework; good home for gight party; call in morning. Mrs. Bennett, 36 York street.

MALE HELP WANTED. WANTED-BOY ABOUT 15, TO LEARN bookbinding. City Bindery. WANTED-TWO OR THREE FIRST

CLASS metal patternmakers; young man preferred, who has had some ex-perience on stove and heater patterns; state experience and references. Apply WANTED-ODD MAN TO ATTEND TO furnace, morning and night. 359 Dundas

WANTED-MAN WITH GROWN-UP family, to work 200-acre dairy farm on shares; stock and implements furnished. J. P. Cartwright, Dorchester. 38a WANTED-A CANVASSER FOR NEW trade paper in London; good proposition for right man. Address P. O. Box 2,501

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of heap in trouser game. Try us. English Woolen Mills Company, 150-152 Carling. VANTED - FIRST-CLASS MILLER must have references; single man pre ferred. Apply John Vining, Thamesford

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TO RENT-TWO BEDROOMS; PLEAS-ANT; centrally located. Apply 425 King TWO FRONT BEDROOMS, WITH clothes closets, furnished, with or without board; good locality; private family. Address Box W, this office. 38c

LOST AND FOUND. LOST, LAST NIGHT-WIRE-HAIRED terrier; answers to the name of "Maggie"; black spot on body and head Reward. S. Munro, 59 Ridout street south.

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Other men have gone to the peniten-

tiary for it, murders have been at-

tempted as a result of it, the Thomas dynamiting outrage, which was a na-tional sensation for a few days, grew out of it. The courts of two states, from highest to lowest, have struggled with it, hundreds of thousands dollars have been spent, politicians of national repute have lent their names and influence to save Dennison, but at tast he is brought face to face with trial, and it is the mandate of the supreme court of the United States which thus suddenly sweeps aside all the barriers so laboriously builded up. Tom Dennison never gambles, but No. 1—That three-story brick building cocupied by the Dennis Wire and Iron Company, 211 and 213 King street; lot having been a mine of wealth. He is the ideal political boss; his henchmen to condens with absolute loyalty. They have no affection for him. but they give unquestioning obedience. His word is as good as his bond with anybody in Nebraska, and it is said his bond is good for a million. was never known to break his word in olitics or to desert a supporter in trouble. He is a great man in Nebraska, because he holds two or three wards in Omaha in the hollow of his

> County, in a majority of the elections in twenty years, has controlled Nebraska both on general results and as to the Legislature. Hence Mr. Dennison' standing with men who would be legisla tors, governors, senators or successful lobbyists. If the prosecution in the forthcoming trial makes good its claim it will prove that Dennison has been for twenty years the head of the most wonderful organization of criminals in the west. The Omaha Civic Federation publicly declares that Dennison is the head of a trust in crime, the clearing ouse of the must businesslike organ zation of thugs and thieves that the country knows. And Attorney Elmer E. Thomas, of the federation, promises hat all this will be proved. But to the strange story of the Pollock obbery, which finally has been developed after fifteen years. Pollock, traveling diamond salesman left Omaha for Sioux City. In his pocket he carried \$25,000 worth of unset pocket he carried \$25,000 worth stones in two leathern wallets.

censed against his Omaha friends. Conwinced that they had not done all in their power for him, he made a detailed confession, which implicated Dennison not only in his crime but in various others. He told how political influence had been used to get his parole, and investigation of the files of the governor's office proved that all he charged was true.

That night, less than two hours after treaty must be approved by the United he had reached his home, the Thomas States Senate and the Dominican Conresidence was dynamited. A bomb placed gress, on the front porch had been fired with a fuse, and the front part of the house wrecked. That nobody inside was injured. aside from the shock which the ladies sustained, was marvelous.

The mystery of the Thomas dynamiting affair is as deep today as when it happened three months ago. The police failed utterly to trace it.

Since that time Dennison has been Since that time Dennison has been fighting to save himself from trial in lowa. He declined to go to that state without requisition. Gov. Cummins issued the papers, and Dennison had the Governor of Nebraska enjoined from issuing the order to turn him over to the lowa authorities. The Iowa authorities appealed to the Nebraska supreme court which sustained them: then Don court, which sustained them; then Dennison on a writ of error appealed to the supreme court of the United States.

There the case has been about three months. months.

It has just been decided—much sooner than anybody anticipated—and the decision removed Dennison's last hope, apparently, of escaping the Iowa trial. Gov. Cumains is determined that the case shall be tried for all there is in it, and the state may furnish an assistant or two to the Harrison County authori-ties. The trial will take place at Logan,

#### probably in May, unless Dennison's law-yers are able to invent new means of deyers are able to invent new mean lay, which is generally doubted.

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Results came fast. The authorities of Harrison County, Ia., indicted Dennison for the robbery of Pollock, and sent to Nebraska for him. At the same time the customs revenues of San Domingo, and turn over to President Moralles' Government a specified percentage to meet the expenses of administration and disburse the remainder among fordeuments which were as sensational as had been those in the Shercliffe parole case in Iowa.

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Watson, who are retiring from business Scarlet fever placards have been removed from the homes of Messrs. Tennant and Henderson. Rev. Dr. Dixon announces that he will give a "talk" in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening, 21st inst., on "Incidents and Experiences in Connection with

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Chicago, Feb. 16. — President W. H. Hunt, of the defunct Pan-American Bank, arrived in Chicago late last

night in charge of an officer, and was given a cell in the county jail. He

would not talk, declaring that he was

Dunkirk, N. Y., Feb. 16. - Fire,

which broke out early today in the drug store of J. H. Mericles, at Brock-

and the State Bank, of Brockton, al

of which were destroyed. The Brock-ton Opera House was in the Mericles

building, Total loss \$75,000; insurance \$50,000. The buildings burned were of

brick, and three stories. The upper

Ball Costs One Company \$1,-

000,000 of Business.

A TITANIC CONTEST NOW ON

trol of Equitable-Wall Street

Is Stirred.

which Mme. Rejane is said to have

danced the cancan in the wee small

ours, has cost one life insurance com

It may cost the Hyde family the

control of the Equitable Life Assur

ance Society, which has assets of \$413,-

000,000 and outstanding policies for \$1,

500,000,000. Many multimillionaires are

in a Titanic contest for control of that

great organization, and a great finan

the foundations of Wall street itself

So acute has the contest grown that

the directors have issued a statement

defining the issue to be fought out at

The Equitable is a stock company, with a capitalization of \$100,000. Henry

B. Hyde, its founder, owned \$51,000 of

H. Hyde, the son, represents the fam-

ily interest as vice-president of the

Equitable, and the Hydes' ownership

of a bare majority of the stock gives

Mr. Hyde is not yet 30 years old, and

of society, driver of coaches and pat-

ball the company has been deluged

with letters of criticism from policy-

owners, of whom there are 500,000. His

frivolity has also given point to criti-

cisms made by Thomas W. Lawson

against the great life insurance com-

tion of the company, which demands

that it shall be made a mutual society,

that most of the expert insurance men

in the organization, including many

fect of Mr. Hyde's fancy dress ball.

that-it's going to be done."

surance amounts to \$1 500 000,000.

as vice-president.

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him control of the mammoth institu

their meeting today.

oany \$1,000,000 worth of business.

communicated to the stores of W.

ired and cold.

and offices.

his bank to be insolvent.

Cotton died in a hospital in this city.

#### London Adbertiser. TELEPHONE CALLA.

Job Department ......175

LONDON. THURSDAY FEB. 16.

#### A Turning Point in the American' Fiscal Policy.

The United States, more than any cheaper abroad than at home-for such other nation, could afford a policy of is plainly the intention and result of commercial isolation, up to a certain the drawback ruling. point. It is the most self-contained in the world, its productions from those of the semi-tropical to the temperate zone. It produces a foodstuffs and an abundraw material for the cotton, great staple industries. In such a country, with good land plenti- asked: ful and cheap, vast stores of natural wealth, and an intelligent, industrious population, the burdens of a high tariff could be carried lightly and even jauntily-for a time. It became the highest-priced country in the world, but wages were also the highest, estimated in money, and the standard of living greatly above that of Europe. This has been always the case whether the United States had a high or low tariff. The policy of protection stimulated the growth of manufactures, although the capital which was attracted to these by the promise of exorbitant average, one hundred per cent higher profits would have flowed readily into other channels of enterprise, if the States wishes the commercial friendtariff had not placed a premium on ship of this country, it should furnish mechanical industry. For example, a guarantee that it is in earnest, and the United States, before the civil war, means to give as well as take, by rewas running Great Britain a race for the carrying trade of the world; but to the Canadian level. The recent fate the tariff has driven the American flag of several reciprocity treaties in the from the ocean by making the cost of United States Senate is a warning that building ships in the United States al- no fair commercial bargain can be most prohibitive. The American man-driven with that body. Although the ufacturers had everything in their Liberal party still believes in closer favor-inexhaustible supplies of iron, trade relations with the republic, Sir coal and other raw materials, shelter Wilfrid Laurier is justified in declarfrom foreign competition, and better ing that he will not reopen the questhan all, the largest free market in the tion until he has satisfactory assurv.orld, measured by its consuming and ance that any agreement framed by purchasing power. The surplus pro- the joint high commission, or negotiatduced by the farmers and cotton ed by agents of the two countries, will growers was demanded by Europe, be ratified by the United States Senespecially Great Britain, but American ate. manufacturers were employed in overtaking the needs of the home market. and growing export trade with Canada, This they have succeeded in doing in which this country may check by tarmany lines, and they have begun to iff reprisals. Our neighbors should be build up an export trade. Compared well satisfied to make concessions in with Great Britain, the United States order to retain their present advanis not yet a great trading nation, its tageous position in the Canadian marfinished products being ket.

are becoming an increasing necessity. This beginning of an export trade in manufactures is the beginning of the end of a fiscal system which never contemplated the United States as a better customers in this country. A trading nation. The first breach in the Chinese wall has been made-and by a protected interest. The Minneapolis millers found that they could not hold their export business unless they could get Canadian wheat to improve and cheapen the softer American grades. They secured a drawback of 99 per cent of the duty on Canadian wheat imported by them, and ground only for the foreign market. This case would not be important if it stood alone, but it has opened the door to a tariff revolution. The Secretary of out to corner wheat, a game which the United States Treasury, who made has cornered more than one of his the ruling in favor of the millers, previously submitted the question to the Attorney-General. The latter decided that the drawback was warranted un- Bowell to Mr. Haggart. Perhaps the

laid down this far-reaching principle: "In my opinion, where it is proposed to export a product manufacforeign material which has paid duty, foreign material and can ascertain appointment. to their satisfaction by the evidence of books of accounts or otherwise the quantity or measure of foreign per cent of the duties paid upon the imported material thus ascertained to be present in the completed

Under this decision the American boot and shoe manufacturer, for the pany last year. This will give some purposes of his export trade, will buy idea of the value of the franchise, seehis leather in the cheapest market; the ing that the company can afford to leather manufacturer, who sells wares pay that sum and still have a gold abroad, will import his hides: the mine, woolen manufacturer, with a foreign market, will buy raw wool where the whole range of industries. In the three Dr. Reaume, the new Commissioner system breaks down in the case of the and was deprived of his breakfast. finished product of the leather manu- them. Perhaps he will be less considboot and shoe maker, and the former being a statesman. will be deprived of a share of the latter's custom. The cattle breeder loses a share of the custom of the leather manufacturer. The wool grower has no longer exclusive possession of bus, "I want you to go skating this afthe home market. When the pro- ternoon. Remember the doctor's orducers of raw material, and of material which, like leather, pulp, iron and steel, enters into other manufactured articles, find that the full benefit of the friend Mrs. Runnabout, "That's the protection-the monopoly of the domes. only way to keep 'em off this dangertic market-is denied them, they will ous ice." not tolerate a system which throws a load of taxation upon them without corresponding advantages. The farmers of the wheat-growing states are the dictionary that are warm enough already mutinous, and are demanding to express my opinion.

the repeal of the drawback on Canathe repeal of the drawback on Canadian wheat. Yet the United States | tionary. cannot become a great exporter of manufactured products, unless American manufacturers can buy their materials as cheaply as foreign competitors. They have reached the point where they must seek an outlet for their surplus products, and the tariff unce their surplus products, and the tariff unce their surplus products, and the tariff unce Mose G'wan away, chile, wid you ig-rance. Tain no sassage. Hit's a groun' hog.

Little Ebeneser Well, et sassage machinery — agricultural implements ain' ground' hog, den Ah don' know and locomotives, in particular—are in- what is.

vading foreign markets, but they are heavily handicapped by the United TWO EDITIONS DAILY - WEEKLY. States Steel Trust, which takes toll of every American industry using iron and steel, by raising domestic prices above the level of its foreign quotations. The makers of locomotives and mplements may now demand a drawback on iron and steel imported for their export trade. In fact there are few important industries which will not come within the sweep of the drawback principle. These conditions United States has reached a must steadily undermine the present stage in its development when a more fiscal system, which would fall with a crash if the American people once realized the inconsistency of a policy designed to make American products

#### Canada and the United States.

The Commercial Bulletin, of Boston. with Canada, addresses a circular letter to Canadian newspapers and public men, in which these questions are

1. Q.-Would you as a representative of Canadian public opinion advocate on any terms the removal or substantial reduction of the Canadian duties on manufactured goods made in the United States, such as carriages, agricultural implements, shoes clothes, woolens and rubber

2. Q.-If so, what United States duties should in your opinion be reduced for Canada's benefit, and to

would be, "Not at the present time." The United States tariff is, on the than the Canadian. If the United ducing its tariff on Canadian products

The American people have a large

limited in range, but foreign markets reciprocity treaty-by lowering the This they can do without a duties in Canada's favor. They would not only forestall hostile tariff legislation, but by a more liberal purchase of Canadian products they would find

> tariff on both sides of the line equal to the present Canadian general tariff, would permit a great and growing volume of trade, without disturbance to Canadian industry; and it would be ail the better if natural products were on the free list. The result would probably be so satisfactory to both countries that they would desire to go a step further.

A millionaire speculator has started

Still no reply by Sir Mackenzie der a section of the Dingley Act, and worthy knight is hunting for another epithet.

The compliments paid License Intured in the United States from a spector Brown by the temperance orcombination of domestic material and ganizations are a sufficient answer to and custom officials can identify the the abuse heaped upon him at his

E. Gus Porter, M. P., has brought in a bill for old age pensions. Percompleted article, the exporter is en- haps he thinks members of the Oppoto the treasury benches.

> The city of Toronto got \$350,000 in royalty from the street railway com-

Conservative office-seekers were so price is lowest; and so on through the importunate the other morning that instances mentioned, the protective of Public Works, hadn't time to dress leather manufacturer, the cattle But what an obliging man Dr. Reaume breeder and the wool grower. The must be to tumble out of bed to meet facturer is the raw material of the erate when he is older at the job of

#### The Knowing Mother.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]

#### Not in the Dictionary. [Detroit Free Press.]

Irate Customer-I can't find words in The words you want aren't in the dic-

#### Practical Knowledge. [Washington Life.]

Little Ebenezer—What's all dishyer what Ah heah 'bout de sassage comin' outen a' hole an' den goin' back in again w'en he sees 'is shaddah?

Dinkelspielers. George V. Hobart in the New York

American.] A leedle learning vas a dangerous an altercation. He followed the boy Efery man vas honest until he vas empted; after dot he vas still

f nobody caught him at it. Lots of peoples nefer dink abouid religion until dey lose eferyding else vorth dinking abouid.

I know a voman dot was so sting; she hates to gif her neighbors away.

Hot Springs eternal in der olt sport's

Belief only half you hear, but careful vich half you selection. People dot lif in glass houses should

Der goot Lord sends der knockers to keep us from getting sticked on our selfs.

Envy vas der root of much critikism A friend in need is a friend

Der noisy man alvays attractions lot of attention until ve get used to his floors were occupied as lodgeroom

I know a critick dot beliefs eferyding he sees is a failure just because happens to be a failure himself.

#### A Note of Warning.

[Montgomery, Wis., Times.] This is to notify any and all persons whatsoever that I am through with ny wife for good, and will pay no bills that she runs, and will never want her to darken my door again. Take notice all men that I will not be responsible as she has left me, and also I wish to warn all men against her, because sh would give any man a whole lot of trouble.-Olaf Crystall.

#### Light at a Discount. [Philadelphia Ledger.]

Street Vender-Sir, let me put you in one of these patent burners. Doubles your light with the same amount of Citizen-Can't interest me young man. I've three daughters court-

The Art of Eating Properly. [Dr. Max Einhorn, in the Medical Re-

cord.1 Pawlow has lately established the physiological importance of the mental state on digestion, having shown, for instance, that delicacies produce secretion of gastric juice as soon as they are perceived by the eye, even before they are eaten.

The food must not only be palatable, but must be served in an attracive manner (fine dishes, table decorations, cial struggle may ensue that will shake

In eating we must take time to chew In the struggle are such men as August our food thoroughly. This serves a double purpose: 1. Through the act of Belmont, George J. Gould, A. J. Casmastication the coarser particles of satt, E. H. Harriman, John Jacob food are broken up. 2. More saliva is Astor, Marvin Hughitt, Levi P. Morfood are broken up. 2. More saliva is secreted and is thoroughly mixed with the food. The digestion of starch is thus materially aided, and the proteids are made more easily accessible that the food of the greatly high. to the action of the gastric juice.
Water should accompany each meal. It increases the appetite and the enforment of food.

#### while before returning to our work. The Reactionary Senate.

After eating we should rest a little

[Chicago Tribune.] The United States Senate arrests very movement for reform. Secretary Hay once said that there never would e any use in negotiating treaties so long as the United States Senate was organized as it is at present. Recisome senators have constituents interested in pinchbeck jewelry and shoddy cloth. The duty cannot be removed from wood-pulp or print paper because the senior senator from Connecticut has constituents heavily interested in the securities of the paper trust. The railroad rate bill cannot be advanced in the Senate because many of the senators are avowedly interested in railroads—some of them as officials—while others represent railroads much more faithfully than they do the states which nominally elected them.

#### The Fortress of Privilege.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] The Record-Herald's persistent advocacy of the election of United States senators by the people is now comnended in the most forcible way possible by the Senate itself. That body seems to have been possessed during the present session by a foolhardy deshow its contempt of public sentiment. Its chamber is the charnelnouse for reform bills of every particilar, the fortress of corporate and special privileges. The sentiment that should hang upon its walls was prepared long ago by the railroad magtitled to receive a drawback of 99 sion will need them before they cross damned." The challenge is one the public must heed.

### Wooing Gentle Spring.

[Toronto Telegram.] Come, gentle spring, ethereal poetry and early rhubarb, come!

So Selfish!

[Punch.] "Oh, yes, I gave my husband a motor-car on his birthday."
"But I thought he didn't like motor-"He doesn't-but I do."

BRIEFS FRUM THE U. S.

#### Latest Dispatches From All Parts of Uncle Sam's Land.

Potsville, Pa., Feb. 16.-The Lehigh official already quoted said: "Just be-Valley Coal Company has ordered the suspension of a number of its collieries until Monday on account of the intense cold. Coal washeries and jig machinery are blocked throughout the region today, operations being impossible on account of the large amount of water they use freezing and blocking the machinery. In this city it was four degrees below zero, and in the country districts the mercury reached

Boise Idaho, Feb. 16. - A verdiet of murder in the first degree has been returned by the jury against Fred Bond. on trial for the murder of Charles Daly, in this city, last October. Bond was a boarder at the house of Daly, and appears to have been in love with the latter's wife. Daly was shot and struck with a hatchet. Mrs. Daly at first represented that she had killed her husband, but it developed that she was persuaded by Bond to tell that story. She is held as an accessory and was the principal witness against

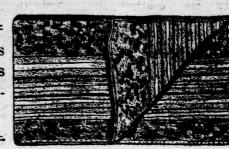
Albany, N. Y., Feb. 16. — A bill pro-hibiting the sale and manufacture of cigarettes was introduced in the As-sembly today. The penalty is not less than \$50 or more than \$1,000 fine.

## the Georgia State Collège for Colored Youths, at Collège, Ga., was found not guilty last night of the charge of mur-der of Prof. E. Cotton, a member of the faculty, whom he killed with a brick on Feb. 2. The professor had ejected Bowen from a classroom after an altercation. He followed the boy CLEARING SALE OF BLANKETS

Our Blankets cannot fail to please you, for they are all especially good ones at the price. We buy only from the very best mills, never sacrificing quality in order to give "the most for the money." The size and weight of the Blankets we tell you, the quality is something you leave to us, and for that reason we have it right.

## The banker was indicted on four Slightly Soiled Blankets at a Bargain

Our special sale of 33 pairs N. Clark, groceries; Furman & Co., drygoods; E. C. Edmunds, hardware, ot slightly soiled Blankets affords a great money-saving opportunity.



33 pairs of Blankets have been slightly soiled and must be cleared out. You will do well to come early.

#### DANCE STARTS A Fine Saxony WAR OF MILLIONS \$6.5

We have been very critical in selecting our line and every number is an exceptionally fine grade for the money. We have on hand 11 pairs of Fine Saxony Blankets, slightly soiled; weight, 10 lbs.; size, 72 ins. by 94 ins. Regular \$5.35 price of these is \$6.50 a pair. Special Sale price, per pair, only.....

#### \$5.75 Blankets at \$4.80.

Financial Glants Hope to Gain Con-You can depend on these for tip-top value—the very best at the price. Twelve pairs Fine Saxony Blankets, slightly soiled; weight, 9lbs; size, 70x90 ins.; regular price New York, Feb. 16.-James H. Hyde's is \$5.75; can be bought now for.. \$4.80 100,000 fancy dress ball at Sherry's, a

#### \$5.00 Blankets for \$4.25.

If you really want a bargain, come early-best values. Ten pairs Fine Saxony Blankets, slightly soiled; weight 8 lbs.; size, 68x86 ins. Regular price \$5.00. Clearing Sale price, per pair........\$4.25

#### FINE FRENCH SATEEN COMFORTERS at Lowest Prices.

We are offering exceptionally good Comforter values. All our Comforters are the production of our own workrooms, consequently only the best materials are used in their makeup. The finest French Sateen and the very cleanest of batting are used. These are offered at specially low prices, considering their quality.

130 DUNDAS AND 131 CARLING STREET LARGEST CARPET HOUSE IN CANADA CARPET HOUSE: 128 AND 130 CARLING STREET

## the stock, and bequeathed it to his wife, his son and his daughter. James SCOTLAND YARD IS BEST OF ALL

is known to fame chiefly as a leader Identification by Finger Marks Has Been Brought to Highest State of Perfection.

New York, Feb. 15.-After an absence James W. Alexander, presi- of several months, William A. Pinkerdent of the Equitable Society and a ton, head of the western branch of the veteran insurance man, leads a fac- Pinkerton detective agency, returned to America yesterday on the steamship and that every policyowner for \$5,000 New York, direct from Liverpool. He more shall have a vote in its af- left for Europe in August with his fairs. This demand has gone so far brother Robert, since which time he that a protest has been drawn up against the re-election of young Hyde bas been making a tour of all the prin- bis hand Mr. Pinkerton said: cipal European cities. Robert Pinker-

While Mr. Hyde would appear to ton was left at Cairo. have the whip hand, it is significant William A. brings back with him a bulldog that is worth thousands of of the best agents, are with President dollars, a silver cigar box, presented Alexander, and their defection would to him by members of the Scotland surance business all over the country. proceeding to his Chicago home. Last tives searched the cab and found surance companies in the country told number of friends and said: me that it had hurt his company \$1,to the Equitable? There has been no went right to my heart. It is mighty "I want to say further that the Those Scotland Yard men are the fin-

going on for a year as reported in anywhere, and the men are just as countries of Europe with his brother some places. It has been going on just good as the system. three weeks. I do not believe that "It is twelve years ago since I was Pinkertons were away solely on pleas-young Mr. Hyde is the man to stop in England, but in that time I was ure, and outside of London scarcely us in a change which every interest of astonished at the progress Scotland saw any of the police authorities. this company and the integrity of its Vard has made. We in America be-present directorate demands. We regard our course as the proper one and date, but, make no mistake, there are it's going to be done. The policyholders no modern methods of capturing and of the Equitable can rest assured of identifying criminals that Scotland London Society Will Appear Yard doesn't investigate and, if they There has been some talk of the are worth anything, adopt at once. Hyde family selling its \$51,000 of stock There is no red tape, no delay about

000 to \$7,900,000. On this account the the efficiency of the service.

official already quoted said: "Just be- "The one thing at the Yard which willed to his family 51 per cent of the state of efficiency which the fingercapital stock it does not follow that print system of identification had Mr. Hyde can deliver the handling and reached. The bureau of fingerprints wise investment of more than \$400,000,— there is one of the most marvelous de-000 of assets and the protection of the interests of the policyholders whose as-identification of criminals has been re-There is not a court in the United then simply turn up your indexes and States that would countenance such a you know your man at once.

"A criminal may shave or grow his "To correct any impression that may heard, become stout or thin, alter his have gone abroad of Mr. Hyde's ability appearance to a considerable extent, as an insurance man, I want to say but the one constant factor in his that the young man knows nothing of makeup is his fingerprints. They the business of the Equitable Society. In fact the only safe in "The Old Curiosity Shop," including wick." There are numerous Sam Wel-He never even served an apprentice-ship and his following in the present gloves when they go out on a job, for the impressions of the fingers are found the detectives on glasses, on news-"Now, what is to be the outcome of all this? Well, there will positively be an extension of the voting power to the policyholders. It has got to come. One man against 40 of the best insurance, experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and against 40 of the best insurance experts in Equitable Sometimes. It has got to come and the first three more distress than Piles.

Sometimes are found by the detectives on glasses, on news-new tables—in fact the more distress than Piles.

No wonder many Piles sufferers their lives are burdens to them. Ointends and local treatments relieve, but cannot cure.

#### •••••••••••••••• BE SURE TO SEE THAT THE INDURATED FIBERWARE

TUBS, PAILS, ETC., YOU BUY BEAR THE NAME

PROCESSES and are SUPERIOR to

MPERVIOUS TO LIQUIDS.

10 HOOPS SEAMLESS

any other makes on the market, FOR SALE BY DEALERS EVERYWHERE. DONALD McLEAN, AGENT, 426 RICHMOND ST., LONDON.

"The impression your fingers made for Scotland Yard to secure by the application of chemicals fingerprints that will forever identify you. "A more wonderful instance. Some time ago there was a jewel robbery at One of the officers of the company said today: "Do you know what the inexhaustible fund of interesting."

Windsor. No adequate description of the thief was obtained, but a cabby said today: 'Do you know what the effect of Mr. Hyde's recent fancy dress ball has been? Well, it has hurt in-The manager of one of the biggest in- night he showed his cigar box to a discarded newspaper. To the naked eye there was nothing on the paper. "I felt like a schoolboy when the But upon the application of chemicals 000,000 already. If it has done that to boys presented it to me. I couldn't a fingerprint of the man who held the marks, or 25 trade marks an outside company, what has it done say anything in response, but the gift paper was developed and it proved to be that of a well-known burglar. He exaggeration, I assure you, of the ef- nice to know that in a strange land was arrested and confessed to the people have a good opinion of you, crime and was given a long sentence "I could recount numerous other inmovement for the change of the voting est in the world. Their detective syspower of the policyholders has not been tem is magnificent. It can't be beaten Mr. Pinkerton visited most

A DICKENS BALL

Novelist's Famous Characters.

London, Feb. 15. - A "Dickens ball," to a group of five directors for \$5,000,- taking on something that will improve with a group of the descendants of the famous novelist representing some cause Mr. Hyde's father owned and interested me the most was the high held at the Royal Palace Hotel, Kensington, under the auspices of Princess and prominent London Christian of Schleswig-Holstein. Everyone attending will represent some Dickens character, but the chief interest will center in the party headduced to practically a matter of book- ed by Mrs. Henry Dickens, wife of the "He could not deliver it if he would. keeping. You get a fingerprint and eminent King's counselor, who is a son of the novelist. This party, num- other, numbering thirty, will appear bering a dozen, will be made up entirely of those bearing the name Dickall of them being descendants of taking its costumes from the author. The grandchildren of Charles Dick-

#### Terribly Distressing,

Nothing can cause more pain and

No wonder many Pile sufferers say Ointments and local treatments may Insurance experts in Equitable Society can hardly prevent it. The 40 who have grown up in the Equitable and unitedly say that the thing shall be done right and the interests of the policyholders safeguarded—these gentlemen, I say, are fighting for the very life of the society and Mr. Hyde cannot stop them in the contemplated change of policy. He may delay action, but stop it—never. It is inevitable.

Serve as an adequate means of identification.

The remainded to cure any case of Piles.

The policyholders safeguarded—these gentlemen, I say, are fighting for the very life of the society and Mr. Hyde cannot cure.

The proceeds of the ball are to be devoted to one of the London hospitals.

The more sclentific and intended to cure any case of Piles.

The proceeds of the ball are to be devoted to one of the London hospitals.

NOTHING LOOKS more ugly than to see a person whose hands are covered figurements on your person whose hands are covered a fingerprint.

The reporter was sitting at a table druggists, or The Wilson-Fyle Company, Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

## MAZIE **FOLLETTE**

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Bind You Books Have you any Magazines or old Books H. P. BOCK, 436 Richmond

Little Nell, Mrs. Jarley and the Little Marchioness. The Dickens family group will dance a Sir Roger de Cov-

The ball promises to be one of the most striking novelties of the year, now making up parties in which the characters from one novel will

One hostess has already arranged a large party to represent the characters in "The Tale of Two Cities"; anin the characters contained in "Nichol Chuzzlewit.

lers, Dolly Vardens, Mrs. Gamps, Mrs. Bardells and Micawbers.
One lady will wear the costume of Little Dorritt, the original of which character is, by the way, still alive, being 90 years old. OM prints and drawings are serving

as fashion plates, and every effort is being made to have the costumes ac-

## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* WAS STATION AGENT HERE

#### WOOL MARKETS.

Toronto, Feb. 14.—Wool—Prices are lin, Ireland, in 1836, and received his nominal and unchanged. Fleece, 22c to education in the national schools and 23c for washed, 17c to 18c for rejected, and 12½c to 14c for unwashed. Pulled the Jesuit College on Garner street, wools, 22c to 24c for supers and 24c to 26c for extras.

#### HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

TORONTO. Toronto, Feb. 14.—Hides—The foreign markets continue dull and easier, and the local market is without feature, and with prices unchanged. Local dealers quote: Green cows, 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2, and 7c for No. 3; steers, 9%c for No. 1, 8½c for No. 2; cured steers, 10%c for No. 1, 8½c for No. 2; cured steers, 10%c for No. 1, 1, 20% and 1. and 9%c for No. 2; cows are quoted at later on, filling the same post in Niagara Falls for a number of years.

Sheepskins, \$1.25 to \$1.50
Tallow—Unchanged, 4½c; local dealers
offer 4c to 4½c per lb.

the 4th of last March completed his
47th year in the service. He is sur-

#### LEATHER MARKETS. TORONTO.

funeral will be held tomorrow morning Toronto. Feb. 14.-Leather-The market Toronto. Feb. 14.—Leather—The market is unchanged, but uncertain, with dealers watching the foreign situation. Local quotations are: Sole, slaughter, medium heavy, per 1b. 30c to 31c: No. 2, 28c to 28c; No. 3, 27c to 28c; calfskins. French, 31 15 to 31 50; French kip, 85c to 95c; Canadian kip, 60c to 70c: upper light, medium, 40c to 45c; pebbles, 14c to 16c; harness, union oak tanned, No. 1, 33c; to 34c; No. 2, 30c to 32c; light, 29c to 31c; cod oil, gallon, 45c to 45c; degras, per 1b, 3c; japonica or gambia, 6e; lampblack, 20c to 26c; sumac, per ton, 350 to 360.

SUGAR MARKETS. at 9 o'clock to St. Peter's Cathedral

#### SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Feb. 15.—Sugar—Raw steady, refined steady. Molasses—Firm.

LONDON. London, Feb. 15.-Raw sugar-Centrifugal, 16s 6d, nominal; Muscovado, 15s 6d; beet sugar, February, 15s.

#### FLAXSEED

CHICAGO. Chicago, Feb. 15.—Flaxseed—Northwest, \$1 5 southwest, \$1 17½; February, \$1 17½; May, \$1 21.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 15.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.39. OIL CITY. Oil City, Pa., Feb. 15.—Credit balances, 31 39; certificates, no bid; shipments, Pennsylvania, 99,706 barrels.

LONDON. London, Feb. 15.-Petroleum, American refined, 51/6d; spirits, 81/4d.

ANTWERP. Antwerp, Feb. 15.-Petroleum, 18 francs

BREMEN. Bremen, Feb. 15.-Petroleum, 6 marks

#### BEAN MARKETS. DETROIT.

Detroit, Feb. 15.—Beans—February, \$1 82; March, 3 cars at \$1 75, closing at \$1 85 bid; May, 1 car at \$1 90.

#### DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK.

New York, Feb. 15 .- Butter-Strong; receipts, 7,411 pkgs; street prices, extra creamery, common to extra, 25c to 32c; do, held, common to extra, 23c to 30½c; renovated, common to extra, 17c to 25½c. Cheese—Firm and unchanged; receipts,

CHICAGO. Chicago, Feb. 15,—Butter—Firm; creameries, 23c to 32c; dairies, 22c to 29c. Cheese

Easy, 11e to 12½c. MONTREAL. Montreal, Feb. 15.—All kinds of fancy prices are being paid for butter here to-day. In fact, some buyers seem to be willing to pay almost anything. Sales of tinest creamery have been made at 28c. but a few holders are asking more. Some view that there will be no relief

#### take the view that there will be no relief-until new butter begins to come forward. The exports of cheese from Canadian winter ports last week were 6,678 boxes, and of butter 965. New York has not shipped a tub of butter to Europe for HAY MARNET. TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 15 .- Baled Hay-The mar-

#### A Valuable Discovery.

Tenecape, N. S., Feb. 16. - Mrs. from any winter ill, Sold everywhere, from above, while the local surplus Two months' treatment, price \$1; sam- water is unable to make its way rapple size, 5c. Remember the name — idly to the outlet.
"Catarrhozone." — The question raised by Mr. Clements

tria has had more hard luck during rivers which take their rise in the his 56 years' reign than any other high lands of Perth, Wellington and monarch. He has lost every battle he Grey Counties, and flow rapidly down has fought, his wife was assassinated the slopes to the comparatively level and his oldest son committed suicide. districts below. Places along the

try it before.

#### Death of Mr. C. Connolly, an Old & Mercury Dropped Railway Employe. To 9.5 Below.

The death occurred yesterday in St.

He returned to London in 1897, and on

vived by a grown-up family. The

Richmond streets. For many years

this original remedy for the hair has had a very large sale in the States,

agents in all the Canadian cities, and

established a manufacturing branch.
The illustrations of "Going! Going!

Gone!" are not entirely unknown to

The first announcement appears in

they have recently appointed

Last night was by no means Connolly, an old and well-known citithe coldest of the winter, but it zen. Mr. Connolly was born in Dubwas plenty cold enough to suit the majority of Londoners. The thermometer dropped to 9.5 below zero, and at 8 o'clock in the morning the cold had moderated age of 20. Entering the employ of the four and a half degrees. There was no snowfall or high Great Western Railway in 1858. He winds, and this was an apprecontinued in the service of that comciable change, especially to the

railways. The street cars are now running more regularly, and the steam railway employes are breathing more freely. Although many trains are still late, no lines are now seriously obstructed. A large gang of men with a snowplow succeeded in open-ing the Huron and Bruce line early yesterday morning, and the trains on this branch of the G. T. R. are now going according to the timetable. The St. Marys branch and the lines farther north are reported clear, and the same is the case between

The Pere Marquette kept men and plows at work on their line until the snow was piled far back from the rails all along the line. A number of men are still work at the troublesome Glanworth cut, but trains are train from St. Thomas last evening was only 25 minutes

The C. P. R. is also in good condition. The 11:30 express from Toronto this morning was an hour late, and the train from the west last night was about Canadians, as "Herpicide" is largely the west advertised all over the United States.

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## Dams and Reforestation To Prevent Spring Floods

onto Globe-Of Interest to the People of London.

The overflowings of the Thames, which annually flood West London and a portion of South London, together with the talk now being indulged in in this city relative to the prospects of a flood this spring and the need for a new and permanent breakwater, give point to an editorial, which appears in the Toronto Globe today. In speaking of these floods the Globe advocates the construction of dams on the small vious enough to those who have given streams, which feed such rivers as the Thames, so as to hold the water back which is so rapidly carried off from the in the springtime; also the reforesta
high lands is needed there to keep that had laid more than two hundred tion of localities new stripped of tim-ber: as it is a well-known fact that was formerly protracted by natural beat all previous hen records by laying snow will lie in the woods for weeks or months, and will there gradually melt away, thus enriching and moisbe advantageously substituted. Such a life in his pens and mating the hens as the snow is exposed to the sun in

causing floods and impoverishing the Mr. Clements merely asked that the ice in the river west of Chatham be free channel to the lake, but the Globe freshets and the equalization of water- point in inbreeding, the physical stam- story brick business premises at pres

goes further and says: Mr. Clements of West Kent rendered the whole Western Peninsula of Ontario a real service when he brought to the notice of the House of Com- done, if at all, by the Ontario Legisla-mons the danger to the lower part of ture, and the cost, in whole or in part, ket is easy in tone; car lots on track here are quoted unchanged, at \$8 per ton for No. 1 timothy, and \$6.25 to \$6.50 for No. 2 early break-up of the ice in the streams early break-up of the ice in the streams of principles aready familiar to the Duffield block last night. There was above while it is still hard and fast public through the operation of the Duffield block last night. There was a training laws. This is a chance for a large crowd present, and a very all all the control of the lock last night. There was a draining laws. This is a chance for a large crowd present by all. yearly one, but it has been aggravated this year by the more intense frost and make a clean sweep. the deeper snow. Anyone who has made a study of rivers is well aware Benjamin Brown for years has been that in a somewhat rapid stream like searching for a cure for catarrh and the north branch of the Thames the throat irritation. When almost in de- ice forms more slowly and breaks up spair she heard of "Catarrhozone," more rapidly than it does in a sluggish and says: "It is an absolute specific river like the Thames from London to that will quickly cure any cold, cough Lake St. Clair. If the deep snow of or case of catarrh. It touches the sore this season should be carried away in spots and goes direct to the source of a few days by a warm rain there may the trouble." A guarantee of permanbe very calamitous consequences to ent cure goes with Catarrhozone: You places like London and Chatham, like London and Chatham, can't afford to pass it by if suffering which will be deluged with the flood

is however, only part of a much larger It is said that the Emperor of Aus-one—the regulation of freshets in all

Interesting Suggestion of Tor- Grand River, like Brantford and Caledonia, are in quite as dangerous a position as London and Chatham, and lands, the draining of the swamps, the removal of beaver dams and water-logged timber from the streams tributary to the main rivers, all facilitate 200-egg class. the speedy accumulation of the freshet water and its rapid rush to the flatter hens in their respective classes were country, where it tends to spread itself put in pens together, and eggs saved out into temporary lakes. The low from these were kept for hatching. land of Kent and Essex is so little Again the Plymouth Rocks outstripabove the level of Lake St. Clair that ped the Wyandottes in egg yield by part of it is liable to be submerged at great majorities, so from that time on any time by a wind storm which raises until the end no further attention was the water to a higher level, and in such paid to the Wyandottes,

in the springtime; also the reforesta- high lands is needed there to keep that had tening the land; whereas, at present, scheme of public improvement, with to cockerels from the same strain, he large areas, it melts and is carried by the farmers themselves, would in the world. No. 617. away to the rivers in a few hours, work a climatic revolution in a region which is at present never far removed from aridity in the heat of summer. This holding up of the water is precisely what is needed in the lower troken up, so as to allow the water a levels for the prevention of destructive powers throughout the year. So gigantic an undertaking could not be carried out by one municipality or any of allied bloods union of municipalities. It must be must be levied on the benefited areas.



MR. M. S. CAMERON (Liberal), West Huron Recount by

#### WORLD'S CHAMPION HEN

This Maine Bludy in One Year NOT THE LUNGS ONLY BUT

Produced 251 Eggs.

Biddeford, Me., Feb. 14. - After five years careful breeding for egg production, regardless of all other accomplishments, Professor George M. Gowell, agricultural expert at the Univer-sity of Maine, has succeeded in obtaining more than forty hens that have vielded more than 200 eggs apiece in a year, and has produced one hen which has laid 251 eggs within twelve months, thus heating all previous reported rec-

from the standpoint of the fancier, she is in actual performance the most valuable hen in the world, being capaof returning to her owner a net profit of 176 per cent a year.

average cost of food and subtracting fastened on the system. the total expense of subsistence from the income derived from eggs at the average price paid in Maine, which is and Turpentine.

Professor Gowell has devoted himself almost exclusively to breeding hens for a specific purpose for the last five years. Beginning with 1,000 hens, divided into flocks of about twenty hens and two cockerels to a pen, he has employed trap nests and been able to get at the exact performance of every bird.

This medicine has come to be considered indispensable in the home as a cure for colds, bronchitis, croup, asthma and whooping cough.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. 25 cents a bottle, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of tations, the portrait and signature of tations.

In Wool Goods.

75c and \$1.00 Gowns, 60c.

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Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns, in blue only, assorted sizes, some trimined with frill, lace or embroidery, lined yoke, full skirt, regular 75c and \$1 00, Saturday .....

\$1 25 and \$1.50 Waists, 75c.

2 dozen only, Black Luster Waists, tucked yoke, full front, tucked back, bishop sleeves, collar to match, sizes 32 to 38, regular \$1 25 

75c Vests, 39c.

15c Socks, 10c. 3 dozen pairs Men's Extra Heavy Wool Socks, double thread, in gray, with white tip, and white, ribbed top, good length, regular 15c sale price, Saturday, per pair ...... 10c About two dozen of our advanced styles, in early spring New York Handbags. You had better secure one now at less than jobbers' prices.

3 dozen only, Lunch-Bags, in valise shape, nickel trimmings and

clasp, heavy-roll handle, in dark colors, plain, fancy and brown, Grand Offer in Good Castile Soap at 9 a.m. Saturday. 48 two-pound bars, 12 inches long, of Pure White Castile Soap, extra good quality, good value at 15c, Saturday at 9 a.m., bar .. 7c

Big Cut in Our Staple 25c Broom.

Exceptional good value on our 3c, 5c and 8c tables in the Basement.

Our Dinnerware is highest grade, special prices for Saturday's Children's Drawers in pink, blue and white outing flannel, regular 

Four-foot Hard Wood Folding Rulers, Saturday, each ......9c 9 Pairs Highest Grade Up-to-Date Skates at Clear-Out Prices Henry Bokers' Beauty and Henry Boker's Club; every pair highest

nickel plated and latest design. No. 111/2 Hockey, racing, regular -\$3, for ......98c Two pairs No. 111/2 Club, regular

No. 11 Hockey, regular \$3, for 98c | No. 10 Hockey, regular \$3 00, for No. 10 Club, regular \$2 00, for 78e No. 12 Club, regular \$2 00, for 78c No. 9 Club, regular \$2 00, for 78c Globe, Brass and Silver Polishes at all prices.

Words of praise from Mr. Max Sterne

are highly prized by all musical people Mr. Sterne is known throughout Can-

ada as one of the most distinguished

musicians of the Maritime Provinces,

Stuttgart, Germany, and a former

graduate of the Conservatory of

fessor of music at the Sackville (N. B.)

Ladies' College. He has wide knowl-

edge, broad artistic culture and great

experience, consequently the following

etter to Messrs, Gourlay, Winter &

Leeming concerning their Gourlay piano is regarded with due apprecia-tion. The letter follows: "The pianos

have arrived, and I have nothing but

words of praise for the same. You

have shown that a real first-class piano in every respect can be made in Can-

ada and people purchasing pianos Wi

not pay a high duty for American in-

struments. Musical men who under-

stand instruments will buy such as

Important Real Estate.

As announced in an advertisement in

another column, Mr. J. W. Jones will

centrally situated in the heart of the

business section of the city, at 211 and

213 King street, between Richmond and Clarence streets, and is suitable

for either factory or warehouse. Owing

to the splendid location the premises

should also prove a very profitable investment if made into retail stores

The other parcel is the two-story

brick residence, situated at 509 William

street, near Dufferin avenue, a very desirable residential locality; it con-

tains 12 rooms with all modern con-

veniences. The lot has a frontage of

54 feet by 150 feet deep, and there is a large brick stable with driving shed

on the premises. These properties have

to be sold to close an estate, and fur-

ther particulars may be had from Mr.

Jones or Messrs. Ivey & Dromgole, so-

There are said to be 146,806 Chris-

At Hartford, Conn., it is proposed to

sound a certain alarm on the fire sys-

yours made in Canada."

and offices.

tians in Japan.

Great Value in Laces.

We have a splendid assortment of Torchons and Valenciennes Laces, from 1 to 3½ inches wide, in beautiful patterns. Now is the time to purchase for trimming your spring whitewear. Come early while assortment is large.

See Our Three Visity Our Candy Department. WOOds

for a similar reason. The clearing away of the original forest on the up-Rock bens that exceeded 200 eggs each

localities rivers will always give trouble Having hatched male and female chickens from the eggs of his hens of in the time of heavy freshets.

The real remedy for this evil is ob-

the partial reforestation of the locality at last secured the most prolific hen In speaking of his labors, Professor Gowell says that the problem of de-offer for sale at his auction rooms, veloping a flock of hens that will be-242 Dundas street, two parcels of valuget chicks to maintain or outstrip the able real estate on Saturday afterancestral records is beset with many moon, the 18th inst., at 2 p.m. difficulties. After reaching a certain properties comprise, first, the threeina of the fowls degenerates and the ent occupied by the Dennis Wire and

birds dle from a too intimate mixture Iron Company. This building is very MARCONI CLUB'S HOP.

The Marconi Club, a very popular

social organization of young Italians principles already familiar to the of London, held its second hop in the "public utility" new brooms to pleasant evening was spent by all, the music being furnished by Tony Cortese's orchestra. Luncheon was served during the evening and the affair as a whole proved a most gratifying success. The officers of the club are as follows: Honorary resident, Cosimo Catalona; president, V. Benenati; vice-president, Joseph Russo; secrètary, A. Loguidice; assistant secretary, Lombardo; treasurer, A. Cortese. These cold snaps are snaps for nobody but the coal dealer.

> Sore Throat and Coughs simple, effective and safe remedy for all throat Cresolene Antiseptic Tablets They combine the germicidal value of Cresolene with the sootbing properties of slippery elm and licorice.
>
> 10c. All Druggiets 400

Devilfish have now been added to

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EVERY ORGAN OF THE BODY IN DANGER FROM NE-GLECTED COLDS.

#### DR. CHASE'S SYRUP of LINSEED and TURPENTINE

Most people know that such ailments as pneumonia and consumption have their beginning in a cold, but all do not realize that other vital organs of the body are almost equally liable.

Not infrequently colds settle on the
liver or kidneys, causing serious disease of these organs.
In other cases colds hang on until the system is run down and exhausted and so left in a fit state to fall prey

has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. This can be accomplished by the use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed The London Tailor and Cutter gives

this valuable advice: "For cricket, boating, tennis and football jewelry must be eschewed, but for motoring, fishing and golf it is indispensable."

Mrs. Wirslow's Seothing Syrup

## Men's "Iron-Clad" Overalls.

Have you seen these new Overalls? Strongest made Overalls on the market. Double-faced and doublestitched. Made of blue and black indigo, with and without bibs Remember to ask for "Iron-Clad" Overalls. Price.....

## Two-Ply Wool Carpets,

Guaranteed Pure All-Wool Two-Ply Wool Carpets full yard wide, sides reverse. Blue, green and red designs, one of each color. Regular price 671/2c. Friday and Saturday, yard......

### Sample Ends Carpet.

300 Sample Ends Carpet, including Tapestry, Wilton, Velvet and Axminster, one yard and a half lengths. Price 35c upwards .....

#### Tapestry Carpets.

Regular 60c and 65c Pure Wool English Tapestry Carpets, close knap, shading of green, blue, red and fawn. Friday and Saturday, 52c yard, made

(Carpet Purchases Kept on Cash Deposit.)

### There's Need This Cold Weather for Warm Coats for Children.

Mothers can tell at a glance that our Coats are just the right sort for their little girls. Just half price to pay tomorrow and Satur-

day. \$4.00 Coats for \$2.00 4.50 Coats for 2 25 5.00 Coats for 2.50 5.50 Coats for 2.75 6.00 Coats for 3.00 8.00 Coats for 4.00

#### for Women==

All low priced Winter Coats for Women clearing at \$2.50 and \$3.85.

\$20.00 and \$25.00 Imported Model Coats, Half Price. yards; 7c quality at 5c yard.

### Women's Underpriced Underskirts at 83c--

Special purchase Women's Underskirts, all lengths, large quantity. Made of printed mercerized cloth. flounce set off with three trills. Regular value \$1.25, on sale at 83c.

#### Flannelette Ends--

Mill Ends of Bleached Flannelette, 5 to 12 yard lengths. Best 10c quality for 7½c yard.

300 yards Bleached Flannellette, in ends 5 to 12

## Warm Winter Vests.

HEAVY WOOL FLEECED VESTS-Full fashioned, Women's and Misses' sizes. Were 75c. Friday and Saturday, each.....

WOMEN'S RIBBED FLEECED VESTS-High cut neck and long sleeves. Regular 25c each

Friday and Saturday..... WOMEN'S GOLF VESTS-Navy and cream, made blouse front, high military collar. Were \$2 25.

## Men's Suits Friday and \$3.95

Friday and Saturday one lot of Men's \$6.50 and \$7.50 Suits will be finally offered at \$3.95 for choice of all sizes. Fine dark and light patterns of all-wool tweeds, stylish cut and first-class finish. Well worth our regular prices, Reduced to .....

Medium-Sized Men's Overcoats - In Meltons, Beavers and Cheviots. Regular price \$12.00. \$7.95 Now selling at.....

#### H. Chapman & Co. 126, 128, 1281/2 Dundas Street PREVENT DISORDER.-At the first

ONE OF THE MANY

symptoms of internal disorder, Parme-lee's Vegetable Pills should be resorted to immediately. Two or three of these salutary pellets, taken before going to bed, followed by doses of one or two pills for two or three nights in succes-ritor will serve as a preventive of attacks sion, will serve as a preventive of attacks of dyspepsia and all the comforts which follow in the train of that fell disorder. Inquest Into the Death of One o Hoch's Many Spouses. The means are simple when the way is

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.-The inquest

into the death of Mrs. Marie Beckertem immediately after each murder, as Hoch was continued today. Henry a signal to put the officers throughout Schwanzala identified Hoch as a man the city on their guard at once. All suspicious characters could then be who, under the name of John Schultz, taken in hand on the shortest notice. had married Mrs. Marie Becker in St. Cougan, coug, pourseness, and other throat Louis, in 1903, Mrs. Becker was the ilments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Creso mother-in-law of Schwanzala, Not we tablets ten cents per box All drugrists long after the marriage the witness A German chemist claims to have stated his mother-in-law was taken succeeded in liquifying illuminating ill and died, "When I went to St. gas so that it can be used in country Louis to attend the funeral," said houses and railroad trains. It costs Schwanzala, "Chas. Reinhardt, a broless than electric lights, but more than ther-in-law, told me that the doctor who attended my mother-in-law said A MEDICINE CHEST IN ITSELF .\_ that her death looked suspicious, and Only the well-to-do can afford to possess a medicine chest, but Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which is a medicine chest in itself, being a remedy for rheumatism, lumbago, sore throat, colds, coughs, catarrh, asthma, and a potent healer for wounds, cuts, bruises, sprains, etc., is within the reach of the poorest, owing to its cheapness. It should be in every house. that in his opinion she died of arsenic said that he intended to rent a flat and stay in St. Louis. He presented my wife with the wedding rings of The Agricultural Bank of Sofia has decided to buy 5,000 iron plows, 200 my wife with the wedding rings of her mother. Two days later I received a letter stating that Hoch had left St Louis without paring the rows, to be distributed among its pat-rons to increase the revenues of the left St. Louis without paying the doc-

J. P MORGAN DUPED

Europe Works Off Her Bogus Paintings On the Millionaire.

Rome, Feb. 15. - The Messagero speaking of the many bogus works of art purchased in Europe by American collectors and dealers, has this to say regarding the museums of New York: fishing and golf it is indispensable."

Monkey Brand Soap cleans kitchen uten sils, steel, iron and tinware, knives and for— and all kinds of cutlery.

Telegraphing in Abyssinia is done under difficulties. The monkeys swing on the wires and the elephants use the poles for scratching posts.

Tree is a feeling of ludignation

against those Europeans who have profited of the good faith of the American public in the daily press of the city.
"Even the famous collection of drawings possessed by the Vanderbilts is the work of clever unitators; the statues of Tanagra, in possession of Mr. Carnegie, are the work of an every-day plasterer, and all the millionaires who have taken up the role of art patrons have been cruelly de-ceived. Those kings of steel and coal and railroads have spent an enormous amount for the refuse of the European museums, and the old continent has taken its revenge of the new by sending circus art in exchange for good

"The case is rather funny, as American millionaires will nourish for a long time strong resentment against their deceivers, who did not even have the kindness to tell them of the deception. Neither Vanderbilt nor Morgan nor the directors of the Metropolitan Museum were ever anxious to obtain authentic have liked to have been posted on the sort of articles they purchased."

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as the cannot reach the seat of the disease cannot reach the seat of the disease caterin is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you mustake internal remedies. Hall's Catarin Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarin Cure is not a quack medical to the surface of the sur cine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting ed with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-

Severe winter weather begins in Siberia early in October. Ice often remains in the rivers until July. THERE IS NO MEDICINE on the

# market that can compare with Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup in expelling from the system the irritating germs that colds engender in the air passages. It is suicide to neglect your cold. Try the cheap experiment of ridding yourself of it by using Bickle's Syrup, which is a simple remedy, easily taken, and once used it will always be prized as a sovereign medicine.

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YOUR MIRROR

**TELLS THE** 

TRUTH

If your mirror tells you that your face is losing

its roundness, the eyes their lustre and the cheeks their

glow, don't blame the mirror. You are losing flesh-

there's a waste somewhere. Try the scales. You don't

tip the beam at the point you did formerly. It's several

notches back. Try on last year's clothing. Doesn't

fit so snugly, perhaps. These are all evidences that

you need Scott's Emulsion because you need more flesh.

Nothing picks up lost flesh or stops wasting like

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Losing flesh may be all right for people who are over-

weight, but the average person can spare little and

retain the even balance of health. If your body is in

need of more flesh, try Scott's Emulsion. If there are

any evidences of wasting, try Scott's Emulsion. It will

put you back in normal condition and restore your lost

weight so quickly that you will wonder why you didn't

TORONTO, ONT.

ords in egg yield. This hen, known to the record as No. 617, is a small Plymouth Rock of

pure strain, though not shaped according to the standard type. She is not only under the size demanded for perfect specimens of the breed, but her wing barring is imperfect and her neck is too slim for her body. In spite of her defects, as viewed ble, under average Maine conditions,

The figures, which have been passed wpon and approved by expert book-keepers, are deduced from counting the rid of all colds before they become

to contagious disease.

This medicine has come to be con-

## Savings and Investment Society,

dollar in our Savings Department were made without merely a fraction-grows continually greater, while a dol-as a rule was light Salas to noon lar in the pocket grows continually 408,400.

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were made at higher prices, at \$1 14 to \$1 16 per cwt.

Hay and Straw—There were 16 loads

were latting their oats. However, there is at \$1 25 at \$2 at \$3 at \$8 a

Hay and Straw-There were 16 loads of hay on the stand. Sales were brisk at \$9 to \$9 50 per ton. There will be a good demand for hay at Friday's market. A couple of loads of straw sold at \$6 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—There was an excel-

Butter and Eggs—There was an excellent demand for what little butter was offered; a large load was brought in by a country storekeeper, which sold at 22c and 23c for crocks and 24c to 26c for choice pound rolls; the eastern markets are considerably stronger than a week ago, and prices are likely to go higher. Several small lots of eggs sold at 24c to 25c per dozen; they were supposed to be fresh-laid.

Apples—Several small loads of small loads as a large strong leading to the supposed to be fresh-laid. Apples-Several small loads of apples ered; sales were fairly brisk, at per bag, or \$1 to \$125 per bar-

Potatoes—One load of potatoes was the extent of the offering in this line; sales were made at 90c and \$1 per bag; these prices are only emergency figures, as several carloads will be brought to the city in a few days.

Dressed Hoge States

wheat\$1	72	@	\$1	74
Oats, new	10	@		13
Corn	99	0		10
Darley	90	@	-	92
rive	90	@	1	00
Buckwheat 1	00	0		00
Peas 1	00	@		50
GRAIN, PER BUS	00	w	1	90
		4.		
Wheat 1		0	1	05
Oats, new	37%	@		38%
	51	@		56
Barley	431/5	0		44
Thy C	54	@		55
Buckwheat	52	0		53
reas	80	@		90
POULTRY, ALIV	TE:	-		
Spring chickens, pair		-		-
Old hens, pair	45 65	@		65
Ducks, per pair		@		75
Turkeys, per lb	70	(0)		80
Chickens, per lb	11	@		12
Hens, per lb.	8	@		81/2
Ducks, per lb	5	@		6
DOTT man	8	@		8
POULTRY, DRESS	SED			
Old hens, per pair	60	@		80
poring chickong nois	50	@		80
Turkeys, per in	14	(0)		16
Ducks, per pair	90	(0)	1	25
Geese, each	80 -	0		25
Hens, per lb	7	@		8
Chickens her in	11	0		12
	10	0		12
Geese, per lb	10	@		11
FRUITS.		Ge		**
Apples, per bbl.		3		
	00	@	1	25
	35	@		50
DAIRY PRODUC	E.			
Butter, store lots, lb.	19	0		20
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Eggs For Sale, 16c Doz. Flavelles, Ltd. 564 BATHURST STREET.

Grass cattle, cwt....... 3 50 @ Export eattle, cwt....... 4 00 @

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

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HAY AND STRAW.

WOOL, HIDES, TALLOW.

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STOCK MARKETS. H C. Becher, stock broker, Bank of commerce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, France Carrington today: New York, Feb. 16.—Neon.—The more cheerful sentiment which prevailed in London was reflected here by large purchases of United States Steel, common, and O. and W. and other

C. N. SPENCER, Stock Broker Correspondents the O'Dell Stock and rain Company (established 1895). Stocks onds, Grain and Provisions bought and Id for cash or on margins. 'Phone 180. ffice, Market Lane.

stocks. Feeling among traders was alreported some increase in business. The spurt in Erie was thought to be renewed buying for big banking interests. In Steel, common, speculative activity is thought that the opportunity

MASONIC TEMPLE.

Now is the time to begin a "savings account" if you have none. A two lines of about ten thousand shares dellar in our Southern Temple.

MONTREAL. Twin City Transit. 1054/
Richelieu & Ontario. 634/2
Montreal Telegraph
Bell Telephone Bell Telephone 1844
Dominion Steel, com 1844
Dominion Steel, pfd. 64
Montreal Heat & Power 8246
Nova Scotia Steel, com 6716
Detroit Railway 794
Montreal Cotton 98
Soo, com 10646
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London, Thursday, Feb. 16.

The blocked condition of the roads prevented the farmers from bringing in their produce, consequently the volume of business was very small. Sales were brisk for the small quantity of produce offered, and higher prices were secured in nearly every line represented.

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Dominion Steel bonds...... Nova Scotia Steel, bonds..... SALES: Bank of Commerce, 75 at 1605/23 and 1 at 1603/. 7 at 1603/2: Bank of Ham 1605% ilton. 25 at 219: Traders' Bank, 5 at 1%, 10 at 127: Imperial Bank, 5 at 238; Dominion at 187: Imperial Bank, 5 at 288; Dominion Telegraph, 12 at 121; Coal. 15 and 25 at 6514. 25 at 6514. 26 at 6514. 25 at 6514. 26 at 1884, 100 and 100 at 13834, 25 at 13844, 50 at 138, 25 at 13814, 10 new at 124; Sao Paulo, 25 at 1064; Toronto Electric Light, 4 at 15144, 10 at 1613; Twin City, 10 at 105; Nova Scotia Steel, 50 at 67; London and Canada, at 5 at 99; Mackay, common 150 at 4234, 69 at 4254, 12 breferred at 76; Sao Paulo, 4 at 1154, 29 of 11534, 25 of 11534, 150 at 115; Canada Landed, 20 at 11145.

Landed, 20 at 1111/2.

N. S. WILLIAMS, Broker, Correspondent W. F. DEVER & CO. (established 1890). Stocks, Bonds, Grain, Provisions and Cotton bought and sold for cash or on margin. 'Phone 1,113. NEW YORK. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Feb. 16. Amer. Cotton Oil. 34%
Amer. Locomotive. 40%
American Foundry. 34%
American Refining. 85%
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There is every element of economy in buying Strong's Baking Powder. No better powder could be made at any price, and yet we sell it for just half what other good baking powders cost. 25c per pound at

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plication: Our new Cook Book on the Art of Cooking. Oats-May ...... 6 97
July ...... 7 10
Short Ribs— 7 12 7 05 LIVE STOCK MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 16.-There were 41 loads in today, including 733 cattle, 500 sheep and lambs, 350 hogs and 45 calves. Quo-tations: 

Export cows 3.25
Butchers' cattle, choice 4.25
Butchers, medium 3.75
Butchers, common 3.25
Feeders, short-keep 4.00
Feeders, medium 3.75
Stockers 3.35
Milch cows, choice, each 40.00
Milch cows, medium 35.00
Springers 30.00 Trade good for export and butchers' cattle; good milch cows are selling fairly well, and medium or common are slow.

EAST BUFFALO. EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Feb. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; steady; prime steers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; shipping, \$4.75 to \$5.35; butchers, \$4.25 to \$5.15; heifers, \$3.25 to \$4.75; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.25; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.15; stoekers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.25. Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active, 50c higher, \$4.50 to \$8.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; active, 50 to 10c higher; heavy, \$5.50 to \$5.55; mixed, \$5.45 to \$5.50; Yorkers, \$5.35 to \$5.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$5.50; pigs, \$5.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$5.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$5.50; pigs, \$5.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6,000 head; native lambs active, 5c higher: others steady; native lambs, \$6 50 to \$8 35; western lambs, \$7 75 to \$8; yearlings, \$7 to \$7 25; wethers, \$6 to \$6 25; ewes, \$5 50 to \$5 75; sheep, mixed, \$2 50 to \$5 85.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Feb. 16.-Cattle-Receipts, 9,500 market strong; good to prime steers, \$5.80 to \$6.40; poor to medium, \$4 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.35; cows, \$1.25 to \$4.40; helfers, \$2.25 to \$4.35; comers, \$1.35 to \$2.70; bulls, \$2 to \$4.10; calves, \$3.50 to \$8.

Hogs—Receipts, 21,000; market steady to weak; mixed and butchers, \$4.80 to \$5.10!c.

Weak; mixed and butchers, \$4.80 to \$5.10!c.

Be Able to Accept Invitation to Attend to choice heavy \$5.05 to \$5.10!c.

It Impossible. good to choice heavy, \$5 05 to \$5 12½; rough heavy, \$4 75 to \$4 90; light, \$4 75 to \$5 05; bulk of sales at \$4 90 to \$502½.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; sheep strong.

#### ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, Feb. 16.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Futures steady; March, 7s Id; May, nal. Futures steady; March, is 1d; May, 7s ½d; July, 7s ½d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new, 4s 2d; do, old, 4s 11½d. Futures steady; March, 4s 1½d; May, 4s 3d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 9d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 9s 9d.

Hops (in London)-Pacific coast steady, f7 to f8 8s.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 71s 3d.

Pork—Easy; prime mess western, 61s 3d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs,
dull, 35s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs,
steady, 35s 6d; long clear middles, light.
28 to 34 lbs, steady, 36s; long clear
middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 35s;
short clear backs, 16 to 29 lbs, quiet,
34s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, weak,
38s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs,
dull, 29s cd.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, weak.

39s 6d.
Lard—Quiet; prime western, in tierces,
35s; American refined, in pails, 34s 6d.
Butter—Nominal.
Cheese—Quiet; American finest white,
52s; do, colored, 51s.
Tallow—Prime city steady, 23s; Australian (in London) firm, 25s 9d.
Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 37s 9d.
Rosin—Common firm, 7s 4½d.
Linseed Oil—Firm, 16s 6d.

#### PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO. Toronto, Feb. 16.—Wheat—Steady and unchanged; Onfario, \$1.05 to \$1.06 for red \$1 01, at Georgian Bay ports, and 6c more grinding in transit.

Flour—The market continues dull; 90 per cent patents, \$4.30 to \$4.45, in buyers' sacks, west; 15c to 20c higher for choice; Manitoba, \$5.50 to \$5.70 for first patents, \$5.10 to \$5.40 for second patents, and \$5.10 to \$5.30 for bakers

to \$5 39 for bakers.

Millfeed, \$14 to \$14 50 for bran in bulk, and \$16 to \$16 50 for shore, west; Manitoba, \$19 to \$20 for shorts, and \$18 for bran, for export.

Barley—Firm in tone, at 46c to 47c for No. 2, 44c to 45c for No. 3 extra, and 42c for No. 3 malting, outside, Toronto freights.

Rye—No. 2, 75c to 76c, f. o. b., outside. Corn—Canadian yellow, 43½c to 44c; mixed, 42½c to 43c, f. o. b., Chatham freights; American, No. 3 yellow, 52½c; mixed, 52c, on track at Toronto.

Oats—Offerings light, with No. 2 quoted at 39c to 39½c west, and 49c asked.

Rolled Oats—Cars of bags at \$4 15, and barrels at \$4 40, on the track here; 25c more for broken lots here and 40c more outside.

Peas—No. 2, 66c to 67c, west.
Buckwheat—Unchanged and quiet, at 52c to 53c, west.
Butter—Creamery prints are 1c firmer, at 25c to 29c; receipts of all kinds continue light, and the market is firm in tone

Eggs—Steady, at 26c for new-laid, 18c 19c for fresh, and 16c for limed. -The board of works meets tonight. the year will be presented and also that they will be several thousand dollars ahead of last year.

## Clarke's Kela Compound is advertised

by the thousands it has cured. If every sufferer from Asthma would read the grateful testimonials of people who have been forever cured by Clarke's Kola Compound, they would no longer doubt the remarkable virtues of this

## A COUNCILOR

Mr. Chas. G. Garnett, Elected Juveni'e Thief Changed His Mind in Delaware, Held Not To Be Properly Qualified.

A "quo warranto" action came up in the county court before Judge Macbeth this morning, whereby Mr. Chas. G. Garnett lost his seat on the Deta-ware Township Council. Mr. F. W. Bodkins, the relator, through Mr. John Macpherson, brought a motion for an order to unseat Councilor Garnett, as not being properly qualified. Mr. Ed Meredith acted for the re-After learning the facts the court

granted the order. Consequently, a new election will have to be held to fill the vacancy on the council. A CHALLENGE

The Alpha Hockey Club of the First Methodist Church challenge the winner of tonight's hockey match between

## ADMIT HIS GUILT

When Placed Behind the Bars.

Some weeks ago, it will be remembered, the theft of a gold watch was reported by the Y. M. C. A. to the Folice, and Detective Rider was detailed on the case. The result was that yesterday the officer arrested a boy of respectable parentage on sus-picion of committing the theft. Mrs. Tait, of Pegler street, had also reforted the loss of a valuable watch, and the boy was thought to have some knowledge of this matter also. At first on being question, he denied all knowledge of either of the offenses, but a short time in the relies station. but a short time in the police station cells had the effect of making him adnit his guilt in both cases. He did not give a satisfactory account of how he disposed of the timepieces, and on the Askin and Colborne Street Church being arraigned before the magistrate teams. Address W. Boyd, P. O. Box this morning, he was remanded until Monday next.

### DEPUTATION OF ANGLERS WAITS ON THE NEW WORKS' MINISTER

Licenses and the Removal of Cashmere Dam.

Hon. Dr. Reaume, the new Provincial Minister of Public Works, was Messrs. H. B. Elliot, James Weldon, of Agriculture, and Mr. George Neely, removed.

M. P. P. for East Middlesex, and it Hon. Dr. Reaume gave the anglers

Asks for Cancellation of Seine asked that the use of nets should not be permitted along the south shore of Lake St. Clair, and at Long Point in Lake Erie. It was also requested that the troublesome Cashmere dam be removed, thus allowing the fish to come

It was pointed out by members of the deputation that the use of nets had almost resulted in the disappear-ance of bass, as the fish was taken in waited on at Toronto yesterday by a large quantities by Americans and sold deputation from the Thames River in the markets across the line. It was Angling Association, composed of alleged also that after the fishway was made in the Cashmere dam a year or Dr. Fred Wood, W. H. Chittick, John to get up stream, the fishermen below Bowman and Frank Friend, and also that place put a screen over the way, two prominent residents of Chatham.

The deputation was accompanied by as before. Now that the dam was the contario Government. the member for London, Hon. Mr. property of the Ontario Government Beck, Hon. Nelson Monteith, Minister the deputation urged that it should b

asked that the bass in the Thames be protected by the cancellation of all licenses for the use of nets. Not only did the deputation want the use of nets in the river prohibited, but it something would be done.

## WILL NOT CHANGE THE REUNION DATE BE ABLE TO COME

It Impossible.

Members of the semi-centennial com-Toronto Old Boys will come only on the occasion of their own civic holi-Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, weak. anything which might inconvenience ing, Senator Coffey and Hon. Mr. Hythe Queen City delegation. Ald. Matthews says it is now practically assured that the Toronto men will bring to bring all the pressure they can upthe Forty-eighth Highlanders Band to London next August.

## MASONS HONOR BRO. A. E. COOPER

Council Sash in Recognition of Services.

The ceremonies and festivities in the Masonic Temple all day yesterday ple is fairly packed with enthusiastic brethren. Last evening a pleasant lit-tle off-side took place, when Ill. Bro. A. E. Cooper (33 degrees) was presented with the supreme council sash by the local brethren, in recognition of his services for the order, and the honor recently conferred upon him by the supreme lodge. Ill. Bro. Allen, of Toronto, made the presentation, and gave an address. Bro. Cooper made a suitable reply.

Today, the 15th to the 17th degrees, irclusive, are being conferred upon 39 candidates. Tonight, when the 18th degree will be worked, a number of distinguished visitors will be present, including: Ill. Bro. the Hon. J. M. Gibson, late attorney-general of Ontario; Ill., Bres. Fried and Ballard, of Hamilton (33 degrees); McCullogh, of Fargo, Nor h Dakota (32 degrees), and Rt. Rev. Evans Davis (18 degrees); A. E. Cooper (33 degrees); C. B. Hunt (32 degrees) After all the work has been performed, a grand banquet will be

The following are those receiving degrees today: H. W. Lind, F. L. Bur-den, E. B. Smith, N. W. Emmerson, Jared Vining, J. L. Richmond, Thos. F. H. Baker, H. Stratfold, A. E. Santo, It. E. Davis, W. A. Banghart, A. L. Davis, P. McNaughton, W. T. Wilson, 

# EARL MAY NOT

tend the Bi-Cen ennial.

Chairman Matthews, of the semi-cenmittee declare that it would be a mis- tennial committee, was disappointed take to attempt to hold the Old Boys' today when he was handed a letter by reunion, the semi-centennial celebra- City Clerk Baker, informing the comtion and the Western Fair at the one mittee that Earl Grey, Governor-Gentime. They say the city could not accommodate all the guests, and that commodate all the guests, and that Clark, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, with too many irons in the fire the one event would only result in the injuring are "afraid" they will be unable to acof the other. As far as the changing cept the invitation of the city to atof the semi-centennial date is contend the bi-centenary celebrations in
cerned, Chairman Matthews says it is
London in August next. The former sending out cards to the old boys, naming the date of the celebration, and to change it now would be to tiat time, and the latter fears he will cause no end of trouble and misunder- be out of the Province in August, standing. Further, he says that the The chairman has not lost heart altogether, however, and he has instructday, and the city cannot afford to do eded Mr. Baker to write Sir John Carl-

## on the distinguished personages induce them to come to London. WESTERN HURSES **WERE NOT STOPPED**

man, all of whom are in Ottawa now,

on a C. P. R. Freight Train -Nothing Done.

Inspector Sanders, assisted by Mr. connection with the tenth annual con- P. C. Lewis, of the local customs devention of the Ancient and Accepted partment, succeeded in locating the C. will be held on Saturday afternoon at Order of the Scottish Rite, continued at P. R. train which brought to London the four cars of alleged half-starved and today, and will reach their height and half-frozen horses referred to in tonight. The upper story of the tem- last evening's Advertiser. The train arrived here between 6 and 7 o'clock, having been from about 10 o'clock a.m. on the road from Chatham. The inspector says that for some unknown reason the train was delayed a couple of hours at Melrose, a few miles out of London. When asked what he suspected was the cause of the delay, Mr. Sanders replied that it is more difficult to inspect horses in the dark than in the day time. At all events, when the animals arrived the inspector was able to see that they were in open cars, and there was not even a blade of straw under them. They appeared to straw under them. They appeared to be half frozen and half famished, but Mr. Sanders was at a loss to know just what to do. He found that there was no person accompanying the shipment, and that they had not been fed at Chatham. The local freight agent of the C. P. R. stated that he had been informed that the animals had been informed that the animals had been fed at Detroit, but of course, he had no proof of it. The way bill also showed that the horses had been loaded at Chicago on Monday and had been ever since on the road. They are destined for St. John, N. B., and Mr. Sanders was told that orders had been left to feed them at Toronto. left to feed them at Toronto. The poor brutes are western horses and have grown long coats, else it is the opinion of Mr. Sanders they would have perished with the cold. As it is,

Though the inspector has not as yet made up his mind as to whether he will have a summons issued for some-body for cruelty to animals, he has decided to bring the matter before the Humane Society and will recommend that strong representations be made to the Government to amend the law, so as to cover such cases as this.

would likely arrive in Toronto early!

## CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

-Mrs. Hubert M. Hayes will receive on Thursday and Friday of next week at 625 Wellington street. -At the Princess Rink tonight, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock, the old-time Orients will play a team

of the present members. WEEK'S BANK CLEARINGS. The report of the London Clearing House for the week ended today shows total elerrings of \$780,130.

DEATH OF MRS. JOB SHORT. Mrs. Ellen Short, wife of Mr. Jol. Short, passed away this morning at the family residence, 105 Hamilton road. Mrs. Short is survived by one son and two daughters: Mr. Harry Short, and Mrs. E. Guenett, of this city, and Mrs. James Carney, of Detroit. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. HAND INJURED.

Robert Douglass, a young man employed in The Advertiser job room, had the little finger of the right hand al-most severed while morticing a cut with a saw this afternoon. It was at first thought that Douglass would lose the finger, but Dr. H. A. Stevenson, who was called, sewed up the wound and he hopes to save the injured mem-

CANNOT ACCEPT CHALLENGE. Wm. Pugsley, the recent winner of the two-mile senior city skating championship, has written to The Advertiser stating that he will be unable to accept the challenge of Peter H. Simms for a match for the championship and a side bet of \$25 or \$50. Pugsley says he was on skates only six nights this winter prior to the championship race, and as he is out of the city five days every week, it will be impossible for him to do any training.

## NEW GREENHOUSE

Park Commissioner Pearce Will Ask the City to Erect One This Year.

At the next meeting of the city council Park Commissioner Pearce will present an application for a new greenhouse at the Victoria Park, to replace the present one, which is worn out.

Mr. Pearce today had a conference with Mayor Campbell on the subject. He has had plans prepared and has secured an estimate of the cost. The entire building such as he desires will cost about \$5,000 or \$6,000, but as the city cannot expend that sum this year, it is his idea to have the green-house built in sections. The section he desires this year would cost about \$1,-200. It would greatly beautify the park and it is Mr. Pearce's idea to have it open to visitors two or three after-

#### BRIGHT STUDENT DEAD

Mr. W. J. Hamilton Passes Away at His Home in West London.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. an utter impossibility. For many London in August next, The former W. T. Hamilton, of the Wharncliffe months now the committee has been fears that it will be impossible for him read, West London, will sincerely symtheir eldest son, Walker John Hamilton, which occurred this morning at the family residence, after an illness of several months.

The deceased was in his 21st year,

and was one of the brightest students at the London Medical College. He was born in this city, where he was educated in the public schools and the Collegiate Institute, and two years ago last fall he commenced the study of medicine at the local college. At the examinations in the spring of 1904, he distinguished himself by leading the second-year class and taking the scholarships, and there was every prospect of his again distinguishing himself in the third-year exams. He resumed his don, for plaintiff, opposed the appeal. Present Him With a Supreme Inspector Sanders Located Them term in September last, but early in November he became so ill that he was compelled to abandon his work at the

The late Mr. Hamilton had a large circle of friends, who will learn of his death with regret. He is survived by his parents, three brothers and three sisters. The deceased was a member of the Methodist Church. The funeral 3 o'clock from the family residence.

#### HIS WORK APPRECIATED

Rev. I. B. Wallwin Invited for Second Year in West London.

A meeting of the quarterly official board of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church was held last night, at which a resolution was unanknously adopted, requesting Rev. I. B. Wallwin to remain a second year.

Mr. Wallwin took charge of the work in West London on July 1 last, and his efforts have been highly appreciated by board of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church was held last night, at efforts have been highly appreciated by podes as well as at home. Dose small, the congregation.

## 1904 GAINS-

In Reserve ...... 737,457 In Income ..... 164,239 In Surplus...... 170,920 Death losses only 41 per cent

Expense rate reduced nearly 1 per cent. Interest rate increased to 5.09 per cent. C. E. German, General Agent,

of the expected.

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sures the best work in the cleaning of delicate costumes or your best R. PARKER & CO., Cleaners and Dyers, Richmond Street, near corner of Dundas, London, Ont.

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I cannot please everybody in every way, but the exceptions are few, and you know there are always two sides to every question. If you want Koal, I'll try to

John M. Daly,

'Phone 348.



DEFENDANTS APPLALED

Globe Company Wants to Have a Judgment Set Aside.

In the court of appeal at Toronto. yesterday, in the case of Miller vs. Globe Printing Company, A. B. Aylesworth, K. C., for defendants, appealed R. 369), in favor of plaintiff in an aceration for services as advertising representative of the defendant company in the western district of Ontario, from May, 18, 1901, to Oct. 23, 1903, under the terms of a contract constituted by two letters which passed between parties in May, 1901. The disagreement arose came to the office direct from this territory without any reference to plaintiff's exertions, and defendants contended that such business should not be considered in estimating plaintiff's remuneration, since the contract referred especially to business "which you may secure." The trial judge held that all advertising coming from the district should be considered in fixing the plaintiff's commission, and ordered a reference to the local master at London to take the accounts. G. C. Gib-bons, K. C., and G. N. Weekes, Lon-Judgment reserved.

CASE IS DRUPPED

Alleged Fortun:-Teller Pays Cost and Agrees to Leave London.

Madame La Zelle, alias Nellie Howie, the alleged fortune-teller, who appeared in the police court yesterday, and whose case was to have come up for trial on Friday, has arrived at a satisfactory agreement with the crown whereby further proceedings are can-celed. Madame La Zelle agreed to pay all expenses incurred and to leave the city. Crown Attorney McKillop pro-secuted and Mr. John McEvoy acted for the defense.

### Conservative Methods

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS BANK

are strong believers in the policy of conservatism. They are always willing that the Bank should forego a possible profit, rather than accept business involving undue

THE RESULT-Very few bad debts, trifling losses and undoubted safety for depositors.

WE HAVE A SEPARATE BANKING ROOM FOR WOMEN

The Bank of Toronto.

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Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 15.-The hockey

match here last night between the

Winnipeg Victorias and the Portage

Chatham, Feb. 15,-Chatham defeat-

The second half started with

close play, each scoring two. The lo-

cession. The lineup was as follows:

Quesnell; left wing, Lawson; right

Windsor-Goal, Douse; point, Hart-

Brockville, Feb. 15.-Brockville had

little or no difficulty in defeating the

Dawson City team here tonight, the

Toronto, Feb. 15 .- In the junior O.

ny George. Douglas came second with Financier.

could get no higher than reserve, Fin-ancier being again V. H. C.

received any mention. Mrs. A. A. Mac-donald's Redcroft Imperial was com-

mended, and Mr. Ross Gooderham's Mr.

class last year, was unnoticed. Mr. H

bitors, Mr. Gamey was V. H. C. for

the dog puppy class of 17 he won first

with Wentworth King, though in limit

dogs, 30 pounds and over, the same dog

In novice dogs the Hamilton Kennels

Nell and Wentworth King Dick wor

of Ottawa, whose Epsom Wonder was

In bull-terriers Mark O'Rourke,

won a third.

Mr. Gooderham.

was only V. H. C.

pounds and over.

third in limit dogs and H. C. in open. got second with Wentworth Gallagher, Dr. C. Y. Ford, of Kingston, had one and in open dogs and bitches not ex-

nell; cover, Gauthier; rover, Turnbull;

wing, Elliott.

Canadians Cut Very Wide

Col. McEwen, of Byron, Suc-Cessful — Defeats J. P.

C., with Bruce. In novice dogs, black Darcey and Moore, of Ottawa, came to the rescue, winning first with John-

ed Windsor here tonight in a fast and

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was endeavoring to find any loophole for escape or explanation.

The superintendent hesitated; then, catching the placid eye of Mr. McAn-"Some information is in our posses-

sion, my lord; but we do not propose to produce it at this stage. We depend upon the evidence of the gamekeeper and constable. "Our duty is clear," said Lord Carfield, but with a reluctance which was man, charged with the murder of a

distinctly palpable. "We must commit the prisoner for trial. Have you anything to say?" he asked. At this moment there was a slight disturbance among the closely-packed persons near the door, and Mr. Bart-Bradstone entered.He looked round him with the air of a man determined

not to show nervousness, and then up at the face of the prisoner. Had he anything to say?
Harold Faradeane glanced over so

slightly at Bartley Bradstone met Lord Carfield's grave and trou-"Nothing," my lord," same the reply Carfield in a low voice, and Faradeane

'Remove the prisoner," said Lord followed the policeman from the dock. A murmur of pent-up excitement rose from the crowded court, and several ladies who had grown pale and somewhat hysterical during the examination frew long and audible breaths of re-

"That man is not guilty," said one "I am as certain of it as I am that I am sitting here. No man capable of shooting a defenseless woman could stand up and look as he did. If he were a bad man he would brazen it out, and he would show himself to be a hardened criminal; and if, on the other hand, he were only a weak man, who had yielded to a sudden temptation, he would, this morning, have been utterly cast down and overwhelmed with grief and remorse Instead of presenting either appearance he looks round like a man, who-who gar crime, and still too noble to despise us for suspecting him.'

just beneath the lady who had delivered her opinion by no means in a whisper, and he looked up at her, and smiled behind the hand which he passed over his mouth. And he was still smiling, as, shouldering his way out of the court, he came upon Mr. Bartley Bradstone, who in a purposethe dock in which Faradeane had just be ready to swear that he is innocent.

Mr. McAndrew touched his hat. "Good-morning, sir. Qute a crowd."
"Y-es, yes," replied Bartley Brad-

At that moment there came the tramp of drilled footsteps in the corridor in which they were standing, and AMERICAN TRUTTERS a cry of "Make way there! Stand

It was the prisoner being escorted to the close fly which was to take him back to the prison. Bartley Bradstone started and tool Faradeane's face.

"How is Mrs. Bradstone this morn asked Mr. McAndrew, stand- conditions. The results were: ing right in the way of the policemen their charge.

"Very ill, dangerously ill still." said Little Payne, W. Lewis, Ar-Bartley Bradstone, still with his eyes Faradeane started and stopped. He

had caught the reply. His face went white and seemed to quiver, as if with sudden fury. "Ill? Dangerously ill!" he said in

There was still a crowd in the corridor and all eyes were turned upon

"Move on, please," said the police-man, not roughly, but firmly.

#### IS YOUR CHEST SORE?

That's how inflammation of the lungs Oily Bob, J. Mills, Pe-nearly nity years.

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"One moment," said Faradeane, with kind of gasp. "Give me one moment — Is she in danger, do you say?"

"You must move on, sir: you cannot be permitted to talk." said the ser-Faradeane sighed and inclined his

head, and was passing on, when Mr. McAndrew, who had never taken his yes from his face, said:
"If Mr. Faradeane desires it, I can give him all the news; but I can only ee him at his desire now."
"Yes, yes!" said Faradeane, quickly and anxiously, looking back over his

shoulder. "Come at once, please."

The crowd closed up after him, and the shouting and cheering and groaning announced the departure of the fly. Bartley Bradstone stood in the cor-ridor biting his lip, and looking after and had quite forgotten Mr. McAndrew until that gentleman's voice sounded at his elbow

"Carrying it with a high hand, isn't he, Mr. Bradstone?"
Bartley Bradstone started.

"Eh? Y-es, yes! You think thatthat there isn't any chance for him? You think he's guilty still?" sudden and utterly expressionless

sional. But I think the jury, when he goes for trial, will think him guilty." A strange expression, it almost seemed like relief, shot across Bartley Bradstone's face, but it was gone in an instant, and with a shake of his head he

"They'll be a parcel of fools, then. He's no more guilty than I am.' "Just so, sir," remarked Mr. McAndrew. "But it's strange he doesn't say so, isn't it? And Mrs. Bradstone is still in danger, sir?" he broke off respect-

"Yes, yes," assented Bartley Bradstone with a heavy sigh, and an anxious, troubled look and he moved down the corridor to the door where a close carriage and pair stood waiting. "Oh, stop," he said, with his hand on the door, and looking back at the detective. "I--I forgot. Mr. Vanley asked me to say that if there was anything that could be done for the prisoner, he should like to do it. I suppose there will be lawyers and a-counsel. Just see to it, will you?"

Mr. McAndrew regarded him the same stolid stare. "I'm afraid I can't interfere, sir," he said thoughtfully. "You see, I'm for the prosecution; at least, I'm for the

Bartley Bradstone shot a glance at him; but the man's face was so wooden that it robbed the words of any sig-

-"But I'll put Mr. Faradeane in the way he should go-I can do that without going beyond my duty, though whether he'll pay any attention to my advice is quite another thing." Bartley Bradstone got into the carriage and as the footman in the gorgeous Maples livery closed the door "Anything discovered about the wo-

man-what's her name?-Bella?" Mr. McAndrew shrugged his shoul-"Nothing of any consequence, sir" h

Bartley Bradstone sank back out of sight, and being out of sight, wiped the perspiration from his forehead. Mr. McAndrew looked after the carriage for a moment or two, passing his hand over his mouth in the manner pe-

culiar to him, then turned and made his way to the jail. The governor of her Majesty's prison at Wainford was a certain Summerford; a gentleman, and a man of sound, common-sense ideas. He had been governor for nearty twenty years, but during all that long experience he had never had so strange and puzzling an inmate as Harold Faradeane, Colonel Summerford knew the ordinary jailbird by heart and understood every song that bird could sing; but this all the good colonel's experiential the-

woman in Hawkwood woods, scattered ories and ideas like chaff before the wind. In the first place, the colonel man; and secondly that he was no fool as some gentlemen-too many, alas!often are. He felt greatly interested in him, and did his best to make him as comfortable as a prisoner committed for trial on a capital offense can be made. He gave him the largest and airiest cell, and, in fact, treated him as a man who, though accused.

has not yet been found guilty. Mr. McAndrews arrived at the prison about half an hour after Faradeane's return, and found the colonel walking up and down his office in deep thought. "Good-morning, colonel," said the de-tective, putting his head in at the door and touching his hat with his forefin-

ger in farmer-fashion. "Ah, is that you, Mr. McAndrew? Come in," responded the governor."You to have been played in the Jubilee Rink have just come from court I suppose? You have got a more interesting case of the fact that the Paris seven were than country ones usually are, eh?"
"Yes," assented Mr. McAndrew; "it

is rather interesting." "Confound the man!" exclaimed the colonel, "I wish they hadn't brought him here," and he tugged at his mustache.

"Gives you a lot of trouble?"
"Not a bit. That's just it. Look here. McAndrew, I can't make him out." "No. colonel?"

"No, and I'm an old hand at 'em, I didn't think there could be a is too noble to have committed the vul- case that would puzzle me-I mean so far as the man goes. I'm used to reading them right off the reel; but this Now. Mr. McAndrew was standing man Faradeane baffles me." "Ah," commented the detective, thoughtfully; "doesn't behave like the

usual run, then, colonel?" "Not a bit," said the governor, test-y. "Some of them are sullen, others are hysterical, and others again dogged and taciturn; while I've seen some half-mad. Now, this man just takes less kind of fashion was standing and the whole thing as quietly as if there being generally pushed about, as he was nothing extraordinary in it. If stared with a species of fascination at the evidence was not so black I should ing it to enormous size. Constipation and in-

> McAndrew nodded. "About as black as it could be," he said in a matter-of-fact voice. [To be Continued.]

## RACE AT PETROLEA

The opening of the Petrolea winter half a step forward, his eyes fixed on race meeting was held yesterday. The

First race, 2:12 class, trottingmada, Mich. ...... 2 1 1 Gill, Otto Gutermoser, Detroit,

Mich ...... 1 2 2 Eldeado, A. Crummor, Pe-Lord Roberts, Dr. Peters, Sar-

nia, Ont. Second race, 2:40 class, trotting (unfinished)-

Nettie Star, W. Briggs, Port Huron, Mich. .... 1 2 0 2 1 Little Ted, John Lyons, Marine City, Mich. .... 2 1 0 2 1

Time, 2:26, 2:22¼, 2:23, 2:24, 2:25, 2:23.

## Failed to Score a Goal In a Semi-Final Match

Speedy Stratford Seven Shut A. hockey team, a junior organization, won the Beech Grove trophy by beating the Rockwoods, of Portsmouth, by 9 to 7. A protest is talked of. Out by Goderich Team 8 Goals to 0.

Goderich, Feb. 15. — Stratford went La Prairie team resulted in a win for down to defeat before Goderich in the the visitors by a score of 7 to 6. Play intermediate O. H. A. semi-finals game was somewhat rough, one of the Portage La Prairie men receiving a bad accidental smash on the head with one of the fastest exhibitions of hockey stick at the hands of one of his own ever seen in this town. The score at team. ing team Lightfoot, Edmunds and Hern put up an exceedingly fast combination, the former keeping the spectators exciting game of hockey by a score of spellbound by his lightning rushes. No hat there isn't any chance for him? four think he's guilty still?"

The detective looked at him with a sudden and utterly expressionless stare.

"I never give an opinion myself, of the Goderich forwards, while in good relieved many hot."

"I never give an opinion myself, of the Goderich forwards, while half ended 3 to 2 in favor of the visit-half ended 3 to 2 in f "I never give an opinion myself, of the Goderich forwards, while half or," he said. "Never. It's unprofes- Woods, in goal, relieved many hot ors. shots on the Stratford nets. For Goderich forwards little distinction could erich forwards little distinction could be made. McIver, who was injured in was called had tallied up 9 to the visthe Woodstock game, was out again in good form, and, like McDonald, cession. The lineup was as follows: kept the wing checks well in hand. kept the wing checks well in hand. Chatham—Goal, Grace; point, Hicks; McGaw, at rover, was always on hand cover, Fraser; rover, Brundage; center, to score on a pass, while Wiggins, at center, secured the puck on nearly face-off. For the penalties the Goderich team suffered slightly more than the visitors, the offenders being center, Oulette; left wing, Peck; right ruled off for minor offenses, On this wing, White. point the referee. F. C. Waghorne, is highly to be recommended on his rul-Goderich plays the return match in Stratford Friday evening, and with a lead of eight goals should finish well in the two districts.

> Tillsonburg, Feb. 15. - In a hockey The game was remarkably free from match tonight between Tillsonburg and Simcoe O. H. A. the former won a men of much weight. hard-contested game by a score of 4 to 3. The Tillsonburg tournament will commence next week.

cessful - Defeats J. P.

Morgan's Blue Prince

Canadians are cutting a wide swath

There are a large number of

at the bench show of the Westminster

Kennel Club, now in progress in New

competitors from Ontario, among them

being Col. McEwen, of Byron, who took

quite a number of prizes with his

Scotch collies. In one class his entry

defeated one from the kennels of J.

the dog puppies class with Holyrood Consul and Holyrood Conquest, against

field of sixteen. In the novice dogs,

Wishaw Hero won the reserve prize,

and in the American-bred open dogs

his Consul came second, and in the open

class, bred by exhibitors, the same

dog was first. It was in this contest

that Morgan's Blue Prince was de-

The Balmoral Kennels, of Ottawa,

were well up to the front with Bal-

moral Baron and Balmoral Rex. The

former won first in open, dogs, other than sable or sable and white, and was

reserve in winners. Balmoral Rex won

entry in bitches, Otterburn Dorothy,

who won V. H. C. in open bitches bred

In cocker spaniels, of which only four

classes were judged the first day, Can-

iccess. In the dog puppy class J. S.

The Carling cup game, which was

last evening was canceled on account

unable to reach the city on time. They

came on the G. T. R. Flyer, which is

which was several hours late. A large

crowd had gathered at the rink to see

the game and about 9 o'clock they

of the muscles that propel the food to the intes-tines is also a factor in allowing the food to

of fetid gas and vomiting of sour liquid, vary-

formation of gas, which if retained

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scheduled to get here at 7:45, and

adians did not meet with their usual

CARLING CUP GAME

Pierpont Morgan.

by exhibitors.

Col. McEwen took first

Kingston, Feb. 15. — The Y. M. C. 9 to 6.

#### The McClary Teams Agree To Amalgamate

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The McClary Wholesale League team was very much dissatisfied with the treatment accorded it near the close of the 1904 season, and in consequence it will not be identified with the organization this season.

On the contrary, it will amalgamate with the McClary City League team, and thus form a nine which it is expected will make a very strong bid for, the

pennant.
The officers chosen by the united teams are: Honorary president, Col. Gartshore; honorary first vice-president, J. K. H. Pope; honorary second vicepresident, S. W. King; honorary third vice-president, J. W. Row-lands; president, James Nicholson; vice-president, Wm. Leh-man; manager, J. W. Smith; secretary-treasurer, J. E. Mc-

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Delaware, Feb. 14.-With a mixed team of juniors and seniors, Delaware succeeded in defeating Poplar Hill here tonight, in a very fast game, by score of 19 to 0. Fowlie, of Mount Brydges, in goal for the visitors, played

## TOLEDO CURLERS PLAY LONDONERS

score being 8 to, 2. The locals were faster skaters, superior stick-handlers Win and Lose by Small Marand played all around their opponents. gins-Londons Successful at Glencoe.

Rinks from both the London and the Thistle clubs were engaged yesterday Two rinks from Toledo were in the city, having come to play in the Western Ontario tankard series, but as they were a day too soon they put in the Swath at Big Dog Show time by playing friendly games with the Londons and Thistles. The visitors were by no means poor players showing themselves quite expert at the roarin' game.

In the afternoon the Toledo clubs were guests of the Londons, and were defeated by two shots, one of their rinks having one up, while the other was three down. The score:

George Dunn's Waverly Duke was H. C. J. S. Clark's Lance Farwell took third in stud dogs, black, Financier coming V. H. C. and Wavely Duke C. In open dogs, black, Lance Farwell London. B. L. Paine,
N. D. Cochran,
J. H. Pheatt,
S. O. Richardson..13 C. A. Andrus. J. C. Trebilcock, A. B. Couldwell, A. H. Coldham, W. Marrett, ...16 W. W. Coldham...13 fact, they had the record entry of the show, 194. Canada bad warmen of the J. P. Evans.

show, 194. Canada had very few entries. In a novice class of 35 only 15 Majority for London, 2 shots. The visitors were entertained by the Thistle Club curlers in the evening. In this contest Toledo came out upper-Gamey, that won first in the puppy most, winning by a single shot. The rinks: L. Thomas, of Montreal, did well with

his two puppies, Little Nipper and Madre of Glen, with each of which he A. Tillmann, J. W. McIntosh, C. M. R. Graham, N. D. Cochran, J. H. Pheatt, S. O. Richardson. 14 A. Talbot. In the open dog class, bred by exhi-W. F. Boughner, A. H. Coldham B. Couldwell. Hamilton, had his usual success. In

W. T. Strong, W. Coldham... 7 Dr. L. McDonald 14 Total. Majority for Toledo, 1 shot. At Glencoe the London rinks did very well, defeating the home rinks by a margin of nine shots. Both of London's rinks were up. The score: Glencoe. London.

ceeding 20 pounds Wentworth Queen Smith, McAlpine, first and second respectively. Another Canadian exhibitor was J. G. Walter, A. Finlayson, F. J. McCreery. ..13 G. H. Backus. V. H. C., in novice dogs and limit 30 H. Gillespie, F. Magee, F. G. Rumball, G. B. Harris,

## Clark, of Toronto, got V. H. C. with Nogo, and George Dunn, of Woodstock, reserve, with Defender. George Douglas, so often a winner there, was V. H. Wolfhound Club. HAD TO BE POSTPONED THE TAYLOR CASE WAS DISPOSED OF

Pitcher Exonerated on Charge Perrin Nine Deserts Wholeof Throwing Game-Violated Constitution.

were given back their tickets. The people from Paris are to stay in the New York, Feb. 15 .- Pitcher "Jack" city until Saturday, and the game will played tonight and tomorrow night, League Baseball Club, today was exwhen the matches will commence sharp on time. The tickets returned onerated by the board of directors of Londons and McClarys. last night will be good for either the association of a charge of "throwng the constitution and his contract The gravity of enlargement of the stomach cannot be overestimated. One of the principal with the St. Louis club, he was found guilty and was fined \$300. He was causes that produce this distressed condition is inordinate eating and drinking. Weakness ordered not to play baseball until the

fine had been paid. The directors' decision was later submitted to the league and unani-

accumulate in the stomach, and thus stretchactivity of the liver is also a prominent cause. nously adopted. In this condition you usually find a coated tongue, thirst, loss of appetite, emaciation, Four members of the National oard of the National Association, which is promoting the demanas of ing in amount. Weakness, paleness and want of energy are usually present. the minor leagues that there shall be an increase to \$1,500 as the price for players drafted into either of the maerous enlargement of the stomach and all its jor leagues from a new minor league class-Class AA-were here today. The oms, take Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills today. They will give tone to the weak propelling muscles of the stomach and matter will come up at the meeting of the American League tomorrow, havintestines. They produce a natural movement of the contents of the bowels and avoid the ing been previously agreed to by the National League, Garry Herrmann, of formation of gas, which if retained produces symptoms of self-poisoning. Food long re-tained in the stomach and matter in the bow-Cincinnati, chairman of the National commission, submitted to the league meeting the proposed rules providing els show all the signs of putrefaction, when for a seven-game series between the examined after the stomach pump is used, viz: champion National and American sour odor, bacteria, yeast, saccharine and organic acid, which are deleterious to the entire Leagues at the close of the coming and subsequent seasons. The rules were approved and will be submitted system.
Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills cure constipation as if by magic. They regulate the functions of the liver, cleanse the poisons from the blood, remove the bilious elements from the circulation and strangthen the commission in the commission and strangthen the commission in the commission and strangthen the commission in the commission in the commission and strangthen the commission in the

the blood, remove the bilious elements from the circulation and strengthen the nerves. If your eyes are clouded without an appreciable cause, if you have specks and floating objects before your vision, use Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills and get the poisonous elements out of your blood. Remember, they always cure sick headache, constipation and biliousness in the schedule practically is complete. and will be announced as soon as President Pulliam has exchanged cerified schedules with President Johnson, of the American League.

SMITHS BUCHU It is said that the New York City transportation companies collected 1.000.000.000 five-cent pieces last year.
This means that \$50,000.000 was collectAbout ten thousand gross of pens are procured from a ton of steel.

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present from the Rockets, Blue Labels, The league last year included only

ing" the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the condition of the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the condition of the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the condition of the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the condition of the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the condition of the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the condition of the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the game between the game between St. Louis and five, the new-comer being the nine from the game between th Pittsburg in the latter city July 30 the Perrin Company, which figured in last. On the charge, however, of violat-West London Grays also sought admission to the league, but this was re- He fused. With a five-club organization, the The admission of the Perrin nine

> knell of the Wholesale League. League is the decision of the McClary
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> ern territory.
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> He laid these considerations before sale—to amalgamate, forming one strong City League Club. The league will elect officers for 1905 at a meeting to be held on Wednesday

The representatives present at the neeting were: Rockets-W. Wilson, T. Porter and G. Woolley. Blue Labels,-C. Stein, and A. Borland, Londons-A Sippi and E. Stein. McClarys-J. W. Smith, E. Jackson and J. E. McCon-

THE TURF. YESTERDAY'S TURF WINNERS. At New Orleans-Brunswick, 6 to 1: annock Belle, 15 to 1; Rankin, 9 10; Bertha E., 14 to 5; Gracious, 4 to 1 Tambourine II., 6 to 1.

THE PLUNGER'S ESTATE. New York, Feb. 15. - Letters of administration were granted today by must have in order adequately to pro-Surregate Themas on the estate of Geo. lect her subjects and interests. E. Smith, known in racing circles as tion stated that the deceased was postion stated that the deceased was postion stated that the deceased was postions appointed American consult at sessed of about \$1,000,000 in personal Dalny before the war, has visited Kiaohere; his nephew, James McGill, also a resident of New York; and his niece, "The policy of Germany is commer-Cleanor Ewing, who lives in Pennsyl-

In a fast game of nockey on wed-Any privileges the Fekin Government of the bill." It is understood that a nesday night at the Princess Rink, the might grant should be given equally to similar law is in force in some Eurosches by a score of 4 to 2. Graham's ty, Germany stands for fair play for work on the forward line for St. John's all in the Chinese market."

The President and Secretary Hay litia, etc.

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## KAISER GIVES UP DESIGNS ON CHINA

Abandons the Spheres of Manchuria has ceased to be regarded Influence Policy.

THE OTHER POWERS MAY AID ticularly of Shan Tung, of powerful

Upon Building a Fortress at Kaiochau.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 15. - Germany has gone a step farther in establishing the sincerity of its purpose to act with the United States in main-

door in China. Not only has the Berlin Government come out squarely and unequivocally in support of these principles, but it culable, and with Japan, which is has specifically declared its abandonment of the policy of spheres of in-

fluence in the Celestial Empire. This is great news, and has aroused the most sanguine expectations in administration circles not only as to the negotiations which will follow the end of the war, but as to the future generally of the Chinese Empire.

The correspondent is authorized to the President yesterday by Baron Speck von Sternburg, the German ambassador to the United States. The way had been prepared for it by the recent response which Germany made to Secretary Hay's circular note inviting the powers to state whether they still favored the principles of the integrity of and the open door in

China. It remained, however, for Baron Speck von Sternburg to communicate orally as well as in writing to President the personal views of the Emperor of Germany and of the German Government which mark the complete abandonment of the past "land grabbing" attitude of Germany in China and the inauguration of a policy of unselfishness and internation-

Germany's action insures, the Administration believes, the eventual the writ of election, the voters' lists, abandonment by other powers of the the poll books and all other election spheres of influence which they pos- papers. Shall I obey the order of the sess. Great Britain claims the Yangtsekiang Valley, an immense region, the most populous of the Chinese Empire, as its sphere. British control has been formally recognized by Russia and Taylor, of the St. Louis National Baseball League was held at the City two Kuang provinces, which adjoin the League Baseball Club today was averaged Hotel last night, with representatives French possession of Tonquin, as its sphere of influence. Japan also has a sphere of influence in China which is comprised in the Province of Fukien.

resentative of his Government. He knew that the policy of integrity of China and the open one team will have an off-day each door had become a cardinal principle the signing of the treaty. Mr. Borden of American doctrine. He knew, moreover, that Japanese victories expected by some to prove the death- aimed, not only at Russia, but beyond What her at any country which sought to will also tell against the Wholesale extend its sovereignty over Far East-

his Government and the result is embodled in the following authoritative statement, which was given out tooight: "Germany's policy in China is that

of the United States - the mainten-

ance of the integrity of the empire and

the preservation of the open door. There is no reservation or condition of ony kind in the assurances which Baron von Sternburg has communicated to the President and Secretary Hay. "The assurances mean that Germany today against all spheres of influence, that she has abandoned all pretension to a sphere of influence over the Province of Shantung. They mean also that she is against all special favors in trade, railroads, or anything else. All she wants is a naval stronghold, which she has such as other powers have and which she feels she

"At Kiaochou, 'Pittsburg Phil," to his mother, Eliza- German possession for seven years, the beth Downing, of Allegheny county, policy of equal rights for all nation-Pa., and to Walter Keyes. The peti-alities is observed. Mr Morgan, who property and of \$25,000 worth of real chou and has established to the satisin this state, and gave as his faction of the American Government estate in this state, and gave as his faction of the American Government heirs and next of kin, his mother, his that German subjects enjoy no greater brother, William C. Smith, who resides privileges than Americans or the citi-

> cial, not territorial, China, in its opinout the interference of other nations.

have accepted the German assurances at their face value, not only because the good faith of the Berlin Government is pledged by them, but because its interests command that it should follow this policy. Before the war it was plain that if Russia permanently acquired Manchuria, Germany would take possession of Shan Tung Province. Russian acquisition of all of

by the officials as a possibility. But as an excuse is easily manufactured, the officials say the more important fact is the present within striking distance of China, and pa"-Japan. As the sea is the only means Germany has to communicate with her stronghold of Kiaochou, it would be Germany Will, However, Insist in a far more unsatisfactory situation with reference to its defense than Russia is with respect to Manchuria. The latter has the Trans-Siberian Railroad for the transportation of troops and supplies. The fall of Port Arthur has shown Germany that even modern fortresses are not impregnable when attacked by such plucky soldiers as

the Japanese Therefore, if it is to hold Kiaochou -if it is to preserve its prestige and taining the integrity of and the open be able to push its trade in China-it has come to the conclusion that it is important that it should put itself en rapport with the United States. influence of which it regards as incalfighting for the principles which

## Hay enunciated A PENSION FUND

say that it was only communicated to Resolution Presented to Commons for Act to Care for Infirm Citizens.

> Ottawa, Feb. 15. - In the House today the Premier presented telegrams, explaining the situation in regard to the member-elect for the Yukon. Pierre Ledieu, returning officer, wired from Dawson City under date of Feb.

"Alfred Thompson was declared elected yesterday by a majority of 618. My report, with writ, will be sent in a couple of days."

Later the following telegram was received from the same officer: "Was served today with writ of subpoena in a case of conspiracy or dering me to produce on March 1 court or not? Dr. Thompson is leaving for Ottawa on the 15th. (Signed).

Pierre Ledieu.' To this the Government returned the following answer: "If there has not been any demand for a recount under section 90, Dominion election act, then your duty is to return the candidate elect and conform to all the requirements of section 92 of the act.

Mr. Borden asked for all correspondence in possession of the Government with reference to the Anglo-American treaty, signed in 1900, referring to hold ing, devolution and transfer of real estate by subjects of one country residing in the other. This treaty was not to apply to any British colony unless wanted to know if this notice had been given. The treaty provides that when a citizen of one country owning land in another dies, his heirs may have reasonable time to sell it and withdraw the proceeds without any more taxe than if they lived in the country where the land was. If such a one dies intestate his nation's counsel shall be informed that he may notify persons ia-

terested. The Census Measure.

The House then went into committee again on Mr. Fisher's census bill. Some objection was raised to the section empowering the minister to collect and publish, if he wished statistics concerning manufacturing and other industries. After great argument, Mr. Fisher consented to allow

the section to stand. Quebec Esumates.

The remainder of the sitting was spent in discussing items aggregating \$600,000 for public buildings in Quebec Province, 34 in number.

The discussion was closed by Mr Bergeron, who paid a tribute courtesy of the acting minister of

concerning the estimates. Wants Pension Fund.

Mr. Porter has given notice of a is opportune and the necessities of the case require that provision should be made by act of parliament vide a pension fund for the relief of infirm and disabled citizens of Canada, who are unable to suppor themselves, and for distribution of the accumulations on such fund amongst such deserving poor as will come In a fast game of hockey on Wed-Any privileges the Pekin Government of the bill." It is understood that a significant should be given equally to Can you find the value of 13% yards of print at 15% cents per yard in ar instant? Would it no pay you to learn to handle fractions quickly

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-Mrs. Orr, of London, is the guest Miss Miller, at Mount Elgin. -Miss E. Moore is visiting Miss Mary Harrington at Port Huron this week -Miss Ella Wood, of Ranelagh, is spending a couple of weeks in the city -Miss Maggie E, Hill, of Delaware, is the guest of Miss Veda Abram

-Miss Cora Jackson, of this city who has been visiting her brother in Galt, has returned home. -Miss Flo Rutherford has returned to her home in Aylmer after a pleasant visit with friends in Strathroy and

-Mr. and Mrs. James Birely, of Osh-kosh, Wis., and Mrs. Geo. McCormick, of this city, are at present visiting Mrs. Birely, Main street east, Hamil-

-Mr. John Brophy, of Brophy Bros., desires it stated that he is not the person of that name who was in the

-A quiet wedding took place Tues night at the residence of Mr. Ernest L. Johnston, 440 Talbot street. St. Thomas, when Miss Nellie Canton daughter of Richard Canton, of Norwich, was married to Mr. Robert B. Douglas, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Gra-

Wm. Paxman, INVITED FOR FOURTH YEAR. A unanimous invitation to return to the Westminster circuit for the fourth year has been extended to Rev. R. Fulton Irwin, and accepted by him. BLUE LABEL DANCE. A large crowd is expected to attend

the second annual hop of the Blue Label Baseball Club, at the city hall morrow evening. This is the club which made such a fine impression on the public last season. CLERGYMAN SERIOUSLY ILL.

A clergyman of Kingsville, Rev. F. . Newton, became seriously ill about ten days ago, and has been confined to his bed ever since. His condition has, as yet, shown no signs of improvement, MR. J. BEATTIE'S DEATH.

The death took place on Wednesday afternoon of Mr. James Beattie, sen an esteemed resident of Mount Brydges, whose demise will be regretted by all who knew him. Mr. Beattie was 74 years of age.

ACCIDENT TO OLD CITIZEN. A well-known old citizen, Mr. A. G. Smythe, had the misfortune to have his shoulder-blade broken on Tuesday evening. He was walking in company with his brother, Squire Smythe, when he slipped and fell. He will be laid up for some time

MADE MERRY AT MISSION. The Richmond Street North Mission was the scene of very enjoyable anniversary festivities on Monday night. The severe state of the weather did not keep many at home. The tea was in charge of the ladies, and these excelled themselves in providing a board loaded with good things. Rev. Dr. Daniel delivered a most interesting entertaining lecture, and the choir rendered some delightful music. All present went home thoroughly satisfied with their evening's enjoyment. A ten-cent social will be given in the mission this evening by the ladies, and Mr. Whiskard will give selections on

RESENTED WITH JEWEL. A large number of the brethren of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, and many visitors gathered on Tuesday evening to receive R. W. Bro. Henry Roe, of St. Thomas, D. D. G. M. of London district, No. 3, who was paying his official visit, W. Bro. John Tambling and his officers exemplified the first degree most creditably, and during the evening, W. Bro. R. W. Evans, P. M., was made the recipient of a handsome jewel, R. W. Bro. Ree making the

presentation. Afterwards, a banquet was held. The D. D. G. M. paid his official visit to St. Paul's Lodge, Lambeth, last evening MANHATTAN CARNIVAL.

The members of the Manhattan Club held their seventh annual carnival at the Jubilee Rink, and the affair was a splendid success. Between eight and nine hundred people were in attendance, and many beautiful costumes were to be seen. Those who were awarded prizes were as follows: Best Montreal, for full particulars of Dr. dressed couple, M. Charlton and E. Mackay's Specific medicine for the Quick; best dressed gentleman M. Mackay's Specific medicine for the Quick; best dressed gentleman, M. cure of inebriety. All communications Keene; best dressed lady, Miss Ames; best dressed boy, Artie McKenna; best dressed girl, Gladys Pinch; best comic costume, George Redfern; best Weary

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DIED FROM PNEUMONIA

Well-Known Resident of West Nissouri Succumbs to Disease.

The death of a highly-respected resident of West Nissouri, Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Flannagan, occurred yesterday at the family residence, lot 5, concession Pneumonia was the cause of death. The family are widely known throughout the county, and will have the sympathy of all. The late Mrs. Flannagan was in her 57th year, and had resided in the township for 25 years. She is survived by her husband, Mr. D. H. Flannagan, and the following sons and daughters: Dennis H., Charles A., and Edward, of London Township; Norman and Howard, at home; Mrs. T. Hatter, of Detroit, and Emily, Ellen and Martha, at home. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the family residence at 2:30 p.m. to Webster Cemetery.

RATTENBURY - HANKINS

Wedding of Popular Couple at St. Mary's Church.

A quiet but pretty wedding was celebrated in St. Mary's Church yesterday by the rector, Rev. Father McKeon, when Miss Helen M. Hankins, daughter of Mr. Thomas Hankins, of 59 King street, became the bride of Mr W. J. Rattenbury, of Sault Ste. Marie Ont. After the ceremony was per formed the bridal party adjourned to the residence of the bride's father where a dainty dejeuner was partaken of, and where the couple received the congratulations of a number of in-timate friends and acquaintances. Later, Mr. and Mrs. Rattenbury left on the C. P. R. afternoon train for the east, where they will spend their honeymoon. They will visit Toronto, Montreal and other points, and in couple of weeks will take up their res ence at the Soo. The bride received many handsom presents from friends in London and

elsewhere, being a very popular and estimable young lady. The groom is Indigestion Is Responsible For in charge of one of the large depart ments of the Soo Steel Company, and is a popular and respected resident of

NOT ALUNE TO BLAME

Snow Not the Only Cause of Delays to Street Cars.

"There are other things besides snow that throw the street car service out of order," remarked a citizen this morning, "and this fact was brought very forcibly to my notice when I was

tittle out of patience myse f by this time. I could not forbear telling the conductor that it was very 1 ide of him to interrupt the ladies by wishing to start the car. Nothing like consideration for the fair sex, you know."

## BRILLIANT SHOW HAS GEO. PRIMROSE

The Lavish Scenic Effects Have Never Been Equaled in London.

George Primrose, the millionaire minstrel, who first saw the light of day in small cottage in the vicinity of Clark's bridge in this city, brought his magnificent minstrel aggregation to the Grand last night, and for the first time in his stage history, was not greeted by a packed house. But the night was intensely cold, and this undoubtedly had an adverse effect on the greeting accorded the famous minstrei

As regards the show, it probably excels anything in minstrelsy previously attempted. This is to say the show, as whole, does, but it would be idle to say there is anything new in the production. Neither are the minstrels in anywise ahead of the men Mr.Primrose has brought to London in former years Perhaps they are not quite as good, and certainly they do not compare with the aggregation of funmakers and vocalists brought to London three years ago, when Billy Van, Billy Emerson, and others appeared with the late William H. West. But in its superb scenic effects, the Primrose show stands peer of all minstrel shows. The lavish splendor of the grand spectacular scenic transformation is almost beyond the power of words to describe. The transformations include scenes illustrating the evolution of the negro in America opening with a view of President Lincoln, with a cowering negro at his

knee, speaking the words which made the black man free. The stupendous grandeur of the scenery is set off to narvelous advantage by the radiance of hundreds of electric lights, in white and shaded globes, and the curtain falls for the last time over a scene of gorgeous magnificence. In the first part some very fair songs

and some jokes of the usual minstrel were given, and the minstrels were backed up by a magnificent stage setting. First they all appeared in the costuming of 1843, when minstrelsy was born, and later the costuming was hanged to that of the present day. At this time there were exactly 60 men on the stage-the greatest number of minstrels ever carried by any company.

The songs included many old-timers, all of which were fairly well-rendered. Mr. Moore also sang "London," Wil-frid Traher's patriotic song,and he was corded a couple of encores.

In the second part all the antiquated urns and the pernicious juggling habits have been dispensed with by Mr. Primrose. Instead, he presents a meange much after the style of that seen in Dockstader's minstrels a year ago. Mr. Primrose makes his debut arrayed in a white satin suit, and fol-lowed by a spot-light. Here he sings one which almost any man might sing and not give himself away. Of course, George Primrose never could sing. His strong points in minstrelsy are softshoe dancing and an astute business brain. And last night he danced in the difficult movements of the dance were executed with a grace and ease marelous in a man of Primrose's years. stagecraft, and under a subdued light which lent a hazy glow to the sur-

advantage than ever before. The Silver Shower clog dance, which s performed by West, the Baily brothers and twenty others, is also a striking dance - striking because of its lavish costuming. The incubator ward serves to create great deal of fun in the second half, and is a good take-off on the incubator ward as seen at the Pan-American Ex-

hibition. Arthur Deming told some new stories, some of which were funny and one of which was at least a little vulgar. The Band played several selections,

GRAND TONIGHT - "PRETTY

PEGGY. Miss Corcoran has not been seen here for some time, and since her last local appearance she has scored a brilliant Her leading man, Andrew Robson, also a star of great popularity for a number of years, adds increased interest to the forthcoming engagement.

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especially for him by Paul Dressler, the (matinee and night). The production is well-known New York song-writer. The an elaborate one, and the cast is one ong is enchantingly sweet, and it is of exceptional strength, containing the same old Primrose fashion. In this line he is an undisputed king, and the Surrounded by all the splendors of roundings, Primrose appeared to dance to the dreamy sunshine, and to better

much-advertised Hungarian this feature does not appear to be an especially brilliant one. It will be remembered Dockstader also carried a Hungarian band with him. But all in all, George Primrose, as previously stated, has a minstrel show such as America has ever seen before. And had it not been for the very unpropitious weather there would not have been a vacant seat in the Grand. As



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some men bon't care.—Some men are sol Diseased Hair affects facial Eximidifferent to hair loss that they pay no attention whatever to dandruff and itching scalp. But, later, when many women lose their youthful appearance by brooding incurable baldness comes they will waste time and over some physical misfortune that might be remedied. noney in a vain endeavor to overcome the result of Lasting beauty comes from the consciousness that both eir own neglect

THERE WAS A TIME.—There was a time when was considered quite proper to ridicule and make that of the grown theory, but it isn't good to the complexion and the complexion of the grown theory. But it isn't good to the complexion are rived to be a complexion of the grown theory. ight of the germ theory, but it isn't good taste to do it her complexion may rival the color of the rose, but if it low, when municipal governments are sending for scientific men to suppress germ contagion. Prof. Unna (ask your doctor about nim), was the first to discover the your doctor about him), was the first to discover the dandruff microbe and now dermatologists the world over know that true dandruff is a contagious disease caused it an indescribable charm. A single trial will convince. Contains no oil or grease, will not stain or dye. STOPS ITCHING OF THE SCALP INSTANTLY.

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The last convention for Ontario and Quebec was held in this city about seven years ago.

LOST THREE FINGERS Robert Dickson Had His Hand Caught in a Machine.

While engaged in his duties on Monday morning, Robert Dickson, an employe of the Parnell-Dean bakery, had his hand caught in the machinery and three fingers were so badly mutilated that they had to be amputated. Dickson had been at work only a short time, during the absence of one of the

DISCHARGED THE NURSE Countess Montignose Belleved the

Florence, Feb. 15. - The affairs of the Countess Montignose (former wife of King Frederick Augustus of Saxony), took a dramatic turn today. For some time the countess has suspected that her German nurse, Ma-hote, was planning to abduct the little Princess Anna Monica and place her in the care of her father, the King. Toman consul was waiting to see the nurse at the gate of the villa where the countess is residing, the latter

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sul, returned with her to the villa, lieved no nation would attack the where they found all the doors bolted United States unless insulted to the last degree. Incidentally he charged that the United States Steel Corporaand even the bell wires cut. Dr. Koerner appealed to the police, but was tion was furnishing steel to build up told that they could not enter a private the British and other navies at abo house without orders of a court. The one-third the cost to the United State people in the vicinity of the villa have been intensely interested in the royal Progress and Poverty. domestic drama, and many of them

any attempt at violence against the former Crown Princess of Saxony. JAPS AND PHILIPPINES

May Attack United States.

declare they will personally

Washington, D.C., Feb. 15 .- The question of what the policy of the United States Government should be with respect to the upbuilding of the navy, again was threshed out in the House of Representatives today during the consideration of the naval appropriation bill, the debate developing much opposition to the proposed addition of now alive, shares this extreme radicaltwo battleships to the naval establish-The defense of the Philippines played an important part in the dis- Garrison were the two Americans who cussion, while the events of the war in the far east, from a naval point of thought that all progress was worthview, were given prominence by the less unless it included the single tax, advocates of an increased navy. Mr. so Tolstoy is merely bored by the zem-Butler upheld the proposed increase in the number of battleships, saying until of a purely religious and absolute all selfishness had disappeared men and equality. At a Henry George celebra-

pressed by him with a convincingnes entirely innocent of any literary art. The book holds and moves readers of every belief as few volumes on political economy can hold them. Tolstoy, the greatest literary genius ism of humanity, and has said that Henry George and the Abolitionist stvo movement, or any other step short countries would strike. Mr. Butler tion Mr. Bryan said: "I feel the ple elicited Democratic applause when he tocracy of wealth, I respect the ari tocracy of wealth, I respect the aris said he hoped there would be found some honorable way to get rid of the Philippines. He advised the United George had this democracy of the States Government to keep watch on heart, and his spirit lives in many Japan. He said that while we were leader of thought and action today. The world moves forward towards me now friendly and loving each other equal opportunity. It moves with car and agreeing," the war with Russia tion, taking the truth now from the would be over some day, and then it would be discovered that the fighting side, now from that. Great minds and hearts devoted to a single aspect of men of the earth live in the Island of Japan, five days from the Philippines, and thirty-five days from the United States. Mr. Lucking (Michigan) be-

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