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Births, Marriages, Death

DAVIS-At the rectory, Walkerton, on Nov. 29, Jane, sister of the late Judge Davis and daughter of the late Capt, Davis, Royal

Funeral Thursday afternoon, Nov. 30, from St. George's Church, Sarnia.

Amusements and Lectures GRAND OPERA HOUSE Thursday, Nov. 30.

Jim Smith **Jack Reidy** (Hamilton)

Admission— 25c, 50c, 75c. First event--8:15.

A LECTURE, ILLUSTRATED BY VIEWS, under the auspices of Young Men's Missionary Society, will be given by Mr. W. C. Ferguson, B.A., in the Hamilton Road Methodist Church, ou Thursday, Nov. 30, 1899. TOMORROW MORNING, 9 O'CLOCK, Box Office, Opera House. Opening of plan for "Messiah." Get in line early. THE SECOND CARLYLE RECITAL,
Thursday evening, 188 Dundas street
(Nordheimer's rooms). Shakespeare's "Much
Ado About Nothing." Cards for the two recitals, \$1.

SPEND A MERRY CHRISTMAS IN ENG-LAND—These boats give you ample time to get there: Umbria from New York to Liver-pool, on Dec. 9; Numidian from Portland, on Dec. 13; St. Louis from New York, Dec. 13; last boat, Lucania, Saturday, Dec. 16. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

EXHIBITION OF CHINA PUBLIC LIB-RARY Building, Nov. 29 to Dec. 2. Ad-mission 10 cents. 12n tsxwvt BEAVER LINE STEAMSHIPS—CHRIST-MAS boat the Lake Huron, from St. John for Liverpool, on Dec. 13. F. B. Clarke, Rich-mond street, next Advertiser. R B. MILLARD, TEACHER OF DANCING and deportment. Private lessons any hour. Waltz and up-to-date dances. 345 Princess avenue. 64tf

A DVANCED CLASS OPENING WEDNES-DAY evening. Dec. 6; season tickets only; limited to 140 pupils. No visitors. Dayton & McCormick,

Meetings.

AN EMERGENT MEETING OF KIL-M., will be held in the lodge room, on Thurs-day, the 30th inst., at 7:30 o'clock p.m., to con-fer degrees. Members of other lodges are invited to attend. T. W. Scandrett, W. Master; John Overell, Secretary.

MACCABEES—LONDON TENT 17 WILL meet this (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'clock, Knights of Pythias Hall, Dundas street. SPECIAL SERVICES WILL BE CONTIN-ton Street Methodist Church, under the direc-tion of the Misses Hall. God is wonderfully blessing his people there. Come and see. Seats free. All welcome.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED - HOUSEMAID - TWO IN family. Reference required. Apply Mrs. Macbeth, 452 Princess avenue. . 16c WANTED—FOR SMALL HOME—GEN-ences required. Apply 15 Picton street. 18tf WANTED AT ONCE-EXPERIENCED dining-room girl and kitchen girl. Apply O'Neil House.

WANTED -YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT housework. Prefer one sleeping home.

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-Apply 745 Waterloo street. 7tf

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EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER WANTS dressmaking by the day or week. Call or address Dressmaker, 233 Dundas street. 13n WANTED-MORE HORSES TO BOARD. Gustin House stables. J. A. Scandr ett Dundas street. Phone 1277.

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Male Help Wanted.

WANTED - SMART BOY. APPLY Alfred Tyler 336 Clarence street. b WANTED - FIRST-CLASS COATMAK-W ERS at once. W. T. Clarke, draper, Duffield block, corner Clarence, 16c

POLISHERS' AND BRASSWORKERS' ball, City Hall, Dec. 1. March 8:30 p.m. Prize cake-walk. Tickets 75c; gallery 10c. b WANTED-STOKER MUST BE RIGHT-HANDED and sober. Apply Gas Works,

PPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED until Dec. 5, for a male teacher, experied, to teach, No. 11, Ekfrid. Personal apation preferred. Address L. W. Beach,

WANTED - SIX FIRST-CLASS IRON molders; must be thoroughly competent and sober. Open shop. Steady work guaranteed to good men. Apply at once. Dominion Radiator Co., Toronto.

WANTED-MEN TO LEARN BARBER W ANTED-MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only two months required to qualify; will pay \$15 weekly; have 500 positions open Jan. 1; new field for our graduates; come now and prepare for these places; no expense to learn if you will work for us; illustrated catalogue and full particulars mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 12n

WANTED-FIRST-CLASS JOB PRINTER as foreman for an office in eastern city of the Province. Must produce good references as to character, ability, etc. Address "Job Printer," care this office.

WANTED-GOOD STOUT BOYS AT once. Apply D. S. Perrin & Co. 4tf

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FR or copyist by young lady. Address 16c

Business Chances.

W HOLESALE DRUG BUSINESS FOR sale—Tenders will be received until Dec. 7, 1899. for the purchase of the stock and goodwill of the wholesale drug business of the undersigned, which is offered for sale owing to the ill health of the senior member of the firm. This is a good opening, and investigation is solicited from responsible prospective buyers. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Kindly mark inquiry "Tender," and address James A. Kennedy & Co., 242 Richmand street, Lambur, Oat.

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Articles For Sale. FOR SALE-PIERCE BICYCLE-TRIED and True; American wheel; perfect order. Also furniture, carpets, etc. 297 Horton street.

FOR SALE - CHEAP - SECOND-HAND steam engine and boiler. Apply Knowles & Co., Lithographers, Weston street, South

FOR SALE - KORONA CAMERA - IN first-class condition. Apply, for particulars. Box 52, this office. \$7.00 WILL BUY A \$10 IRON AND brass bed; only 24 in stock. Keene Bros., 127 King street.

FOR SALE-A WILLIAMS PIANO-Never used. Will sell at a bargain for cash. Address or apply "Piano," Advertiser.

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SQUARE PIANO, IN FIRST-CLASS condition, prominent maker, at a bargain. Sanborn & Trebiloock, 183 Dundas street, London (Anderson's Bookstore.)

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Furniture Store if you want to sell or buy
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COTTAGE TO LET -- NO. 11 OXFORD 69tf TO RENT-STORE-NO. 173 DUNDAS street, formerly occupied by J. P. Cook. Apply at 167 Dundas street. 23tf

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FOR SALE-NEW MODERN COTTAGE Central avenue, near Talbot street. Also Apply 278 Ridout street. FOR SALE-NICE TWO-STORY BRICK, I nearly new and just papered throughout \$200 cash balance monthly, if desired. Will rent to suitable tenant if not sold at once. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

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LOST-UMBRELLA WITH COVER, BE-TWEEN Adelaide street and market. Finder will be rewarded at Mrs. Ball's, 604 OST-FRIDAY LAST-COLLIE DOG-Answers to name "Collie." Reward if re-turned to 767 York street. Prosecution if re-sined after this date.

LOST - IN NORTHERN VICINITY LONDON, evening 24th, small muff with sable
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LOST-THURSDAY, PAIR SPECTACLES, between Bennet Mfg. Co.'s and Horton street. Finder rewarded at 481 Horton street or Advertiser. STRAYED-COW, INTO PREMISES OF Geo. McCallum, Wilton Grove, Monday, Nov. 20. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

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WANTED-BOARDERS FOR PRIVATE family. Will either take man and wife or two gentlen.en. Excellent location. Good board. Address F. A., Advertiser. 16m FRONT ROOM SUITABLE FOR TWO, with board; good locality. 144 Mill street.

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Boers Were Badly Beaten on Nov. 19.

Only Eight Men Killed During British must have been thoroughly exthe Siege by Shells.

Unstinted Admiration Expressed for the Splendid Work of Methuen's Column.

British Fighting an Omnipresent and Almost Invisible Foe-An Austrian Officer in Command of the Boers Who Faced Methuen's Men.

London, Nov. 30 .- The war office today makes public the following dispatch from the officer commanding at Cape Town, under date of Nov. 29: "Kimberley, all well to Nov. 23. Rail and telegraph open to Modder River.

"Gateacre reports Nov. 28, that the situation is unchanged.." The war office has received the following dispatch from Gen. Buller, dat-

ed Pietermaritzburg, Wednesday, Nov. "Mitchell, a telegramist, has just made his way out of Ladysmith to Weenen, whence he sends the follow-

"On Nov. 9 we beat back the Boers There were only eight men killed during the siege, by shells, and in all the battles only 100 men have been

"I left Ladysmith the night of Nov. 25. Since Nov. 9 no attempt has been made to attack Ladysmith in force." London, Thursday, Nov. 30-4:30 a.m.

NOTICE—THE LONDON AND WESTERN Trust Company (Limited) have applied to be appointed administrators of the estate of Henry Briers, late of the City of London, railway watchman, deceased. Any parties owing money to the deceased are warned against paying same to any person other than the commoney to the deceased are warned against paning same to any person other than the company. R. H. Dignan, Solicitor, 418 Talbot 15c

A SSIGNEE'S SALE—THERE WILL BE sold by public auction, at rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Friday, December 1, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of W. W. Johnston, London, consisting of: Groceries, \$622.63; shop furniture, \$251.55—\$874.18. Terms, one-third cash at time of sale, balance in two and four months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum secured. Stock sheets upon application. Alf. secured. Stock sheets upon application. Alf. Robinson, assignee: Magee, McKillop & Mur-phy, assignee's solicitors. 12c tyw

Assignee's Sale.

THERE WILL be sold by public auction, at rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Friday, Dec. 8, at 2:30 p.m., the stock-in-trade of The Ontario Lithographing Company, consisting of: Machinery, presses and type...........33,875 00

Terms: One-third cash at time of sale, balance in 2 and 4 months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum, satisfactorily secured. Stock sheets

PURDOM & PURDOM, Assignee, 16c wzw Assignee's Solicitors.

IQUOR LICENSE ACT NOTICE—NO-TICK is hereby given that Gardiner E. Tuckey, hotelkeeper, of Hyde Park, London township, has made application to have his tavern license transferred to T. S. Hodgins, of the city of London. The Board of License Comissioners for district of East Middlesex will meet on Saturday, Dec. 2, at 2 p.m., in their room, Market Lane, to consider the same, John Durand, Inspector East Middlesex. Dor-chester, Nov. 23, 1899.

THERE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE
by J. W. Jones, auctioneer, at his auction
rooms, 242 Dundas street, London, on Friday,
December 1, at 4 p.m., the premises known as
number 724 King street, London.
Terms and conditions made known at time
of sale or on application to
U. A. BUGHNER,
83 Dundas street, London,
15u Solicitor for Mortgagee.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS By Auction, Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 252 Talbot Street.

COMPISING square piano (Vose & Son, Boston), contents of parlor, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, stoves, refrigerator, dishes, etc. Sale at 10:30. Terms cash. No reserve. JOS. BROWN, Auctioneer, 398 Talbot street.

CITY OF LONDON

TAXPAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the third installment of taxes of 1809 are due and payable on or before 30th November. All unpaid taxes after that date will be subject to the percentage charge of 5 cents on each dollar, and may be collected by distress or

GEO. W. HAYES, Collector,

News Direct From Lady- | -Twelve hours' reflection upon Lord Methuen's dispatch has only tended to increase anxiety and public suspense. All kinds of speculation is indulged in. In the absence of any indication as to whether the Boers occupied the north or south bank of Modder River, the best opinions inclines to the latter theory, and it is pointed out that the hausted if they could not follow up the retiring Boers and crush them as the

enemy crowded over the bridge, their

compulsory avenue of retreat. The Morning Post's military correspondent, who has usually shown great ability, suggests that the Boers are still on the south side of the river, and that the bridge is in British hands. He points out "the great danger to the small British forces which crossed on pontoons." The importance attached to this pontooning operation is proved by the fact that Gen. Pole-Carew, one of the only two brigadier-generals, was selected to superintend it. No word India and earned us the contempt of has since arrived either from Lord mankind." He reiterated that the Methuen or from Natal. Speculation, therefore, is useless.

Lord Methuen is to be instantly reinforced from Cape Town by two battalions of infantry, a detachment of cavalry and a battalion of artillery.

THE ONWARD MOVEMENT. People here are greatly excited over the news of Methuen's great victory at Modder River. It opens up the way to Kimberley, and probably to Mafe-

The Times comments upon the fact that up to this time the Boers have annexation. It was afterward proved been able to induce attacks by inadequate forces upon their well-chosen the annexation was canceled." positions, while keeping the initiative n their own hands numbers are our greatest need, and Chamberlain said: the decision to send out the sixth division has certainly not been taken too

BITTER LESSONS.

course is to turn to account the somewhat bitter lessons of the last six weeks and to employ a large factor of

THE ROAD TO KIMBERLEY. Lord Methuen continues his progress toward Kimberley. The stages of his advance up to Tuesday were Gras Pan (or Enslin) to Honeynest Kloof, which he occupied on Monday, nine miles. This is the place where the abovenamed engagment occurred. In all probability his onward march to relieve Kimberley will be from Modder River to Spytfontein, fourteen miles, and Spytfontein to Kimberley, eleven miles. The British advance necessarily proceed along the railway line, which runs almost straight between Honeynest Kloof and Modder The river will be no obstacle, River. as it is small and easily fordable. At Spytfontein there are a few scattered hills, and this is the only point where

the Boers will be able to avail themselves of cover. THE BOER COMMANDER.

Col. Albrecht, who is directing the work of the Boers in opposing Lord Methuen, was originally an officer in the Austrian army. He entered the Free State army and soon brought its artillery to a high state of efficiency. He is known as an able artillerist and strategist.

Lord Methuen's 'troops had to fight without food or water. It seems, how-ever, that he is not using tinned rations. He seizes and pays for fresh food. Usually he begins a march about 3 in the morning, after a breakfast of cocoa. Then he does his fighting or marching, and afterwards pitches his camp near the best water, dining when his transport arrives. The afternoons are given over to resting. Only bare

necessities are allowed. MAGNIFICENT WORK. As one correspondent describes it, the

British are fighting "an omnipresent but almost invisible foe." Unstinted admiration is everywhere expressed of the splendid work of Lord Methuen's column. With a force really inadequate he has marched 53 miles and fought three battles within seven days.

NO FEARS FOR LADYSMITH. 'A dispatch, dated Ladysmith, Nov. 20, by messenger to Mooi River, is published, saying: "All are well and cheerful. The Boers are not shelling today, and we have no fear that they will attack the town. Our position we have made very strong, with redoubts and breastworks, and we look forward confidently to the ultimate

MOUNTING MORE GUNS. The Standard publishes the following dispatch from Ladysmith, dated Tuesday, Nov. 21: "Last Saturday I had a whole sackful of my correspondence returned to me, showing the difficulty of communication with outside world. The Boers cannonade almost dally, but there have been few casualties. Evidently the object of the enemy is to exhaust the spirits of the British troops by incessant harassing. The prospects of the Brit-ish advance from the south has impelled them to redouble their efforts. They are mounting more guns and drawing the lines of investment

closer. A revised list of the casualties sustained by Gen. Hildyard's forces at the battle of Beacon Hill shows: Killed.

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who lose half the charms with which nature endowed because they dare not laugh. It must be vexatious for a beautiful woman to play the role of a dummy, or for a bright, witty girl to feign coyness with fan or handkerchief always under her nose on account of unsightly teeth.

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well-spring of joy. Sold only by Cairneross Lawrence.

13; wounded, 64; missing, 1; prisoners, 8. Total, 86." A revised list of the British casualties at Belmont shows: Officers killed, 4; wounded, 22. Non-commissioned officers and privates killed, 46: wounded, 225, of which number the Guards had 35 killed and 159 wounded. Total

Chamberlain Talks

BRITISH SUPREMACY.

London, Nov. 30. - Addressing a meeting of 7,000 men in Leicester last evening, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain devoted the greater part of a long speech in justification of the government's policy in South Africa, and to a refutation of the arguments of the Earl of Kimberley, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman and others. ing to Sir Henry Campbell-Banner-man," said Mr. Chamberlain, "we ought to have skulked back to our holes when Mr. Kruger refused to listen to our peaceful representation. That would have lost our hold upon war was inevitable, although doubt-less Mr. Kruger would have preferred to wait until England was involved

with some other powers."
Referring to the conditions under which the Gladstone Government granted the convention of 1881, he denied that the grant was made because Mr. Gladstone feared a second Dutch rising. "The real reason," he asserted, "was because the Gladstone Govern-ment believed that the annexation of the Transvaal in 1877 occurred under a misapprehension by Lord Beaconsfield that a majority of the Boers desired that this was not their desire, and

Referring to the basis and condiment ofter the war divide the skin before I have caught the bear. But I must insist that the Boers, by their own action, had created a clean sheet upon which we can write what we please; and I feel "Now that disloyalty in Cape Colony convinced that our loyal fellow-subhas to be faced, even greater efforts will have to be made. The only wise jects in Cape Colony and Natal would regard no solution as durable which did not provide beyond the shadow of a doubt for the supremacy of the British flag—the only guarantee of settled peace and the only security for the just treatment of all the races

Vigorous Protests BOER RECRUITING IN THE UNIT-

ED STATES. New York, Nov. 30 .- A special to the Journal from Washington, says: Great Britain has protested vigorously to the government against the organization of expeditions in this country, intended, presumably for the assistance of the Boers. Lord Pauncefote made the protest at the state department. Secretary Hays referred Lord Pauncefote

to the secretary of war. It is no longer a secret that expeditions of importance are being organized. The most notable of these has its headquarters in the suburbs of Washington, and another will be equipped with funds today in New York. Both, it is said, are under the secret auspices of an agent of the Transvaal now in New York. It is understood that there are millions of Dutch and French money behind these filibustering expeditions.

The state department, the war de-

partment and the treasury department

have informed the British ambassador

that every precaution will be taken to prevent the sailing of armed expeditions in the interest of the Transvaal. The ambassador also asked that no supplies be sold to persons suspected, of intending to assist the Boers. Steamship Arrivals. At From Queenstown ... New York ... Southampton ... New York Nov. 29. Majestic..... .Philadelphia.....Glasgow .New York......Naples

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Gen. Methuen Believed To Be Again On the March.

He Warns His Men That Severe Work Is Cut Out for Them.

12th Lancers Inflict Severe Loss on the Enemy.

Back to Colenso.

Estcourt Trains Reach There-Boar Prisoner Says They Had 140 Men

London, Nov. 30 -The war officials today reiterate that they have received absolutely nothing to indicate the slightest likelihood of Ladysmith's surrendering, while, on the other hand, they expect the place will be relieved ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME AWAIT-

Although telegraph and railroad communication is open with Modder River, no further news of Gen. Methuen's movements or the big fight was given out up to 2:30 this afternoon. This is generally taken to indicate that Gen. Methuen is

AGAIN ON THE MARCH.

and that, as heretofore, he will not again be heard from until he has fought another battle and gained another stage. That the general anticipated dogged resistance on his northward march is shown by the speech, which he delivered to his troops, Nov. 27, after the battle of Gras Pan, reports of which have just arrived here. After reading a telegram from Gover-nor Milner, congratulating the troops and sympathizing with the wounded, Gen. Methuen personally congratulated the troops on the work done, and expressed appreciation of the manner in which they have endured the hard-ships. The work, he said, "was the

MOST SEVERE. encountered by the British army for many a long day." They had in front of them, he added, an enemy to whom they could not afford to give a single Their tactics had been excelent, and he recognized and admired This delay not only is unsatisfactory wearing his overcoat, and asked him their courage. Continuing, Gen. Me- to the British Government, but it is for the same. The prisoner refused to thuen said that when called upon to also a matter of no small expense to give it to him, and he grabbed the fight for his country, he preferred to fight a foe worthy of its steel, rather than savages, whose sole recommendation was bravery. He then expressed the hope that he and his men had gained each other's confidence, and would all do their duty to their country, as Englishmen should.

DASTARDLY CONDUCT OF BOERS. Gen. Methuen also described as "dastardly" the conduct of the Beers in firing on ambulance wagons, the shooting of a British officer by a wounded Boer, and the Boers' use of dum-dum bullets; but he refused to believe that these acts were character-1stic of the Boers. He gave them credit, unconvinced to the contrary, that they, like the British, wished to

fight fair and square. Those who are acquainted with Gen. Methuen think his terse description of the battle of Modder River forecasts "A fearful butcher's bill."

A FLIMSY FABRICATION. Little attention was paid here to the Mimsy fabrication announcing the fall of Ladysmith. The dispatches caused frenzies of joy in Paris, but it is impossible to make a Briton believe that, after withstanding the siege so long, Gen. White, with the thunder of Gen. Clery's guns at Colenso, telling of the coming relief, would yield his position while a round of ammunition or a man is left. The news of the British successes will speedily spread far and wide among the Boers.

JOUBERT'S MOVEMENTS. Gen. Buller's dispatch from Pietermaritzburg yesterday would have dealt with belated details of the situation at Ladysmith if there was anything serious to report. Since then has come the dispatch from Estcourt, saying Gen. Joubert is hastening back to op-pose Col. Baden-Powell. This is incomprehensible here, and it is generally supposed that the names have been mixed up; but in some quarters con-jectures are ventured that the besiegers of Mafeking have withdrawn southward and permitted Col. Baden-Powell to leave that place, and that he is now, in conjunction with Col Plumer, of Port Tult, traversing the Pransvaal. It is claimed that if Gen. Joubert is traveling in an omnibus he must be sick or wounded.

The Lancers

ATTACK THE ENEMY. Esteourt, Monday, Nov. 27 .- The 12th Lancers are reported to have attacked Piet Retmef's force at Weenan, and to have inflicted great loss upon the

Gen. Hildyard's troops bivoucked vesterday night at Frere. Two Boers have been captured. One of them, a doctor, entered the British camp under the belief that it was a Boer bivouac.

Gen. Joubert is reported to have retreated to Colenso yesterday, by way of Chieveley. He traveled in an omnibus, drawn by six horses. It is rum-

ored that he is hurrying back to op-pose Col. Baden-Powell.

Two Estcort trains arrived at Fere yesterday evening. There is great re-joicing at the reopening of the line. er prisoners report that Gen. Hildyard's night attack with cold steel paralyzed the burghers, whose loss was paralyzed the burghers, whose loss was 80 killed and over 100 wounded. London, Nov. 30.—The authorities here are unable to explain the refer-ence to Col. Baden-Powell contained in

the Estcourt dispatch. BOERS HAD 400 KILLED AT GRAS PAN.

London, Nov. 30.—A dispatch from sessions in America is estimated at about 800,000,000 acres. Cape Town, dated Monday, Nov. 27, about 800,000,000 acres.

gives reports of the nervousness of the Boers of the Orange Free State border. Some of the Boer forces. It is

added, have been hurriedly withdrawn FIGHT WITH from Ladygrey and Barkly East. Orange River, Monday, Nov. 27 .-Boer prisoners here report that the number of Boers killed at Belmont is Pan 400. Among the prisoners are several with enormous red crosses on their sleeves. It is reported that they fought with the artillery.

Tuesdays Battle.

GEN. METHUEN WOUNDED London, Nov. 30 .- It is officially announced that Gen. Methuen was among those wounded at the battle of Modder

The war office has received from the general comamnding at Cape Town,

"Received from Modder River, Nov. 2nd Coldstream; Lieut.-Col. H. H. Joubert Said To Be Hurrying Stopford; Capt. S. Farle. Wounded: Artillery Major Lindsay; Capt. Farrell, Lieut. Dunlop, Lieut. Furse, 3rd Grenadiers; Major Count Gleichesen, Lieut. the Hon. E. H. Lygon, Coldstreams; Killed at Belmont and 400 at Gras Lieut. Viscount Scheson, Medical Comps; S. A. Moore.

> the 9th Brigade and them en of the division will follow." .

The Canadians

ING THEM. London, Nov. 30.—News was received, yesterday of the arrival of the Allan Line steamship Sardinian with the Canadian contingent on board, all well. The citizens of Cape Town had been waiting for several days for the coming of the Canadians to show them, in common with the Australians and the volunteers from New Zealand, how volunteers from New Zealand, how much the British people of South Africa recognized the importance of this outward sign of the unity of the em-

pire in the hour of stress.

When the Sardinian was signaled from Table Mountain the popular en-thusiasm became intense, and many hundreds of people made their way to the wharf to be there first to cheer the boys from distant Canada.

BUGLE NOTES. Five hundred horses arrived at New York from the west over the Erie Railroad yesterday in charge of F. Hugo Skead, of Cape Town, South Africa, who said they have been purchased for the use of the British Government.

criment.

Col. G. P. Austin, of Phoebus, who fought in the Mexican and civil wars, applied to the British war office at Newport News, Va., several days ago for an appointment in the British army in the Transvaal. He received orders from Lord Lansdown to report to Lord Pauncefote at Washington. rica, has been delayed, as much of the hay has failed to pass inspection. ent, have agreed to get the steamer

THANKS TO CANADA

Chamberlain's Dispatch to Lord Minto Respecting the Contingent.

Ottawa, Nov. 30 .- The following dispatch from Mr. Chamberlain was re-ceived by Lord Minto, and forwarded the minister of militia and defense: Mr. Chamberlain to Lord Minto: Downing street, Nov. 15, '99.

My Lord,—I received from you on the second inst. a copy of an approved minute of the Dominion Privy Council, dated the 14th of October, 1899, by which your ministers authorized the equipment and dispatch of 1,000 volunteers for service with the imperial troops in South Africa.

The great enthusiasm and the general eagerness to take an active part in the military expedition which has unfortunately been found necessary for the maintenance of British rights interests in South Africa have afforded much gratification to her ma-jesty's government, and the people of this country. The desire thus to share in the risks and burdens of empire has been welcomed, not only as a proof of the staunch loyalty of the Dominion, and of its sympathy with the policy pursued by her majesty's government in South Africa, but also as an expression of that growing feeling of the unity and solidarity of the empire which has marked the relations of the

mother country with the colonies during recent years. The thanks of her majesty's government are specially due to your ministers for the cordial manner in which they have undertaken and carried through the work of organizing and equipping the Canadian contingent. (Signed) J. CHAMPERLAIN,

Privy Council. MR. TARTE'S ATTITUDE. Referring to Hon. Mr. Tarte's atti-tude regarding the Canadian continthe Cardiff Daily Mail, an influential Conservative organ, has a long and earnest leading article. Mr. Tarte's attitude is held to be most loyal and proper. The article conclude by strongly scoring the opposition papers of Canada for reflections cast upon a body of colonists which Britain holds in high honor.

A MANITOBA WOMAN

Who Advises Her Friends to Take Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Neepawa, Man., Nov. 27 .- Mrs. T. H. McKee, of this place, was cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Since then she has been the means of saving the lives of dozens of her friends in Manitoba, besides ban-ishing the unnecessary suffering of many who were unaware that there

was a cure at hand. In a letter written lately in response to an inquiry as to her experience with Dodd's Kidney Pills, Mrs. McKee says: "I certainly recommend Dodd's Kidney

POULTRY THIEVES

believed to have been 140, and at Gras How Edward Grosvenor, of Metcalfe, Saved His Turkeys-Benjamin and Geary on Trial.

John Benjamin and Wm. Geary appeared before Judge Wm. Elliot this morning, charged with assaulting and wounding Edward Grosvenor, of Metcaffe. The complainant states that on Saturday night, Nov. 18, he heard a noise among his poultry, and went out and found two men in the yard, who took to their heels and ran, when they saw him coming. He followed them to the road, where a buggy was standing, with a third man seated in it. He made for the rig and grabbed the horse, when the other two men rushed up and struck him on the head with a "Received from Modder River, Nov.

30: Killed, Staff-Col. A. P. Northcott,

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20: Coldstream: Lieut-Col. H. H.

20: Tow, came out, and managed to get a robe, a whip and two bags out of the buggy, but the three men escaped. In the bags were found several turkeys, the property of Mr. Grosvenor. One of the sons swears that it was Benjamin who struck his father. A liveryman in Strathroy testifies to hiring a rig to a man named Mitchell on the night in question, and it was returned without the robe and whip. On beling shown these articles in possession of the complainant he readily recognized them as his property. Mitchell made himself scarce, and has not been heard of since. Benjamin and Geary will also have to stand trial for stealing. The case was adjourned until Thursday, Dec. 7.

TO THE CENTRAL

Governor Boston Relieved of One Third of His Prisoners.

Bailiff English took six prisoners to the Central Prison this morning. They were: Herbert Wilson, for flim-flamming and stealing, six months; John Maxwell, for robbing Wm. Robb, of \$100, nine months; George Harding, for the killing of Andrew Gowanlock, eighteen months, and Jordan Pickell, for bigamy, one year. He also had a prisoner from Chatham and one from Windsor. Willie Armstrong and Tommy Cameron, the two lads found guilty of stealing, were taken to the re-formatory. Daniel Linden was ordered to be removed from the jail to the hospital, and Mrs. Eliza Black, to the Aged Peoples' Home. Two prisoners, who have served out their term, were discharged, making a total of ten pris-oners to go out of the county jail today, leaving only twenty in custody.

At the Police Court.

Joe Niosi, an Italian newsboy, was charged with assaulting and wounding The sailing of the steamer Montauk his brother Rossai, at the police court from Boston, with hay for South Afthis morning. The complainant stated that he met Joe on Richmond street coat and tore it. Joe then struck him the steamer is \$250 a day. Canadian with a stone on the foot and came officials acting for the British Governathim with an open knife in his hand. In the struggle the complainant receiv-Montauk at Cape Town by the 1st ed three small cuts. George Ballantyne, day of January, however. who witnessed the affair, corroborated the story told by the complainant. He had separated the two brothers twice, when they were wrangling. The prisoner claimed that the complainant cut his coat with a knife first, and struck him on the head, raising a lump. He asked that the case be adjourned, so that he could summon a witnesses. Enlarged until Saturday. Elizabeth Black and Eliza McFale, drunks, were allowed to go.

00000000000000000 NEWS IN A NUTSHELS

Nominations yesterday in Manitoba. Mr. Kloepfer, M.P., is again the Conservative candidate for the commons for South Wellington.

J. Malette, 17 years of age, while jumping on an electric car at Chaudiere was run over and killed. Yesterday afternoon for the first time since 1876, when the supreme court was

instituted, there was a clean docket. At a convention of the Conservatives of South Wellington, at Guelph, Mr. C. Kloepfer, M.P., was again nomin-Kloepfer, M.P., was again nominated for the commons.

Mr. James Kent, superintendent of

the C. P. R. Telegraph, Montreal, has been appointed manager of telegraphs,

Mrs. Frank Werke, of Niagara Falls, was stabbed to death by her husband, who crossed the bridge to the American side, and was captured there.

It is reported that Dr. Ireland, whose mysterious disappearance on the wharves of Montreal about a year ago led to the supposition that he was drowned, has been found in the Western States practicing medicine under the name of Dr. Gray.

IN TROUBLE

A Hamilton Man Five Days in Chicago Without Food.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 30.—A special from Chicago says: Joseph McCarthy, 50 years of age, who had not tasted food for five days, was found unconscious this afternoon under a freight car, apparently dead. A patrol wagon took him to a police station. Mc-Carthy said the meal given him there had saved his life. "My home," he said, is in Hamilton, Canada. I am a carpenter, but as I could not get any employment there, I started six days ago for Chicago. I had no money, and rode on freight cars." man says he has a wife and six small children living in Hamilton. Mc-Carthy will be cared for at the police station for the present.

How to Get Plump and Rosy. Nature meant every woman to be plump, rosy and well developed, and if she has become pale, weak and nervous, Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food "I certainly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills. I believe they saved my life with our blessed Maker's wish. I have the greatest faith in them, and have advised dozens of our Neepawa friends to take them."

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THE DISASTER AT PATERSON

Most of the Wounded Improving-Superintendent Grussel Explains the Cause of the Catastrophe.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 30. — County Physician Andrew F. McBride today began an investigation of the acci-dent on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, which resulted in the killing of six persons and the injuring more or less of 21.

The dead are: Mrs. Mary Roe, wife of David Roe, of Ithaca, N. Y., and her two daughters; Walter Welbrock, Ithaca, N. Y., a Cornell student; Wm. Craig, of Scranton, Pa.; an unknown woman, believed to be Mrs. Craig. All the injured in St. Joseph's Hospital were reported to be doing well this morning, with the exception of F. H. White, a druggist, of Ithaca, whose legs are crushed, and who is suffering from shock. He may die.

David Roe, of Ithaca, who was reported fatally hurt, is now expected to recover. He is much better today than he was last night. He has not been informed of the death of his wife and E. Grussel, general superintendent of

the Lackawanna road, made the following statement concerning the acci-

THE CAUSE. "Train No. 96 overtook train No. 6 at Dover, and picked up a flagman, who had been sent back by train No. 6. At Lincoln Park, a few miles west of Paterson, train 96 again overtook train 6, and then the flagman who had been picked up was returned to train 6. This fact shows that those in charge of train No. 96 were fully cognizant of the whereabouts of train No. 6. Notwithstanding this knowledge, they seemed to run into Paterson at a careless rate of speed, and to have run into train No. 6, which I heard was at the station dispatching passengers at the time of the collision. Under the circumstances, those in charge of train 96 seemed to be wholly culpable. The crew of this train has been suspended and it is my intention to make a thorough

Another Tale of Rheumatic Suffering Which Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Ended.

Vernon Bromley, of Gilbert House, Is the Narrator-A Former Distruster of Patent Medicines-Now a Warm Friend of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Trenton, Nov. 29.-Vernon Bromley,

the popular clerk in the Gilbert House, of this town, relates a story that cannot fail to be of the greatest possible interest to those suffering from Rheumatism in any of its forms, including Sciatica, Lumbago, or Neuralgia. Mr. Bromley was one of those who distrusted patent medicines. Those who have a similar distrust should note that Mr. Bromley makes a marked exception of Dodd's Kidney Pills. "I have been a martyr to Rheuma-tism and Sciatica for years," says Mr. Bromley. "I have always been against any patent medicine until I read unany patent medicine until I read un-refutable statements of cures of this dreadful disease. I hesitated, but fin-ally, everything else having failed to relieve me, I got half a dozen boxes of Dodd's Ridney Pills and began to use them. From the second box I commenced to find relief. I have used twelve boxes and am cured. The citizens of Trenton all know what a crip ple I was; I could not work or lie down, the pain was so great. I have no objection to allowing this to be published, as I candidly say Dodd's Kidner Pills have made a new man of me. I shall be pleased at all times to correspond with anyone on the subject. Mr. Booth, the druggist, can vouch for the number of boxes."

PRAISE FOR **CANADA'S FRUIT**

Shipment of Sample Cases Reached London in Excellent Condition.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.-Prof. Robertson has received a report from Mr. Samp-son Morgan, of London, upon some sample cases of fruit recently sent from Canada to England. The fruits sent were apples, pears and peaches The apples and pears were in excellent condition. The peaches were not quite perfect, but they were all eatable and of a delicious quality. Mr. Morgan said that he believed there would be a ready sale for these as well as for apples, and that "a big future lies before the Canadian pear trade in the United Kingdom." His report concludes with these words:

"My report will be found most encouraging to those on your side who have taken a great interest in the de-velopment of the Canadian fruit in-dustry, though the praise given to the packages and their contents is due to merit and well-deserved. The Canadian fruit-growers are to be con-gratulated upon having the fruit ex-port trade, including packing, shipping and distribution dealt with in such an admirable manner by the officials of the department of agriculture at Ottawa. It is my decided opinion that at present the Canadian fruit exports are more efficiently handled than those from any other colony shipping to the United Kingdom, including Tasmania."

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ADVANCE IN COAL. Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 30.-The coal companies of this city announce that. owing to the short supply of anthracite No Knife! No Plaster! No Pain! advance of from 25 to 50 cents per ton, to take effect on Dec. 1. The advance in most cases will be about 30 cents. An increase of 25 cents will also be made in buckwhest coal:

PHOBIA.

Westchester, Pa., Nov. 29.-Joseph Gibbs, aged 32, is dead from hydrophobia, after awful suffering. His wife is afflicted with the same disease. The couple were bitten by a rabid dog about two months ago. Gibbs was sent to New York, where he received

REPARATIONS for the Holiday of it, what could you expect? Trade have been going on for some time. Our buyers have searched the markets for novelties that would interest our many patrons (at popular prices). This time it's

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LOT 2-Contains 350 books, known as the Windsor Series. These are also assorted, no two alike, and among them you'll find "Adam Bede," "A Fiery Ordeal," "The House of the Seven Gables," etc. All cloth bound and marked to sell at the modest Time, 1:51%.

Claroba 1, Gold Standard 2, Speedmas 3. Time, 1:48%.

Fifth race, selling, 11-16 miles—Brisk 1, Compensation 2, Rare Purfume 3. Time, 1:51%. price of 20c each.

LOT 3—Contains 200 books, known as the Daisy Series, fully assorted, with such interesting works as "Hiawatha," "Mc-Beth," "The Prince of the House of David." These also are cloth bound, and will be sold for the nominal figure of 20c.

LOT 4—Contains only 100 books, the very popular Boys' Series, with "Tom Brown's School Days," "King Solomon's Mines," and such interesting reading for the young, at 25c.

LOT 5—Contains volumes of 5 books, boxed (and only a very limited quantity), by such authors as Hall Caine, Rudyard Kipling, etc., no two sets alike, price for the complete set only 75c.

Be wise and do your shopping early so as to avoid the crush.

PHONE 791.

126-128 Dundas St.

125-127 Carling St.

FOOTBALL.

The Fasig-Tipton Sale Realized \$317,270

Ottawa's Football Protest Fails-St. Thomas Organizes a Hockey Club-Turf and Other Sporting News.

> FISTIC AFFAIRS. TONIGHT'S BATTLE.

There is every indication of a bumper house at the Grand tonight, when Jimmy Smith, Canada's bantam champion, and Jack Reidy, the brilliant Hamilton boxer, will settle the ques-tion of superiority, which has long been mooted between them. The lads were accompanied to this city by a goodly number of sports from their respective homes, and both are in the pink of condition for a long and stub-born contest. Smith and Reidy weighed in this afternoon at the Grigg House at 115 pounds, and will step into the ring for their 20-round bout shortly af-9 o'clock. The preliminary mills have been carefully arranged, and will afford considerable genuine entertainment. George Siler, the noted referee, who is to decide the question of su-periority between Smith and Reidy, will arrive from the west on this even-ing's train. The curtain-raiser will be called at 8:15 p.m. sharp.

AT NEW YORK. Kid Broad, of Cleveland, was awarded the decision over Dave Sullivan, of Boston, after fighting 25 rounds at the Broadway Athletic Club on Tuesday

AT UTICA, N. Y.

The first entertainment by the newly-formed New Genesee Athletic Club was held in their new amphitheater last night. The main bout was a 20-round affair, for a purse of \$3,000, between Joe Walcott, of Boston, and Dan Creedon, of Australia. The fight went the limit, the decision going to Walcott. Creedon's right arm gave out about the 14th round, and from that time to the finish he simply acted upon the defensive. Walcott will meet Tommy Ryan before the local club for a fight of 20 rounds and a purse of

AT DETROIT. Jack Bennett, of McKeesport, Pa. was given the decision last night over Charles Burns, of Cincinnati, at the end of a slashing 10-round go before the Cadillac Athletic Club.

McCOY AND MAHER. Kid McCoy and Peter Maher are to fight 20 rounds at catch weights in the Coney Island Sporting Club on Dec. 29. This is the fourth date that has been given.

It's a good one for 10c.

The David Harum Cigar It's made the way a 10c cigar-should be made.

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to the team.

PROTEST FAILS. Toronto, Nov. 30 .- The executive of the O. R. F. U. threw out the protest of Ottawa against the Granites of Kingston, and confirmed the latter in the championship. The Ottawas bas-ed their protest on a statement that four Queen's College men played on the Granite team when it beat Ottawa, and that this was not permitted by the rules. The executive finds that there is nothing to prevent the Granites from adding the men from Queen's College

> WRESTLING. AT BAY CITY.

Bay City, Mich., Nov. 30.—Bobby Reakes, of Bay City, was given the decision over Billy Whistler, of the Northwest Territories, in a catch-ascaten-can wrestling bout here last night for a purse of \$1,000. Whistler won the first fall and Reakes the second. Whistler was so badly injured that he could not go on for the third, and the purse went to Reakes. HOCKEY.

ST. THOMAS HAS A CLUB. The St. Thomas advocates of hockey met the other evening and organized—with a good membership—a club to be known as the Victorias. The fee fixed at 75 cents, and it was decided not to join any league. The colors se-lected were black and yellow. Mr. E. Mickleborough acted as chairman. The following officers were elected: Hon-orary president, Col. Burke; president, J. H. McGeary; vice-president, C. L. Robertson; secretary-treasurer, C. F. Maxwell, jun.; captain, M. Nixon; manager, E. Mickleborough; executive committee, Beeroft, Ryde, McDonald, with captain and manager.

PARIS CLUB. The following officers of the Paris hockey club were elected at their reorganization meeting: Patrons, A. H. Baird and Peter Adams; honorary president, Mayor Fisher; president, J. S. Armitage; vice-president, Geo. Butler; treasurer, Thomas Mauer; secretary, D. Adams, jun.; auditor, H. A. Armstrong; managing committee, J. S. Armitage, D. Adams, Geo. Butler and T. Mauer.

THE FASIG-TIPTON SALE. New York, Nov. 30.—The Fasig-Tip-ton horse sale ended at Madison Square Gardens last night. During the sale 747 horses have been sold for a total of \$317,270.

SALE AT LEXINGTON. Lexington, Ky., Nov. 30.—At the Woodard and Shaklin horse sale yesterday 100 were sold. The best sales

Anna Bain, b. f., 1897, by Kingston, dam Laura W., by Onondaga, Jackson Smith, Newport, Ky., \$5,300.
Edinborough, b. c., 1897, by Albert, dam Moi Miley, by Bramble, H. Stoeffer, \$1,050 fer. \$1.050.

Tulane, b. c., 1898, by Imp SirMedred, dam Faux Pans, by Imp Prince Char-lie, C. W. Wadsworth, \$1,100. Unsightly, br. f., 1897, by Imp Purse-bauer, dam Hira Villa, by Himyar, R. J. Hines, \$2,100. Kris Kringle 1898, by Springbook, dam Prune, J. H. McAvoy, \$2,700.

Algol, 1894, ch. h., by Imp Top Gallant, dam Equality, by Ben D'Or, W. W. Darden, \$3,500.

W. Overton, b. c., 1896, by Belvidere, dam Imp Peninah, by Bonnet Rogree, The Rush, b. c., 1899, by Imp Oddfellov dam Chauntress by Imp Charaxus, W. H. Mason, \$1,700.

Merito, 1897, b. f., by Wadsworth, dam Modjeska, by Buckmaster, H.

Durham, \$1,300. High. Degree, 1896, by His Highness, dam Nettle, by Neptune, Runnymede Stud, \$1,400. Lady Inez, ch. m., 1893, by Spend-thrift, dam Longitude, Sam Brown, \$1,-

AT BENNINGS. Washington, Nov. 30.—At Bennings yesterday Jockey O'Connor rode three winners and the second horse in an-First race, & furlongs-Goal Runner

Why is it that nearly all RUSSIA IS aged persons are thin?

And yet, when you think

Three score years of wear and tear are enough to make the digestion weak. Yet the body must be fed.

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1, Our Gertie 2, L'Alouette 3. Time, Second race, handicap, 5½ furlongs— Sirney Lucas 1, Kitchener 2, Hagedon

Third race, selling, 1½ miles, over 6 hurdles—Julius Caesar 1, The Lost Chord 2, Bob White 3. Time, 2:53%.
Fourth race, 1 mile and 20 yards— Claroba 1, Gold Standard 2, Speedmas

AT OAKLAND.

San Francisco, Nov. 30.-Oakland results yesterday: First race, %-mile—Magdalen 1, Alaska 2, Lady Heloise 3. Time, 1:03. Second race, Futurity course, selling -Miss Madeline 1, Gero 2, Aborigine 3. Time, 1:141/4.
Third race, %-mile, selling—Jerrid 1,
Earl Islington 2, Lost Girl 3. Time,

Fourth race, Futurity course, selling —Anjou 1, The Lady 2, Duckey 3. Time, 1:13½.

Fifth race, 11-16 miles-Los Medanos Satsuma 2, Dr. Sheppard 3. Time,

NOTES OF SPORT

The barnstorming trip of the Cincinnati players did not pan out well.

Ed. Corrigan, the master of Hawthorne, will ship his horses to England and try racing there.

Detroit News: The seven western colleges which control athletics in this

section will meet in Chicago Friday. Indiana and Iowa will ask for admission, and several athletic matters will be considered.

President Hart, of the Chicago team, announces that Tom Loftus has been appointed manager to succeed Tom Burns. Loftus admits it, and Johnson and Comiskey think that they have been thrown down by their old pal. It is still claimed that the American League will go into Chicago with a team, under the management of Com-

Sir Thomas Lipton has written an article in the North American Review, under the heading, "After the Yacht Race." He again takes occasion to tell how handsomely the American people treated him, and although disappointed in not "lifting" the cup, he is gratified over the exhibition of the abiding brotherhood of the two peo-

At the Fasig-Tipton sale Tuesday the stallion Sidney was knocked down for \$575. A few years ago he brought \$17,000 at Cleveland, and was bought in by George Hammond, in turn passing to Will Hammond, of Pontiac. Tuesday's was no sale, apparently, as the name of the purchaser is A. L. Thomas, who is in the employ of Hammond.

TWO TRAINS IN COLLISION

Six Persons Killed and a Score Injured at Paterson, N. J.

York, Nov. 30 .- Six persons were killed and about a score injured, some probably fatally, in a railroad wreck on the Delaware and Lacka wanna, on a crossing at Paterson, N.

The Phillipsburg accommodation, west-bound, crashed into the rear of the Buffalo express, known as No. 6, while the latter was standing at the depot. The two rear cars of the express were totally wrecked. The majority of those injured are residents of Ithaca, Binghamton, Scranton and

New York. THE DEAD The list of dead is as follows: Mrs. Mary Roe and her two daughers, of Ithaca, N. Y. Walter Wellbroeck, Cornell College,

Ithaca, N. Y. Miller Craig, New York. An unknown woman.

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dande-lion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's

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CANADIAN GRAPES. London, Nov. 30.-Canadian shipments of grapes arrived in excellent condition and commanded good prices and a ready sale.

RUSSIA'S LATEST. London, Nov. 30 .- The Daily Chronicle this morning, publishing what it calls startling information, says:
Russia has decided to establish a permanent diplomatic agency in Cabul next spring. The ameer's consent has been obtained and pour-parlers have been exchanged between Count Muravieff and Great Britain, who is not likely to oppose the step.

CHABROL'S FORTIFICATIONS. Paris, Nov. 30. - In the high court (senate) yesterday the iron gratings and shutters of "Fort Chabrol," headquarters of the Anti-Semite League, where M. Guerin was besieged, were introduced as evidence. M. Guerin declared they could not be regarded as a serious fortification. A police inspector deposed that while on duty at Fort Chabrol M. Guerin threatened to shoot him with a carbine. The testimony evoked violent interruptions from the galleries, and the president of the court ordered them to be cleared. A prisoner, M. Barillier, thereupon shouted: "It is shameful!" and the public prosecutor asked that M. Barillier be punished. The court, after deliberation, sentenced him to a month's imprisonment.

DOWN THE MEDWAY. Sheerness, Nov. 30. - The imperial German yacht Hohenzollern, with the Emperor and Empress of Germany on board, which left here for Flushing at 7:50 a.m., was escorted by the Ger-man warship Hela and eight British torpedo boat destroyers, which went 20 miles out to sea with the German ships. Guards of honor on board all Sixth race, 34-mile, selling—Mocorito the various British warships presented Alleviate 2, Whitcomb 3. Time, arms as the Hohenzollern steamed down the Medway. As she passed the British battleship Sanspariel, a royal salute was fired, the band on board the battleship played the German national anthem and the band on the Hohenzollern replied with the British anthem. The particular service squadron took up the salutes, and the roar of the cannonade was incessant, the shore artillery here firing a parting salute as the Hohenzollern, with Emperor William on her bridge, rounded Garrison Point.

WELCOMED BY WILHELMINA. Flushing, Nov. 30.-The Emperor and Empress of Germany and their suite, on reaching Flushing, were welcomed in a most cordial manner by Queen Wilhelmina and the queen's mo-ther. Queen Wilhelmina, leaning on the arm of the emperor, and followed by the empress and queen mother, led the way to the brilliantly decorated royal pavilion where tea was taken. Then the emperor and empress, after affectionate farewells, entered the train in waiting and departed.

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sidering the advisability of following the character, aims and accomplish-Ontario's example by preserving the ments of "The Inner Mission in Gerwood of the province for the benefit of many." The article embodies many the people at home. Quebec, the pre- excellent suggestions applicable to mier claims, is the pulp country of the gospel work in all lands. To how great world. There are one hundred million degree church debts hamper Christian acres of timber limits yet unlicensed in the old Quebec and seventy millions ington, superintendent of the Brookmore in the new part recently added lyn M. E. Church Extension Society, to the province. Spruce, or pulp-wood, in a paper on "Church Debts a Hinis a large portion of the wood found drance to Church Extension." Dr. G. there. The value of the spruce lands | Campbell Morgan, the noted London | has increased enormously, selling last preacher, Rev. Dr. Talmage and Drs. year for \$150 a mile, as compared with Babcock, A. C. Dixon, David James \$8 in 1892. In an interview Premier Burrell, R. S. McArthur. Edward B. Marchand says:

home in St. Johns to see the barges passing up the river to another country with pulp-wood worth \$2 a cord, which when manufactured, is worth \$10 to \$12 a cord in pulp and \$20 a cord in paper to the people of that other country. There are several ways of keeping to our own people the benefits of manufacture into pulp and paper. An export duty would be ultra vires, but we might impose a heavy stumpage tax of \$3 a cord, with a rebate of \$250 a cord in case the wood is manufactur-ed in this country. This might escape the difficulty raised in respect of an export duty. We might prohibit alto-gether the export of the wood, but of fiesh to the street railway company there is always the question of revenue at every turn in the game. to be considered, and we must be careful to select the best policy."

The policy projected by Premier Marchand for Quebec was adopted for Ontario three years ago. Since that time no pulp-wood tracts have been of his contentions in regard to the sold by the Ontario Commissioner of Canadian contingent and Canada's re-Crown Lands, except on the condition lation to the mother country. Now it will be in order for the loyal students into pulp or paper in this province. The Government's timber policy neces- him on the market square. What a sarily causes a loss of revenue, but the spectacle that would be! wood is constantly increasing in value and adding to the provincial assets. It is said the American pulp and paper makers have not more than a five years' supply of pulp-wood left in their keeping the world "guessing," is Engown country. If that is the case it lish; while Gen. White, the undismayed means a transfer of the pulp and paper and manly defender of Ladysmith, is industry to Canada, as the Americans Irish. Col. Baden-Powell, the picturesque hero of the defense of Mafeking, will not be permitted to ravage our forests for their raw material.

Lord Methuen is literally "wading through slaughter."

Do not let the war excitement prevent the people of Ontario everywhere from making an effort to secure the best possible representatives to serve on municipal boards in the elections that are to come off within the next few weeks. Civic patriotism is as necessary as national patriotism.

The Canadian Gazette, of London, Eng., comments on the great stride that has been taken since, in 1885, Sir John Macdonald refused his consent to the raising of two Canadian detachments to aid Great Britain in the Soudanese war. The change that has significant proportions. In nearly every state there has been a similar decrease, indicating the return of the Canada, and the dispatch of a force Canada, and the dispatch of a force Prohibitionists to their former party of over 1,000 of our citizens to aid in affiliations. This is due chiefly to the establishing order and good governnent in South Africa, has indeed been

The Montreal Star is arguing strongly in favor of a revival of the tax on binder twine. The star is Sir Charles Tupper's Quebec organ, and its con-troller is the official organizer of the ferences between the platforms. Opposition in Quebec. The Manitoba farmers, who are asked to defeat Mr. Greenway, in order that the Manitoba Government may aid in the re-establishment of high tax rule at Ottawa, will, no doubt, note what the programme is. "Hurrah for Macdonald, Tupper and the re-imposition of taxes on binder twine and wire fencing!" is, no doubt, a taking cry in the North-

The reason why Sir Charles Tupper has been camped in Manitoba for the het month is because he desires to use that province as a lever with which to hoist himself back into former pow-

He tried New Brunswick and failed.
He is trying Manitoba. Will he succeed? Not if Uncle Thomas Greenway knows it. Nor would it be a good thing for the province to be dominatively.

baby. My mother-in-law and baby's uncle and aunts are going to be there. I wish you would come.

Benthere—You must excuse me. Popleigh; I never mix up in family quarrels. thing for the province to be dominatand Editor. John Cameron ed by men who, in the past, have worked overtime to defeat the declared wishes of the people, Manitoba remembers the railway monopoly and the school question.

> How many farmers' wives are there in Canada who do not know that a hen's egg which is washed before it is marketed is not possessed of nearly eggs have been deprived by the cleanance with the time that elapses be-

volume 38 of The Homiletic Review. paper by Prof. Sayce, of Oxford Unidispassionate manner, how unscientific and unwarranted was Mr. Ingersoll's Use of the Bible." Dr. Stucken-Following Ontario's Example. berg, under "Present Theological Ten-Premier Marchand of Quebec is con- dencies," gives a luminous account of work is shown by Dr. Rayner S. Pard-Coe, Alexander McLaren, and others "It makes me sore at heart when at follow with Christmas sermons and

What Others Say.

A Church Militant. [Hamilton Herald.] St. James' Cathedral is a good example of a church militant.

Same Here. [Toronto Telegram.]

> In Good Company. [Kingston Whig.]

Very Rev. G. M. Grant admits the logic of Queen's University to cut out a paper effigy of their principal and burn

And Good Britons All.

[Montreal Star.] Gen. Buller, whose whereabouts is again English; while Gen. Wolfe-Murray, in command at Pietermaritz-burg, is Scotch, Lord Methuen is also Scotch, while Gen. Clery is Irish and Gen. Gatacre Scotch again. Cecil Rhodes is, of course, English, while Sir Alfred Milner rounds out the list nicely by being a Manxman. It is the British Empire that is at war in South Africa.

The Vote in Ohio.

[Chicago Tribune.] The official vote in Ohio for governor, which has just been published, shows that 5,825 persons cast their ballots for George M. Hammel, the prohibition candidate. As the total number of ballots cast was 908,159, this was a proportion of not much more than 1 to 200. - The Prohibition vote in Ohio at the gubernatorial election of 1895 was 21,264, falling in 1897, to 7,558, and reaching this year its present inrealization that a party with only a single issue cannot succeed; but another reason is the greater interest in other issues. Ten years ago when the Prohibition party was strongest and seemed to have some chance of becoming an important factor, party lines were loosely drawn. Since then the issue of sound currency and now of

Light and Shade.

Hicks-Lend me \$5, will you, old Wicks-I'm sorry to say I haven't got it just now, old fellow, but I'll lend you that \$5 I lent to Johnson a few years ago if you can collect it.—Som-erville Journal.

Rattie-Is Mr. De Jones as attentive to you as ever? Ella—Yes; but he's a perfect riddle. Hattie-Well, if you give him up, give me a chance to guess.—Chicago

er: He tried Quebec Province and fail-ed. He tried Nova Scotia and failed. Popleigh—Say, old man, come up to the house tonight; we are going to have a little time—going to name the

"Look at this. They've discovered liquid air." "The men will be happy now, I suppose; they'll drink it instead of breathing it."—Fliegende Blatter.

"I beg your pardon," said the man on the automobile.

"Well, that's an improvement, anyhow," said the man who had been run over, picking himself up and looking around for his hat. "When a fellow with a delivery wagon runs over me, he never stops his horse to beg my pardon."—Chicago Tribune.

OPENING UP

The December number ably closes Important Step Taken by the Grand Trunk Railway Company-Conductor Bright Acquitted.

> Montreal, Nov. 30.—It is learned that the Grand Trunk, through its subsidiary line, the Central Vermont has arranged with the Colonial Line for a steamship service with Cuba. The sailing ports are to be New Lonago. The vessels to be used are the Ardan Rose and Ardanhu. E. F. Cle-Grand Trunk management on the mat-Parties are the Grand Trunk. That would afford opportunities for the shipping of farm produce to Cuba and the bringing back of fruit cargoes.

Montreal, Nov. 30.-Engineer Green has started on his survey of the proposed electric road from Port Dover via Galt to Berlin. He and Mr. J. Stewart Clark are now going over the route.

CONDUCTOR BRIGHT ACQUITTED. Stratford, Ont., Nov. 30.-The Bright manslaughter case was finally disposed of last evening, when the police magistrate decided that there had not been sufficient evidence to warrant him sending Bright up for trial, and he was accordingly discharged. ductor Bright was charged with having caused by his negligence the death of two Brantford boys, who were stealing a ride on a train that met with an accident near St. Marys in September last. NEW MANAGER OF TELEGRAPH

SYSTEM. It is officially announced that James Kent, Montreal, superintendent of the C. P. R. telegraph, has been appointed general manager of the Canadian Pacific telegraph system in succession to Charles R. Hosmer, who retires. Mr. Kent's appointment will go into effect

THE SMALLPOX

Reported to Have Appeared in East Tilbury - Kamouraska Churches Closed on Account of the Disease.

Windsor, Nov. 30 .- A doctor in Tilbury East has reported to the provincial health department that the smallpox in Essex has spread to East Til-bury township. Two cases have been discovered there of persons who had been visiting at an infected house in

Hon. Mr. Tarte is in good company, another township.

Our Rev G. M. Grant admits the logic Quebec, Nov. 30.—The smallpox in Kamouraska still retains its mild foum. A few more cases have been discovered. Several patients are already convalescent. The parish churches of St. Paschal and Mount Carmel will, by the authority of the Archbishop of Quebec, be closed until all danger of the spread of the disease is considered past.

NO OUTRAGE.

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Information has reached the attorney-general's department that the "Clinton outrage" was the result of hallucination on the part of the lady who was alleged to have been beaten. The story sent out was that a resident of Clinton, while confined to her bed with a broken leg, had been set upon by a strange man and maltreated. Provincial detectives are now investigating the supposed murder of an unknown man at Forest,

Large as a Silver Dollar. Hot Coffee Scalds Breast and Hands. Skin Comes Off with Clothes. All Remedies Useless.

CURED BY CUTICURA

My little boy was two years old when he reached upon the table and spilled a cup of hot coffee all over his left hand. It had gone through to his breast, and before I could remove his clothes it had burned his breast, and the skin came off with the clothes, and he has to-day a scar as large as a silver dollar on his breast. I applied a great many things. The burn was a very ugly one, hard to heal. I was requested to try CUTICURA (ointment), which healed up rapidly, but before I used a half a box of CUTICURA it was well. Oh, I think CUTICURA is the salve above all others. Nov. 20, '98. MRS. R. CARTY, Needles, Cal.

BABY'S SORE HAND CURED

I was obliged to keep the first three fingers of my little boy's hand done up all the time, as it was a raw sore, beginning to extend down toward the palm. We consulted three down toward the paint. We consulted three different physicians, each a certain length of time. A gentleman recommended Cuttoura remedies. I purchased Cuttoura Soar, Cuttoura (dintment), and Cuttoura Resolvent, put aside what I had been using, and began with them. Well they cared that hand.

Mrs. DIAMOND,

Jan. 29, '93. 161 Bronson Ave., Rochester, N.Y.

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surd for a big burly man like him to have a name lixe that. Bowlder—Well, you see, he was little when they made him.—Exchange. "Lock at the comes Small. How absurd for a big burly man like him to have a name lixe that. Bowlder—Well, you see, he was little when they made him.—Exchange. Attractions for Friday

For tomorrow we offer an extraordinary array of bargains. During the past ten days we have been making many improvements, and several departments have found a new location. As a result we have come across some odd lines that have been thrown out for quick selling. These go on the bargain list for tomorrow with other special lines, and we know you'll appreciate prices like these.

Staple Department

Pieces Bleached White Cotton,

Pieces Only Lonsdale Finish. 36-inch, a cotton good enough for 5 Pieces Only 36-inch White Cotton, round thread, soft finish,

worth 7e, for 2 Pieces 72-inch Bleached Twill Sheeting, English make, worth 25c, for 20c 5 Pieces Only Dark Checked Shak-

er Flannel, worth 6c a yard, Fri-

day3½c (10 yards only to a customer, and you've got to get around early to get a slice of this lot.) 20 Pieces Heavy Shaker, 33-inch,

good bright colors, worth 8c and 9c, Friday 6c 10 Pieces Handsome Wrapperettes. in lively and quiet colors, worth 10c and 121/2c, Friday71/2c

11 Pieces American Wrapperettes, in navy and white effects, regular value 12½c, for 9c Odd Pieces and Remnants of Print, Gingham and Batiste, worth 8c, 10c and 121/2c, for 5c

2 Pieces Bleached Table Linen, 60inch, good patterns and fine qual-ity, worth 40c, for 29c 1 Piece Only 72-inch Table Linen, grass bleached, satin finish, fern pattern, Grecian border, worth \$1 25 a yard, Friday 98c

2 Pieces 60-inch Unbleached Table Damask, good patterns, regular value 50c a yard, for 38c 2 Special Lines in Fringed Damask Lunch Cloths, 33x33, worth 90c

and \$1 each, for65c and 75c Dozen Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths, polka dot center, fancy double border, one row of drawn work, 34x34, worth \$1 15 each, Friday 75e

5 Pairs Only Child's Laced Boots, strong, sizes, 5, 6, 8, 9, only; regular 50c to \$1; Friday 35c 5 Pairs Women's Fine Dongola Laced Boots, all sizes, flexible

soles, round toes, Friday, extra special, price 95c 50 Pairs Women's Felt Slippers, warm felt soles, black, Friday .. 19c 86 Pairs Men's Patent Leather

Oxford Shoes, turned soles, Friday bargain\$1 25 85 Pairs Men's Leather Slippers, regular \$1 40; special for Fri-

Ready-to-Wear Clothing

day 1...... 75e

Special Assorted Lot, Men's, Boys' and Youths' Overcoats, regular price \$4 50 to \$6, Friday bar-35 Men's and Young Men's Suits, sizes 33 to 42, fancy tweed pat-

terns and serge, every garment well made and trimmed, regular price \$7 to \$8 50, Friday bargain.\$4 98 35 Boys' Reefers, heavy navy blue and black pilot cloth, for boys 8 years to 18 years old; regular price \$3 and \$3 25, Friday bargain\$1 95

Mantle Department NEW YORK JACKETS.

8 Brown, Blue and Green, satin-lined, 21 inches long, \$24, Friday, 14 OFF

1 Blue, braided in black, silk lined, 6 pearl buttons, storm collar, 23 inches long, \$14 50, Friday ¼ OFF 1 Green Kersey, black cloth trim-med, fly front, silk lined, storm collar, \$22 50, Friday 4 OFF Electric Blue Kerseys, sacque back, 4 pearl buttons, storm collar, \$14 50, 1/2 price Friday only \$7 25 1 Blue Kersey, silk lined, storm collar, \$15, 1/2 price Friday only \$7 50 1 Fawn Kersey, sacque back, fly front, inlaid velvet collar, \$12, inches long, velvet collar, \$5,

storm collar, 26 inches long, \$6, Friday ½ price\$3 00 12 Astrachan and Coney Ruffs, Friday only\$1 25, \$1 75 and \$2 50

House Furnishings

75 pairs Nottingham Lace Cuntains, scalloped and taped, 5 yards, worth 50c 3 pieces Hemp Stair Carpet, double border, worth 10c a yard, for 5c

Basement == Friday Bargains

22 packets of Grape-Nuts, per pac-Shoe Bargains for Friday 21 pounds of Redpath Granulated Sugar\$1 00 700 pounds of Our Imperial Blend Black or Mixed 40c Tea, for, per pound of Lemon Biscuits, for 250 Oranger, per dozen 15c to 25c Messina Lemons, new fruit, per dozen 15c One cask of Glass Fruit Nappies, each
Plain White Tea Plates, each Plain White Tea Plates, each 2c Decorated Peppers and Salts, each 5c Lamp Glasses, each 3c, 4c and 5c 5 only 97-piece Printed Dinner Sets

Hosiery, Gloves and Underwear.

HOSE - Children's and Ladies' Fancy Cashmere Hose, regular 50c and 75c pair, special Friday 25c Boys' Soft Wool Hose, seamless feet, extra heavy, per pair25c GLOVES — Ladles' Kid Gloves, black and colored stitching, 4 buttons, our regular \$1 25 Glove, all sizes, per pair Ladies' Kid Gloves, black, laced,

Dress Goods Department

Amongst other improvements for the convenience of customers we wish to draw your attention to our new lining and trimming department in the center of the store facing the black goods counter. This is the brightest spot in the house, where you can get everything in linings and trimmings to match your dress.

24-inch Velveteen, for waists, red and black stripe, special quality at 50c, Friday for 35c Blouse Silks, stripes and fancy figured, special lot of pure fancies (and stripes in foulards), colors, with white and black stripes, regular 35c and 50c goods. Friday for 25c

Roll Lining, 36 and 40-inch, dark gray, fawn, cream, brown, ecru. 8c and 10c lining. Friday for....61/20 Fawn Canvas, skirt and coat canvas, our regular 10c. Friday for .. 71/20 Brush Edge skirt Binding, in black, green and brown, special 5c per yard. Friday for 30

Embroidery and Handkerchiefs

10 pieces only Colored Embroideries, suitable for flannelette trimmings, regular 2c and 3c yard. Special for Friday, only...... 10 3,600 yards White Swiss and Cambric Embroideries, mill ends, all 41/2-yard pieces. Special for Fri-

25 boxes Ladies' Very Fine Hand-kerchiefs, hemstitched, and with fancy drawn work; regular 90c box of six handkerchiefs. Extra special on Friday, 45c a box, or 2 handkerchiefs for 150 15 dozen Gentlemen's Fine Hemstitched Handkerchlefs, worth 10c each. Special for Friday..... 5c

from 1 to 6 inches, worth 10c to 20c a yard. Friday only..... 50 Gents' Furnishing Dept.

32 pieces Plain and Fancy Ribbons,

15 dozen Boys' Underwear, good weight, sizes 2 to 5; regular 25c to 35c each. Friday, bargain...18c, 2 for 35c Another lot of Fancy Neckwear, String Ties, Bow Ties, Knot Ties, Four-in-Hand Ties, Puff Ties. Extra special Friday, bargain 90

Corset and Whitewear

100 Ladies' Flannelette Gowns, full width and length, pink and gray stripes. Friday only, each 390 60 pairs Corsets, odd sizes and styles, sizes from 19 to 26, regular 50c, 60c and 75c per pair. Friday.. 39c

Fancy Goods

Circular Combs.

See our 25c Tables, containing Christmas Novelties worth from 25c to 50c, for 25c Specials in Kid Body Dolls, extra New Comb Goods in Hair Pads, Shell Hair Pins, Braid Pins and

The Runians, Gray, Carrie Co.

208, 210, 210½ and 212 DUNDAS STREET.

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THE NEW YORK

Operations of the Franklin Fraud-Crooked "Banking."

New York, Nov. 30 .- The police authorities have permitted the newspaper men to glance over the books of the Franklin Syndicate at the Vernon avenue police station. The records show that almost until the last flourish of William F. Miller's trumpet there was public confidence in the concern to the extent of thousands of dollars. There were a dozen ledgers, journals and cash books. For the most part the pages were blank, but there were accounts in plenty to show what an enormous business was carried on. There were probably 20,000 names entered al-

Almost every section of the United States and Canada had representation in the clientele in amounts rang-ing from \$10 to \$1,000. These figures are interesting reading: Oct. 21 and 28—total paid out \$3,485; total received, \$57,370. Nov. 3—Received, \$63,555; paid out, \$4,424. Nov. 16—Paid out, \$14,-569; taken in, \$50,897. One of the ledgers shows the balance for the period from Oct. 14 to Nov. 16. Paid out, \$215,659; total received, \$620,545;

balance, \$404,886.

OTHER FRAUDS. Louis A. Gourdain, who has a "banking" office in the Metropolitan Life Insurance building, at No. 1 Madison avenue, and is alleged to have a scheme similar to that of the Franklin Syndicate, with which Wm. F. Miller was connected, was arrested on the order of Chief of Police Devery. He will be charged with swindling. Gourdan is said to be a well-known lottery

John R. Agnew, whose connection with the Washington syndicate in Green Point, Brooklyn, led to his arrest, was up for arraignment in a Brooklyn police court. The magistrate did not see fit to arrange bail for the prisoner until the district attorney should be consulted.

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The Most Durable on the Market. For Sale Everywhere.

affairs would be so unsatisfactory to the many creditors that it would bring nothing but distress. White's bureau, a "get-rich-quick" concern, located in the Cotton Ex-change building, vanished with its managers on Sunday, and it is estimated that credulous depositors are out of pocket more than \$200,000.

White's bureau was in many respects similar to the Franklin Syndicate.

PHILADELPHIA FIRE LOSS. Philadelphia, Nov. 30 .- Later estimates place the loss in yesterday's big fire slightly over \$2,000,000. Lippincott's loss is reduced to \$1,250,000 by the recovery of many valuable plates, in-cluding those of the American edition

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Hubert C. Taylor, who was appointed the receiver for Miller's Franklin Syndicate, of Brooklyn, today declined to accept the position. In his letter of declination to Judge Smith he says that the disposition of the syndicate's last night, was run over and killed.

KILLED BY A TROLLEY CAR.

Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses that the disposition of the syndicate's last night, was run over and killed.

of the Encyclopedia Bricannica.

THE MARKETS

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Following are to-day's desire quetations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial change: Minnehana
Waterloo.
Cariboo Hydraulic
Fairview. ambler-Cariboo Con. onderful Group. iron Mask.
Montreal Gold Fields.
Monte Cristo
Northern Bello O'Kanagan St. Paul Silver Bell Con St. Elmo

 Virginia.
 83

 Victory-Triumph.
 6

 War Eagle Con.
 291

 White Bear.
 4

 B. C. Gold Fields.
 34

 Can. G. F. S.
 8

 I. X. L.
 20

 Gold Hills.
 54/

 Tamarac.
 12

Bonanza 17 16½

Nan Anda 17 16½

Big Three 11 10½

MORNING SALES—Tamarac, 500 at 10½.

Republic, 2,000, 2,000, 1,000 at 116½; 1,000, 1,000 at 116½; 1,000, 1,000 at 116½; 2,000, 2,000 at 10½. Wan Anda, 500 at 6½, Big Three, 1,000 at 10½. Monte Christo, 500 at 7: 1,000 at 7½. White Bear, 500, 500 at 3½.

B. C. Gold Fields, 500 at 3½. Waterloo, 5,000 at 1½%. Total sales, 17,500 shares.

AFTERNOON SALES—Morrison, 500 at 10.

Winnipeg, 500, 500 at 30. Rambler-Cariboo, 500 at 57. Republic, 100, 100 at 117. Big Three, 1,000 at 10½. Glant, 10,000 at 9½. Waterloo, 750 at 13½. White Bear, 500 at 3¾, Total sales, 13,950 shares.

If you have any Roll or Tub Butter to offer, quote price f, o. b. Also poultry and other produce.

Abbott Produce Co.,

172 King Street. Phone 1238. Local Market.

London, Thursday, Nov. 30. The somber appearance of the weather today did not appear to mili-tate seriously against the attendance of the farmers. It was an ordinary market for a Thursday at this time of the year, when the farmers are preparing for the long winter months and desire to take advantage of the continued fine weather. In no line was there any appreciable falling off, unless it was potatoes, which are not as largely supplied as heretofore. To-day there was a very active demand for good poultry, and all that could be obtained by the dealers was readily disposed of. The dealers in butter and eggs say that in butter especially sales were rather slow, not on account of a lessening demand, but because of a smaller supply. At present it is rather hard to get good fresh eggs, although their sale, when procurable, is rapid

A. M. HAMILTON & SONS REPORT. London, Thursday, Nov. 30. Wheat, white, per bu66c to 671/4c Wheat, red, per bu66c to 66c Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 671/2c Oats, per bu27c to 31c Corn, per bu 42c to 44c Barley, per bu42c to 44c Rye, per bu56c to 62c Grain deliveries were scarce today; the only change in values occurred in wheat, there was a decline of 2c, the usual price being \$1 10, though \$1 12 was paid for a choice load of white. Hay sold at \$9 to \$9 75. Dressed hogs

and satisfactory.

range. Quotations:				
GRAIN				
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1	10	600	1 12	
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs., 1	10	0	1 10	
Wheat, spring, por 100 los 1	10	0	1 12	
Oats, per 100 lbs	81	6	87	
Peas per 100 lbs	95	@	1 00	
Corn per 100 lbs	75	@	80	
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	@	90	
Rye per 100 lbs 1	00	@	1 10	
Byckwheat, per 100 lbs	90	(0)	1 00	
PROVISIONS.	00	0	1 25	
Cheese, per lb	10	@	12	
Eggs, single dozen	19	0	21	
Eggs. fresh. basket, dozen	18	@	19	
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	18	@	20	
Butter, pound rolls, retail	20	(0)	22	
Lard, per 15	8	0	10	
Lard. 20 lb. lots	7	0	. 8	
WHOLESALE DEALERS		CE		
Eggs, store lots, doz	17	(4)	17	
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	18	@	20	
Butter, crook	17	(18	

WHOLESALE DEALERS'	PRI	CES		
Eggs, store lots, doz	17	0		17
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	18	œ ·		20
Butter, crook	17	0		18
Butter, rolls, store lots		à		17
FRUIT.				
Snow apples, per bbl 3	00	0	L	50
Dried apples, per lb	435	(CC		5
Apples, per bbl 1	50	@		25
Apples, per bag	60			00
Chestnuts 2	00			25
Hickory Nuts, per bu	25		1	50
VEGETABLES	ALC: Y	1		
Potatoos, per bag	50	@		60
Turnips, new, per bag	30	Œ		40
Vegetable Marrow, per das	50	(4		80
Cabbage, per don.	25	6		40
Cauliflowers, per doz	50	0	1	00
Celery, per dozen	30	9		40
Boets per bag	40	0	1	50
Onions, per bag	75	(0)	1	00
	30	(4)		40
Parsnips	50	0		60
Citrons per doz	00	(0)	1	25
Vegetable Oysters, per dez	30	0		40
Artichokes, per bag	75			00
Savory and Sage, per lb		1		15
Squash-Hubbards, per doz 1	00		1	00
Parsley, per doz.	30			30
Lettuce, per doz	25	11:51		25
LIVE STOCK.		4		1
Beef per lb	3	0		78
Hogs, light, per 100 ibs 3	75	Gi.	3	75

Bewa, per 100 lbs.
Ducks, per pair 40
Wild Ducks 50
Chickens, spring, per pair 40
Hens, per pair 35
HAY AND SBEDS.
Har, per ton 250
Straw, per lon 600 Straw, per ton.
MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Boef per ib. 4
Muston, diarters, per ib. 5
Lamb, quarter 8
Lamb, carcass 7
Lamb, carcass 7
Lamb, carcass 100 lbs, selects 5 60
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy 3 00
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy 3 00

St. Thomas Market.

seed, \$1 50 to \$1 75; cloves seed, per bu, \$8 70.

The Hide Market.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Hides—The receipts continue moderate: there is a ready sale for all coming forward, and the market is firm. Local dealers are offering for green 5½c, for cows, and 10c for steers. Cured are quoted now at 18½c for cows and 11c for steers. Sheepskins—The receipts are light; there is a good demand and the market is unchanged at 85c. Calkskins—The market is steady at 10c for No. 1, and 9c for No. 2. Tailow—There is no change in the market. Local dealers are offering 5c, and asking 5½c.

The Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Nov. 29.—Petrolla crude, receipts, 31 65; Oil Springs crude, receipts, 31 65; Oil Springs crude, receipts, 31 65; Oil Springs crude, receipts, 31 60; refined in barrels, 13%c. PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 29.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 61.

OIL CITY, Nov. 29.—Credit balances, \$1 61; pertificates, closed \$1 63% bid for cash sales.

English Markets. The Hide Market.

English Markets.

Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous

WHEAT-		o▼. 25.		ov.	Nov. 28.			
Red Winter	5	9	5	9	5	9	5	8
No. 1 Nor. Spring		11%		1116	5	11		10%
No. 1 Cal		2	6	2		2		2
Nov	Ó	0	0	0	60	0	6	ō
Dec	5	8	ō	75%	5	736	5	736
March	5	10	5	95%	5	1014	5	95/
May	5	10%	5	974	5	103%	5	934
CORN-		-/-	3			,		
New	3	51/4	3	5	3	53%	3	454
Old			3	5	3		3	534
Dec			3	51/2	3 3	5	3	43/
Jan			3	54%	3	51/4	3	51/
Feb		53%	3	55%	3	51/2	3	51/
March	3	53%	3	514	333	53/8	0	0
May		51/4	3	5	3	53%	3	5
Flour			18	3	18		18	0
Peas			5	3 5	5	5	5	. 5
Pork			57	6	57	6	57	6
Lard	28		28		28		28	6
Tallow	124		24	0	24		24	0
Bacon, light	32	6	32		33		33	6
Cheese, white	54		54		55		55	6
Cheese, colored	150		56		57		57	0

American Markets. CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Wheat—With the exception of a momentary bulge, the market was weak today, intensified by the depression of Liverpool and a poor demand, closing ½c to %c under yesterday. Corn closed a shade down. Oats were unchanged and provisions lower. The break in Liverpool, despite the strength developed here yesterday, was the prime factor in the local mar-ket. Operators looked for a rallying influence in cables. The wheat taken in yesterday was disposed of early. Buying against puts, together with purchases made on the strength of light Northwest receipts, caused a rally from the opening, May touching 70% and December 66c. This advantage was demands were poor. The market became heavy and May closed ½c to 5%c down, at 69%c; December, %c to %c off at 65%c to 65%c. Trade was dull. As tomorrow is a holiday this was the last day for December as a future, and much trading was done to even up and in preparation for delivery day. The difference between May and Decemdifference between May and December narrowed to 4½c early, but was 4½c to 4½c at the close. December deliveries are expected to be heavy before the 10th. New York exported 25 loads taken for export. Clearances were 520 bushels. Primary points received 826,100 bushels, compared with 1,380,000 bushels a year ago. Local receipts were 67 cars, 17 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 74 cars, against 734 last week and 1,534 the cor-

neapoins and Duluth reported 12 cars, against 734 last week and 1,534 the corresponding day last week.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat — Dec., 65% to 65% to 86%; May, 69% c. Corn—Dec., 30% c; Jan., 30% c; May, 32% c. Oats—Dec., 22% c; May, 24c. Mess Pork—Dec., \$7.97%; Jan., \$9.40; May, \$9.55. Lard—Dec., \$4.87%; Jan., \$9.40; May, \$9.55. Lard—Dec., \$4.87%; Jan., \$9.40; May, \$9.55. Lard—Dec., \$4.87%; Jan., \$4.92%; May, \$5.61%. Cash quotations—Flour, easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 62 to 63% c; No. 2 red., 66% to 67c; No. 2 corn, 31% c to 32% c; No. 2 yellow corn, 31% c to 31% c, No. 2 yellow corn, 31% c to 31% c, No. 2 yellow corn, 31% c to 31% c, No. 2 flaxseed, \$1.39%; Northwest, \$1.39%. Good prime timothy seed, \$2.10 to \$2.30. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$8 to \$8.25. Mess pork, \$7.65 to \$7.95. Lard, \$4.80 to \$5.05. Short rib sides, \$4.80 to \$5.15. Dry salted shoulders, 5% c to 5% c. Short clear sides, \$5.15 to \$5.25. Sugar, cut loaf, \$5.70; granulated, \$5.18. Eggs, steady, at 18c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, \$7.000 barrels; wheat, 173,000 bushels; corn, 293,000 bushels; corn, 293,000 bushels; barley, 103,000 bushels; rys, 11,000 bushels; barley, 103,000 bushels; corn, 293,000 bushels; corn, 293,000 bushels. against 734 last week and 1,534 the corresponding day last week.

bushels, SHIPMENTS-Flour. 16,000 barrels; wheat, 83,000 bushels; corn, 258,000 bushels; oats, 330, 000 bushels; rye, 3,000 bushels; barley, 90,000

The Apple Market. Toronto, Nov. 29.-Mr. Eben James

received the following telegram from Woodall & Co., Liverpool, today:
"Market very firm, with good demand at last quotations: Baldwins, 16s 6d to 20s 6d; Greenings, 13s to 16s; Kings, 23s 6d to 27s 6d; seconds, 4s less. Steamer is only partly landed.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 29.— Cattue—There were four loads on sale; the demand was favorable for good butcher cattle, as the volume of dressed meat trade is restricted; the feel-ing for next week is steady for good butcher cattle. Calves were in supply, fair demand; higher; choice to extra were quotable at \$8 to \$8 50; good to choice, \$7 50 to \$8. Sheep and lambs
-The offerings were 21 loads, and with a fairly active demand the basis was a fairly active demand the basis was 10c higher than Monday; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5 15 to \$5 40; good to choice, \$4 85 to \$5 15; common to fair, \$4 to \$4 50; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 15 to \$4 40; good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4 15; Canada lambs were quotable at \$5 35 to \$5 50; after Dec. 1 it will not be necessary to dip Dec. 1 it will not be necessary to diplambs that are to be shipped, the government orders to that effect having been removed; the close was full steady. Hogs-Market in good position, with 16 loads on sale, and an active demand on the basis of 5c higher prices; heavy and mixed, \$4 to \$4 02½; Yorkers, \$3 90 to \$3 95; pigs, \$3 95; roughs, \$3 50 to \$3 60; stags, \$3 to \$3 25; the offerings were well cleaned up, and the close was steady at

ed up, and the close was steady at the best prices of the day. NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,949; 47 cars on sale; steers London have there been so n beautiful things to choose from. higher; except canners, which were steady, all sold; steers, \$4 20 to \$6; oxen and stags, \$3 50 to \$5 10; bulls, \$2 65 to \$4 40; cows. \$1 80 to \$4. Cables steady; exports, 6 cattle and 2,600 quarters of beef. Tomorrow none. Calves—Receipts, 1,308; trade active; veals, 25c to 50c higher; grassers, 15c to 25c higher; two cars western calves unsold; yeals, \$5 to \$9; little calves, \$4; grassers, \$3 to \$3 621/2; yearlings, \$2.75 to \$3. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,231; 28 cars on sale; sheep steady to firm; good lambs firm to a shade higher; about all sold; common to choice sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 60; culls, \$2; common to prime lambs, \$4 60; culls, \$2; common to prime lambs, \$4 75 to \$5 75; extra lots, \$5 85 to \$6; Canada lambs, \$5 75; culls, \$4 to \$4 25. Hogs-Receipts, \$,257; two cars on sale; dull and lower, at \$4 10 to \$4 20; choice state pigs, \$4 25.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Catile, good to choice, \$5.50 to \$7; poor to good, \$4.40 to \$5; mixed stockers, \$3. to \$3.80; selected feeders, \$4.25 to \$4.75; choice cows, \$3.75 to \$4.75; heifers, \$2.75 to \$4; canners, \$1 75 to \$4; bulls, \$2 40 to \$5; calves, \$4 to \$7; fed Texas beeves, \$4 30 to \$5 40; grass Texas steers, \$3 25 St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Nov. 28.—Wheat, old, per 52. St. Thomas, Nov. 28.—Wheat, old, per 53. St. Thomas, Nov. 28.—Wheat, old, per 54. 25; western vange beeves, \$4 to 55. 25. Hogs—Mixed and butchers', and diminishes the sensibility of the grew, per bu, 27c to 30c; peas. 1 bu, 25 to 40c; 53 fo to 33 90; rough heavy, \$3 55 to 53 65; Mght, \$3 65 to \$3 85; bulk of sales 53 65; Mght, \$3 65 to \$3 85. Sheep and lambs—Nactive wethers, \$3 90 to \$4 65; lambs, \$4 to 50 corners of the chest, bronchitis, etc.

to \$5 40; western wethers, \$4 to \$4 40; wether tambs, \$5 to \$5 35. Receipts—cattle, 7,000; hogs, 30,000; sheep, 14,000.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Nov. 29.—Here and at Liverpool Canadian and American cattle are steady at 11% to 12% c per lb. (dressed weight); refrigerator beef is

Dairy Markets MONTREAL, Nov. 29.—Cheese, 10½c to 11½c. Butter—Townships, 19c to 20c;

western, 16c to 17c. NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Butter firm; NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Butter firm; western creamery, 23c to 27c; western factory, 15½c to 18c; June creamery, 22c to 25c; imitation creamery, 17c to 23c; state dairy,18c to 25c; state creamery, 23c to 26c. Cheese firm; small September, 12½c to 12½c; finest October, 12c to 12½c; large fancy September, 12½c to 12½c; large October finest, 11½c.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Nov. 29.—Three factories offered 930 boxes critored cheese at today's market, 613 being October make and 317 November: 11½c highest bid; salesmen held for ¾c; no sales. Board adjourned until the second Wedge and May ond Wednesday of next May. CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Butter strong; creameries, 16c to 26c; dairies, 16c to 22c. Cheese easy at 11½c to 12½c.

AGUINALDO STILL HIDING

Two Brigades of Filipinos Defeated and Scattered.

Col. Bell Captured All Their Artillery and Supplies.

Manila, Nov. 30.-Gen. Young, with three troops of 3rd Cavalry and a small detachment of Macabebes, commanded by Lieuts. Hall, Quinlan and Blount, arrived at Namacpacan from San Fernanda de Union, on Thursday, Nov. Fernanda de Union, on Thursday, Nov. 23. There they received news of Aguinaldo, from which it appears that he passed north through Namacpacan on Tuesday, Nov. 21, while Gen. Young was waiting at San Fernando, twenty miles south. The rebel chief is now believed to be hiding in Abra province. When Aguinaldo passed through Namacpacan all his talk was in favor of continuing the war.

of continuing the war. The Oregon, Samara and Callao, with 160 bluejackets and marines from the Oregon, captured the port of Vigan, province of South Ilocos. The Samara and Callao ran close inshore, a few shots were fired, and then the Samara, Callao and Oregon engaged in a sharp bombardment of Vigan. The firing from the shore ceased almost immediately, and the sailors and marines, with a field piece, were landed, and found that the insurgents had fied.

PINOS ON THE RUN. The fight in which Col. Bell defeated and scattered the rebel brigades of Gens. Alejandrino and Sans Miguel, took place on the summit of the mountains, west of Mangalaren, forming the divide between the Dagupan Valley

and the ocean.

At daylight, Nov. 28, the troops emerged from a timbered canon upon the divide, running into the rebels' ad-

miles, the enemy escaping empty-handed, with the exception of a few rifles. The women and children in shacks in the came, had no time to escape.

The rebels had artillery trained to

ommand the regular trail from Mangalaren, but Col. Bell approached from the opposite direction. The rebels are estimated to have numbered 2,000 men, with some English, Japanese and four Spanish officers.

HAD TO MAKE

To Accommodate the Expansion in Certain Departments.

The floor space of the Runians, Gray & Carrie Company's big store has been considerable increased by extensive alterations on the ground floor. Additional counters have been put in, but the counters have been arranged to leave broad, straight aisles from end to end of the store, a change which all customers who have experienced one of the Runians, Gray & Carrie Company's crowded days will appreciate. The approaches to the basement and to the first floor have been greatly improved. The manner in which every inch of space in the great store has been utilized to the best advantage compels admiration. The alterations were necessary to accommodate the rapid growth of business in the ribbon, lace and handkerchief and fancy goods departments: The volume of business in these departments has been phenomevested many more thousands of dollars in them this season than formerly. Most of the Christmas goods have already been received. Never before in London have there been so many novelties were never before so dainty or so serviceable. The dolls, whose name is legion, are marvels of beauty and ingenuity. Among the dainties things shown are a large variety of lace and ivory fans. Some very hand-some Wedgwood and cut glass goods are among the novelties. A line of are among the novelties. A line of Oriental goods in paper knives, bonbon spoons, pie knives, etc, are very attractive. In the lace department a lot of new hand-made Flemish and Battenberg laces have just arrived. They are exquisite. There is also a great variety of Christmas novelties in embroidered, lace-trimmed, lawn and linen handkerchiefs.

BLAKE SENT UP FOR 21/2 YEARS. St. Marys, Nov. 30.—Blake, who killed his wife with a club last September, was found guilty of manslaughter at the Perth assizes today, it being prov-en that the defendant was subject to epileptic fits. He was sentenced to two and a half years in Kingston Pen-

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JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

A pitchin occurred on the G. T. R. at Parkhill on Monday morning. Seven cars on the rear end of No. 85, from Stratford, broke loose while on a grade, and when the train stopped at the bottom of the hill the seven cars crashed into the main train, with the result that five cars were smashed and a number slightly damaged. No person was injured, but the damage will be comparatively heavy.

LAKE SHORE.

Lake Shore, Bosanquet, Nov. 29.—In the year 1895 two bushels of tomatoes were gathered on Nov. 6, uninjured by frost, but very few of the earliest settlers can remember seeing such a variety of bloom in the gardens on the 25th inst., as at present. In one garden here may be seen pansies, petunias, marigolds, dianthus, phlox, saipiglossis, candytuft, mignonette and

Mr. Kershaw is to give a 15-cent magic lantern entertainment in school section No. 7, Bosanquet, and the same day a second attempt will be made to

photograph the school. Mr. John Burdick has moved out of Mr. W. Fraser's house on Lake road east, to Mr. Whyte's house on the 16th. Mr. Robert McLean is putting out a fishing-net at Kettle Point.

WEST NISSOURI.

Farewell and Presentation to a Popular Farmer and His Family.

Nov. 24, a very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. John Baker, where not a small number of his friends and neighbors gathered to-gether to show the high esteem in which he is held, and to bid him fare-well before his departure to his new home in Thamesford. Mr. Baker is one of the oldest farmers in the neighbor hood, and he and his family are much respected and beloved by all who know them. During the early part of the evening Mr., Mrs. and Miss Baker were made the recipients of a handsome chair each and a parlor table, and were presented with the following

"To Mr. Baker, Mrs. Baker and Miss Baker,—A few of your large circle of friends and neighbors, hearing with unfeigned regret that you are about to sever your old connections and leave the neighborhood where you have so many ardent admirers and warm personal friends, have met here this evening to express our appreciation of you as friends and neighbors. In your departure we are losing the very best of neighbors and the kindest of friends, and in truth we may say that you do not leave an enemy behind you, which

ourselves with the thought that although leaving the old farm and neighborhood in which you took such an interest, you are not going so far away but that we will meet with you occasionally, and our loss will be Thames-ford's gain. In conclusion we ask you to accept these chairs and center table as tokens of our warmest regard for you, and while we are very sorry to lose you from our midst, we trust and pray that as you retire from the active business of life, heaven's richest blessings may rest upon you, and that you may be long spared to enjoy the many comforts of life which your industry and good management will lay at your

Mr. Baker made a suitable reply, which was followed by speeches and music. The social party then sat down to a splendid spread, after which dancing was indulged in till an early

BLACKSMITH'S

Increased Cost of Raw Materials Forces an Advance in Prices.

The blacksmiths of Oxford, Elgin, Perth, Huron, Middlesex, and of this city, held a meeting in Sherwood Ha!l yesterday for the purpose of discussing the advisability of an increase in prices. This is necessary on account of the continued advance in the cost of raw materials. This advance has entailed serious losses to them. About 100 representatives of the trade were at the meeting, and after seriously considering the situation, were unan-

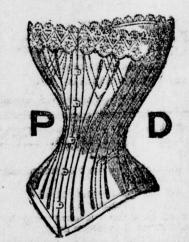
imous in the opinion that an increase was absolutely necessary, and agreed upon the scale mentioned in our advertising columns. This move has not been made to increase their profits, but to prevent further losses. Representatives of the local merchants who supply blacksmithing materials were present, and understanding the situation, expressed their approval of the action, together with their determination to do everything possible to insure its

Catarrh of Long Standing Relieved in a Few Hours.

It is not alone the people of our own country, and prominent citizens like Urban Lippe, M.P., of Joliette, Que., and other members of parliament, who, having used Dr. Agnew's Ca-tarrhal Powder, pronounce it the most elective remedy they have ever known, but people everywhere are expressing their gratification at the effectiveness of this medicine. C. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose days not leave an enemy behind you, which is something more than can be said of the most of us, and on which account we shall miss you all the more after your departure. But we console was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Callum & Co.

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New York, Nov. 30.—The twelfth and last juror in the case of Roland B. Molineux was secured yesterday afternoon. To secure this jury of twelve men it required twelve days of tiresome and technical work on the part of the court and counsel. Five hundred and four talesmen were ex-

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Toronto Produce Market. TORONTO, Nov. 30.-Wheat is dull, 65c to 651/2c for red and white, west; goose is quoted at 67c to 68c, west; Manitoba wheat is strong, at 76c for No. 1 hard, G. T. R. and C. P. R., grinding, in transit. Flour—The market is steady, cars of straight sold in barrels at \$2 80, west. Millfeed is steady, at \$13 50 to \$14 50 for shorts, and \$11 50 to \$12 50 for bran, west. Barley is quiet, at 38c to 39c for No. 2, and 40c for No. 1, west. Buckwheat is dull, at 43c to 48c, west. Rye is unchanged, at 50c to 50½c, west. Corn is easier, at 32o for Canada, yellow, west, American 41c and No. 3 40½c here. Oats steady, at 25½c for mixed and 26c for white, west. Peas steady, at 57c. west. Eggs steady, 20c for new laid, 16c for fresh gathered, and 16c for No. limed. Butter steady, at 20c for choice dairy tubs. and 16c for medium, large rolls 17c to 18c; creamery, steady. at 21c to 211/2c for tubs and boxes, and

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

The Manitoba provinctal nominations took place today. Emperor and Empress of Germany

have arrived at Potsdam. Bank of England discount rate has advanced from 5 to 6 per cent. A man digging a well at Sebewaing, Mich., has discovered a mineral that

appears to be gold quartz. Hon. G. W. Ross and Hon. F. R. Latchford will address the electors on Friday night in the Duncombe Opera

House, St. Thomas. A burglar giving his name as George Riley, of Chicago, was caught in the residence of H. Fitzgerald, Toronto, on Monday night.

The trouble is over. All parties unite on Provost Welch, of Trinity Col-

lege, as rector of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. Burglars entered the residence of H. Fitzgerald, Euclid avenue, Toronto, and scooped \$104 in cash, six gold watches

Foods That Make Flesh and Blood.

and other valuables.

Dr. L. A. Moore, one of the best-known medical men in Manitoba, writing to the Health Food Company, says: "Having used the foods made by the Battle Creek Sanitarium Health Food Company of London, Ont., I consider they are high in nutrient values, being whole grain preparations, and according to the London Lancet (a recognized medical authority the world over), the Granola and Granose are partially prepared for the digestive process, so they should agree with the most delicate stomach, and be good fat and blood making foods—good for sick or well people. The Caramei Cereal drink is a health producing and excel-lent substitute for tea and coffee. (Signed) "L. A. MOORE, M.D."

Mr. Henry Saunders' many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that he is receiving splendid receptions everywhere he has appeared upon the Watkin Mills' tour. He is the solo 'cellist of the company, and has had to respond to several encores every danger, no risk, pleasant to use. For evening since the opening of the tour. sale at all druggists or direct by mail. Mr. Saunders will play with the orchestra in the "Messiah" in this city next stamps to N. C. POLSON & CO., Box Tuesday evening

Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Nov. 30—10 a.m.—Probabili-les for the next 24 hours for the lower akes region: Unsettled and mild, with showers. Fridat-Fresh westerly winds.

-Mr. H. Gagnier, editor of the Canadian Tobacco Journal, is at the Tecumseh House. -Miss Rankin, of Stratford, is visit-

ing her friend, Miss Mabel Brown, 340 Dundas street, city. -Hon. David Mills left Ottawa last night to attend the London St. Andrew's banquet tonight.

-The life class will open at the London School of Art on Saturday evening, Dec. 2. No doubt there are many who would like to join this class for sketching from draped figure. -Jack Reidy, the light-weight, who Royal Hotel, with his manager and trainer, Frank Burns and Thomas

-The Anderson Theater Company closed a successful three night's gagement at the Grand last night, when "The Cannon Ball Express" was the bill. The matinee and evening performances were both well attended.

A requiem mass was celebrated in the English Catholic Church at Rome yesterday for the repose of the souls of the slain in South Africa. The church was filled with English and Americans, including ambassadors of Great Britain and the United States. The pope sent his blessing.

-Mrs. Annie Lankin appeared before Magistrate Gorwell, of London town-It is alleged that the defendant called Mrs. Shoebottom a thief. The case was adjourned until 2:30 this af-

-Otis Skinner will shortly make his annual appearance in this city with the comedy by Henry Arthur Jones entitled "The Liars," which had a long and prosperous engagement in New York last season at the Empire Theater. Mr. Skinner impersonates the character of Sir Christopher Deering, and it is considered by far the best thing he has done in some time.

-We have been requested to insent the following: "The F. Talbot, who has lately opened a grocery and provision store at the corner of Lyle and Dundas treets, is not the F. Talbot who was formerly in the employ of the London Street Railway Company, but previous to coming to London carried on a general store in the village of Birr, and has not been on a street car since the strike was declared last May.'

-Tonight at 188 Dundas street, Carlyle will give his incomparable personations in Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing." This is a glorious comedy, full of wit and humor, and rare badinage; and Carlyle is said to hit off each character in the true actor's art, with a change of face and voice for each. It is more than a treat to hear the English language well spoken and by a master. All who want a good laugh should hear Carlyle. SUCCESS IS ASSURED. to \$5 25, the latter for selected weights.

The success of the St. Andrew's annual dinner tonight is assured. About 250 tickets have been disposed of. The programme of speeches and music promises to be the most interesting and entertaining ever given at a 6t. Andrew's banquet. Many distinguished guests will be present. Music will be furnished by an orchestra and three pipers. After the programme there will be dancing.

THE WHIST TOURNEY. The Oregons defeated the Orients by 3 points; the Manhattans defeated the East Ends by 23 points; the Foresters defeated the Belvideres by 39 points, in the Whist League games last even-

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follows:	_	
Won.	Lost. Pe	r cent.
Foresters 3	0	1,000
Manhattans 2	1	.667
Orients 2	1	.667
East Ends 1	2	.333
Oregons 1	2	.333
Belvideres 0	3	.000

A CHEAP REPUTATION. The Free Press this morning published the following:

"A street railway employe named McDonald was waiting for a car at the corner of Adelaide and Dundas streets between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday, when three of the casket works employes who were sanding on the op-posite corner, began to call him 'scab' and a few other pet names. It was more than McDonald could stand, and the tackled the three. Before he got through he gave one a hammering with his fists. The others escaped punishment by taking to their heels.'

Employes of the casket works in-dignantly deny the story. They say the incident referred to occurred be-tween 1 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when all of the casket works employes were at work. Three small boys, they who are not connected with the casket works, chaffed a street car conductor, and one of them was heroically hammered by the conductor, as thrillingly described in the F. P. No employe of the casket works had anything whatever to do with the f-

FOOTBALL

THE CHAMPIONS' DINNER. The champion London Juniors ("Baldheads") will have their photos taken on Saturday. The following are requested to be present in their foot-ball clothes: Field, Spry, Peel, McNee, Boyce, Hobbs, Mara, Bice, Rose, Norsworthy, Hennessy, Hodges Ashplant, Wilson, G. White, Christie, F. White, Somerville. All enthusiasts and players who wish to attend the annual dinner at the Kennels on Saturday night will please notify any of the club offi-cials before 10 o'clock Friday morning.

HOCKEY. F. C. B. C. CLUB ORGANIZED. The Forest City Business College students have formed a hockey team for this year, with the intention of joining the city league. Officers are as follows: Honorary president, J. W. Westervelt; president, J. W. Westervelt, jun.; secretary-treasurer, G. C. Mc-Conechy; captain, E. H. Stewart; executive committee, J. W. Westervelt, jun., A. I. Gillies and S. Russell.

Catarrh. Statistics prove that 97 per cent of our population is affected with some form of Catarrh, but since Catarrhozone, the new medicated air treatment for Catarrh and kindred diseases, has been introduced, this percentage decreased. Catarrhozone never fails to cure Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma and Hay Fever, and is warranted to cure the most chronic cases of these diseases. It cures by inhalation. No

Mr. T. D. Hodgens, M.P.P., Succumbed This Morning to Heart Failure

FELL DEAD

Look at Some Stock.

He Was an Ex Mayor of London and One of the Best Known Stock-His Career.

Mr. T. D. Hodgens, M. P. P. and exwill contest for the championship of mayor of London, died suddenly about Canada at the Grand tonight, is at the 11 o'clock this morning. The sad news will be a great shock to citizens generally, and to his many friends throughout Western Ontario. A couple of hours before he was stricken down, Mr. Hodgens left his home at 860 Waterloo street, to look after some stock he had pastured on the fourth concession of London township. He was then apparently in good health, though for the past few weeks he occasionally complained of severe pains in his head. This trouble, he considered, was due to injuries received a couple of years ago, when a horse kicked him on the head, and for weeks after which his recovery was doubtful. This morning Mr. Hodgens was driving ship, this morning, charged by Henry W. Shoebottom, of Granton, with having used insulting language towards and the state of the state walking a short distance away, fall on the roadside. Mr. Ramsay ran to his side, and carried the prostrate form into the house. Dr. Drake, who happened to be passing, was summoned, and found life extinct. Death was due to heart failure.

Mr. Hodgens was born at Stadbally, Queen's county, Ireland, Nov. 8, 1837. He came to Canada 40 years ago, after the death of his parents, and since then, with the exception of the two or three years that he spent in the South-ern States, has been identified with

Middlesex county.

Mr. Hodgens dealt largely in horses, cattle and sheep. Among horsemen he was particularly well known, his horse, Kitestring, having once won the Queen's plate. Fire, a few years ago, destroyed Mr. Hodgens' stables, and a large string of thoroughbred horses. In

Thomas Hiscox. Mrs. Hodgens, one son (William T., of Bothwell), and two daughters—Mrs. (Dr.) Pingel, of this city, and Mabel, at home—survive. One brother, George Hodgens, and two sisters, Mrs. Graham and Miss Mary Hodgens, all of Parkdale, are living.

HOLDING IN GEN. HUTTON

He Must in Future Submit All Militia Orders to Minister Borden-Big Increase in Revenue.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 30.-Dr. Borden has given instructions to Gen. Hutton not to issue any more military orders without his approving of same. has been done because of Hutton having placed Mai. Stone as chief of staff officers and senior lieutenant-colonel when he had no right to do so. The legal aspect of the matter will be referred to the justice department. CANADA'S GROWING REVENUE.

A statement of revenue, prepared by the customs department today, shows that the revenue for the present month was \$2,394.163 or \$460,150 greater than for November, 1898. For five months of the fiscal year ending today the revenue was \$1,481,777 greater than for the the same time last year.

ONLY 19

And Yet She Has Already Been Married Five Times.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 30.-Jessie L. Farrar, 19 years old, formerly of Cuba. Mo., but now of this city, was mar-ried for the fifth time Monday, which is absolutely a record for one of her

age.
Mrs. Farrar says that when she was but 13 years old she eloped from Cuba, Mo., and was married to David Johnson, from whom she separated in Chi-Later she was married to Edward Davitt, of Butler, Mo., followed quickly by No. 3 in the person of Will Morton, to whom she was wedded in Hot Springs, Ark. He was succeeded by Joseph Kessler, of this city.

FAMILY WIPED OUT

Revised List of Those Killed in the Paterson Railway Collision.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 30.-Following is the corrected list of those killed in yesterday's railway disaster: Alex. Craig, of Scranton, Pa., business manager of the Scranton Tribune; Esther S. Craig, his wife; Esther Craig, their 5. Craig, his whie; Esther Craig, their 15-year-old daughter; Jessie Craig, their 11-year-old daughter; Mrs. May Bertroe, wife of David Roe, of Itha-ca, N. Y.; Walter Jacob Walbrock, 19 years old, New York city.
It was not until this forenoon that the fdentification of the two children killed was made positive. The accident wiped out that family. They were on their way to spend Thanksgiving Day with relatives in Brooklyn.

MR. TARTE IN NEED OF REST. Ottawa. Nov. 30 .- Greatly to his regret Hon. J. Israel Tarte was compelled yesterday afternoon to telegraph the St. Andrew's Society of London, canceling his engagement to address the banqueters there tonight. The minister of public works is greatly in need of rest, and his physician forbade him making the journey to the Forest City. Hon. David Mills will be present at the banquet. The minister of jus-tice was accompanied by Hon. James Sutherland, who returns to Woodstock for a few days.

MARRIED GURD—SMYTH—On Nov. 29, at the residence of the bride's mother, Edith, youngest daughter of the late J. W. Smyth, to Walter H. Surd.

They postatively cure that daily's door, and the motion carried with a standing vote, Rev. R. Hobbse included! To conclude, Mrs. Baskerville walks because it suits her take if troubled with indigestion. GURD-SMYTH-On Nov. 29, at the residence

COMING OUR WAY

ON THE ROAD The Effects of the New 14-Foot Waterway

> Already Apparent - The Prevailing Prosperity-The Manitoba Elections.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—It is becoming abundantly evident that the expecta-While Driving in the Country to tions entertained by the government of the possibilities of the St. Lawrence transportation route were no idle dream, and that when they decided that one of the earliest acts of their administration should be the rapid completion of the fourteen-foot canal extension, and the improvement of the Breeders in Middlesex-Sketch of facilities of Montreal harbor they were fully seized of the pressing needs of the situation.

No sooner are those necessary improvements within measurable distance of completion than the anticipated developments loom large in the horizon. A wealthy syndicate was formed some months ago for the purpose of constructing and operating grain eleva-tors at Port Colborne, Montreal and Quebec, and serving them with a thoroughly well-equipped fleet of steer grain carriers. This means a vast development in the transportation business itself, but it also means a great impetus in the shipbuilding and other industries. It means, too, the expendi-ture of millions of money and the permanent occupation of thousands men in both skilled and unskilled labor Very much of the business now transacted through American channels will hereafter come our way, for the Amrican shippers themselves admit that through transportation for large vessels from the ports of the Upper Lakes to the seaboard means a reduc-tion of rates to about half what they THE MASSES ARE BENEFITING.

The way in which the prevailing prosperity affects the daily life of the masses is concisely set forth by a com-mercial writer in the Globe, who says: "Trade prospects in Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific were never more promising. There have been very few failures. The chief reason for that is the fact that retailers have fewer bad accounts. A prolific source of financial trouble for country as well as city trade is bad debts. People must live. When they have not steady work, they go into debt, unless they have something laid up for a rainy day. A la-borer with a family to provide for cannot lay up much for a rainy day out of \$1 to \$1 25 per day. The most remarkable thing about it is that he is able to make ends meet at all, and it is a well-known fact that when small man. He was a Conservative in politics, and last year was elected member for East Middlesey in the tive Assembly.

In 1865, Mr. Hodgens was married to Elizabeth, only daughter of the late Thomas Hiscox. Mrs. Hodgens, one son (William T., of Bothwell), and two withal to purchase the necessities of life, they don't go into debt, and old scores are wiped out, because it is a well-known fact that the laboring classes, when employment is steady, may be depended upon to pay more promptly than any other for what they buy. The farmers, too, as a class, seeing the evil of running up accounts at the country stores, now buy more largely than ever before for spot cash. These two factors have had a beneficial ef-

fect on the business of the country GOOD MEN FIGHT SHY. One of the greatest disadvantages experienced in the administration of public affairs in Canada is the difficulty of inducing the best men to give their services to the work. This, of course, is largely due to the fact that in a young country like ours there is no wealthy leisure class that can afford to give the necessary time to unre-munerative employment. We are essentially a nation of workers, and, save for the time absolutely necessary for rest and recreation, the days and years are entirely taken up in earning a livelihood. But there is another obstacle which deters many a capable citizen from devoting his time and ability to the public service, namely, the bitter and often most unjust criticism to which he is subjected, and the venal motives so readily ascribed to him by his opponents-treatment which a self-

respecting man, conscious of his own integrity, hesitates to submit to.

Take, for example, Mr. Whitney's criticism of two of the members appointed by the Provincial Government on the public finance commission. One he describes as: "An Ontario official getting a salary," adding: "I say that it is positively indecent for the Government of Ontario to appoint Mr. John Hoskin as one of the commission sion, and it is positively indecent for Mr. John Hoskins to accept the position." Of Mr. E. B. Walker, general manager of the Bank of Commerce, he says: "He is one of the leading men in a bank which for years has had all the deposits that belong to the courts of Ontario. He has been a re-cipient of favors from the Ontario Government, and the Ontario Government has not a stronger sympathizer in all the bounds of Ontario." The insinuations contained in these sentences are most reprehensible, for no business man in Ontario would question for a moment the unimpeachable rectitude of either of these gentlemen, and if

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County of Middlesex,
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By virtue of a warrant issued under the hand of the Warden of the said County of Middlesex, and sealed with the corporate seal thereof, said County of Middlesex, and sealed with the corporate seal thereof, said County of Middlesex, and sealed with the corporate seal thereof, which warrant bears date the 21st day of November, 1899, and is to me directed and addressed as the treasurer of the said county, commanding me to levy in accordance with the provisions of "The Assessment Act," in that behalf, on the lands hereinafter mentioned and described, being in the said county, for taxes in arrears thereon respectively and lawful costs, I hereby give notice that unless the said taxes and costs be sooner paid I shall proceed to sell by public auction at the Court House, in the City of London, Ontario, on Wednesday, the Eighth of March, A.D. 1900, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the said lands, or as much thereof as may be sufficient to discharge the said taxes and costs and charges in and about the sale of said lands, authorized by the said act.

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All the lands herein mentioned are patented. (a) "SR" means south of River Thames. (b) Mrs. Boland's. (c) Robert Morrison's.

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County Treasurer's Office, London, Nov. 21st, 1899.

dangerous or worthless substitute. every man who evenly remotely and indirectly has business relations with the government is to be debarred from rendering service to the country, would be perfectly impossible to find competent men to carry on the necessary functions of government.

MANITOBA GENERAL ELECTION. The Manitoba Legislature has been dissolved and the general election pro-claimed for the 7th proximo. Mr. Greenway goes to the country with a splendid record of twelve years faithful and progressive service. Under his administration the province has made unparalleled progress, having been opened up and settled at a rate unique even in the annals of rapid western development. The opposition, led by Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, has not, so far, offered any alternative policy to the electors, other than the familiar but scarcely sufficient cry of "It's time you put these fellows out and gave us a chance." In spite of In spite of the oft-repeated protests of the Con-servative leaders, both Federal and Provincial, that the politics of Ottawa and Winnipeg should be kept absolutely distinct, very active assistance is being rendered Mr. Macdonald by Sir Charles Tupper himself, and many of his more prominent colleagues in the Federal arena. Sir Charles makes the rather curious complaint that the elections have been sprung upon the province very unexpectedly and at unreasonably short notice; but if Sir Charles had only read this column more carefully than he appears to do, he would have noticed that as far back as last April it was predicted here that an election might come at any time, and certainly must be before the end of the year. In the same way I have declared repeatedly that there would be a general election before another session of parliament, but Sir Charles has scarcely brought himself to believe that yet. If he would only show a little more respect for my predic-tions I think I could give him some valuable pointers; but if he won't learn, what's the use?

SIR WILLIAM DAWSON. In the death of Sir William Dawson, former principal of McGill University, Montreal, Canada loses one of her most famous sons. A Nova Scotian by birth, devoted his life to the pursuit of science, and as president of McGill for 38 years he has rendered invaluable service to the cause of higher education in Canada. Under his able and sympathetic guidance, the great Protestant institution of Eastern Canada rose from a moribund condition to the proud position she holds today, for it was his good fortune, not only to accomplish much himself, but to interest and enthuse others, able and ready to render splendid aid to the cause he had so much at heart. His labors have added a lustre to the national reputation of the Dominion, which is recognized and appreciated throughout the scientific world.

Rejoinder to Mr. Hobbs

Though I have not so much time at

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

my disposal for entering into controversy as Rev. R. Hobbs has, I cannot refrain from asking your leniency for a few last words (as far as I am concerned) on this subject. On perusing Rev. R. Hobbs' answer to my letter of the 21st inst., I must say I am struck by his utter failure to draw a single logical conclusion to any argument he advances. Take, for instance, his refusal "to be governed in his atti-tude or disposition towards any man or body of men, by what they have done or said." Shades of Luther and Wesley, and all the reformers! what are we to make of that? There is a man whom I have known to be drunkard, an extortioner and a thief but one day he deems it advisable (shall I say "for a consideration?") to give a handsome stained glass window to the church, or perhaps a subscription, out of his ill-gotten gains. Therefore I must greet him with the handshake of fraternity and friendliness and maybe elect him into a position of trust because he, having put on the semblance of goodness for the present, I must not be governed in my attitude or disposition towards him by what he has done or said in the past! It seems to me that before letting my heart run away with my head, I ought first to require information as to how far all this may be genuine, and whether this man has ever repented to the extent shown to be necessary by the teachings of the same gospel preached by Rev. R. Hobbs, even to the amends and restitution it exacts? I leave this

that she is aware of, neither has she laid any design, that she knows off, whereby to "ostracise" that "snakelike party" (whoever he may be) mentioned in the letter; but here she remembers—or is it but a dream?—that one night not very long ago there was a motion made to "ostracise" a cer-tain daily that doesn't live very far

for the thoughtful general public to

decide. Mrs. Baskerville has not adopted any "starve-out principle"

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to do so, like a great many others, and she thinks the weekly sheet Rev. R. Hobbs is interested in can do without her cents this time, as she proposes to invest them where they will be Wkely to do better than raising angry passions or help on with ridiculous parodies and disrespectful comments, even though she be "liable to a fine not exceeding \$100, or three months' imprisonment" for the same. I am, dear sir, yours for fact vs. sentiment, MRS. E. M. BASKERVILLE.

REGISTRATION FEES RAISED. Toronto, Ont., Nov. 30 .- The Provincial Government has increased the minimum fee for company registra-tion from \$50 to \$100. Between \$40,000 and \$100,000 capital, the fee is \$100 for the first forty and \$1 for each additional \$1,000. Between \$100,000 and \$1,000,000, the fee will be \$160 for the first

\$100,000 and \$2 50 for each \$10,000 additional. Over \$1,000,000 the fee 16 \$385 for the first million and \$2 50 for each \$10,000 additional. For cheese and butter, cemetery and educational companies, the fee is the nominal one of \$10. The general effect will be to materially increase the fees for large corporations. Formerly for companies with a capital of \$1,000,000 or upwards, the maximum fee was \$400. Now, for such a company as the Canada Cycle, for example, with \$6,000,000 capital. the fee would be \$1,635.

A DINNER PILL—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the

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A DEAD HEART

A Love Story.

My darling believed me a stranger, and desired to help me!
"Why are you trembling so?" asked
the nurse. "You must try to be quiet."

You did not hear what it was I said to you. Lady Glen sent you a basket grapes. She says you are to have Jelly and wine, or anything you want from the hall kitchen." "How does she know I am ill?" I

Everyone knows. On that Christmast Day when you fell, half the people ran out of church; and it was Sir Aleck himself who said you had better be taken here. He said you were a stranger, and that you must not be left to die on the roadside."

She did not tell me what I heard afterwards, that, when I lay face downwards on the grass, he touched me with his foot to see if I were dead, dishis foot to see if I were dead, and dealining to touch me with his hands. The next minute Mrs. Blithe brought me a basket of grapes, which were lying on green leaves.

"These are what Lady Glen sent. Try these are what Lady Glen sent. Try garden, that was for her a sanctuary, where the came in the early morning."

"These are what Lady Glen sent. Try to eat some," she said. "I shall send word to Abel that you are better." She went away, leaving with me the dly raise it, but I covered it with ssionate kisses. She had sent it. my darling, my darling, my lost r love! If she had but known she as sending it to me!

CHAPTER II.

Abel Blithe's sunny, bright face was soon by my side.

"Janie tells me you are better," he over anything in my life. You will get And his words, instead of filling me

with hope, chilled me with despair. I did not wish to recover-I wanted to Long after that my head was paid. filled with strange noises. Once when Abel come to me I said:
"I must speak; I have borne it until

I can bear it no longer. Do you hear anything?" "No," he replied, "I do not."
"I do," I cried, eagerly. "I near a chime of bells, and they keep paying

'Miriam May Dacre' over and over "'Miriam May Dacre!'" said the head gardener, slowly. "Why, that was my lady's name! How could you know

In one moment I was alive and wake to the danger; in one moment my reason seemed to have gathered fresh strength. 'Mrs. Blithe talks so much about her

fancy for weeks afterwards the

bells played "Mirjam May Dacre," but I never mentioned it. The days came when, thanks to my good nurses, to their care and kind-ness, I was able to stand up and to go out-the wreck of myself. Looking in the glass I could not recognize my-self-my own mother would not have known me. My face was wan, my eyes were dim, and the crimson scar

looked worse than ever. Had I ever been a handsome soldier laddie, ierect and bright? Ah, me! it had pleased heaven to bring me very low! I often thought of the beautiful story of the Good Samaritan when I saw the kindness of these simple people to me. I grew strong apace them; and I began to think that I must go out once more into the world, as I could mot die. Once or twice I had spoken of the My whole soul craved to hear my darling's name: and Abel Blithe, seeing that it interested me, would tell me about the balls and parties, how my lady looked, and what flowers she

Last of all, as we sat together in the waning spring light, Abel began to talk to me about my future. I told him that I had nothing to live for—no love, no hope; that I had one relation, from whom I was estranged; and that death had more charm for me than life; that I was penniless and lost.

He said in his simple fasion: 'You want heart and strength, then you will think less of death and more of life. I have a place for you. One of the gardeners left his place today will you take it?" "I know nothing of gardening, Abel,"

I answered. "I will teach you," replied Abe promptly. "No matter whether a man's illness is of body or mind, nothing oures him so much as fresh air and flowers. When you begin to think whether the flowers will live, whether the fruit will ripen or the leaves sprout, you will forget all your own sorrows.
Why, in my opinion, sir," he added, his
face brightening, "a gardener, if he
knows anything at all, must be a poet and a philosopher! I do not wish to intrude into your affairs. You have told me your name is John Smith-I know that hides your real name. You look like a poor man, but you are an educated gentleman. You have had troubles and sorrows the world knows

little of. Now, sir, if I can help you

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by teaching you the sweet secrets of the meeting was for the purpose, tech-the fruits and flowers, let me do so."
I took his honest hand in mine and held it there; words seemed all too justment of freight rates in Canada weak to express my gratitute to him. to rates recently adopted on the Am-The plan, simple as he thought it, dazzled me. Seeing that the prospect pleased me, he added:

The grand Trunk are fitting all their locomotives with a new style of snow-

me?" I asked.

my lady. You would see the visitors and all the beautiful dresses. My lady, too, often makes presents to the men who work there. You would like, of course, to have the lightest work, and I would get it for you at first. You engine cab. should have the lawn flowers and my lady's garden. You would like to see my lady's gard n; she loves all the sweet, old-fashioned flowers—poets' flowers, I hear her call them when she talks to the child. She has southern wood, sweet carnations, great heavy roses, sweet williams and great clusters of mignonette. You would like

my lady's garden."

Like it! If this simple, kindly man talking to me only knew! "Does she go there often?" I ask. And he does not hear how the words seem to hiss rather than fall from my

"Yes. Often I find her there in the early morning, sitting among the flowers. And more than once, when I have gone back at night for something I had left, I have seen my lady weep-

"Weeping!" I cried. "Weeping for what-for whom?" "How should I tell?" he replied. "But it is because I know my lady loves the place, and makes a kind of sanctuary of it, that I like to put a man

where she came in the early morning hours, and again when the moon shone she went away, leaving with me the autiful fruit. My weak hands could would! I might see her, hear her speak, watch her as she walked and talked with the little one. "Do you want an answer at once?"

I said to Abel Blithe. "No; take jour time in thinking it over," he replied. "I know that every step in a man's life requires thought. Let me just tell you one thing, and it is this, that Sir Aleck Glen spoke to me about you a few days since, and asked ne whether I could find work for y. He felt sorry for you, he said; r you seemed to have been a ong man once. He added that would take employment under He is not all bad."

ill think it over," I said. Sir Aleck Uchtred Glen had lain he ground, I would have set my on the heel on his face; but the words "my lady's garden," tempted me sorely. Abel Blithe rose from his seat, and, after holding my thin, weak hand for a moment, he said:

"Whichever way you decide, I am your friend-remember that. I do not often take to strangers, but I have taken to you. I like that crimson scar; it tells me, though you do not, that you have been a soldier; and I am always proud when I see a British soldier with a wound on his face-a sign that you kept a bold front to the enemy, sir. Think it over and let me

ladyship, it is no wonder that I know So Abel Blithe left me there in the her name," I said. And he was quite faint shadowy light of the spring even-To ing, the faint odor of violets in the air. It was two months since I lay, stunned and dazed, mad with my own misery, under the light of the Christmas stars, and now I had the problem of my life in my hands. Before I could decide it, I said to myself, I would go over all my past life again, as the memory of it came to me. My story was a tragedy, common enough, perhaps, but none the less terrible, for those who suffer by it, to bear. I may call it "The Story of a Burled for such in truth it was.

Let me begin it when the bells were ringing for my father's wedding, and Henry Gordon Fane, an honored gen-tlemen, whose word was as good as the oath of another, brought home his beautiful young wife, my mother, Culross Hall. The bells pealed, people cheered, the air was filled with jubilant music, and my mother thought the most brilliant future on earth was

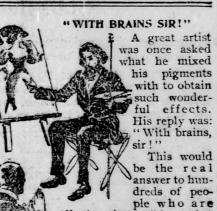
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THE RAILWAYS

Increased Earnings of the G. T. R-

New Style of Snow-Plows. Grand Trunk Railway: Earnings, 15th to the 21st of November, 1899, \$566,604; corresponding week in 1898, \$531,593; increase, \$53,611.

A meeting of the members of the Canadian Ereight Association was held at the Russell House, Detroit, on Monday, with John Earls, of Toronto, pre-sident of the association, in the chair.



dreds of people who are all the time asking what Dr. Pierce's medicines are mixed with to produce such marvelous These medicines are the result of Dr. Pierce's thorough professional education; his deep study of the principles of materia medica and of the human physiology in health and disease: and above all his unparalleled practical experience.

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pleased me, he added:
"You should have charge of the lawn flowers if you liked."
"What advantages would that give locomotives with a new style of snow-plow. These plows are left on the engines in fine weather this time of the year because of the difficulty of remov-"Many. You would see Sir Aleck and also to provide against a sudden change. They are said to work magnificently, going through a drift with the aid of one locomotive as readily as an old style plow backed by two engines. They have the additional advantage of being workable from the

RELIEF FOR INDIA

Missionaries Ready to Distribute Bounty-30,000,000 People Are Threatened by Starvation.

New York, Nov. 29.-Rev. J. E. Abbott, of the American board of foreign missions, for 18 years stationed at Bombay, now in New York, makes a summary of Viceroy Cnrzon's report on the famine in India:

"The seriously affected area com-prises 350,000 square miles, inhabited by 30,000,000 people. It includes about five-sixths of the central provinces, nearly the whole of the Berars, North Deccan and Guzurat, South and Central Punjab, together with the territories of large native states in Central and Western India. The large group of native states north of Bombay, the Baroda State, the greater part of the Indore State, virtually the whole of Rajoutana, and some minor states in Central India are very seriously af-The area is larger than that fected. of the famine of 1896-97, but the population affected is less. It is expected that the cost of the famine to the government up to March, 1900, will be about \$5,000,000, aside from advances to agriculturists and the loss of revenue in the affected area."

Notwithstanding all that the gov ernment may be expected to do there will still be large classes of the native population that may be saved from perishing by the timely exercise of private philanthropy, and Mr. Abbott says: "The question will naturally arise as to the best avenue for sending relief. Until other relief committees are started the missionary bodies af-ford organizations ready made for distributing the bounty of this country. The American Presbyterian, Methodist, Episcopal, Canada Presbyterian, Alli-ance Mission, and Disciple Church boards all have missions in the famine area. The time to help is at the very beginning of the famine."

CANADIANS SMOKE MUCH

The Consumption of Cigars the Past Year Breaks the Record.

Ottawa, Nov. 30 .- At the Inland revenue department statistics of the consumption of cigars, cigarettes and tobacco are kept, and advance turns show an immense increase for the year ending June 30 last in the quantities of the duxury consumed. The consumption of cigars reached in the twelve months a total of 128,909,-992, an increase over the previous year of 15,816,127. Taking the census population that would show an average consumption per year of 25 cigars for every inhabitant, or, on the basis of city directory compilation, of one adult male for every five of the population, of 125 cigars per annum for each Canadian man. Of the total giv-en 112,353,955 are entered as foreign leaf, 1,021,650 as Canadian leaf and 654,845 as combination. Under the heading of foreign leaf tobacco the return shows a total of 7,105,786, against 6,648,333 pounds the previous year; Canadian leaf, 2,186,426 pounds, against 1,807,959, and combination leaf tobac-co, 352,205 pounds. The consumption of foreign leaf cigarettes totalled 100,-750,828, against 79,666,317 previous year. The foreign raw leaf paid a tax of \$1,067,656, against \$851,786 the year be fore. This represents, of course, only the inland revenue duty, and does not include that paid to the customs. The figures throughout are of the cigarettes and tobacco which has paid the government tax rather than that actually smoked during the twelve months. The increase in the trade in general is no doubt due to the improving times and the better circulation of money. The increase in the cigar production is without a precedent. In 1897 the Canadian tobacco consumption was only 726,081 pounds, so the rapid expansion in this trade to 2,186,426 pounds is apparent.

St. Andrew's Nicht.

By John Imrie, Toronto.1 The farther Scotchmen gang frae hame They seem to grow the fonder O' everything that's Scotch in name, An' crack about it yonder-Ayont Atlantic's briny

They a' ken ane anither-The Scot's at hame where'er he roam,

An' share to find a brither! Chorus-St. Andrew's, Caledonians, Clans, As Sons o' Scotland gather; An' gallant braw "John Heilan'mans!" Are prood o' hame and

whan St. Andrew's day comes An' roon There's aye a demonstration, They march wi' pipers through the

toon. In honor o' oor nation: At nicht they spread a table fair, An' mak' a jolly pairty-

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Thomas Steele, a picneer of Downie township, died Monday morning. Squire Cummingford, of North Ridge, has been stricken with paratysis. Mr. James Meek and his son, of Southwold, were injured in a runaway

Abram Henry, an Indian, was killed on the G. T. R. track, between Caledonia and Onondaga.

John Larman, who lives on the Paris road, near Brantford, cut himself with a razor while making kindling, and The 50-acre farm of Mrs. John A. Lamont, con. 6, Grey, has been purchased by James Douglas, con. 16, of Grey, the price being \$2,700. Mr. Douglas gets possession next March.

Matthew Henry Dunham, father of Mrs. Robert Connelly, St. Thomas, strayed away from home on Saturday, and has not since been heard from. He is 71 years of age, and very feeble

The Aylmer Canning Company filled an order for the Transvaal last week, and have shipped a turkey for the Christmas dinner of one of the Canadian volunteers from Hamilton, now on the way to the scene of war.

Mr. G. N. Arnoldi, discount clerk of the Merchants' Bank at Berlin, has been promoted to the position of teller in the branch of the bank at Kin-cardine. Mr. H. F. Boultbee succeeds Mr. Arnoldi at the discount wicket. The vacancy caused by these changes will be filled by Mr. C. S. Rapley, of Walkerton.

At Orangeville, while practicing shooting, Fred Mason, aged 16, and Geo. Truman, aged 14, became involved in a dispute as to whose turn it was to shoot. In the souffle for the possession of the rifle it was accidentally discharged, the ball taking effect in Mason's groin and passing upward into his bowels, inflicting a fatal wound James Sterling, the Blenheim stock dealer, lately made an experimental shipment of hogs to Buffalo. is a considerable duty going into the United States, but the firm to which he sold intends buying more heavily if they find the Canadian hog is enough superior to the American hog to return to them the extra expendi-

About 300 persons attended the laying of the corner-stone of the new Presbyterian Church at Wallaceburg on Tuesday by Robert Ferguson, M. P. P. The service opened by a short speech by Rev. D. Currie. Rev. Mr. Charlesworth, of the Baptist Church read a passage from the Bible. Rev Dr. Cook, of the Methodist Church followed with prayer, after which Mr. Ferguson had the honor of laying the stone with a silver trowel especially made for the occasion. R. Sutherland, of the Herald, read a history of the church, and placed the records, etc., in the stone. J. P. Doolittie's patent glass jar, holding some trinkets and the records of the church, was placed in the stone. Rev. D. Currie, pastor of the church, closed with an address.

Township Councils.

DELAWARE Delaware township council Nov. 13, all the members present. The committee re Graydon account, the gravel pit fence and the Lewis drain reported progress. Bylaw No. 425 was read three times and passed. The engineer's report, re branch drain, was read and approved and the clerk in-structed to have the bylaw ready for next regular meeting. Wm. Robert-son and Aulton Ryckman were granted 10 cents per rod for wire fence on the 4th con. Robert Stevens was ordered to look after Kilworth bridge approach, also repair road. Thomas Parsons asked for some changes in the McCulley drain. Mr. Elviage will look after the same and report. The treasurer was instructed to pay to the ratepayers of No. 2 drain and branch one-tenth assessed against the lands under bylaw No. 294. E Thomas applied for a grant. No action. The following accounts were ordered paid: A. O. Graydon, C. E., services re Pul-ford suit, \$13; W. Ling, half-pay for work on townline, Southwold and Delaware, \$17; J. Cawrse, for lime, \$13 15; D. McAuley, repairing ditch and road, lot 18, con. 4, \$7; J. Ackland and road, lot 18, con. 4, \$7; J. Ackland and others, repairing No. 3 bridge, Komoka, road, \$8; J. Eichenberg, culvert, Boles' hill, \$5 80; Parkins and others, repairing Sutherland bridge, \$10 75; D. Ward, for gravel, \$7 60; S. F. Nichols, gravel, 70 cents; M. Montague, \$7 20; the World office, for printing forms, \$7 30; Thomas Johnstone, for sheep killed by dogs and valuator's fee, \$14 16; Robertson and Ryckman, fence, con. 9, \$13 50. Coun-Ryckman, fence, con. 9, \$13 50. Council adjourned to meet Dec. 15, 1899. D. C. Harris, clerk.

McGILLIVRAY. Council met pursuant to adjournment in the town hall on Nov. 6. Present: N. Grieve, reeve; R. Hutchinson, M. Miller, P. P. Harding and A. H. Hodgins, councilors. Accounts were rassed as follows: W. Mawson, repairing bridge, \$1 95; W. Mawson, gravel, ing bridge, \$1 95; W. Mawson, gravel, start bridge, \$1 95; W. Mawson, gravel, \$4; H. Mathers, graveling, \$67 50; H. Baldwin, commissioner overseeing graveling, \$5; H. Baldwin, over-seeing ditching, \$725; J. Smith, one lamb killed by dogs, \$2; G. Curtis, one lamb killed by dogs, \$2 33; H. Mathers, gravel, \$11 60; J. Bulock, driving posts and planking hill, Parkhill road, \$58 75; J. Bullock, ditching, \$9 25; J. Bullock, fencing, \$12 50; A. Maguire, tile, \$2 90; A. Paton, graveling, \$53 35; A. Paton, graveling, \$12; D. Robinson, building culvert, \$4 50; G. Charlton, gravel, \$11 40; G. Bice, gravel, \$18 40; G. Bice, repairing culvert, etc., \$1 15; J. Bullock, repairing Sebee flats, \$1; A. Hislop, repairing culvert, \$1; H. C. Baird, tile, \$5; D. Gooding, graveling, \$10 30; W. J. Prance, overseeing graveling, \$3; W. Harmer, plank, 75 cents; A. McIntosh, gravel, \$3150; J. Gardner, overseeing graveling, \$150; W. Peck, plank, \$360; W. Peck, repairing bridge, \$225; G. Poor, cutting willows, 50 cents; J. L. Foster, tile. \$1 25; C. Nickles, stumping and culverts, \$11; T. Jennings, grading, \$4; R. England, gravel, \$7.20; A. Paton, graveling, \$26 60; A. Paton, ditching, \$1 10; W. Harmer, ditching, \$4; F. McKeever, gravel, \$8 50; F. McKeever, gravel, \$12 80; C. Nickles, grading and culvert, \$18 25; F. Nickies, repairing bridge, \$52 40; Pearson, building pier and repairs, \$86; Thomson, overseeing and lahor \$17 45; W. Dixon, building bridge, \$16; J. Simpson, building bridge, \$1475; Neil V. Maguire, repairing bridges, \$150; J. Williams, cleaning ditch, \$1; A. McIntosh, graveling, \$3240; A. Steeper, gravel, \$1369; H. Pexton, culverts, \$9.75; H. Pexton, building bridge, \$15; H. Pexton, graveling, \$11.50; H. Pexton, ditching, \$10.50; A. Durr, ditch-

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Nov. 29, 8 p.m.—Pressure continues low through the greater por-tion of the continent, and especially so over the upper lake region and the Northwest Territories and Manitoba. Minimum and maximum temperatures New Westminster, 40-46; Kamloops, 33-44; Calgary, 24-34; Qu'Appelle, 30-32; Winnipeg, 32-36; Port Arthur, 32-42; Parry Sound, 34-42; Toronto, 42-48; Ottawa, 34-40; Montreal, 38-38; Quebec, 34-40; Halifax, 36-48.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Nov. 29, were: Highest, 45; lowest, 38.5 de-

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-Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bridge, of Hespeler, are guests at the Tecumseh, on their honeymoon trip.

-Miss M. A. Brennan, of Alvinston, spent a few days with Mrs. W. Sadler, and others, in the city, the past week. -Beginning on Dec. 1, the time of the L. E. and D. R. R. leaving St. Thomas for London will be changed from 10:15 p.m. to 10 o'clock, sharp, arriving here at 10:30.

-The London Poultry and Pet Stock Association has donated \$100 in special prizes to the Ontario Association for the annual exhibition, to be held this year at Peterboro. This "special" is the largest ever given in Can-

-The funeral of the late Eugene Moriarty took place yesterday after-noon to the Roman Catholic Cemetery. Services were held in St. Peter's Cathedral. The veterans of 1885 paid a last tribute to the memory of their old comrade by attending the funeral in a body.

-Miss Annie L. Laird, Miss Lizzie Laird, B.A., and Mr. James Laird have returned to London after visiting friends in Paris, Miss. Lizzie Laird has just recently returned from Germany, where she took a special course

of instruction. -Eight East End lads were up be fore Squire Smyth yesterday, charged with throwing stones at street cars near Pottersburg. The cases were dismissed, as the crown decided to offer no evidence. The lads were warned, however, that it would go hard with them if they repeated the offense.

-Secretary Bell, of the board of works, has written several large Canadian and American cities for infor-matton regarding the disposal of the sewage from large slaughter-houses. This step has been taken because of the application of the Canadian Packing

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-Woodstock Times: W. E. Sutherland, who has for several years been a popular teacher at Maplewood, is about to leave that school to enter into business with his brother in Lon-This evening his friends will present him with a handsome gold watch as a token of their esteem. His many friends wish him the best of luck in his new home.

-Mr. Herb J. Boyd, formerly with the late firm of Messrs. Pigot & Bryan, of this city, has completed arrangements with a number of the leading English and American manufacturers of crockery, china, table glassware and lamp goods, for representing them in Manitoba and British Columbia, with headquarters and sample rooms at Winnipeg, for which city he leaves to-

-A magnificent gift for Bishop Mc-Evay reached this city the other day. It comprised a set of pontificals, imported from Europe, and the production of the celebrated house of Pustet & Co. It was tendered his lordship by three of his old classmates—Rev. Father Buckley, of Owen Sound; Rev. Dr. John Talbot Smith, of New York, and Rev. Father McCloskey, of Campand Rev. bellford. The pontificals are printed in the highest style of the printers' art, bound in morocco, gilt, and suitably inscribed.—Catholic Record.

-Hamilton Herald: "Ormsby Graydon, city engineer of London, has requested a copy of the specifications under which cement walks are laid in Hamilton, with a statement of their cost, so that a comparison may be made between the cost by day labor here and by contract in London." The tests conducted during the recent in tests conducted during the recent indicate that the city would effect a great saving on the contract system by laying their own walks, provided the specifications were lived up to. The advocates of day labor on the city's walks, if the system of laying artificial. walks is to be continued, are a strong company at the city hall.

-The London Street Railway Company figures in two cases in the court of appeal today. Through I.F. Hellmuth the company is asking the court to set judgment of a board of county judges at London, who held the company liable for an assessment of about \$150,000, not including the company's power house. They held the company liable for \$7,000 a mile on its poles, rails and wires, which the board assessed as a going concern and not on a scrap iron value, which it is claimed they should have done, in accordance with the decision of the court of appeal in the Hamilton case. The case of George Lewis, who holds a judgment against the company for \$400 for injuries is also appealed against by the company.-Toronto Tel-

—At the Women's Morning Music Club, yesterday, the following pro-gramme was rendered:

Cowen "Swallows"

Miss McLaren.
Tone pictures (with fillustrations.) (a) Music Religious.

(b) Music Domestic

Mr. T. G. Mitcheltree. Mrs. F. A. Leute. Beethoven .. "Romanze" (violin solo)
Miss Mabel Webbe.
Tone pictures—(c) Music in Nature (d) Music Poetic and

Romantic. Mr. T. G. Mitcheltree. "Autumn-Spring Song" Miss E. L. Walker. (Violin obligato, Miss Webb.)

-Epworth League anniversary services, in connection with the first Methodist Church, were held on Sunday and Monday last. Sabbath morning the pulpit was occupied by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Smith, and in the evening by Rev. Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. On Monday evening a social reunion of the league was held in Wesley Hall, when a very enjoyable and profitable evening was spent by the Epworth Leaguers and their friends. A splendid programme was rendered, a rather humorous feature being "School Day Reminiscences," by Rev. Dr. Smith, Mr. Matthews and Mr. Currie, of Detroit. Recitations were rendered by Miss Brinley, a graduate from Penn-sylvania, this being her first appearance in the city. Her elocutionary powers are of a very high order, and so delighted her audience as to demand an enthusiastic encore, to which she very kindly responded. FOUL PLAY SUGGESTED.

A Port Huron telegram says: The relatives of Robert McIntyre, whose dead body was found floating in St. Clair River Saturday, suspect foul play. The last heard of him was Oct. He has always been known to have money, and his overcoat and grip are missing, and no money was found on his person. Alfred and Frank Grimley, the brothers-in-law of the dead man, were in the city today consulting with the police and coroner in regard to the matter. The body will be exhumed and another examination made. The doctor could not find any marks on the body at the time. Chief of Police Williams says he has not heard of anything being done in the matter. MoIntyre's body is buried at Melrose. MRS. McLEOD'S LAWSUIT.

Woodstock Sentinel-Review: Mrs. P. H. McLeod, who is visiting friends in town for a few days, told a reporter today that she intended to press her suit against her husband for the \$5,000



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which he agreed to pay her. According to Mrs. McLeod this action rose in this way. All of P. H. McLeod's property was in his wife's name, and on condition that she should release this to the Ontario Trusts Corporation her husband was to give her \$5,000. But after the transfer Mrs. McLeod alleges that she was refused the money, and although they had a judicial sepa-ration the payment of this sum was conditional upon Mrs. McLeod's releasing the property in her name. In addition to this suit, Mrs. McLeod has brought an action for alimony against her husband, who, however, is defending it on the usual grounds. Mrs. Mc-Leod stated further that she had a well-known firm of lawyers in New York and other legal advisers in To-ronto, who didn't take her case with-out first ascertaining that there was something in sight. She said the trust orporation in Toronto was administering her husband's estate still, and her lawyers had told her that it was now valued at from \$25,000 to \$30,000. Mr. McLeod is living at present in Buf-

IN DREAD OF FIRE

Ratepayers Residing Near the Queen City Oil Company's Premises Complain.

A brief meeting of No. 3 committee was held last night, the members present being Ald. Dreaney (chairman), McCallum, Winnett, and Jolly, Engineer Graydon, Chief Roe, Inspector Bell and Secretary Bell.

With regard to the petition of ratepayers for better fire protection in the vicinity of the Queen City Oil Company's premises, Engineer Graydon. Chief Roe and Chairman Dreaney re-ported that they had examined the premises, and found that the company take the greatest care and precaution against fire. They advised that the company be allowed to continue their storage in the manner and to the extent they now do, provided that a hydrant be placed on the north side of York street, opposite their premises, and that they erect a stand-pipe, with sufficient these attached, in their yard; further, that all naphtha and benzine or other explosive oils be stored on the west side of the building situated on the south end of the lot.

C. G. Morehead, Reuben Short, John Clemison and Richard Johnston were present on behalf of the petitioners. and expressed strong opposition to the sub-committee's report. "We ask only to be treated as other citizens." Mr. Morehead said. "Our lives and property are now in constant danger, and the value of our property has been depreciated greatly in value." It was to the storing of large quantities of



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naphtha and benzine the petitioners objected to chiefly, and in reply to Ald. NO C. P. R. SHOPS

ed it would be satisfactory to the peti-tioners if nothing but coal oil was stored there, and the business were not Chief Roe said that so far as the danger to the surrounding property was concerned, he believed there was none. The depreciation of the value of these properties was another mat-

Winnett, Mr. Morehead said he believ-

Under the bylaws not more than one barrel of benzine or naphtha is to be stored within the city limits, except in places designated by the chief of the fire department, city engineer and the chairman of No. 3 committee.

The committee received favorably the petitioners' request to have the benzine and naphtha removed, and the company will be interviewed accord-Contractor McNeil's successor having failed to carry out his contract to sup-ply relief wood north of Dundas street,

new tenders will be called, to be in Monday, at 5 p.m. A statement of the committee's finances will be prepared to submit to the council Monday evening. An over-

draft is feared. MISS BIGGART

Distinguished Writer and Savant to Lecture at the Auditorium.

Miss Mabelle Biggart, of New York city, is at the Tecumseh House. Miss Biggart is a distinguished writer, lecturer and raconteur well known in the larger cities of the United States and Canada, where she has been engaged in platform work in aid of educational institutions, philanthropies and women's clubs. She is a member of the National Geographical Society of the United States, and has pursued ethnological studies throughout the States and Canada. Her travels have been the means to an end. For seven years she has been collecting data for her book, "Ourselves and Our Neighbors," and this work will be completed when she visits Mexico. Last summer Miss Biggart visited Newfoundland, Labrador, and the Esquimaux districts, and found them full of interest, not only to her as a student of ethnology, but as a writer of stories, and as a result of her visit a novel from her pen, "Solomon Garland of Newfoundland," is now in the hands of her publishers. "Arcadians, Old and New," is another of Miss Biggart's books, the writing of which was inspired by her acquaintance with Canadians. Hers is an interesting personality. She is versatile, genial and thoroughly cosmopolitan. When asked as to her impressions of London, she said, with characteristic piquancy, that the city has the air of substantiality, and the people seemed to be progressive, rather than aggressive. Yesterday morning Miss Biggart gave an instructive talk at Harding Hall on "The Riders of the Deep," in which she dealt in an interesting manner with the people of New-foundland, as she found them. On Thursday, Dec. 7, she will give a lec-ture-recital under the patronage of the

FOR THE PRESENT

President Shaugnessy Makes a Definite Statement Regarding the

Company's Intentions. In reply to letters sent by Messrs. Hunt Bros., Sir John Carling and others, regarding the building of proposed new carshops in this city, Mr. Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, has

sent the following letter: "Referring to your letter of the 25th inst., London is becoming quite an important divisional point, and we are doing there all the work incidental to the traffic passing through such a point in the way of running repairs. We do not contemplate the erection of any shops in the west, but rather to enlarge and consolidate our shops here (at Montreal). Whenever circumstances make it necessary to provide additional car or locomotive building shops in Ontario, the claims of London will not be overlooked."

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ing artist fully met.
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midst. When Madame Friedheim sang so delightfully other qualities of the instrument were brought into test-the tone, its sweetness, delicacy of touch, but it did not seem to matter at what point the test was made; the instrument was equal to the requirements. London Warerooms, 217 Dundas Dundas street.

Thursday, Lee. 1, and the patronage of the Young Men's Christian Association, at the Auditorium. The subject will be "George Bilot," and the programme will include Miss Biggart's condensed dramatization of "Adam Bede," with orchestration. Miss Biggart, when a young girl, met George Eniot, and has made a deep study of the great noveliat's character and broke. Why will you allow a cough to