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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

SMITH—At Lambeth, on March 12, 1902, Thomas A., only son of Alexander G. and Mary Eleanor Smith, of Springfield, county of Elgin, in his 22nd year.

Funeral from the residence of Henry Hamlyn, Lambeth, on Friday, March 14, at 1:30 p.m.; service, 1 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

HARRISON—At Glencoe, on the 13th of March, 1902, in the 49th year of her age, Rachel, the beloved wife of Geo. M. Harrison.

Funeral services in St. John's Church, Glencoe, on Saturday, at 2 o'clock; interment at Oakland Cemetery.

McDERMID—At Strathroy, on March 12, 1902, suddenly, Clara A., daughter of the late William Plewes, and beloved wife of Daniel McDermid.

Funeral at 3:30 on Friday, from the residence of her mother, 57 Becher street; services at 3 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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Fri. & Satur. **NEW GRAND** Mat. Satur.

THE BOSTON LYRIC
50 people. OPERA CO. 50 people.

Friday evening, "Il Trovatore." Saturday matinee, "The Bohemian Girl." Saturday evening, "Faust." Seats ready. Evening, $1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Matinee, 50c, 25c. b

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the world's most eminent Phrenologist, in his great lectures at the Auditorium. "Vitosophy," Friday night, March 14, free. "How to Become Rich," Saturday night, March 15, free. "How to Become Healthy," Monday night, March 17, free. "Matrimony," Tuesday night, March 18; both sexes, admission 10 cents. At this lecture Prof. Windsor will introduce several beautiful young ladies and select husbands for them from the audience. "Health and Beauty," Tuesday afternoon, March 18; to ladies, 15 cents.

London Opera House, Wednesday night, March 19; men only, free.

Consult Prof. Windsor at the Tecumseh House, and obtain a reliable delineation of your character, showing your faults and virtues, your best business adaptation, your health and how to secure it, adaptation in marriage and business partnership, how to accumulate a fortune and prolong life. Hours, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. 30c

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New Grand Opera House,

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 17.

Hirwen Jones, tenor; Hilda Richardson, violoncellist; Alice Calder Stock, soprano; Owen A. Smiley, entertainer. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c. 26h

DON'T FORGET ANCHOR BASEBALL Club's concert and assembly in City Hall, Friday evening. 30u

TONIGHT—LECTURE, "THE TRIANGULAR Man." Rev. Richard Hobbs, Askin Street Methodist Church. Tickets, 15c. b

FRIDAY, 14th INST.—YORK STREET Mission Hall. Social evening. Good programme. Tea served. Little Marie Barrows and others will recite and sing. All welcome. Admission, 15c. b

THE STEAMSHIP IONIAN, OF THE Allan Line, sailing Monday, March 24, will take passengers at Halifax only. For Liverpool, calling at Moville, to land mails and passengers. F. B. Clarke, agent Allan Line, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

DANCING—BEGINNERS' NEW TERM now open. Gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF the London retail merchants this (Thursday) evening, in Duffield block, at 8 o'clock. All retail merchants are asked to attend. b

MALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

MARRIED MAN WANTED FOR FARM work; must be sober. Apply M. C., "The Pines," Wyton, Ont. 30u

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED PORTER; must be first-class. Apply New Daly House, Ingersoll. 27i

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Ownership of a Steinway Piano indicates three things:

Good Judgment in business,

Good Taste in music, and

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Sole Agents

The Nordheimer Piano and Music Co.
Limited.

188 Dundas Street.
62 Years Established.

Making Business Hum Just Now

The new 1902 Shoes are trade winners. Thousands of pairs in Men's, Women's and Children's to choose from.

You will quickly recognize the money-saving advantages of such value as we have to offer for the spring trade.

The Invictus Shoes

are good shoes. Eighteen styles for men and twelve styles for women, all at one price,

$3.50.

Don't ask for your size; ask to be fitted.

Pocock Bros.

Have you taken advantage of our wind-up price sale? The bargains will interest you.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY 227 Hyman street. 30c

EXPERIENCED SKIRT AND WAIST makers wanted. Apply at Smallman & Ingram's. 30c

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT. Apply Fraser House. 29c

WANTED—SMART GIRLS; STEADY employment. Reid Bros. Co., Clarence street. b

WANTED—50 FUR SEWERS. Apply Fried, Wright & Co., wholesale manufacturing furriers, Cruickshank block, opposite Tecumseh House. 28i

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED housemaid. Apply to Miss Meredith, 565 Talbot street. 28c

EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID WANTED, by the beginning of April. Apply Mrs. Puddicombe, 293 King street. 26tf

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY SUPERINTENDENT of D. S. Perrin & Co. 19tf

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WANTED—SITUATION. LADY BOOKKEEPER, several years' experience, can give best of references. Box 12, Advertiser. 28c-ywt

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TOP BUGGY—NEARLY NEW; AND set of single harness. Inquire 501 Richmond street. 30c

FOR SALE—BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS. Apply 762½ Richmond street. 30n

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, also horses, wagons and harness, cheap. Got to be sold, as parties are leaving town. Chester street, brick cottage, south side. 30c

FOR SALE—THREE PENS OF THOROUGHBRED Barred Plymouth Rocks. 170 Bruce street. 30c-wty

GOOD THREE-SPRING WAGON AND cart for sale, cheap. Apply 576 Grey street. 30c

FOR SALE—WELL-BRED YOUNG driving horse. Apply H. N. Fleming, 474 Pall Mall street. 30c

SHAMROCK—A SPRIG OF SHAMROCK for St. Patrick's Day. Pots of the real Irish Shamrock can be had for 25 cents from George Cairncross, florist, London Junction. 29k

SIX HORSES FOR SALE—FOUR DRIVERS and two heavy workers. 16 Horton street. 28c

FOR SALE—50 EGG INCUBATORS, $5. D. Greenside, 99 Clarence street. 27n

FOR SALE—SAFE, NEARLY NEW. Apply 152 Carling street. 27n

MEDICAL BATTERIES FOR SALE OR hire. Apply 552 Central avenue. 26g

NEW BICYCLE TIRES, $3 50 PAIR. Large stock of all kinds. Second-hand tires, 50c to $1. J. H. Cunningham, 664 Dundas street.

EMPTY OIL BARRELS AND CASKS. London Soap Company.

WOOD FOR SALE—WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at $1 25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street, leading east end wood yard. 'Phone 1,312.

COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE AND Cincinnati Enquirer, one whole year for $1 60. Red Star News Company, 90 Dundas street, London.

TWO ENGINES AND BOILER FOR sale, and one Laird brick and tile mill combined. For particulars apply to Charles Hales, Northwood, Ont. 23h

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASHING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Free sample at G. Marshall & Co.'s tea store. wt

F. S. ONN, DEALER IN ALL KINDS of fresh, salt and smoked fish. Your patronage solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed. 'Phone 1,296. zxw

WE WILL SELL FOR TWO WEEKS only $4 trunks for $3, and $4 50 for $3 25. P. Hendershott & Co., 427 Park avenue. yw

PRINTING BARGAIN HOUSE—THOUSAND statements, billheads, circulars, etc., $1. Write for prices. Adams, Toronto. ywt

PORK AND BEEF AT LOWEST prices. Pickled hams and bacon. Roast and boiling beef. Fresh pork and sausage. Wholesale and retail. 1 to 5 Market House. James A. Anderson. ywt

THE NOBBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street.

$110 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS engine, in first-class order. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.

FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10 cents per line. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

STOVES—STOVES—STOVES—WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street.

SNAP—GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 7 1-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only $100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT coal, steam coal and slack, or the best hard and soft wood, and good, dry sawmill slabs, at $1 30 per load, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.

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Made to Your Measure.



OUR LINE OF PANTS
At $5.00
DEFY COMPETITION.

196 Dundas Street.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

A SNAP FOR YOUNG MAN—GROCERY business for sale; cash trade; stock, about $300. Rent, $12 per month. Can board on premises. Address Box 6, Advertiser office. 24i-wty bw

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HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231.

REAL ESTATE.

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FOR SALE IMMEDIATELY—THE RESIDENCE of the late E. N. Hunt, newly decorated; 9 rooms, furnace, hot and cold water, bath and every convenience; barn. Bargain. Move quick. Apply 356 Dundas street. 23n-xwtywt

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOTS, NEAR new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 278 Ridout street. 16tf-ywt

MODERN HOUSE, 27 THORNTON AVENUE, for sale cheap. Brick house and frame stable. Apply T. H. Luscombe, 169 Dundas street. 28bu

FOR SALE—TWO STORY BRICK RESIDENCE, modern. 456 Piccadilly street.

FOR SALE—FINE 50 ACRES, CLAY loam, good buildings, near Watford. 110 acres new land, 45 ready for crop; new buildings; only $35 per acre. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

HOUSE, NEARLY NEW, FOR SALE cheap. Apply H. N. Fleming, 474 Pall Mall street. 27n

WANTED.

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WANTED—ABOUT APRIL 1, HOUSE with modern improvements; family of two. State particulars. Box 13.2, Advertiser. 29bh

WANTED—HORSE, IN EXCHANGE for painting or paperhanging. Apply 410 Horton street. 28c

COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadours. They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

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TO LET—TWO STORY BRICK BUILDING, with basement, suitable for workshop or storage. Apply 515 Richmond. 30c

TO LET—MODERN TWO STORY brick house, centrally located; five minutes' walk from postoffice. Possession by April 15. Apply Canada Trust Company, executors, Richmond street. 30c

TO RENT—A HUNDRED ACRE FARM, with dwelling house and barns, and well fenced; plenty of water; 12 acres fall wheat sown. Inquire T. Tambling, 200 Ridout street, South London. 87tf-12tf-wty

TO LET—COTTAGE, IN GOOD REPAIR, Wellington street, near King. J. H. Tennant, 275 King street. 26c-tyw

TO LET—BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED house for a year; 9 rooms; every convenience; central location. Apply to Mrs. E. N. Hunt, 356 Dundas street. 26n-tyw

TO RENT—HOUSE, BARNS AND 12 acres of land in Village of Komoka; orchard and about 2 acres of small fruits. Carles Wernham, Komoka. 29c

COTTAGE TO LET ON DREANEY avenue, in good repair; large lot for gardening purposes; immediate possession. Apply A. Keenleyside, 500 King street. 25n

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

CALL UP FOREST CITY MOVING van. Residence, 46 Becher street. 'Phone 1,444. T. B. McKim, proprietor. 21bu

MOVING VANS—STORAGE WAREHOUSE, 97 Carling street. 'Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

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BOARDERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with excellent board and rooms at 411 King street. 28n

BROKERS.

WANTED — AGRICULTURAL AND Canadian loan companies' stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London. 'Phone 693.

PERSONAL.

LADIES' CONSULTATION PARLORS —Specialty, health and toilet remedies. Palmistry continued by request. Madame, 470 Ridout.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOME FOR INCURABLES, LONDON, Ont.—The comforts of home, with nursing, for invalids, male and female, city or country, on moderate terms. Apply to Mrs. Pattuilo, secretary Women's Christian Association, London.

A CABINET FOR SPAIN

Premier Sagasta Will Arrange One Today.

Tolstoi Suffers a Sudden Change for the Worse.

Abandonment of Proposed Royal Visit to Ireland Officially Announced and Causes Keen Discussion.

NEW SPANISH CABINET.

Madrid, March 12.—Premier Sagasta was received in audience by the queen regent today, and informed her majesty of the definite resignation of Senator Urzaiz, the minister of finance. The cabinet is to meet tomorrow under the presidency of Senor Sagasta, when new heads of the ministers of finance and the interior will be appointed.

TOLSTOI WORSE.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—A sudden change for the worse has taken place in the condition of Count Tolstoi, who has been ill for some time past at Yalta, Crimea. His weakness is more pronounced today and symptoms of pleurisy have developed. His pulse is most feeble and frequently stops. The patient cannot sleep and is in low spirits.

London, March 13.—The King's proposed visit to Ireland has been definitely abandoned. An official announcement to this effect was made last night. Although no reason has been assigned for this decision, it is an open secret that both Earl Cadogan and Mr. George Wyndham advised his majesty not to visit Ireland this year, owing to the unsettled condition of certain parts of the country. At the conclusion of the cabinet meeting on Tuesday, Earl Cadogan went across to Marlborough House, where he had a prolonged interview with the King.

MORLEY AGAINST ROSEBERY.

As was anticipated, John Morley, M.P., when he spoke at Manchester last night, strongly supported home rule and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, as against Lord Rosebery. He advised the Liberals to stand by their convictions and said he failed to see how a parliamentary majority could be secured if they quarreled with the Irish, the Laborites and the Radicals.

MR. WYNDHAM'S PLANS.

Mr. Wyndham was an optimist when he was under secretary for war, and he has not changed his character since his transfer to Ireland. His faith in the efficacy of his own land purchase bill has influenced the two Balfours, and through them the Cecil family, now in charge of the affairs of the empire. That measure will be produced by Mr. Wyndham before the resources of the crimes act are employed against the United Irish League.

NATIONALISTS AND LANDLORDS SKEPTICAL.

This is a source of regret to the more aggressive Nationalist members, who are anxious to have the league proclaimed as soon as possible, and the area of disorder, now confined to the western counties of the island, widened. They are as incredulous as the landlords themselves respecting Mr. Wyndham's ability to lessen the tension between owners and occupiers in congested districts. Landlords and politicians are convinced that the resale of the Dillon estate, with its wiping out of heavy arrears of rent and its material reduction of occupiers' annual charges, has unsettled the entire land question. They are wondering what Mr. Wyndham can do with the agrarian agitation when compulsory sale is excluded by the English principle of right of ownership.

THE KING'S FIRST COURT.

The King, the Prince of Wales and Princess Louise were employed yesterday in royal functions at St. James', Manchester and Liverpool. The arrangements as revised for the first court show that the etiquette of the Victorian drawing-room has been virtually retained, although the function has been renamed. The number of courtesies has been reduced to two, and the members of the royal family stand behind the King and Queen. The first court will be larger and less exclusive than has been reported during the last few weeks. Lady Londonderry's reception and Lady Hayter's party were the chief midweek events last week.

COUNTESS VS. EARL.

Countess De La Warr has commenced suit against Earl De La Warr for a restitution of conjugal rights, and the outcome of the petition is awaited by society with considerable interest. It appears that Earl De La Warr left the countess a couple of months ago on the ground of incompatability of temper. Earl De La Warr was prominent in city sensations of recent years, notably in the Hooley company promotions, in which the earl figured among the titled directors.

COLONIAL HELP APPRECIATED.

A statement cabled today that Canada would gladly render further assistance in the war, if the Methuen disaster is taken to indicate its need, is widely quoted here with expressions of warm appreciation. On the other hand, Truth sneeringly comments on the fact that the Australian and Canadian contingents were costing England $2,500,000 this year, and says: "If the patriotism of these colonial imperialists materialized itself in the form of cash, I should have a higher opinion of it."

A dispatch to the Times from Wellington, N. Z., says: "Premier Seddon guarantees that New Zealand will subscribe her share, on the population basis, toward strengthing the Australian force in South Africa. Mr. Seddon also suggests the establishment of a reserve force within the colony, ready to take the field when the British Government requires it. Arrangements will be made for rapid mobilization of the tenth New Zealand contingent for service in South Africa if it is needed.

EMIGRATION BEGUN.

The Canadian emigration season opened today, the Parisian leaving Liverpool with a full complement. Webster, a Canadian Government agent, will be in charge of Canadian emigrants. The Sardinian, leaving Glasgow, on the 25th, has already 200 emigrants booked. The government personally conducted parties will leave by each succeeding steamer. At the government office here 8,000 Canadian emigrant inquiries have been received this year, compared with less than half that number last year.

The Canadian gold and food exhibits at the Colonial Exhibition in the Royal Exchange are attracting large interested crowds, and must do much good.

FLYING MACHINES FOR WAR PURPOSES.

Details of a flying machine which Dr. C. F. A. Burton is constructing for the war office were given by him in a paper read at a meeting of the Aeronautical Society. The machine, he explained, is a combination of gas vessel and screw propeller principles, the balloon being fish-shaped and divided internally into four compartments. The driving mechanism consists of six screw propellers coupled to motors.

HIGH-TONED DRUNK.

London, March 13.—Lady Christiania Sykes, whose domestic difficulties have caused notoriety, was arrested on the Strand on the charge of being drunk and incapable of taking care of herself. She was arraigned at the Bow street police court, but her ladyship laughingly pleaded illness and the magistrate released her with a warning not to come before him again. Lady Christiania (Jessie) Sykes is about 46 years of age and a daughter of the Right Hon. Geo. Augustus Cavendish-Bentinck and a relative of the Duke of Portland. She was married in 1873 to Sir Tatton Sykes, a wealthy Yorkshire baronet, 29 years her senior. Her ladyship became prominent on the turf and on the stock exchange. Early in December, 1896, her husband advertised that he could no longer be responsible for her debts. Since that time Lady Sykes has been several times in court on charges of financial irregularities. Last year she and Sir Tatton agreed to a friendly separation, her ladyship being given a yearly allowance of $25,000.

CHINESE REBELS CHASTISED.

A Hong Kong cable says: Marshal Su, who recently arrived at the scene of the Kwang Si rebellion, and took command of the imperial forces, has defeated the rebels at Lung Chow. Su expects to suppress the rising in a month.

REINFORCING BRITISH NAVY.

The British Admiralty has contracted with various shipbuilding companies for the construction of five first-class and two third-class cruisers and two battleships.

FIGHTING IN CHINA.

A dispatch received at St. Petersburg today, at the war office, announced that another fight occurred March 3 between Russian troops and 300 Tunguses, north of Hubandsy, Manchuria. Two hundred Tunguses were killed, including their leader. Two Russians were wounded.

CABLE NOTES.

H. G. Emms & Co., diamond merchants, London, have failed. Their liabilities are estimated at £70,000.

A dispatch from La Paz, Bolivia, says that trouble between the American missionaries and the local clergy there is exciting the populace.

The Italian premier, Signor Zanardelli, and the cabinet, yesterday, appeared before parliament after resignation on Feb. 21. The premier announced that the king, having refused to accept the ministers' resignations, the ministry remained in power and would ask for a vote of confidence.

There is great dissatisfaction in Canton, at the extortionate taxes which the mandarins are levying under the pretext of meeting the Chinese indemnity. The merchants have petitioned the viceroy for redress.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—QUEEN'S OWN HOTEL property, Sarnia gravel road, including license. Apply 16 Horton street. 28c

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE—Good chance. Address Box 90, Advertiser office. 13tf

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South. 62tf

AGENTS WANTED.

$3 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR address and we will show you how to make $3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully. Remember we guarantee a clear profit of $3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fail to write today. Imperial Silverware Company, Box 504, Windsor, Ont. ywt

AGENTS—WE START YOU IN BUSINESS. You can easily make $25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

CLAIRVOYANT.

MADAME BAKER WILL BE ABSENT from the city for ten days. 28n

License Commissioners' Office, 629 Talbot Street.—To Tavernkeepers, Shopkeepers, Wholesale Merchants and others whom it may concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications for license for the sale of liquor in the City of London, for the year 1902-3, commencing on the first day of May next, will be received at this office on and after the twelfth day of March. Any application for premises not now under license must be accompanied with petition signed by a majority of duly qualified electors in the polling subdivision in which the premises sought to be licensed are situate. No application can be received after the first day of April. ROBERT HENDERSON, 28c-ywt Inspector.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE residential property in the Village of Dorchester Station.—The executors of the estate of the late John Hunt have instructed Mr. Thomas Clarke, auctioneer, to offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1902, at the hour of 3 p.m., on the premises, in the Village of Dorchester Station, the residence and real estate in connection therewith belonging to the estate of the late John Hunt. Upon this property there is erected one solid two story brick dwelling house, in good state of repair. There is also a good woodshed and a good horse stable. Terms and conditions of sale will be made known on day of sale, or may be had on application to MESSRS. MEREDITH & FISHER, solicitors for the executors, Lodon, Ont., or to MR. THOMAS CLARKE, auctioneer. 30u-w

OOM PAUL'S CONFIDENCE

In Boer Success Remains Unshaken.

Delarey's Victory Reminds Him of Daniel's Experience.

Names of Some of the British Who Fell—Montana Cayuses Being Bought for British Cavalry.

New York, March 13.—A dispatch from Utrecht, over the signature of former President Paul Kruger, to the Journal, says:

"There will be more good news yet from Delarey. This victory reminds me of Gen. Botha's allusion a year ago to the miracle of faith which saved Daniel out of the lion's den.

"My confidence in the ultimate triumph of the Boer cause could not be greater than it is now, and, indeed, it never has been shaken.

"I hope Britain will show that she sees her folly of attempting to subdue the Boer race by recognizing it now and by restoring independence to the Transvaal republics. By doing this she will spare herself as well as the Boers further bloodshed and expense and will retain the republics as friendly neighbors."

BOER OFFICERS SLAIN.

Cape Town, March 13.—During a skirmish near Pearston, Cape Colony, March 10, between some British troops and Commandant Fouche's force of Boers, Commandant Ovendaal and Field Cornet Van Dor Vail were killed.

BRITISH CASUALTY LIST.

London, March 12.—The war office last night issued a list of casualties among the officers in the fight of Lord Methuen's force with the Boers under General Delarey: Lieutenants Vanning, Nesham and Hartley and Col. Wilson were killed; Gen. Methuen and Col. Townsend were dangerously wounded; Capt. Outram, Lieut. Dennis Logan, of the Imperial Yeomanry, and Lieuts. Mitford and Fitzpatrick were severely wounded, and Lieut. Squires, of the Imperial Yeomanry, slightly wounded. Thirty-eight men were killed and 72 wounded.

The war office issues a correction as to the point from which Lord Methuen was marching. In the dispatches it was stated that he was marching from Wynbery. It should have been Vryberg.

The official information on General Methuen's disaster is still incomplete. The total known British casualties amount to 324. There are still 326 men unaccounted for.

METHUEN A HERO.

Berlin, March 13.—General Methuen, who was British military attache at Berlin from 1877 to 1881, made many friends while here. Among the stories related of him is that upon one occasion when he was going to the palace to visit Emperor William, in 1881, he jumped into the Spree and saved the life of a drowning child. The time required to change his clothes made him late at his audience with the emperor. For this he apologized, but did not give the reason for the delay. A few days later at a reception in the palace, the emperor drew the British attache aside and pinned the rescue medal on the lapel of his coat.

CAYUSES FOR THE CAVALRY.

Sheridan, Mont., March 13.—British agent J. A. Conway, who is purchasing horses for the use of the British cavalry against the Boers in South Africa, purchased a large number of animals in this vicinity. The horses will be shipped to Utah, where they will be inspected by the British officers. Later they will be sent to New Orleans, whence the stock will be shipped to South Africa. The British express great satisfaction with the hardy mountain cayuse from Montana. Over the roughest ground the animals appear almost indefatigable, hour after hour keeping up the swinging gait peculiar to the range horse.

RHODES' CONDITION DANGEROUS

London, March 13.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Standard cables that the breathing of Cecil Rhodes is frequently most difficult and labored and that all the dangerous symptoms remain.

Cape Town, March. 13—Cecil Rhodes passed a restless night, which has appreciably told on his general strength.

A DEATH-DEALING SOUTHERN CYCLONE

Sweeps Through Sections of Mississippi—A Village Wrecked and Several Lives Lost.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 13.—A cyclone swept through the southern end of Copiah and the northern section of Lincoln counties yesterday, killing at least have a dozen people and leveling buildings, trees and fences. Montgomery, a village in Copiah, on the Illinois Central Railroad, was the worst sufferer, and four bodies are known to be under the debris of collapsed buildings. Three miles further south a railroad camp was wrecked and three negroes killed. A passenger train on the Illinois Central Railroad was struck by the storm and every window in each coach was shattered. At Hazelhurst considerable damage was done, but no lives were lost. Wires are down in all directions, and it is impossible to hear from outlying districts.

The London Stock Exchange is investigating a report that news of Gen. Methuen's reverse was known to certain dealers in Kaffirs two hours before it became public.

TRUSSES

A large assortment of new and improved styles to select from.

Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back.

Cairncross & Lawrence,
Chemists and Druggists.
216 Dundas St., Corner Park Ave.,
London, Ont.

A Coming Minister—James Conmee, M. P. P.

In another column will be found a short sketch of James Conmee, M. P. P. for West Algoma. With the growing importance of New or Greater Ontario, special attention is drawn to the qualifications of Mr. Conmee as a member of the Cabinet, and there is a growing belief that at the first opportunity Mr. Conmee will become a member of the Cabinet.

The strength of the Ontario Government has always consisted in the fact that it was progressive and practical, and composed of men of sound common sense. It has always led public opinion. It has not waited to be pushed by it.

We have unlimited faith in our Northern Province, and there is no man in or out of the House who has a more intimate knowledge of it, or who would exercise a sounder judgment with reference to its government than Mr. Conmee. We hope soon to see him a member of the Cabinet, either as Minister of Mines, should such a department be established, or in some other important position. In the development of Ontario's great possessions to the north, much will depend upon the capacity and integrity of those intrusted with the work. Knowledge of the country, too, is a very necessary thing, and this Mr. Conmee possesses in an exceptional degree.

James Conmee, M. P. P. for West Algoma.

[From the Industrial Review.]

The present member for West Algoma in the Ontario Legislature was born on Oct. 13, 1848, in Grey county, Ontario. He took the shaping of his fortune into his own hands at the age of 15, and in 1864 enlisted in the 8th New York Cavalry, serving under the famous General Custer until the close of the civil war.

Returning to Canada he then commenced his career as railroad contractor, on section A of the C. P. R., and from one of his contracts arose the "cause celebre" of Conmee & McLennan vs. C. P. R. The latter company fought the case through every Canadian court, Mr. Conmee finally securing an award against it.

One of the oldest residents of Port Arthur, Mr. Conmee served in the council, and in 1885 was elected mayor, during the same year being nominated and elected as the first member to the Local Legislature for this constituency.

Since entering politics he has been a very active member, and has to his credit several acts on the statute book, which show along what lines his ideas ran. Among these are the municipal waterworks act, the mechanics' lien act, the mining schools act, and the Conmee act, dealing with electric railway and lighting franchises.

In 1889 he commenced the construction of the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway, in partnership with George H. Middleton. The line, now a part of the Canadian Northern system, was completed in 1892. He was also one of the principal advocates of the Ontario and Rainy River Railway.

Mr. Conmee is at the present time chief contractor of the Algoma Central and Hudson's Bay Railway, projected from Michipicoten Harbor to James' Bay, the construction of which will take several years.

Possessed of strong and aggressive individuality, and constructive ability, Mr. Conmee has wielded great influence in West Algoma, and at the last Liberal convention was renominated as the party's candidate.

THE SMALLPOX

Shows Little Abatement—Spreading in the Ontario Lumber Camps.

Toronto, March 12.—Several new cases of smallpox were reported to Dr. Bryce today from various parts of the province. Three families have the disease in Alfred township, Prescott county, and four more houses at Castleman, in the same county, have been quarantined on account of the disease. There is a case in Admaston township, Renfrew county, the man having come from Rathbun's lumber camp, in Blythfield. Two new cases are reported from Eddie & Jordan's camp, in the Sudbury district, and one in Bahmen's camp, near Cartier, in the same district. A man with the disease has crossed from O'Neill's lumber camp in Quebec, to Ottawa. At Sudbury they have a man in the camp with the disease, who escaped from the pest house at the American Soo. Dr. Hodgetts has, with the physicians of several camps, visited a number of camps in the Sudbury district, and seen that all patients are vaccinated. In a number of instances the police magistrate has gone to the camps and fined persons when necessary, and vaccinated all the men.

EGGS TAKE A TUMBLE.

New York, March 12.—More than 6,000,000 eggs were received in New York Tuesday, mostly from the west, and the price dropped to 17 cents. They sold two weeks ago at 37 cents. There is such a demand at present, however, that the dealers say they do not expect any further decline.

CONVENTION CONCLUDED

District Epworth Leaguers Depart for Their Homes.

Interesting Sessions Yesterday—Address by President of Hamilton Conference.

The fourth convention of the London Conference of the Epworth League was concluded last night at the Wellington Street Methodist Church, when the largest attendance at any of the sessions was present.

The conference has been conducted very smoothly, and the discussions have been a source of inspiration to those present. Political questions have been left alone, and the most fair-minded views expressed on every subject. If spontaneous enthusiasm goes for anything the conference may be referred to as probably the most successfull ever held in the city. Many of the visiting clergymen said that they had never attended a more successful convention.

The majority of the delegates left for their homes today, all expressing their gratitude for the cordial hospitality which has been accorded them.

The afternoon session yesterday commenced at 2 o'clock, and was most interesting, the addresses throughout being listened to with great attention. The afternoon programme was as follows:

Promise Meeting, Rev. C. W. Brown, B.D., Exeter; School of Methods, "Not What, But How?" ten minute addresses; Model Business Meeting, Mr. I. E. Brock, Chatham; Our Finances, Mr. W. G. Young, London; Our Crowning Service, Mr. W. R. Manning, Essex; election of officers; reports of district superintendents report of conference superintendent, conference superintendent, Miss O. Norton, Orwell; Importance of Active Members of the Junior League Becoming Church Members, Miss M. Washington, Clinton; Junior Rally, conducted by Rev. G. W. Henderson, St. Marys; Address by a Junior Boy—A Junior Girl, Rev. Mr. Henderson.

RESOLUTIONS.

Several resolutions were presented by the committee on this department. All the resolutions were adopted: That a junior league be organized in every congregation; that the last sentence in article 6 of the constitution be amended to harmonize with clause 6 of the constitution for conference of Epworth League and read: "This committee shall nominate two or more candidates for each office, the election to be by ballot by the convention. These are to be published in the Era, with the recommendation that district and conference conventions consider them and forward the results to the proper authorities." The last resolution was adopted, and it will be sent to the general board with the indorsation of the convention An amendment that it be sent to the board without any remarks was lost.

Resolutions respecting the observance of the Sabbath, and approval of the recommendation of the general board of missions re the introduction of the principle of regular and systematic giving to the mission fund and that the matter be referred to the annual meeting were also adopted, as was also a resolution expressing the thanks of the convention to the pastor and trustees of the Wellington Street Church; to the choir master and members of the choir; also to the Methodist people and Epworth Leaguers of London for the hospitable manner in which the delegates had been received.

THE DEATH OF MRS. ROSS.

The following resolution referring to the death of Mrs. George W. Ross, wife of the premier of Ontario, was carried by a standing vote: "Resolved, that this convention has heard with profound regret of the decease of Mrs. George W. Ross, wife of the premier of this province, and desire to express our deepest Christian sympathy with the premier in his very sore bereavement, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded by telegraph to the Hon. Mr. Ross."

REGARDING PROHIBITION.

The committee on resolutions also brought in the following resolution referring to the prohibition question in Ontario. The resolution was unanimously carried as a whole. An amendment moved by Rev. C. T. Scott, that it be considered clause by clause, was lost. An amendment to the amendment, that "We accept what Hon. George W. Ross has offered to the temperance people of Ontario," was also lost. The resolution as adopted was: "Whereas, by a recent decision of the Privy Council, the enactment and enforcement of a prohibitory law, as to the sale of intoxicants, is declared to be within the authority of the Provincial Legislature, and whereas the Provincial Government of this Province of Ontario has, on several occasions, through the premier and other members of the government, declared it to be its policy to enact and enforce prohibition to the full measure of its authority, and whereas the bill now before the legislature, though satisfactory as to the prohibitory provisions, is nevertheless so encumbered with difficulties as to make it most difficult, if not impossible, that it should become law—notably the provision that a certain vote should be recorded, therefore resolved that we cannot accept the bill as now before the legislature as a fulfillment of the pledges made by the government in regard to this question, and we hereby call upon the representatives in the house to so amend the bill before it becomes law as to remove the anomaly above referred to, as we shall hold such representatives strictly to account in this matter. And we would hereby most respectfully suggest to the members of the government and legislature, now in session that if it should be deemed essential that more than a majority of votes should be given in favor of the prohibitory law, that such required majority should not be greater than 55 per cent of the votes polled on the day of voting. And that this should be an alternative proposal to that now before the legislature; and should any provision be made for the repeal of the law, the same majority shall be required for its repeal as for bringing it into force. And be it further resolved, that in the approaching general election our votes and influence will only be given to those who will faithfully carry out the expressed wish of the prohibition sentiment of this province, twice expressed by overwhelming majorities."

A copy of this resolution will be sent to the premier of Ontario. The members of the convention were requested to send copies and write personal letters to the members of the legislature, who represent their respective constituencies.

At the evening session a song service was first held, after which devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. J. Livingstone, president of the conference.

REV. GEORGE W. BISHOP.

Rev. George W. Bishop, pastor of the First Methodist Church, was the first speaker of the evening. His subject was "Sabbath Observance." He said that no people had greater cause to be grateful than the people of Ontario, a country abounding in wealth. He considered the province a fair heritage to humanity. A fine system of government, uncorrupted courts of justice, firmly based financial institutions and a commerce extending every day, he said, went to constitute the fair state. He thought we should grow thankful that the day had come when all men could obtain employment. Our ancestors had given characteristic distinction to the country and had raised a high standard of morality by fearing God and strictly observing his holy Word. He feared, however, that in the last twenty years we had allowed much that is precious to slip from our grasp. The people were waking up now, and doing. The advance was gradual, but surely positive.

He gave an example of how the Sabbath was abused in the province, especially in Toronto, where he feared, the glory had departed and the moral tone deteriorated. What was true there was true almost everywhere, that Sabbath Day privileges were frightfully distorted, and he prayed that the country might awake to the danger. To prevent further inroads on this privilege was what he thought was the cure. He that broke God's law broke the law of nature. Man is more than a toiler who needs rest for the body, he said. He needs time for the building of his spiritual manhood. This would be employment, but a change of employment was more refreshing than loafing around. He believed that the whole Sabbath Day belonged to God. Rev. Dr. Rainsford, of New York, whose argument Mr. Bishop cited, did not argue in this way. Dr. Rainsford believed that if one remembered that the Sabbath was the Lord's day he might then go out and indulge in sports. Mr. Bishop answered the argument by asking what kind of a Sunday could a man spend who, while at church in the morning, was laying plans for games in the afternoon. The Sabbath was made to promote man's physical, mental and moral welfare, and he who abused these did not act according to his teaching. That Sabbath breakers are rebels against Almighty God cannot be too strongly emphasized. "We cannot spend Sunday for recreation without compelling men to labor," he said. The attitude the leaguers hold toward the Sabbath will have much to do with success. He implied that we must not be misled by preachers who unconsciously took a harmful view of the matter.

REV. W. F. WILSON.

The address given by Rev. W. F. Wilson, president of the Hamilton Conference, on general subjects, proved to be very interesting.

He congratulated the leaguers on the magnificent success of the conference. At other conferences he had heard the best reports of former conferences held here. "Grow and Go," was a good motto to go by, he said. During the past eighteen months four conferences which marked an epoch in Methodism had been held, and he felt that this would bring about as much good in proportion. He likened the league to the young French revolutionists, who, taking swords, said "Down with tyranny!" There was a big country to improve and big difficulties to overcome, but the reverend gentleman felt that the league would help much to do this and meet firmly every difficulty in the way of their progress with a firm arm, and by God's help would overcome them. "We are here to plan, inspire and cooperate with each other, and to find the league's relationship to God and what the Father demands of us. What would Jesus do? was not the question, but What Jesus was, and what should I do? By working unitedly the result would be twofold." He said church people were watched at the present time as never before, to see what good was done for the heathen and what good thoughts were given to the children. The children were the originators of some of the greatest questions. A Sunday school teacher should take a child's example, not try to suggest broad views that were not easily understod. The speaker said he loved boys who were lovers of nature and who would endeavor to protect all nature's creatures.

Mr. Wilson said that he was present to make a confession, and that was that the Epworth League costs time, money, sympathy and patience; but that it was paying well. It was going to enrich young people with virtue. The big cities were the places to promote the idea, as they were the hinges on which the whole province swung.

He said the people needed more intellectual citizenship, church life and Christian experience. Now was the time when brains were predominant, and when we must make an honest fight for every prize. Opportunity was at its highest degree, he argued, and we were fully equipped for every emergency, and to step forward and take hold was the only course. He advised the leaguers to form convictions rather than opinions, and stand by them. No man ever amounted to anything who did not take this course.

Regarding the prohibition question, Mr. Wilson said that while in Maine he asked whether liquor could be obtained, and was told that it could not, as a new sheriff, a Methodist preacher, had been appointed. He suggested that prohibition must be voluntary and not brought about by law, and thought that, possibly, prohibition would not be here for five years, but that it was gradually coming. The element needed now was staying power, he said.

President McKinley once told Mr. Wilson that if he was out of his position an immense load would be lifted from his mind, but that he felt he would do his best and stick.

Faith in ourselves is also needed, he said. If you feel that you are a man, have you faith in yourself and humanity? Now was the moment to act. He believed England did not take God into account when she started the Boer war. "She is on her knees now," he said. No great reform had ever been obtained unless God was accounted with.

In closing, he asked the leaguers never to be discouraged, but to look forward ever.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The president, Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, reported that a balance of $80 was on hand after all expenses had been paid, $30 of which was, on motion, voted to the executive committee.

The following officers were chosen: President, Mr. W. H. Kerr, Brussels; first vice-president, Miss M. A. Mutch, Sarnia; second vice-president, Rev. M. Hazen, Sarnia; third vice-president, Rev. R. M. Krowles, Crediton; fourth vice-president, Miss M. Musgrove, St. Thomas; fifth vice-president, Miss Olive Norton, Orwell; secretary, Rev. J. W. Blair, Glencoe; treasurer, Miss A. Nicholson, Strathroy; representative of league work, Rev. R. D. Hamilton, London.

IN THE AIR

The Germs of La Grippe Are Conveyed Through the Atmosphere.

No one can escape the La Grippe germ, because when an epidemic of the disease is prevailing the air is laden with it.

The reason that every one does not have the disease at the same time is because the persons who are enjoying perfect health are able to successfully resist and throw off the infection, while those, who for any reason are not in the best of health, fall ready victims.



The first symptoms are those of acute catarrh resembling a hard cold and if prompt treatment is applied at this time, it can be easily broken up; one of the best remedies at this stage is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, sold by druggists everywhere and if taken frely, say one tablet every hour or two for two or three days, the danger of pneumonia and serious complications will be averted.

The Rev. L. E. Palmer, Baptist clergyman of Ceresco, Mich., makes a statement of interest to all catarrh and grip sufferers. He says: "Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have certainly been a blessing to me. I have used them freely this fall and winter and have found them a safeguard against La Grippe and catarrhal troubles from which I have suffered for years. I feel that I can freely and conscientiously recommend them."

Persons who suffer from catarrh of the head and throat are very susceptible to La Grippe and such will find a pleasant, convenient and safe remedy in this new catarrh cure.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are composed entirely of harmeless antiseptics and may be used as freely as necessary as they contain no cocaine, opiate or poisonous drug of any kind.

DR. PITCHER HELPS AN OLD MAN

The Kidney Weakness, Irritability and Frequent Rising at Night, All Cured by Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets.

People advanced in years are so prone to kidney trouble. The filters of the body become clogged up and out of order after years of incessant work keeping the blood pure.

There is too frequent urination, disturbing the rest at night, pain or scalding, weakness of the bladder, nonretention of the urine and severe pain in the back, making stooping or rising a painful operation.

For these conditions there is no remedy so effective as Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets.

They make old people rejoice in renewed strength, and vigor of the whole urinary system, take the pain and stiffness out of the back, and permit undisturbed rest at night.

Mr. Joseph Rippon, 503 Dundas street, Woodstock, Ont., who has been in the book and stationery business for thirty-five years, says: "With people reaching my age, sixty-seven years, more or less backache and kidney trouble is not uncommon. For over a year I have had more or less trouble and irritation in that direction, which I lay to the long hours on my feet of years past. Wishing to put an end to a trouble that was growing progressively worse, I procured a bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Tablets, and am pleased to say they are satisfactory in every respect. I did not quite finish the one bottle I got, yet all pain and irritation are completely gone. I am pleased to recommend them to others."

Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets are 50 cents a bottle or 3 bottles for $1 25, at all druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Company, Toronto, Ont.

A Lady Who Has Won Prizes for Her Work Writes About

Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns.

A lady residing in a progressive Ontario town, and who has been a user of Diamond Dyes for over twenty years, says:

"I learned the art of making mats and rugs years ago. In many cases I was obliged to work up patterns that were but imperfectly traced by hand or stamped by the old-fashioned methods. Since you have given to the public your beautiful and valuable Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns, I have no trouble in making up easy or complicated designs, as your patterns are richly colored and give a harmonious combination that no other patterns can afford. I have made up several of your Diamond Dye Mat and Rug patterns that have taken prizes at fairs and exhibitions. Every lady who can make a rug should see your patterns."

Complete range of designs sent free by mail to any lady who sends her address to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain street, Montreal, P. Q.

WINDSOR'S PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Windsor, Ont., March 12.—The public library board has accepted plans for the new public library building to be erected in Windsor this year. The building is to cost $20,000 and is the gift of Andrew Carnegie to the city. It is expected the building will be ready for occupancy by the first of next year.

BURIAL OF CANON OSLER.

Toronto, March 13.—The funeral of the late Canon Osler took place yesterday from his late residence, Eglinton, to St. John's Cemetery. A brief service was held at the house, after which the funeral took place to St. John's Church, where funeral services were held in the presence of a large number of friends of the deceased clergyman. The Bishop of Toronto preached, in the course of his sermon referring to the long and faithful ministry of him who had passed away. The body was subsequently interred in St. John's Cemetery.

OPENING OF NAVIGATION.

Detroit, Mich., March 13.—In a few days, if no severe cold weather intervenes, all the ice in the great lakes and connecting rivers will be on the move, and the opening of navigation will follow close in its wake. Reports from all points on the lakes show that the ice will not be the factor in delaying the progress of vessels that it was last spring, when navigation was not open until the middle of April. On Lake Superior there is not much ice excepting in the harbors. In St. Mary's River and the Straits of Mackinac the ice is still intact, but wasting steadily. In Lake Michigan there is little ice on the west shore, and the fields on the east shore have broken up. In Lake Huron there is little or no ice on the west shore, and no ice fields reported from any place. The ice is running out of Lake St. Clair steadily, and is well broken up. In Lake Erie there seems to be the most ice, but it is breaking up and moving out to the eastward.

Dr. Radway's Sarsaparillian Resolvent.

Every drop of Sarsaparillian Resolvent communicates through the blood the vigor of life. Scrofula, consumption, syphilis, uncured and badly treated venereal in its many forms (send ten cents for book, "Radway on Venereal"), glandular diseases, ulcers in the throat, mouth, tumors, nodes in the glands and other parts of the body, sore eyes, skin diseases, eruptions, ringworm, salt rheum, erysipelas, acne, black spots in the flesh, female complaints (all weakening and painful discharges), night sweats, and all wastes of the life principle, are within the curative range of this Wonder of Modern Chemistry, and a few days' use will prove to any person using it for either of these forms of disease its potent power to cure them.

Sold by druggists; price $1 per bottle.

Radway's Pills.

Always Reliable Purely Vegetable.—

Perfectly tasteless, elegantly coated, purge, regulate, purify, cleanse and strengthen. RADWAY'S PILLS for the cure of all disorders of the Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys, Bladder, Nervous Diseases, Dizziness, Vertigo, Costiveness, Piles.

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Observe the following symptoms, resulting from diseases of the digestive organs: Constipation, inward piles, fullness of blood in the head, acidity of the stomach, nausea, heartburn, disgust of food, fullness or weight in the stomach, sour eructations, sinking or fluttering of the heart, choking or suffocating sensation when in a lying posture, dimness of vision, dots or webs before the sight, fever and dull pain in the head, deficiency of perspiration, yellowness of the skin and eyes, pain in the side, chest, limbs and sudden flushes of heat, burning in the flesh.

A few doses of Radway's Pills will free the system of all of the abovenamed disorders.

"Better Than a Whole Drug Store."

Dr. Radway.—Dear Sir: I have been using your medicines—that is, your pills and Ready Relief. These two medicines have done me and my family more good than a whole drug store. I am 58 years old. I used about six boxes of your pills since last spring. I am as regular now and feel like a healthy man of 20 years. Now I want to find out about your Resolvent, to use in the case of a young lady (etc., etc.). Respectfully,

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Gentlemen.—Please find money order inclosed, for which send me one dozen boxes of Radway's Pills. Those previously sent me were received in good order. They are a highly esteemed family medicine with us. For them to be known is to be appreciated. To my own knowledge they have created good health where feebleness and weakness dominated before using them.

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Perfect digestion will be accomplished by taking Radway's Pills. By their anti-bilious properties they stimulate the liver in the secretion of the bile and its discharge through the biliary ducts. These pills in doses of from two to four will quickly regulate the action of the liver and free the patient from these disorders. One or two of Radway's Pills taken daily by those subject to bilious pains and torpidity of the liver will keep the system regular and secure healthy digestion.

Price, 25 cents per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent by mail.

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Be sure to get "Radway's," and see that the name is on what you buy.

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TWAIN INSULTED

The Humorist Takes Umbrage at Mrs. Wm. Astor's Remarks on Gentlemen.

New York, March 13. — Samuel J. Clemens, better known as Mark Twain, says Mrs. William Astor has insulted him. Clemens has taken umbrage at a remark which Mrs. Astor made just before she sailed for Europe. This is what Mrs. Astor said:

"The men who have amassed their millions in all sorts of ways have not had advantages in their youth; they have never had the college education without which no man can be a gentleman."

This is what Clemens says:

"Why, that's a direct personal insult. Mrs. Astor and I will have a falling out over that, I'm afraid. To be told to my face, and in cold type at that, that I am no gentleman. And all because I wasn't fortunate enough to have a rich father to send me to college. It's too bad, too bad.

"Perhaps Mrs. Astor, when she uses the word gentleman, doesn't have the same meaning in view that we other rude people have. She probably means a leader of cotillions, spick-and-span dandy, who knows enough to observe the ordinary rules of politeness when he is on parade.

"Why, Mrs. Astor cannot mean that Andrew Carnegie is no gentleman, or that Abraham Lincoln wasn't; they had no college education."

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All dietetic and medical experience clearly proves that the morning meal should consist of food that is easily digested and readily absorbed by the system.

Malt Breakfast Food, rich in nutriment and favoring digestion stands far above all other breakfast cereals as a health food. Its pre-eminent qualities is the result of the action of the Malt on the starch and gluten of the Wheat, rendering these soluble and changing them into forms to be quickly absorbed by the stomach, then passing into the blood to enrich it and build up the nerves, the tissues of the body and the brain.

As the success and pleasure of each day depends largely on the food used at breakfast, you should avoid starchy grain foods. Malt Breakfast Food alone can supply the fuel for a hard day's work in home, office or workshop. Your Grocer sells Malt Breakfast Food, and recommends it.

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IN NO. 1 WARD.

4. South side of Stanley street, between the Wortley road and the Wharncliffe Highway; width 6 feet.

5. North side of Riverview avenue, between the Wharncliffe Highway and a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 14 on the north side of Riverview avenue; width 5 feet.

6. South side of Riverview avenue, between the Wharncliffe Highway and a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 12, on the south side of Riverview avenue; width 5 feet.

7. North side of the Cove road, between the Wharncliffe road and Orchard street; width 4 feet.

8. East side of Orchard street, between the Pipe Line road and a point opposite the southerly limit of lot 23 on the east side of Orchard street; width 4 feet.

9. East side of the Wharncliffe Highway, between Victor street and the Ridgeway; width 5 feet.

10. West side of the Wharncliffe Highway, between Evergreen avenue and Riverview avenue; width 5 feet.

11. West side of the Wharncliffe Highway, between the Cove road and a point opposite the southerly limit of lot 13 on the west side of the Wharncliffe Highway; width 5 feet.

12. West side of Ridout street, between Craig street and Victoria bridge; width 6 feet.

13. North side of Front street, between Wellington street and a point opposite the easterly limit of lot 16 on the north side of Front street; width 4 feet.

14. West side of the Wortley road, between Briscoe street and Tecumseh avenue; width 5 feet.

15. North side of Byron avenue, between the Wharncliffe Highway and a point opposite the easterly limit of lot 7 on the north side of Byron avenue; width 5 feet.

16. West side of Cathcart street, between Langarth street and Wreay street; width 5 feet.

17. South side of Langarth street, between Edward street and the Wharncliffe Highway; width 5 feet.

18. North side of Briscoe street, between Cathcart street and a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 9 on the north side of Briscoe street; width 5 feet.

19. North side of Garfield avenue, between the Wortley road and Ridout street; width 5 feet.

20. South side of Emery street, between High street and Ridout street; width 5 feet.

21. North side of Grand avenue, between Ridout street and a point opposite the easterly limit of the school property on the north side of Grand avenue; width 5 feet.

22. South side of Grand avenue, between High street and a point opposite the center of lot 4 on the south side of Grand avenue; width 5 feet.

23. West side of Cynthia street, between Askin street and Bruce street; width 5 feet.

24. West side of the Wortley road, between Bruce street and Elmwood avenue; width 6 feet.

25. North side of Watson street, between the Wellington road and the easterly limit of Watson street; width 4 feet.

26. West side of Cathcart street, between Bruce street and Elmwood avenue; width 5 feet.

27. West side of Ridout street, between West avenue and Elmwood avenue; width 5 feet.

28. South side of Grey street, between Wellington and Richmond streets; width 5 feet.

29. South side of Simcoe street, between Wellington and Clarence streets; width 5 feet.

30. North side of Horton street, between Clarence and Talbot streets; width 5 feet.

31. North side of Bathurst street, between Thames and Ridout streets; width 5 feet.

32. South side of Bathurst street, between Thames and Ridout streets; width 5 feet.

33. North side of Bathurst street, between Talbot and Clarence streets; width 6 feet.

34. North side of Grey street, between Clarence and Richmond streets; width 5 feet.

35. South side of Bathurst street, between Clarence and Richmond streets; width 6 feet.

36. North side of York street, between Talbot and Ridout streets; width 6 feet.

37. South side of York street, between Ridout and Thames streets; width 6 feet.

38. West side of Thames street, between Dundas and York streets; width 5 feet.

39. East side of Thames street, between King street and the Grand Trunk Railway Company's bridge; width 5 feet.

40. East side of Thames street, between the Grand Trunk Railway Company's bridge and Horton street; width 5 feet.

41. West side of Thames street, between the Grand Trunk Railway Company's bridge and Horton street; width 5 feet.

42. West side of Ridout street, between King and Bathurst streets; width 6 feet.

43. East side of Talbot street, between Horton and Simcoe streets; width 6 feet.

44. West side of Richmond street, between Bathurst and Horton streets; width 6 feet.

45. North side of King street, between Wellington and Clarence streets; width 6 feet.

46. East side of Clarence street, between South and Nelson streets; width 4 feet.

IN NO. 2 WARD.

47. East side of Talbot street, between Carling and Dundas streets; width 8 feet.

48. South side of Kent street, between Talbot and Ridout streets; width 6 feet.

49. West side of Park avenue, between Central avenue and Kent street; width 6 feet.

50. East side of St. George street, between Mill and Ann streets; width 5 feet.

51. East side of Richmond street, between Oxford and Sydenham streets; width 6 feet.

52. East side of Richmond street, between Cheapside and Victoria streets; width 5 feet.

53. West side of Talbot street, between the Creek and Central avenue; width 6 feet.

54. East side of St. Andrew street, between Oxford and St. Patrick streets; width 5 feet.

55. South side of Kensington street, between Wilson avenue and the Wharncliffe Highway; width 4 feet.

56. East side of the Wharncliffe Highway, between Oxford and Saunby streets; width 5 feet.

57. East side of Edith street, between Mount Pleasant avenue and Charles street; width 4 feet.

58. North side of Oxford street, between the Wharncliffe Highway and Fernley street; width 4 feet.

59. East side of Richmond street, between Oxford and Piccadilly streets; width 6 feet.

IN NO. 3 WARD.

60. North side of Philip street, between William and Maitland streets; width 4 feet.

61. North side of Nelson street, between William and Maitland streets; width 4 feet.

62. South side of Nelson street, between William and Maitland streets; width 4 feet.

63. North side of South street, between Adelaide and Maitland streets; width 5 feet.

64. South side of Hill street, between Adelaide and Wellington streets; width 5 feet.

65. North side of Hill street, between Waterloo and Wellington streets; width 5 feet.

66. South side of Grey street, between Adelaide and Maitland streets; width 5 feet.

67. North side of Grey street, between Adelaide and William streets; width 5 feet.

68. South side of Simcoe street, between William and Colborne streets; width 5 feet.

69. North side of Horton street, between Adelaide street and the Hamilton road; width 5 feet.

70. South side of Horton street, between Maitland and Burwell streets; width 5 feet.

71. South side of Horton street, between Waterloo and Wellington streets; width 6 feet.

72. South side of Bathurst street, between Burwell and Colborne streets; width 5 feet.

73. North side of the Hamilton road, between William and Horton streets; width 5 feet.

74. South side of Bathurst street, between Adelaide and Maitland streets; width 5 feet.

75. North side of Bathurst street, between Adelaide and William streets; width 5 feet.

76. East side of William street, between York street and the Hamilton road; width 5 feet.

77. East side of William street, between South and Nelson streets; width 5 feet.

78. West side of William street, between Grey and Philip streets; width 5 feet.

79. East side of Maitland street, between the Grand Trunk Railway Company's tracks and the Hamilton road; width 5 feet.

80. East side of Maitland street, between South and Nelson streets; width 5 feet.

81. West side of Maitland street, between Hill street and Marshall Lane; width 5 feet.

82. East side of Colborne street, between King and York streets; width 6 feet.

83. East side of Colborne street, between Bathurst and Simcoe streets; width 6 feet.

84. East side of Waterloo street, between York and Simcoe streets; width 6 feet.

85. North side of South street, between Waterloo and Wellington streets; width 6 feet.

86. East side of Wellington street, between Horton and Grey streets; width 6 feet.

87. North side of Marshall street, between Adelaide street and a point opposite the easterly limit of lot 32 on the north side of Marshall street; width 4 feet.

88. West side of Lyle street, between King and York streets; width 6 feet.

89. North side of King street, between Lyle and Rectory streets; width 6 feet.

90. West side of Adelaide street, between York street and the Grand Trunk Railway Company's tracks; width 6 feet.

91. South side of York street, between Adelaide and Rectory streets; width 5 feet.

92. West side of Rectory street, between Grey and Simcoe streets; width 5 feet.

93. West side of Rectory street, between York street and the Grand Trunk Railway Company's tracks; width 5 feet.

94. East side of Rectory street, between Campbell street and the Grand Trunk Railway Company's tracks; width 5 feet.

95. East side of Egerton street, between Dundas street and the Grand Trunk Railway Company's track; width 5 feet.

96. South side of Dundas street, between Egerton street and the eastern boundary of the city; width 5 feet.

IN NO. 4 WARD.

97. East side of Peter street, between Queen's avenue and Dufferin avenue; width 5 feet.

98. East side of Palace street, between Princess avenue and Central avenue; width 5 feet.

99. West side of Palace street, between Princess avenue and Central avenue; width 5 feet.

100. East side of Miles street, between Pall Mall and Piccadilly streets; width 4 feet.

101. West side of Miles street, between Pall Mall and Piccadilly streets; width 4 feet.

102. North side of Regina street, between Maitland and Colborne streets; width 5 feet.

103. West side of Christie street, between Regent and Victoria streets; width 4 feet.

104. South side of Dufferin avenue, between Wellington and Picton streets; width 8 feet.

105. North side of Dufferin avenue, between Cartwright street and Prospect avenue; width 6 feet.

106. North side of Dufferin avenue, between Wellington and Waterloo streets; width 6 feet.

107. South side of Princess avenue, between Cartwright street and Prospect avenue; width 6 feet.

108. South side of Central avenue, between Colborne and Waterloo streets; width 6 feet.

110. South side of Central avenue, between Palace and William streets; width 5 feet.

111. South side of Pall Mall street, between Colborne and Maitland streets; width 5 feet.

112. North side of Pall Mall street, between William and Adelaide streets; width 5 feet.

113. South side of Piccadilly street, between Wellington and Waterloo streets; width 6 feet.

114. North side of Piccadilly street, between Waterloo and Maitland streets; width 5 feet.

115. North side of Oxford street, between Maitland and William streets; width 5 feet.

116. North side of St. James street, between Wellington and Waterloo streets; width 5 feet.

117. North side of St. James street, between Maitland and William streets; width 5 feet.

118. South side of Grosvenor street, between Maitland and William streets; width 5 feet.

119. East side of Wellington street, between Queen's avenue and Dufferin avenue, width 8 feet.

120. West side of Colborne street, between Dufferin avenue and Princess avenue; width 6 feet.

121. East side of Colborne street, between Princess avenue and Central avenue; width 6 feet.

122. East side of Colborne street, between Regina and Piccadilly streets; width 5 feet.

123. West side of Colborne street, between Piccadilly and Oxford streets; width 5 feet.

124. West side of Colborne street, between St. James and Grosvenor streets; width 5 feet.

125. West side of Maitland street, between Princess avenue and Central avenue; width 5 feet.

126. West side of Maitland street, between Pall Mall and Piccadilly streets; width 5 feet.

127. East side of Maitland street, between St. James and Grosvenor streets; width 5 feet.

128. East side of William street, between Pall Mall and Piccadilly streets; width 5 feet.

129. West side of William street; between Pall Mall and Piccadilly streets; width 5 feet.

130. East side of William street, between Oxford and St. James streets; width 5 feet.

131. East side of Colborne street between Dundas street and Queen's avenue; width 6 feet.

132. West side of Quebec street, between Dundas street and Dufferin avenue; width 5 feet.

133. South side of Dufferin avenue, between Quebec and Ontario streets; width 4 feet.

134. North side of Dufferin avenue, between Quebec and Ontario streets; width 4 feet.

135. North side of Dunda's street, between Quebec street and the eastern boundary of the city; width 6 feet.

136. East side of Ontario street, between Dufferin avenue and Elias street; width 5 feet.

137. North side of Elias street, between Ontario and Elizabeth streets; width 5 feet.

138. North side of Princess avenue, between English and Elizabeth streets; width 5 feet.

139. South side of Princess avenue, between English and Elizabeth streets; width 5 feet.

140. South side of Lorne avenue, between English and Ontario streets; width 5 feet.

141. East side of Adelaide street, between Central avenue and Rattle street; width 5 feet.

142. West side of Adelaide street, between Central avenue and Dundas street; width 6 feet.

143. West side of Adelaide street, between Pall Mall street and Central avenue; width 5 feet.

144. North side of Queen's avenue, between Adelaide and Elizabeth streets; width 6 feet.

145. North side of Lorne avenue, between Elizabeth and English streets; width 5 feet.

146. West side of Elizabeth street, between Queen's avenue and Elias street; width 5 feet.

147. East side of Elizabeth street, between Queen's avenue and Elias streets; width 5 feet.

148. West side of Ridout street, between Dundas and King streets; width 6 feet.

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DISASTER ON MISSISSIPPI.

Steamboat Wrecked and Twenty-One Lives Lost.

Two Young Men Accidentally Electrocuted—A Port Hpoe Miller Drowned.

DISASTER ON MISSISSIPPI.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 13.—The steamer Providence, plying between this port and Lake Palmyra, was capsized yesterday by a sudden squall at Ione Landing, and 21 of her passengers and crew were drowned.

The dead are: Captain William Cassidy, of Vicksburg, master; Charles Roup, of Vicksburg, chief engineer; Clyde Scott, Vicksburg, cotton seed buyer; Dr. N. A. Lancaster, a prominent physician and planter of the Palmyra neighborhood; 17 colored roustabouts and deckhands, whose names have not been reported.

At two o'clock in the morning, just as the steamer was entering Lake Palmyra, a sudden wind and rainstorm of cyclonic proportions came out of the west, catching the Providence broadside on. The little vessel was lifted entirely out of the water, her upper works blown away and the hull turned bottom up in 40 feet of water.

Most of the crew and passengers were asleep at the time and were drowned. Only nine of the entire boat's company were saved. The property loss will amount to several thousand dollars.

TWO MEN ELECTROCUTED.

Portland, Mich., March 12.—Frank Munger, jun., was instantly killed last night by an electric shock. He was returning home from town and passed an arc lamp which was not burning. He took hold of the wire cable by which the lamp is raised and lowered for the purpose of jerking it and jarring the carbons together, when he received the full current of 2,000 volts.

Chelsea, Mich., March 12.—As the 9 o'clock electric car going east on the D., Y., A. A. and J. Railway came into this station last evening, the trolley in some way gave out. Motorman Herbert Harrison and Conductor Pullen climbed on top of the car to adjust it, when both of them were badly shocked and burned. Harrison died from the shock.

A LEG BROKEN.

St. Thomas, March 13.—Nicol McNicoll, machinist, employed in the M. C. R. shops, had both bones of the right leg broken below the knee yesterday. He was tightening a piece of machinery with a wrench, when the wrench slipped and he fell backwards, breaking his leg as stated. Mr. McNicoll is 57 years of age and came here some time ago from Stratford.

SERIOUS RESULT OF A FALL.

West Lorne, March 13.—On Saturday afternoon Willie Doyle fell from the foundation of John Skinner's house and broke one of his ribs, which pierced his kidney. He was in a precarious condition for some time, but it is thought he is now out of danger.

SIX PEOPLE HURT.

Peru, Ind., March 12.—Two natural gas explosions early today wrecked two buildings and injured six people. Frank Kiley, sen., is supposed to be fatally injured.

MILLER DROWNED.

Port Hope, Ont., March 13.—A sad accident happened yesterday by which Wm. Douglass, miller at the Harold Barett Company mills, lost his life. Shortly before 5 o'clock, owing to the quantity of water coming down the river, it was found necessary to take up some of the logs at the dam, and while so engaged Mr. Douglass was knocked off into the water below and drowned. The deceased had been an employe of the Barett mills for 37 years. He leaves a widow and two sons and two daughters.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Deals With Amendments to the Referendum Bill.

All Were Defeated—The Date for Voting Fixed for December 4.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 12.—The first of the legislature's morning sessions began today at 11 o'clock, under sad circumstances, the death of Mrs. George W. Ross naturally casting a deep gloom over the proceedings. After short speeches of sympathy with the premier from the attorney-general and the leader of the opposition, it adjourned until 3 o'clock, the press of business and the necessity to get through with the session soon, making it impossible to adjourn for any length of time.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The principal business in the legislature this afternoon was the consideration of the railway subsidies, which were submitted to the house by Hon. Mr. Latchford, commissioner of public works. Besides those which were published before, the government asked the house to grant subsidies to the Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway, running from Bobcaygeon to Lindsay, a distance of 19 miles; the Bruce Mines and Algoma Railway, from a point at or near Bruce Mines to a point on the north shore of Lake Huron, a distance not exceeding four miles; to the Nipigon Railway Company, from a point at or near Nipigon Station to a point at or near the head of Long Portage, a distance not exceeding 14 miles, and to the Lake Superior, Long Lake and Albany River Railway from a point at or near Peninsula Harbor, northerly, a distance not exceeding ten miles. The amount of the grant was placed at $3,000 per mile in each case.

Col. Matheson raised some objection to the subsidy to the Irondale, Bancroft and Ottawa road, which is to run from Kinmount to Irondale Junction, a distance of ten miles, from Irondale easterly a distance of ten miles, and also from Palmer Rapids to Renfrew, a distance of 50 miles.

Hon. Mr. Latchford defended the route, and after a little discussion all the grants were adopted.

ONTARIO ELECTION ACT.

A large number of bills were given a third reading and passed, and then the house went into committee on Hon. Mr. Gibson's bill to amend the Ontario election act, by which it was proposed to abolish the registration oath.

Mr. Wardell declared that as a matter of fact everyone should be liable to the oath. No honest man would object to swearing that he had not been bribed. After some further debate the bill was adopted.

THE REFERENDUM BILL.

When the house went into committee of the whole to consider some more clauses of the referendum bill, Mr. G. F. Marter, North Toronto, brought forward five amendments. They were all lost on division, and indeed were treated almost as a jest, no discussion being bestowed upon them. The first one was to have the vote taken on the day of the municipal elections; the second to have a plebiscite on the day of the general elections; the third and fourth, to have majority votes of 55 and 60 per cent, each to be more than half the total vote on the lists, and the fifth to have a 60 per cent vote, the same to equal more than 55 per cent of the listed vote.

DATE OF REFERENDUM.

The attorney-general announced that the referendum would be taken on the 4th of December.

Chief Justice Armour presented his commission from the governor-general appointing him administrator for the province, and royal assent was given to two government bills.

Mr. Thompson's bill to reduce the membership of the legislature from 94 to 60, and providing for redistribution by commission every ten years, was lost.

On motion of Mr. Gibson, a new clause was added to municipal act amendments, adopted this year, which provides that a penalty of $50 may be imposed on an elector voting more than once for alderman in a municipal election, and that such elector shall be ineligible to stand for the office of alderman at the next succeeding election.

A clause extending the time in which a municipality may abolish trading stamp companies, from Jan. 1, 1902, as fixed last session, to April 1, 1903, was voted down.

THE JENISON POWER FRANCHISE

The Jenison, power franchise, which has been somewhat of a millstone around the neck of Fort William for several years, was cut loose by the private bills committee of the legislature. The town, in company with Port Arthur, asked for the right to develop 10,000 horse power at Kakabeka Falls. Mr. Jenison opposed the grant on the ground that it would be an infringement on his rights. The town replied that Jenison had held the franchise for six years and done nothing, and that consequently his rights had lapsed. The private bills committee this morning transferred Jenison's powers to the town of Fort William, which must compensate him for work done and for plans, lands, etc. The water power will be used to operate the great flour mills, it is proposed to construct at Fort William and Port Arthur.



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CABLE NOTES.

The shirt worn by Charles I. on the scaffold was sold at auction in London for 200 guineas.

The Italian Cabinet crisis is satisfactorily ended, the ministerial candidate for presiding officer being elected by 350 out of 402 votes.

ENDUM BILL SOUGHT.

Winnipeg, March 12.—Mr. W. R. Mulock, acting as counsel for the Dominion Alliance, has prepared a brief to place before the minister of justice at Ottawa, in which the legal reasons are fully set forth why the referendum bill is unconstitutional and should be disallowed. The brief was forwarded to Ottawa last night.

WIARTON SUGAR BEET COMPANY.

Toronto, March 13. — The Wiarton Beet Sugar Company obtained an injunction against C. L. Higgins, the Colonial Construction Company and the Union Bank, to prevent the payment by the Union of $10,000, in the bank's care, to Higgins, in connection with the building of the Wiarton beet sugar factory. Higgins, on behalf of the Colonial Construction Company, got a contract to build the factory for $250,000, and $14,000 has been paid on it. The claim is now made that only $3,000 worth of work has been done, and that the $10,000 in the bank's hands is not due.

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London, Thursday, March 13.

The Wheat Blockade.

One of the most important discussions, if not the most important, of the present session, took place in the House of Commons Monday afternoon and evening. It was occasioned by a motion of Mr. Douglas, the member for East Assiniboia, for copy of all correspondence relative to the wheat blockade in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. The phenomenal harvest of Manitoba and the Northwest, during the past season, has been accompanied by some great disadvantages. According to the best authority, the wheat crop aggregated 127,000,000, of which quantity the Canadian Pacific Railway was able to remove about 40,000,000, and the Canadian Northern only 11,000,000 bushels. Leaving 26,000,000 for bread and seed for the coming season, there is still about 50,000,000 bushels to be removed. The railway service has been found insufficient to meet the demand of the great wheat-producing western prairies. Considering the fact that the great yields, in Manitoba and the Northwest, have hitherto been of an intermittent nature, the railways should not altogether be made objects of censure. The history of the West has demonstrated that lean years were as frequent as, if not more so, than the fat years. But of late the influx of population from the United States and elsewhere has introduced another element for consideration. The ingress of farmers will cause an enlarged acreage to be put under crop, thereby insuring a greater quantity of grain to be harvested than formerly. Hence it is necessary that something be done in the way of permanent shipping arrangements.

The present situation has been attended with no small loss to the western agriculturist, who has been virtually at the mercy of a combine of wheat dealers. The elevators have proved of insufficient capacity, and the grain dealers have taken advantage of this to get the wheat practically at their own figures. Mr. Douglas pointed out that farmers, who wished to put on the market No. 1 hard, were told by the buyers that they were not dealing in No. 1 hard; so rather than run the risk, No. 1 hard wheat was sold for the price of a lower grade. This, on the face of it, is a great injustice. The great needs of the west are adequate shipping facilities, as well as adequate places of storage.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company have signified their intention of remedying the situation as far as they can. They purpose increasing their stock by $20,000,000, that is, from $65,000,000 to $85,000,000. The Government will endeavor to remedy any defects that may be found to exist in the grain act, which, it is alleged, was being violated by the companies.

Britain's Title in South Africa.

Under this title, Prof. J. Cappon, of Queen's University, recently published a volume which merits careful attention. Canada has taken material part in the war, and it is right that her citizens should also share in the discussion of historical, political and moral questions which arise in connection with that subject. Prof. Cappon is well known as an able lecturer, possessing a competent knowledge of his own large subject, and capable of inspiring the enduring enthusiasm of the best class of students, as well as giving instruction to large numbers who are drawn to the study of English language and literature. He tells us in the preface that he was led, on the outbreak of the present war, to inquire what had been the character of British rule in that region from the beginning. In the course of his investigation he was led to the conclusion that the writings of Dr. Theal, the official historian of South Africa, are not reliable and impartial. Prof. Cappon, with the scholar's instinct, goes in every case to the original documents. He has made large use of the early records of Cape Colony, and has compared Dr. Theal's presentation of the case in Dutch, and shown that the historian does in many ways adapt himself to the constituency he happens to be addressing. On this side, then, the volume is a severe criticism of Dr. Theal, and gives what looks like conclusive proof of anti-British bias running through that gentleman's historical productions. So far as we know, there has not been any effective reply from that quarter. But apart from Dr. Theal, the volume has great value as giving a vivid picture of the varied life in Cape Colony at the time when the conflict between Britain and Boer began a century ago. An important part of the volume, and one for which the Christian Church owes a debt of gratitude to the author, is the clear, discriminating, sympathetic account given of the work of the pioneer missionaries. The Hon. Mr. Justice Mills has given us, in book form, a discussion of the constitutional question just before the outbreak of the present war, and Prof. Cappon, dealing with the first chapter of British-Boer history, has shown how from the first the two ideals of civilization were bound to come into conflict. Both these volumes should be in our public libraries and in the hands of intelligent readers who wish to take a broad view of the question. The three or four pages in which Prof. Cappon draws upon American life for his illustrations do not add either dignity or force to the narrative. That at least is our opinion. It is a matter of taste, but even if we are correct, they are very small specks on a really fine artistic and scholarly piece of work.

The London and Port Stanley Railway Lease.

The turn the negotiations have taken is full of meaning. The Lake Erie and Detroit management have decided not to accept the extended lease, and they are quite within their rights in so doing.

We do not think that the determination to build the coal hoist at Rondeau is due in any degree to the failure on the part of the city to execute the lease, but it is quite likely that a further consideration of the terms of the lease, and the price to be paid, and the effect that electric railways may have during the next twelve years on the value of the lease, are the reasons, coupled with the delay on the part of the mayor to execute the lease, that operated on the minds of the directors of the Detroit and Lake Erie and determined the course they have taken.

The failure to execute the lease results in an immediate annual loss of about $4,500 to the city. This multiplied by thirteen, and interest added, would make the price paid by the city about $75,000. For this sum the city has the chance to get a higher price for the extension any time during the twelve years.

At the end of the twelve years the price would be, by the new lease, $20,000 annually, so that you must add to that sum the amount of the additional annual value of the $75,000, and the question, looking at it from the rental value alone, is: Can such a rental be got then? Is a bird in the hand worth two in the bush?

There are, apart from the rental value, other considerations. It is of value to London to keep up a good connection with the Lake Erie and Detroit Railway, to maintain London's position as a railway center. It is of value to maintain Port Stanley as London's port to divert traffic to Port Stanley and build it up. The Government should make Port Stanley a first-class harbor, and it should be the port for Western Ontario, particularly that part through which the London and Port Stanley and the London, Huron and Bruce Railways run. We believe the day will come when Port Stanley will have some first-class manufactories in it, and the more it grows the more valuable will London's railway become.

We believe the bargain made by Mayor Rumball was a good one for the city, and probably also for the Lake Erie and Detroit Railway. We believe it should have been carried out. The danger of loss in the future is greater than now. The benefits within our reach should have been obtained, and since the chance has gone by, we must accept the situation and await results.

It is always difficult to attempt to forecast the future, but when a bargain was offered satisfactory for the present, it would have been a safer course to accept than reject. We think the immediate loss too great a price to pay for the chances of the future. We do not blame the Lake Erie and Detroit Railway for declining to carry out the proposed extension. Life is too short to take so long to close a bargain.

The Trades Union as a Corporation.

A writer in last month's Nineteenth Century and After points out that trade unions have been placed in a serious dilemma by the revolutionary decision of the House of Lords in the Taff Vale case. There are, according to this statement, about 800 trades unions of employers and 1,300 unions of workmen. These unions have all been formed and built up upon the assumption that they were purely voluntary associations, with no more legal responsibility than that possessed by a cricket or West End social club. The law lords have now shown this unusual assumption to have been erroneous by declaring that a registered trades union is a legal entity, capable of being sued for the wrongful acts of its officers, if committed within the scope of their authority. "This is the literal declaration of 'law,'" and has to be faced. In the early days of the nineteenth century, trades union were illegal societies, or were closely limited in their action. The result was secret societies, and in some cases terrible outrages. Trades unions have had an interesting history, as the writer of this article shows. They have themselves, at times, discussed the question of incorporation, but "with this risk of constant costly and harrassing litigation on account of internal management and possible wrongs committed by officers, presented to them on the one side as the inevitable fruit of incorporation, it is not in the least surprising that the trades unions should have preferred to retain their purely voluntary character, free from great and dignified personality, it is true, but also free from the quicksands of the law courts, safe in its very simplicity, and unburdened with the cankering doubts of immeasurable risks. In a word, the unions adopted the line of least resistance." But the new ruling, which makes the society as well as the officer liable for any wrong done by that officer, creates a new situation. The trades unions may be seriously crippled, and with all their dangers it is admitted that they have served a useful purpose. It seems that in England a new chapter of industrial legislation will have to be opened, which all interested in economic problems will watch with interest. If the trades societies have to seek incorporation, and face new liabilities, these liabilities will have to be carefully defined and justly balanced.

Up to the eighteenth day of the parliamentary session, Hansard has attained 1,000 pages in bulk. In spite of the fact that there are no startling issues, the speechmakers have not been idle after all.

There is a strong feeling in Toronto and other cities that the bill boards must come down. There are also large numbers in these places who think a similar agitation might be urged with advantage against high board-bills.

Since an announcement made recently that a number of Canadian lady teachers, twenty of whom were to be selected from this Province, were sought by the imperial authorities for service in instructing Boer children in South Africa, Principal Scott, of the Toronto Normal School, has been besieged by over a hundred applicants for enrollment in the teachers' contingent. The inducements were free transportation both ways, expenses and $500 salary. Principal Scott states that he has received no authority to accept applications for the positions in the concentration camps of South Africa. The request for teachers was received by Hon. R. W. Scott, Secretary of State. Doubtless the coincidence in the names of the Dominion Cabinet Minister and the principal of the Toronto Normal School is responsible for the confusion. However, the ready response of so many lady teachers shows remarkable pluck on their part.

HE WOULD NOT TAKE A DARE

From a Woman and Married Her at Once.

That Was Two Years Ago, and Now the Wife Is Suing for Divorce.

New York, March 12.—The World says: "I never took a dare from a woman in my life, so when Miss Frances Mietzen dared me to marry her two years ago I hurried with her to the nearest justice of the peace and had the knot tied."

This is the explanation Dr. John J. Rudolph, of No. 606 Garden street, Hoboken, gives concerning the story of his secret marriage, which occurred on May 19, 1900, but which was never made known until within the past few days, when his wife brought suit for divorce. Dr. Rudolph's own father, who is pastor of the German Evangelical Church of Hoboken, knew nothing of his son's marriage. His closest friends were kept in ignorance.

"Yes, it is true that I have been a married man for nearly two years," said the doctor, when seen by a World reporter. "I kept the affair a profound secret, because it was more of a joke than anything else. The only persons that know about it are George H. Shaw and his wife. They live in Jersey City, and are good friends of mine.

"I will tell you all about it, now that it has leaked out, because of the action taken by the woman I married. She is seeking a divorce. Of course, that is the only way we can correct matters now, but it should be borne in mind that she and I simply married that night in a spirit of jest, and we have never really lived together as man and wife at all.

"My wife is the possessor of a very jovial disposition, and I don't believe myself in taking life too seriously. On that night in May, 1900, I proposed a drive to the then Miss Meitzen. She accepted, and we went for a spin over the Hudson Boulevard by moonlight. It was lovely. My companion remarked that it was just the kind of night that makes one think of romances and runaway marriages, and turning to me, said: 'Why not let us get married this very night?'

"I did not reply directly, and then she laughingly accused me of being timid and weak-hearted.

"'I dare you to marry me,' she said, and that was what brought on the trouble. I took the whole matter as a joke and said I would accept the challenge. Without further ado I drove to the residence of my friend, George Shaw and asked him where we could get a justice of the peace to marry us. He told us of a man named Hayes, on Communipaw avenue. Shaw and his wife went with us and witnessed the marriage, but they have kept the affair a secret and I have not even told my parents until very recently.

"After the wedding my wife and I drove to the residence of my father where I have lived ever since, and where she had often been a visitor. She was well acquainted with my family and used to spend many days at our house.

"She and I did not regard the affair as a real marriage. It was all a joke, but now after two years we see that it is a serious matter and that a divorce is necessary. I shall not oppose the divorce proceedings which are to come up in Trenton on March 14."

It is understood that the technical charge in the divorce suit is desertion, although there has apparently been no cause for such a charge. All efforts to see the mysterious bride failed yesterday.

GOLD FROM ROSSLAND.

Rossland, B. C., March 12.—Shipments from the Rossland camp for eight days, ending Saturday night, were 8,030 tons, as follows: Lerol, 6,660 tons; Lerol, No. 2, 1,250 tons; Cascade, 90 tons, and Bonanza, 30 tons. The aggregate for the year is thus brought up to 55,928 tons. Shipments commenced from the Center Star and War Eagle mines today.

Tacoma, March 12.—Dawson and towns adjacent are excited over an important gold strike made in February on a tributary of the Pelly River, between that stream and Yukon, 40 miles from Fort Selkirk. Outcoming miners say that dirt running as high as $700 per pan was taken out. When the news reached Dawson the stampede to Koyukok stopped immediately and scores of miners started for Pelly River.

The Aztec language in use in Mexico at the discovery of America, lacked the sounds indicated by our letters b, d, f, g, r, s, j and va.

BUDGET SPEECH MONDAY NEXT

According to the Announcement of Hon. Mr. Fielding.

Opposition Criticism of Immigration Policy—Information for Col. Hughes.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, March 11.—Hon. Mr. Fielding, minister of finance, announced in the house today that the budget speech would be delivered on Monday next. The debate upon it will then continue day by day until concluded. The government expected, and is prepared to bring the budget on this week, but deferred to the wishes of the opposition in holding it back. Usually it is six or seven weeks or more before it is considered, and the fact that it will come before the house so early this session, having also been preceded, instead of followed, by the bulk of the estimates, indicates the extraordinary progress that has been made.

The minister of public works succeeded in getting a big portion of his estimates through this afternoon. The votes were principally for the maintenance of the public buildings in Ottawa. The only debate that developed was upon an appropriation of $4,000 for the Dominion emigrant station. Mr. Pope, of Compton, and Mr. Clarke, of Toronto, led a rather lively attack upon the government's policy in regard to immigrants who have landed in Canada. Their contention is that the government should build no stations for the housing of immigrants. The steamship and railway companies should do this. They should care for the immigrants just as they care for merchandise. Mr. Pope believes that the government is paying for a lot of immigrants who do not stay here, but go through to the United States. In his opinion the government is too lax in its methods. It should make it known, wherever there are people who might come to Canada, that it is only the healthy in mind and body that this country wants. Mr. Tarte agreed, but the member for Compton insisted that Canada was getting the diseased people, those rejected by the United States emigration department. His statement was not accepted by either the minister of public works or Mr. Ross, member for Victoria, who explained that the government did not maintain immigration stations to house the new comers. They stayed in them only until inspected by the physicians and then passed immediately to trains in waiting. Mr. Pope declared that after this they went directly to the United States. Admittedly, some of them do, Mr. Tarte said, but this was true also of New York, where the United States officials care for immigrants whose future destination is in Canada.

The minister of militia laid papers on the table today giving to Col. Sam Hughes information that he desired in regard to appointments on the South African Constabulary. This is purely an imperial force. The Canadian Government had nothing further to do with it than to permit the use of its machinery in enlisting the men. It did not select the Canadian officers who are on the force. They were selected by the governor-general. Forty-two commissions—all imperial—were given to Canadians. Of these eighteen went to the Royal Canadian Regiment, thirteen to the Royal Canadian Dragoons, one to the Canadian Mounted Rifles, and ten to the Royal Canadian Field Artillery. There are 334 non-commissioned officers and men of the Canadian permanent corps enlisted in the Constabulary, 124 of these being in South Africa at the time of enlistment. Those to whom commissions were given were the best men available in the active militia, irrespective of rank.

The premier said this afternoon that he was not in a position to make an announcement as to the qualifications which are necessary to secure positions on the staff of school teachers wanted for work in South Africa, nor could he say what steps applicants should take to join it.

Mr. Charles Hyman, M.P. for London, was vigorously applauded by the government supporters today when he presented his first report as chairman of the railways committee.

After the evening recess, the house considered Mr. Tarte's estimates for Nova Scotia. S.

LUKE GOLDEN'S FARE LEFT $3,000 IN CAB

It Was in a Satchel and the Driver Just Chucked It Under the Seat.

Trenton, March 12.—Luke D. Golden, a corpulent cabman known as "Father Luke," was the unconscious possessor of $3,000 for a short time yesterday.

Luke had been hired by Edward D. Anderson, secretary of Thomas Maddocks & Son's pottery, to drive to the bank, where he drew $3,000, and thence to the pottery. Mr. Anderson was accompanied by Charles Bolinger, the bookkeeper.

When they left the cab at the pottery they paid Luke and dismissed him, each thinking that the other carried the satchel containing the money.

When the money was missed there was a lively chase in another cab after Luke.

"The satchel?" he echoed, as they overtook him. "Oh, I threw it under the seat: here it is."

Luke said it could have been stolen a dozen times, for he had no idea of its contents, and had been yards away from his cab several times.

CANADIAN ORDER OF HOME CIRCLES

Proceedings of the Grand Circle in Annual Convention—Statistical Information—Election of Officers.

Toronto, March 13.—The Supreme Circle of the Canadian Home Circles, in session here, elected the following officers: Supreme leader, J. S. Dench, Trenton; supreme high leader, William Stark, Toronto; supreme secretary, J. M. Foster, Toronto; supreme treasurer, D. R. Foster, Waterford; supreme chaplain, S. Cunningham, Waterford; supreme marshal, J. W. Walker, Port Hope. The first three named were elected by acclamation.

When proposed amendments to the constitution were taken up, it was agreed that hereafter the order will issue policies for $1,500 and $2,500, in addition to the amounts now in force, ranging from $500 to $3,000. The clause relative to the sick benefit loss was also amended, whereby a candidate may become a member of this fund without additional cost. The report of the supreme leader showed that 108 deaths were recorded during the year, the members holding certificates for $189,500. On Jan. 1, 1902, there was held on deposits in the various banks to the credit of the expectancy fund $165,216, an increase during the year of $24,813 39. The balance on hand to the credit of the beneficiary fund was $35,625, and the amount paid in total disability claims was $2,280. The total membership on Dec. 31 in 324 circles was 14,274, and sixteen new circles had been organized in different parts of the Dominion, mostly in the Maritime Provinces.

The proposed amendment in the constitution not to pay sick benefits to members not residing in Canada at the time of sickness was defeated.

The Toronto circles introduced 100 candidates for initiation. Mrs. Faircloth, on behalf of the local circles, presented to the supreme leader a check for $50 towards the furnishing of a room in the Free Consumption Sanitarium at Gravenhurst.

ATHLETES, BICYCLISTS and others should always keep HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL on hand. Nothing like it for stiffness and soreness of the muscles, sprains, bruises, cuts, etc. w

ESCAPED FROM SOO JAIL.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 12.—Thomas Watterson, convicted of larceny, and awaiting transportation to the Central Prison, made good his escape from the jail here by scaling a wall.

Happiness is the proper goal of human effort, and health in indispensable to it —take Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1

An Essex (England) clergyman, experiencing a difficulty in obtaining the services of a bell ringer, has evolved a device whereby, with the aid of the electric current, he rings his own bells by pressing buttons in the vestry.

IT NEEDS NO TESTIMONIAL.—It is a guarantee in itself. If testimonials were required they could be furnished in thousands from all sorts and conditions of men in widely different places. Many medicines are put forth every year which have but an ephemeral existence and then are heard of no more. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has grown in reputation every day since it first made its appearance.

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Bargain Days.

Friday and Saturday this week will be record-breakers. The price reductions below are alone sufficient to insure this, but the additional attraction of a Grand Free Concert will throng the big store. Come early, enjoy the music and participate in the Big Bargains, of which we have only space to mention a few.

TABLE LINEN REDUCTIONS 140 yards only Half Bleached Table Damask, 64 inches wide good weight, and neat patterns. Regular price 45c, Friday and Saturday, per yard 31c

Groceries.

300 dozen Delhi Sweet Sugar Corn, per tin, 6c, or five for 25c
23 lbs. Redpath's Granulated Sugar for $1 00
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1 large bottle Tomato Catsup and 1 large tin of Clark's Pork and beans, with chili sauce 25c
Our 40c Imperial Blend Black or Mixed Tea, per lb 25c
2 dozen Valencia Oranges for 27c
50 pails 7-lb. Assorted Jams for 50c

Smallwares.

Fancy Belt Buckles, regular 65c, Friday and Saturday 25c
All art shades in Mercerized Cushion Cords, regular 18c, for, per yard 12½c

Laces.

Valenciennes and Oriental Laces, regular 3c, 5c and 8c per yard, Friday and Saturday 1c

House Furnishings.

56 yards only Fine Silk Drapery, in Roman stripes, regular price, per yard, $2 50, Friday and Saturday $1 25
2 pieces Hemp Stair Carpet, regular price 10c, Friday and Saturday, per yard 5c
9 only best grade Rubber Door mats, regular $1 75, Friday and Saturday, each $1 25

Hosiery.

Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose, seamless spliced feet, regular price 40c, Friday and Saturday .. 30c

Gloves.

Ladies' Fine French Kid Gloves, all sizes, regular $1, Friday and to clear 60c

Ribbons.

Colored Silk and Satin Ribbons, 1½ to 3 inches wide, regular 10c, 12½c and 20c, Friday and Saturday, per yard 5c

Gents' Furnishings.

Men's Colored Shirts, also white, with colored fronts, large sizes only, regular 65c and 75c, Friday and Saturday 45c
Men's Natural Wool Hose, medium weights, all sizes, regular 25c, Friday and Saturday, per pair 19c

Blouses.

Ladies' Colored Silk and Sateen Blouses, in all sizes, this season's goods, regular $1 50, Friday and Saturday 69c

Underwear.

Ladies' and Children's Flannelette Drawers, regular 25c, Friday and Saturday 15c

Crockery.

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We have on sale a magnificent range of 10 and 12 piece Toilet Sets, in pale blue, green, pink, yellow, dark blue and terra cotta, white bands, with gilt decorations, very newest shapes; regular $5 and $6, special sale price, per set ..... $3 25 to $4 50

Dress Goods.

56-inch Cheviot, 50c—Black and Oxford Gray and Brown Heavy Cheviot, for unlined skirts, 56-inch, special 50c
$2 00 Skirting, $1 00—54-inch Fine Reversible Golf Skirting, plain both sides, but different colors, heavy, regular $2 00 yard, special, per yard $1 00

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FRIDAY, MARCH 14.
From 9:30 to 12 a.m,
From 2 to 5 p.m.

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From 9:30 to 12 a.m.
From 2 to 5 p.m.
From 8 to 10 p.m.



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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.

London, Thursday, March 13.

Wheat, white, per bu	78c to 80c
Wheat, red, per bu	78c to 80c
Oats, per bu	41c to 42½c
Peas, per bu	70c to 85c
Corn, per bu	61½c to 62c
Barley, per bu	53c to 55c
Buckwheat per bu	55c to 58c

The receipts today were very light, with a fair demand.
Oats sold at $1 25.
Wheat sells from $1 23 to $1 35.
One load of barley sold at $1 15.
A few bags of corn sold at $1 12.
Hay, $8 to $9 per ton.
Quotations:

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs.	1 30	@	1 33
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs.	1 30	@	1 31
Oats, per 100 lbs.	1 20	@	1 23
Peas, per 100 lbs.	1 15	@	1 25
Corn, per 100 lbs.	1 10	@	1 10
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1 10	@	1 15
Beans per bu.	80	@	1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs.	1 10	@	1 20
Rye, per 100 lbs.	1 10	@	1 15

HAY AND SEEDS.

Hay, per load	8 00	@	8 50
Straw, per ton	6 00	@	6 00
Timothy seed, per bu.	3 00	@	3 25
Clover seed, red, bu.	4 70	@	4 80
Clover seed, alsike, bu.	8 00	@	8 50

WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES.

Eggs, store lots, dozen	13	@	15
Butter, crock, per lb	17	@	18
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	20	@	21
Butter, store lots	15	@	17

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

Another slim attendance of farmers at the market this forenoon. The weather and the condition of the roads doubtless prevented many of the farmers from marketing their produce.

Hay and Straw—Twelve loads of hay on sale, which brought $8 50 to $9 per ton, mostly at last-named price. Straw is becoming more plentiful, at prices quoted.

Butter and Eggs—Butter was in good demand; supplies were light, at 18c to 19c for crocks, and 19c to 21c for pound rolls. Eggs were firm and in good demand, selling at 13c per dozen in basket lots, and 14c per single dozen.

Apples—Scarce, at prices quoted.

Vegetable and Roots—Potatoes were scarce. A couple of loads sold at 70c per bag. From reports furnished there appears to be a large quantity still in the farmers' hands. Rhubarb sold at 75c to $1 per dozen. Radishes, 35c to 40c per dozen. Lettice, 25c per dozen.

Poultry—Was in fair supply. Prices are firmer at 65c to 75c per pair for dressed chickens, and 50c to 65c per pair for live ones. Turkeys, geese and ducks are unchanged in price.

Dressed Hogs—The local butchers were in need of supplies in this line. Prices were firmer as a consequence, selling at $7 25 to $7 75 per cwt, mostly at $7 50 per cwt.

Maple Syrup—Was offered in considerable quantities. Sales were only fair at $1 to $1 10 per gallon. A lot of syrup which was shipped in from eastern points is being offered wholesale at 90c per gallon.

No change in prices of meats. The demand is fair.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoe, per bag	60	@	70
Onions, per bu	75	@	1 00
Celery, per doz	35	@	40
Savory and sage, doz	20	@	20
Mint, per doz	15	@	15
Parsley, per doz	15	@	25

LIVE HOGS.

Hogs, small, per pair	4 00	@	6 00
Hogs, selects, per cwt	5 50	@	5 60
Hogs, light, per 100 lbs.	5 50	@	5 50
Hogs, stiggrs, per 100 lbs.	5 50	@	5 60
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs.	2 00	@	4 00

DRESSED HOGS.

Dressed hogs, light	7 00	@	7 25
Dressed, 100 lbs, selects	7 00	@	7 25
Dressed, 100 lbs, heavy	5 00	@	5 50

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, lb rolls, baskets	19	@	21
Butter, crock, per lb	17	@	19
Butter, creamery, lb	20	@	21
Butter, store lots	15	@	17
Eggs, doz, basket lots	13	@	15
Eggs, doz, new laid	15	@	16
Honey, per lb	10	@	12½
Cheese, per lb, retail	12	@	12½
Lard, per lb, wholesale	11	@	11½

POULTRY.

Geese, per lb	7	@	7½
Turkeys, per pair	11	@	12
Turkeys, per lb	10	@	11
Ducks, per pair	90	@	90
Chickens, pair pair	75	@	90
Hens, per pair, live	40	@	50

MEATS, HIDES, ETC.

Beef, per lb	5	@	7
Beef, carcases	5	@	7
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	@	7
Lamb, quarters	6 50	@	7 50
Calfskins, green	7	@	8
Lambskins	20	@	25

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HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

Toronto, March 11.—Hides—The offerings are fairly large and the demand is moderate; the condition of many of the hides offering is not very satisfactory; the market is unchanged; No. 1 green cows are quoted at 7c, No. 2 at 6c and No. 3 at 5c, and steers at 8c; cured cows, 7½c, and steers at 8½c. Sheepskins—The supply is fair and the market is steady, at 75c to 80c. Calfskins—Steady; No. 1 are quoted at 9c and No. 2 at 8c. Tallow —Scarcer; there is a fair demand and the market is firmer; local buyers are offering 5¾c to 6c, and asking 6¼c.

LEATHER MARKET.

Toronto, March 11.—There is a fair inquiry for leather, and the market is steady, at previous quotations. We quote: Sole, slaughter, medium heavy, per lb, 30c to 32c; Spanish, No. 1 heavy, per lb, 29c to 30c; No. 2, 26c to 29c; No. 3, 26c to 28c; calfskin, Canadian, 70c to 82c; calfskin, French, $1 15 to $1 50; French kip, 80c to 90c; Canadian kip, 60c to 65c; upper light, medium, 40c to 45c; splits, 25c to 28c; buff, per foot, 13c to 16c; pebble, 14c to 16c; harness, union oak tanned, No. 1, 32c to 34c; No. 2, 30c to 32c; light, 29c to 31c; cod oil, per gallon, 40c to 45c; degras, per lb, 4c to 4½c; japonica, per lb, 6c to 7c; hemlock extract, 3¾c; lampblack, 20c to 25c; sumac, per ton, $70.

WOOL MARKET.

Toronto, March 11.—The situation for domestic wool is about the same as it was a week ago. The demand for fleece for export is slow in coming, and holders are tired waiting for it. Pulled wools are slow. For some time past wools which are dutiable to the extent of 3c per lb have been coming into Canada free, because of a lack of watchfulness on the part of customs officials. Wools which come into direct competition with domestic fleece should pay a duty of 3c per lb under the ordinary tariff, and if from Great Britain they are subject under the preference to a net duty of 2c per lb. In one or two cases lately duty has been charged on such wools, and it looks as if the duty would be collected in all such cases in future, as the vigilance of the customs officials will be greater in such cases in the future. This will keep a lot of wool out of the market that was formerly allowed to come in free, and to that extent it will improve the condition of the home market for domestic wools, although it is scarcely likely to make any advance in prices. Fleece—The demand is inactive and the market is unchanged, at 13c for washed and 7½c for unwashed. Pulled wools—In moderate demand, and the market is steady, at 18c to 19c for extras and 14c to 15c for supers.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

SUGAR.

London, March 12.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s 6d; centrifugal, 8s 3d; beet sugar, March, 6s 5¼d.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

London, March 12.—The second session of this year's wool auction sales opened today. The number of bales offered was 10,610, and considered a representative selection. The attendance was good and competition spirited and general. The home traders were eager buyers. A small supply of Cape of Good Hope and Natal sold well at a fair advance. Scoureds were firm. The sales in detail were as follows: New South Wales, 3,300 bales; scoured, 1s 1d to 1s 5½d; greasy, 3d to 11d. Queensland, 600 bales; scoured, 5d to 1s 6½d; greasy, 4½d to 10½d. Victoria, 900 bales; scoured, 5d; greasy, 7¼c to 10d. South Australia, 100 bales; greasy, 7d to 9¼d. West Australia, 1,200 bales; scoured, 10½d; greasy, 4½d to 9d. New Zealand, 3,900 bales; soured, 5¾d to 1s 5½d; greasy, 3d to 8½d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 200 bales; greasy, 6¼d to 9½d. Punta Arenas, 300 bales; greasy, 4d to 6½d. Hong Kong, 100 bales; scoured, 5½d to 5¾d.

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, March 12.—Baled hay—Firmer, with a fair demand and light offerings; No. 1 timothy was bid at $8 50, low freights to New York, and $10 50 on track, Toronto. Baled straw—Quiet, offerings being light; the market is steady, at $5 50 on the track here.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 12.—Strong bearish arguments in the shape of news of copious showers all over the southwestern wheat fields, influenced liberal sales in both wheat and corn today, but bears went to extremes and oversold the markets. As a result a few bits of otherwise unimportant news searted covering, and May wheat closed only a shade under, May corn ⅝c to ½c higher, and May oats ⅞c up; provisions gained 2½c to 10c. Local receipts of wheat were 25 cars, none of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 276 cars, making a total for the three points of 301 cars, against 250 cars last week and 383 cars a year ago. Primary receipts were 563,000 bu, compared with 606,000 bu the same day last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 283,000 bu. The seaboard reported 65 loads taken for export, of which 50 were said to be of Manitoba wheat. Corn opened a little easier on the wheat weakness, and bears did some short selling. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 35 cars; corn, 110 cars; oats, 75 cars; hogs, 32,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—No. 2, May, 76½c; July, 76⅞c; Sept., 76⅝c. Corn—No. 2, May, 82⅝c to 83½c; July, 62c; Sept., 60¼c. Oats—No. 2, May, 45⅝c; July, 35⅞c to 36c. Mess pork—May, $15 45; July, $15 60. Lard—May, $9 42½; July, $9 55; Sept., $9 67½. Short ribs—May, $8 42½; July, $8 55; Sept., $8 65.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 73½c; No. 2 red, 82½c to 83c. No. 2 oats, 44⅞c to 45½c; No. 2 white, 46c to 46¾c; No. 3 white, 45¼c to 46c. No. 2 rye, 58c. Fair to choice malting barley, 60c to 64c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 68; No. 1 northwestern, $1 72. Prime timothy seed, $6 45 to $6 50. Mess pork, $15 30 to $15 35; lard, $9 35 to $9 37½; short ribs sides, $8 30 to $8 50; dry salted shoulders, 7½c to 7¼c; short clear sides, $8 60 to $8 70.

Receipts—Flour, 46,000 bbls; wheat, 81,000 bu; corn, 153,000 bu; oats, 173,000 bu; rye, 3,000 bu; barley, 35,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 32,000 bbls; wheat, 34,000 bu; corn, 42,000 bu; oats, 102,000 bu; rye, 9,000 bu; barley, 5,000 bu.

TOLEDO, March 12.—Wheat—Fairly active, lower; cash, 83c; May, 83c; July, 79½c. Corn—Dull, firm; cash, 61c; May, 63c; July, 62¾c. Oats—Dull, firm; cash, 45c; May, 44¾c; July, 37c. Clover seed—Weak; March, $5 25; April, $5 15; Oct., $5 05; No. 2, $4 60 to $4 95.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, March 13.—Beans are easy, at a loss of 1c. Quotations: Cash, $1 45; May, 4 cars at $1 45; June, $1 44.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 12.—Oil opened at $1 15.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 12.—Oil closed at $1 15.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 12.—Credit balances, $1 15; certificates, no bid.

LONDON, March 12.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 15-16d; spirits, 6⅞d.

BREMEN, March 12.—Petroleum, 6 marks 25 pfennings.

ANTWERP, March 12.—Petroleum, 17 francs 50 centimes.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 13.—Oil opened at $1 15.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts light; steady to firm; veals, tops, $7 to $7 75; common to good, $5 to $6 75. Hogs—Receipts, 3,400 head; fairly active demand, at 5c to 10c higher; Yorkers, $6 45 to $6 50; light do, $6 20 to $6 35; mixed packers, $6 55 to $6 60; choice heavy, $6 60 to $6 65; pigs, $5 95 to $6 05; roughs, $5 80 to $6; stags, $4 to $4 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 16,500 head; sheep and yearlings steady, lambs slow and 10c to 15c lower; choice lambs, $6 55 to $6 65; good to choice, $6 40 to $6 50; culls to fair, $5 65 to $6 25; sheep, choice handy wethers, $5 50 to $5 75; common to extra mixed, $5 10 to $5 50; culls and common, $4 to $5; mixed heavy export ewes, $4 75 to $5 25; yearlings, choice wethers, $5 95 to $6.

CHICAGO, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,500, including 273 Texans; strong to 10c higher; good to prime steers, $6 50 to $7; poor to medium, $4 25 to $6 20; stockers and feeders, $2 50 to $5 35; cows, $1 40 to $5 60; heifers, $2 50 to $5 60; canners, $1 40 to $2 30; bulls, $2 50 to $4 90; calves, $3 to $6 40; Texas fed steers, $4 75 to $5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; 5c to 10c higher; closed weak; mixed and butchers, $6 to $6 50; good to choice heavy, $6 35 to $6 55; rough heavy, $6 10 to $6 30; light, $5 95 to $6 25; bulk of sales at $6 10 to $6 40. Sheep —Receipts, 15,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $4 50 to $5 25; western sheep, $4 60 to $5 75; native lambs, $4 to $6 40; western lambs, $5 25 to $6 50.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, March 12.—Here and at Liverpool cattle are unchanged and steady, at 12½c to 13¼c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 10¾c per lb.

MR. McCALLUM ... THE ... DRUGGIST.

The well-known and popular druggist, McCallum, of London, says: "I have purchased up in the thousand dollars' worth of Hutch Tablets since they were put on the market. There is nothing in the store which sells as well as Hutch Tablets do. The demand is as regular and steady as for anything we have in stock."

When asked whether the Tablets were sold more to men than to women, he said: "The buyers are about equally divided, but the same people buy them over and over again. When they once begin, they always come back for more. We will have a customer come in today for a 10-cent package; a few days later he'll come in and get a 50-cent bottle, and after that maybe a dollar bottle. We sell a good many dollar bottles. It is the best dyspepsia medicine today on the market."

THE RAILWAYS

Grand Trunk and C. P. R. Each Sued for $10,000 Damages.

C. P. R. to Expend $5,000,000 This Year Principally in Track Improvements.

By a vote of 33 to 9, the Iowa Senate has passed the bill for the taxation of railroad property on a basis of stocks and bonds, net and gross earnings, and physical condition.

Frank Dillinger, of Ottawa, has been appointed superintendent of the Chapleau-Ontario division of the C. P. R., to succeed T. Hay, resigned. Mr. Dillinger has been a dispatcher at Ottawa for four years, and went there from Montreal.

Both the C. P. R. and G. T. R. were made defendants in suits for heavy damages yesterday. The widow of Thomas J. Gordon, a car turner, who was killed by an acetylene explosion in the roundhouse at Owen Sound in January, sues the C. P. R. for $10,000 damages for his death. Robert Oliver, of Toronto, sues the G. T. R. for $10,000 damages for injuries. He was an employe of the road at the time, and was one of the victims of a collision at Princton last August.

At the last executive meeting of the C. P. R. directors, held in Montreal, it was announced that the appropriations for the coming year were $5,000,000 in advance of what they were this time a yea rago. The amount is exclusive of such new works as big shops in Montreal. It will be largely devoted to double-tracking the main line between Fort William and Winnipeg, and the building of side tracks west of Winnipeg, and $1,000,000 will go to new elevators. The new tracks and sidings, it is claimed, will go along way towards preventing a repetition of this year's grain block in the west.

REV. DE WITT TALMAGE

Returning Home From Texas in Bad Health—Afflicted With Influenza.

San Antonio, Texas, March 13.—T. De Witt Talmage, confined to his berth on account of illness, has passed through this city on his way to Washington. He was accompanied by Mrs. Talmage and his physician. Mr. Talmage is returning from Mexico, where he went several weeks ago. Upon his arrival in the Mexican capital he contracted a cold and later influenza developed.

CANADA'S COMMISSIONER

A Significant Statement Made by Mr. J. G. Jardine, of Toronto.

Toronto, March 10.—Mr. J. G. Jardine, of 305 Crawford street, who was a member of the Canadian commission to the Paris Exposition, has made a public statement as follows:

"During my stay in Paris I found Dodd's Kidney Pills invaluable to me as a general all-round tonic when I felt worn out or run down. I had them by me at all times, and found them always a sure and instant remedy for Backache and Tiredness.

"I recommended them to many friends and acquaintances, and everyone was highly pleased with the results.

"I regard Dodd's Kidney Pills as the very best medicine for Backache and a magnificent tonic for the system.

WARM SYMPATHY FOR THE PREMIER

Hon. Geo. W. Ross Receives Many Messages of Condolence From London.

Among the many messages of condolence sent to Premier Ross from friends in this city were the following:

George M. Reid, London—Accept my sincerest sympathy in your irreparable loss.

Charles A. Barnes, London—My sympathies are with you in your sad bereavement.

D. M. Cameron, London—Mrs. Cameron and myself join in heartfelt sympathy with you in your terribly sudden bereavement.

G. P. Graham, M.P.P., and W. H. Taylor, M.P.P., wired from London—Words fail to express our sorrow and sympathy.

George C. Gibbons, K.C., London—You have my deepest sympathy.

John Cameron, London—My profound sympathy in your bereavement.

Dr. C. A. Sippi, London—Accept my heartfelt sympathy in your deep affliction.

ALD. McMECHAN HAS ANOTHER PETITION

Many King Street Taxpayers Sign for Stone Road.

Ald. McMechan is at present circulating a petition for the construction of a stone macadamized road on King street, to be paid for by the city, and not by the King street residents.

"We have had enough of poor roads for our money, and are going to take no more chances," he said.

The success of the petition, it is believed, practically means the downfall of King street tar macadam, as every ratepayer Ald. McMechan has yet asked, but one, he says, has signed the petition.

Cursory Comment.

This long haul spoken of in railway matters seems to apply to the present return route from Springbank.

The members of No. 3 committee were certainly a lot of rubberers last night. Their time was largely taken up with the inspection of hose, coats, boots, etc., for the fire brigade.

It is appropriate that the head of the fire brigade should have power to fire his subordinates.

"We want the long haul!" say the L. E. and D. R. R. officials. "We want the long haul," say the local military men, who look forward with satisfaction to increased drill accommodation in the new armory.

"Juggernaut!" cry the prohibitionists, as they view the ravages of the liquor traffic. "Jug or not?" is the question they will face in November.

The low price at which No. 3 committee was offered a lawn mower last night suggests that there is a cut in that article.

STANLEY SHEERE DIED AT CALGARY

Well-Known Young Man Had Many Friends in London.

A dispatch announcing the death of Stanley Sheere at Calgary was yesterday received by his family here. He died on a ranch near the city of Calgary, where two years ago he had gone for the benefit of his health. He was formerly a clerk in Smallman & Ingram's drygoods store, and very popular throughout the city. He attended the Dundas Center Church, when living here. He was but 22 years of age. Seven brothers, Bert, Alf, Fred, Percy and Chester, of this city, Frank, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Harry, of Nelson, B. C., and one sister, Mrs. McGuffin, of Thorndale, survive. The remains will be accompanied to London by Mr. Harry Sheere.

DEATH OF AGED BALLYMOTE LADY.

The Late Mrs. Ann Bell Has Nearly Sixty Direct Descendants.

Mrs. Ann Bell, widow of the late Wm. Bell, died at her home, con. 7, lot 7, Ballymote, early this morning. She was one of the oldest residents of the county, being 93 years of age, over 50 years of which had been spent on the above mentioned farm.

She was born in Ireland, and with her husband came to this country, where she had spent a long and useful life, endearing herself to a large circle of acquaintances, who will deeply regret to hear of her demise. Death was due to the weaknesses of old age.

A remarkable fact in Mrs. Bell's life is that 30 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren had been born while she lived.

She leaves four daughters—Mrs. Phillips, Ballymote; Mrs. Jenkins, of this city; Mrs. Wyatt, of St. John's, and Mrs. Donnelly, of Belleville.

The funeral takes place tomorrow from her late residence. Rev. Canon Richardson, of whose church Mrs. Bell had been a life-long member, will conduct the service.

BODILY WEAKNESS

A Distracting Condition That Is Permanently Cured by Ferrozone — A Pleasant Remedy in Tablet Form to Be Taken After Each Meal.

All fagged out ideas come as slow as molasses in January. You think of things just a minute or so too late. Snap is gone and the buoyancy and strength that makes life a pleasure that's gone too.

The doctor would say that you are run down, and you don't eat or digest enough. Your stomach requires some aid, and probably your digestion needs a bracer. The blood should have phosphorus and iron to strengthen and purify it.

Now Ferrozone is a wonderful blood maker and nerve stimulant. It is really a food for the blood, nerves and vital energies, and will improve your run down condition in a very short time.

Ferrozone will make you strong and capable of doing a heavy day's work without fatigue. It is a marvelous remedy, and does marvelous things, as the following testimonial proves:

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There is a dearth of school teachers in England.

A TIME FOR EVERYTHING.—The time for Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is when croupy conditions appear in the children; when rheumatic pains beset the old; when lumbago, asthma, coughs, colds, catarrh or earache attack either young or old; when burns, scalds, abrasions, contusions or sprains come to any member of the family. In any of these ailments it will give relief and work a cure.

People who have the least to say invariably talk the most.

BE THERE A WILL, WISDOM POINTS THE WAY.—The sick man pines for relief, but he dislikes sending for the doctor, which means bottles of drugs never consumed. He has not the resolution to load his stomach with compounds which smell villainously and taste worse. But if he have the will to deal himself with his ailment, wisdom will direct his attention to Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which, as a specific for indigestion and disorders of the digestive organs, have no equal.

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MUSIC AND DRAMA.

GRAND OPERA TOMORROW.

The impartial and cultured musical critic of Toronto Saturday Night gives the following warm words of praise to the recent productions of opera in that city by the organization which comes to the Grand Opera House tomorrow and Saturday:

"The Boston Lyric Opera Company, which have been giving, this week, performances of the popular standard operas at the Grand, are an organization that deserve hearty praise and encouragement. They have been giving really creditable productions at the remarkably low prices of from 25 to 75 cents, and their repertory for the week includes 'Il Trovatore,' 'Carmen,' 'Bohemian Girl,' 'Martha' and 'Faust.' They have offered hundreds of people who are generally kept away from opera by high prices, opportunities of hearing these works. They have been playing to very fair business, and it is hoped that the financial results have been satisfactory. We get as a rule such baneful music at our cheap theatrical entertainments that the enterprise of the company in offering the public good music at reasonable rates deserves liberal support. The company numbers between 40 and 50 members, and they are able to put on almost a complete double cast of principals."

The opening bill will be "Il Trovatore," while "The Bohemian Girl" and "Faust" will be heard at matinee and evening performances on Saturday. There has been a brisk demand for seats.

JAMES O'NEILL.

Adelaide Neilson, the greatest Juliet of modern times, was once asked whom she considered the greatest Romeo she had ever seen. She replied: "There was a little Irishman in Chicago, named O'Neill, who was the greatest Romeo I have ever seen." This is the same James O'Neill, who afterwards made "Monte Cristo" famous. Mr. O'Neil will be seen at the New Grand, Friday, March 21, in a scenic production of "Monte Cristo," furnished by Liebler & Co., which is said to be a most elaborately staged production. The same firm also control Mrs. Patrick Campbell, Eleonora Duse, the great Italian actress, Viola Allen, Mrs. Sarah Cowell LeMoyne, and other famous attractions, including "The Christian." It is said that "Monte Cristo" is the most sumptuously staged piece they have ever put forth.

"FOXY QUILLER."

In "Foxy Quiller," which comes to the New Grand, March 24, there are many numbers, such as the waltz song, in the first act, the song of the cheating peddler, a tarentella, and the "Song of the Sword," which are of unusual order of merit. Klaw & Erlanger have surrounded Mr. Sykes with a supporting cast of evxtraordinary excellence. They announce that notwithstanding the unusual expense attendant upon the performance, there will be no advance in the prices, which will remain the same as those obtained for attractions of the first class.

THE GREAT PIANIST JONAS.

When Alberto Jonas, the renowned pianist, who is to give a recital in London next Wednesday, played the Paderewski concerto in New York, he was applauded with immediate enthusiasm and heartiness and recalled three times at the public rehearsal and five times at his Saturday evening entertainment. The impression he made was in every way a favorable one. He is a pianist of high order intellectually, and his technical proficiency was equal to the demand in every way.

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News in a Nutshell.

Mungo Dand, of Maxwell, committed suicide by shooting.

Mr. Byron O. Lott was nominated for the legislature by the Liberals of North Hastings.

The United States senate committee on immigration has agreed to report favorably the Mitchell bill for Chinese exclusion.

The Pennsylvania Railway will spend $20,000,000 in tunnels under the North and East Rivers to obtain an entrance into New York.

Dr. Saunders, director of the Experimental Farm at Ottawa, is of the opinion that beet sugar production cannot succeed in Canada.

The five-story brick warehouse of the Brunswick-Balke-Collander Co., at Wells and Superior streets, Chicago, has been practically destroyed by fire. Loss $175,000.

Misses Bureau and Abrams, of Kingston, are volunteers to go to South Africa as teachers. Their applications have been forwarded to the proper quarters.

A 14-year-old boy, walking on the railway near Halifax, noticed a broken rail. He flagged the St. John express with a lighted newspaper, and thus prevented a disaster.

Lieut.-Col. Burland, formerly of the 6th Fusiliers, Montreal, has been appointed commandant of the Bisley team, with Major Sutherland, 43rd Regiment, Ottawa, as adjutant.

The British Columbia Government has arranged to settle 1,000 United States immigrants in the Bulkeley Valley, giving to each a free grant farm and an additional 220 acres at $1 per acre.

Francis Skinner, New York, banker and broker, committed suicide some time between Monday evening and Wednesday noon in his private office on New street. The act was probably due to business reverses and family troubles.

While Isaac White, colored, of Dayton, Ohio, was asleep, his wife threw gasoline over him and ignited it. White died of his burns, and his wife subsequently made a confession. The woman claims White beat and choked her when he came home and then went to bed.

The Chinese Government has presented to United States Minister Conger a strong memorial against the re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion law by the United States. The government particularly objects to the exclusion of Chinese from the Philippines and Hawaiian Islands.

MACCABEES' EX-TREASURER ARRESTED.

Port Huron, Mich., March 13.—Chas. D. Thompson, ex-supreme finance keeper of the Supreme Tent, Knights of the Maccabees, who some time ago confessed to a shortage of $57,000, was arrested yesterday on a complaint sworn out by Sheriff Mains. Thompson refused to plead on his arraignment, and a plea of not guilty was entered. Bail of $5,000 was furnished and his examination set for March 18. The county officials say they had become convinced that the Maccabees did not intend to prosecute Thompson, and for that reason Sheriff Mains made the complaint.

Catarrhal Poisons and Their Remedy

The poisonous secretions from Catarrh are dangerous, because they affect the stomach and bowels, giving rise to an unhealthy condition of these organs. Catarrh is the source of much ill-health, and was considered practically incurable until it was demonstrated to the satisfaction of the medical profession that by the use of Catarrhozone any case of nasal or throat trouble can be permanently and quickly cured. Catarrhozone by its unusual merit has enlisted the support and indorsement of the most prominent medical authorities, who freely state that anyone giving it a trial is sure to receive permanent benefit. Sold for $1. Small size, 25c. At druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

The Russian mercantile marine has 745 steamers and 2,293 sailing vessels.

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TODAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, March 13

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2p.m.
Anaconda	31⅝	31	31⅛	30⅞	31¼
Amal. Copper	64⅛	63⅛	65⅛	63⅞	64¾
Atcheson	75	74⅞	75⅛	74⅛	75
Atcheson Pfd	96⅛	96½	96½	96⅛	96⅛
B. & O	104⅛	105½	105¼	104⅞	104⅞
Brooklyn Tran	64	63⅝	65½	63⅝	65¼
C. B. & Q	..	..	..	..	..
C. C. C	100⅜	100¼	..	..	..
C. F. I	93½	94	94	93½	93½
Erie	36½	36¼	36⅝	36¼	36½
K. & T. Pfd	53⅛	..	..	..	..
L. & N	103⅝	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝	104⅛
Manhattan	129¼	129¾	132¼	129½	131⅞
Metropolitan St	167⅜	167¼	168⅜	167¼	168
Mo. P	98¾	98⅞	99¼	98¼	98¾
N. Y. Central	162⅜	161⅝	162	161⅝	162
Norfolk and W	56⅞	56⅛	..	..	..
N. Pacific. Pfd	..	..	..	..	..
Ont. and Western	32¾	32⅝	32⅝	32½	32½
Pacific Mail	48¼	48½	48⅞	48¼	48¾
Pennsylvania	151⅛	150¾	150⅞	150¼	150½
People's Gas	100½	100¾	100½	100⅛	100⅛
R. I	168½	168¼	168¾	168⅛	168½
Reading	81	81¼	..	..	..
St. Paul	164	163¾	164	163½	164
Southern Ry. Pfd	95⅝	95⅛	96¾	95⅛	96⅛
Southern Pacific	64⅛	64⅜	64¼	64¼	64⅜
Texas	39⅛	39⅝	..	..	..
T. C. I	67⅞	68¼	68½	67½	68⅛
U. Pacific	98⅞	98¾	99	98¾	99
W. U	90¾	..	..	..	..
TRUSTS—					
Leather	82	82¼	..	..	..
Sugar	126¼	126⅛	126¾	123⅜	124¾
U. S. Steel Com	42⅛	42	42⅜	42	42⅜
U. S. Steel Pfd	93⅞	94	94¾	93⅞	94⅝
Rubber	16	15	..	..	..

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, March 13.—Wheat—Steady; red and white, 72½c to 73c, middle freights; goose, 68c for No. 2, middle freights; spring, No. 1 at 73c east; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 80c; No. 1 northern at 83c, and No. 2 northern at 80c, en route, North Bay. Flour—Steady, at $2 85 for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, $4 20 for cars of Hungarian patents and $4 for strong bakers, bags included, on the track at Toronto. Millfeed—Quiet, at $18 50 for cars of shorts and $16 50 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Quiet, at 56c for No. 1, 53c for No. 2, 51c to 52c for No. 3 extra, and 49c to 50c for No. 3, middle freights. Buckwheat—Quiet, at 55c, middle freights. Rye—Steady, at 56½c to 57c, middle freights. Corn, 55½c bid for No. 2 mixed, and 56½c bid for No. 2 yellow, with 57c easked west. Oats—Steady, at 41¼c bid for No. 2 white on a low freight to New York, with sellers at 42c. Peas—Steady; 80c for No. 2, middle freights, and 79½c on a low freight to New York. Butter—Conditions are unaltered in the butter market; choice dairies are much sought after and hard to find; creameries, therefore, are selling well; prices are steady; creamery prints, 22c to 23c; solids, 21c to 21½c; seconds, 18c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 17c to 18c; large rolls, choice, 16½c to 17½c; tubs, 14c to 16c; medium and low grades, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—The offerings are fair, there is a good demand, and the market is steady, at 12½c for new-laid. Live hogs—Receipts today, 1,000; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 6c; light and heavy fat, 5¾c. Dressed hogs—Farmers' lots here are 25c lower, at $7 25 to $7 50.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 13—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter steady, 6s 1d; No. 1 northern spring, no stock; No. 1 California firm, 6s 4d. Futures steady; March, 6s 1½d; May, 6s ½d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 2½d; American mixed, old, 5s 3¼d. Futures quiet; March, 5s 1½d; May, 5s 2¾d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 8d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £3 10s to £4 10s.

Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 79s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, 72s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 46s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 41s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 43s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 24 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 35s 6d.

Lard—Steady; American refined, in pails, 48s 6d; prime western, in tierces, 47s 6d.

Butter—Firm; finest United States, 95s; good United States, 70s.

Cheese—American finest white firm, 52s; do. colored, 52s.

Tallow—Prime city steady, 29s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 31s 6d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot quiet, 24s 3d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 31s 6d.

Rosin—Common firm, 4s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 7¼d.

Linseed oil—Firm, 31s 6d.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 12.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 18c to 25c; dairies, 18c to 22c. Cheese—Steady, 10¾c to 12¾c. Eggs—Steady; fresh, 15c.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 13.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 2,710 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 27c; do. firsts, 25½c to 26c; do. seconds, 24c to 25c; do. lower grades, 21c to 23c; do. held fancy, 23½c to 24c; do. firsts, 22½c to 23c; do. seconds, 21c to 22c; do. lower grades, 18c to 10c; state dairy tubs, fresh finest, 25c to 26c; do. fall-made best, 22c to 23c; do. fair to good, 20c to 21c; do. lower grades, 17c to 19c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 23c to 24c; do. firsts, 20c to 22c; do. lower grades, 17½c to 19c; western factory, fresh fancy, 21c; do. choice, 20c; do. fair to good, 18c to 19c; do. held choice, 18½c to 19c; do. fair to good, 17½c to 19c; do. lower grades, 16c to 17c; renovated butter, fancy, 22½c to 23c; do. common to choice, 16c to 22c; packing stock, 15c to 16c. Cheese—Firm; receipts, 10,129 boxes; state full cream, small fall-made fancy, 12¾c to 13c; do. choice, 12¼c to 12½c; do. good to prime, 11c to 12c; do. common to fair, 7c to 10½c; do. large fall-made fancy, 11¾c to 12c; do. choice, 11¼c to 12c; do. good to prime, 10½c to 11c; do. common to fair, 7c to 10c; light skims, small choice, 10c to 10½c; do. large choice, 9c to 9½c; part skims, prime, 8½c to 9c; do. fair to good, 6c to 9c; do. common, state, 5c; full skims, 3c to 3½c.



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NEW YORK, March 13—Flour—Receipts, 15,685 bbls; sales, 4,500 pkgs; flour had a fair trade and a steady undertone. Rye flour—Quiet; fair to good, $3 25 to $3 40; choice to fancy, $3 50 to $3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 143,450 bu; sales, 840,000 bu; wheat started out easier on account of realizing and fine weather, but rallied with coarse grains; May, 82c to 82 5-16c; July, 82 5-16c to 82⅝c. Rye—Steady; state, 60c to 61c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; 65¼c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 23,000 bu; sales, 85,000 bu; corn was firmer on prospective small receipts, covering and firm cables; May, 67¾c to 68c; July, 67c to 67¼c; Sept., 65½c to 65⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 63,000 bu; oats ruled dull but higher, as a result of activity among May shorts at Chicago; track, white state and western, 52c to 58c. Sugar—Raw unsettled; fair refining, 2⅞c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜c; molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined unsettled. Coffee—Dull; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c. Lead—Firm. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Quiet.

BUFFALO, March 13.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 81¼c, carloads. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 90c; No. 1 white, 88c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 66½c; No. 3 yellow, 66c; No. 2 corn, 65½c; No. 3 corn, 65¼c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 50¼c; No. 3 white, 49½c; No. 2 mixed, 47½c, on track.

DETROIT, March 13.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 85½c; No. 2 red, cash, March and May, 84¼c; July, 80½c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker:

CHICAGO, March 15.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	76¼	76⅜	75⅛	75⅛
July	76¼	77	76	76
Corn—May	62¼	62¾	61⅞	61⅞
July	61⅞	62⅛	61½	61½
Oats—May	44⅜	45½	45⅛	45½
July	35⅛	36⅛	35⅝	35⅝
Pork—May	15 47	15 50	15 40	15 40
Lard—May	9 45	9 47	9 42	9 42
Ribs—May	8 42	8 50	8 40	8 40

Letters to the Editor

MRS. BOOMER TO MR. GREEN.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

May I ask you to let me acknowledge through your columns the promise of $25 from Mr. Green towards the much-needed building for the Young Woman's Christian Association. This $25 is the very first response which came to encourage me in the hope that I had almost relinquished of meeting the requirements to secure the first proferred $25, contingent upon my getting that amount raised to $100. Now, I do not despair of doing this, and shall be grateful for any small sums which may come my way without interfering with the organized canvass, to which I heartily wish all success. Already $2 towards the next $25 have come in, but even that leaves my total a long way off. In addition to his kind words and financial help Mr. Green added the practical and very substantial proof of his interest in the good work of the Y. W. C. A. by also tendering them a ton of coal—thus warming their bodies as well as pathy. Thanking you for space, I am, very faithfully yours,

H. A. BOOMER.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY SUNDAY.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

In a letter headed "The Twentieth Century Sunday," the writer states that Sunday is not a relic of the darkest ages. He is considerably out in making this assertion. Sunday was observed by the heathen nations hundreds of years before the advent of Christ. It is true that the first Sunday law of which we have any record was enacted by a heathen emperor named Constantine, and in that celebrated enactment Sunday is designated as the venerable day of the sun (Dies Solis). Of its venerableness there cannot be the shadow of a doubt. Sunday observance was not only a mark of the most degraded heathenism, but was also a distinguishing sign between the followers of Jehovah (who observed the seventh day, Sabbath) and the idolatrous worshipers of the sun, who kept the first day in honor of that luminary. The writer also states that "only enlightened Christian nations observe Sunday rest and protect the civil rest day by law." A Christian is a follower of Christ. It would be interesting for the reverend gentleman to prove in what sense any nation under the sun can be said to be walking in the steps of the meek and lowly Saviour. The Lord's Day, which Christ and the apostles observed, and which God commanded to be kept holy in the fourth commandment, needs no human alliance for its protection. The only alliance that Sabbath preservation needs is an alliance of the individual with Christ. The union of church and state, which the Sunday Alliance people are aiming for, is anti-Christian, and, according to the testimony of history, has always been attended with disastrous consequences in the past. Neither Christ nor his apostles sought the aid of the state to enforce their teachings. With them it was, "Not by might nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord."

FRANK LANE.

NAVIGATION NEWS

Montreal, March 12.—The Allan Line office in this city has received no word of the steamer Huronian, now nearly two weeks overdue from Glasgow, for St. John, N. B. The officials state that the New York reports that the steamer had been wrecked on Sable Island probably arose over the announcement that a government steamer would go out from Halifax in that direction to seek tidings of the missing steamer.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

March 11.	Reported at	From
Aller	New York	Genoa
Tauric	New York	Liverpool
Astoria	Moville	New York
Corean	Glasgow	Boston
Celtic	Alexandria	New York
Island	Copenhagen	New York
Rotterdam	Rotterdam	New York
March 12.		
Kensington	New York	Antwerp
March 11.	Reported at	From
Numidian	St. John	Liverpool
Menominee	New York	London
Sardegna	New York	Genoa
Ivernia	Queenstown	Boston
Astoria	Glasgow	New York
Philadelphia	Southampton	New York
Lahn	Naples	New York
Oceanic	Liverpool	New York

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WEATHER BULLETIN

London, March 13—8 a.m.

TEMPERATURE.

Stations—	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	22	22	Snow
Winnipeg	30	26	Cloudy
Toronto	36	26	Cloudy
Ottawa	34	34	Rain
Montreal	36	34	Cloudy
Quebec	34	32	Rain
Father Point	36	30	Snow

FORECASTS.

Today—Fair and a little colder. Friday—Mild.

WEATHER NOTES.

Rain has fallen heavily over the greater portion of Ontario and Quebec, but clearing conditions are now indicated. It is turning decidedly colder in the Northwest Territories, possibly heralding a change before long to more wintry weather in Ontario and Quebec.

Reporter's Notebook.

The regular monthly meeting of St. George's Society will be held tonight.

The board of works meets tonight.

A meeting of the Retail Grocers' Association will be held tonight.

The final meeting of the Western University Musical and Literary Society will be held tonight in the convocation room at the college. No admission is charged.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—One case has been entered for Saturday's session of the high court.

—Rev. Richard Hobbs lectures tonight in the Askin Street Methodist Church.

—A chimney fire occurred at 76 Dundas street this morning. No damage was done.

—Mr. Robert Winslow wishes it stated that it was not his son George who was charged with vagrancy.

—J. W. Jones was in the police magistrate's chair this morning and allowed one first-time drunk to go. P. M. Love is in Toronto.

—The London retail merchants meet tonight in Duffield Block to discuss specially important business. Addresses will be given by Mr. Adam Ballantine, of the Hamilton branch, and Mr. E. M. Trowern, of Toronto, the central secretary.

TO KEEP WORKS HERE.

The mayor has instructed the chairman of the manufacturers' committee to call a meeting at 5 p.m. today to consider the threatened removal from the city of the Columbia handle works.

GOES TO THE ASYLUM.

Dr. Robert Smith was examined as to his sanity before Judge Edward Elliott this morning. He was adjudged insane, and an order was made for his commitment to the asylum.

CARPENTERS' MEETING.

No definite action was taken at the carpenters' meeting last evening. The questions brought up were discussed, but nothing was done. Many expressed their intention of joining the union at their first opportunity.

NUMBER TWO TONIGHT.

No. 2 committee meets tonight, but the session will probably be a short one, as there is little business. Wm. Rodgers' claim for damages for a broken arm from falling on a sloping sidewalk at the corner of Dufferin avenue and Wellington streets, will be considered.

HORSE TO BE DESTROYED.

Inspector Sanders has found a horse belonging to Granville Brooks, of Colborne street south, in a dying condition. Upon threatening to have the owner summoned for cruelty, the latter consented to have the horse destroyed. This is the second horse taken from Brooks in three months.

TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL.

Governor Robert Boston and Mr. Alex. Boston, and Mrs. (Dr.) Belton go to Toronto today to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. George W. Ross. Duncan Ross and Wm. Geddes, Strathroy, and James Geddes, of Sarnia will also be present. The Messrs. Geddes are nephews of the deceased lady.

WATER IS FALLING.

The water in the river is now falling. It reached its greatest height this morning, when it was over six feet at the waterworks dam, a raise of seven inches over last night's record. At 2 p.m. it had fallen to 5 feet 8 inches. No damage is being done, and the London West breakwater is holding out well.

TO INSPECT FISHWAYS.

At last night's meeting of the Thames River Angling Association, the membership fee was placed at $1 per annum. The annual meeting takes place every March. The farmers owning land along the river will be made honorary members, and will be asked to assist the association in preserving fish. A committee was appointed to inspect the fishways in the dams in the north and south branches of the river, as some of them are said to be defective.

PROCTOR—BROOKS.

Miss Flossie Brooks, a young lady well known for her good works and philanthropic spirit in this city, was married yesterday afternoon to Mr. Harry Proctor, also of this city. The marriage was performed by the Rev. S. J. Allin, in the Hamilton Road Methodist Church, of which Miss Brooks is a valued member. The church was decorated for the occasion, and though the wedding was a quiet one, quite a number of the bride's friends were present to witness the ceremony. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Ritchie, as the bridal couple entered, and left the church. The groom was accompanied by his brother, William Proctor, and Miss Lovinia Nichol assisted the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Proctor will reside in the city.

WORKS MAY MOVE OUT.

Ex-Mayor Rumball was interviewed on his return from Montreal this morning. The Grand Trunk offered the Columbia Handle Works Company the old site to build on, but would not erect any buildings. A meeting of the company's directors will be held this afternoon, when a decision will be arrived at. Mr. Rumball, when asked whether there was any possibility of the company moving, said that would be decided this afternoon.

In the legislature yesterday, Hon. Mr. Stratton, in answer to Mr. Whitney, said that R. Norton, of London, who was committed at London to six months in the Central Prison for criminal acts in connection with the last municipal election in that city, had been detained at the local jail because it had been thought that he would be needed as a witness in another case. It had developed that he was not so wanted, and the sheriff had been instructed to convey him to the Central Prison.

GOULD IN CONTROL.

A Cleveland dispatch says: Ownership of the two street railway systems of Cleveland, which they secured through the friendship of Senator Hanna, gives Edwin Gould and his colleagues mastery of the whole Everett-Moore inter-state scheme. The Gould syndicate has money enough to carry anything through. It will not touch the telephone schemes that wrecked the Everett-Moore syndicate, according to popular belief. Under the surface the hand of Gould can be seen working through the bankers' committee that has the inter-city traction properties of the Everett-Moore syndicate in charge. With Gould in this scheme is Charles Harkness, the Standard Oil millionaire of New York, and formerly of Cleveland. Horace Andrews, who was elected president of the Big Consolidated in place of Everett as soon as the Gould syndicate got control of that company, is the active man of the syndicate. Within a year, it is said, the Gould syndicate will be openly in control of all the traction properties of the late Everett-Moore syndicate.

GEN. METHUEN IS RELEASED

The Wounded Officer's Condition Favorable.

The Trial of Commandant Kritzinger Postponed—His Exchange for Methuen Not Contemplated.

London, March 13.—The war secretary, Mr. Brodrick, announced in the House of Commons today that he understood that Gen. Methuen, who was captured, severely wounded, by Gen. Delarey, March 10, had been released and was expected to arrive at Klerksdorp, Southwestern Transvaal, today. The general's condition was favorable.

Mr. Brodrick said that the exchange of Gen. Methuen for Commandant Kritzinger had not been contemplated. The trial of the commandant had been postponed because consideration of the evidence to be presented had not been completed.

Timothy M. Healy (Irish Nationalist), amid Nationalist cheers, invited the government to show equal magnanimity and release Commandant Kritzinger.

Mr. Brodrick, later, said the telegram received did not specifically say that Gen. Methuen had been released. But, from the fact, that he was in the hands of a British medical officer, it was presumed that the general had been released.

LITTLE CHANCE FOR RHODES.

Private cable messages received here by friends of Cecil Rhodes lead to the belief that there is but slight hope for his recovery.

AT THE CAPITAL

Mr. Tarte Asked to Take Over Whitby Harbor.

Investigation of Intercolonial Railway Audit—The Work Done by Appointees of the Late Conservative Government.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, March 13.—A New Ontario deputation met Hon. J. I. Tarte, minister of public works, this morning and asked him to take over the harbor at Whitby, which is owned by a private corporation. They were told that the government could not take action this year, but their request will engage the attention of the government.

THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

When the public accounts committee resumed its investigation into the audit of the Intercolonial Railway, the inquiry was led by Mr. Barker, of Hamilton, and the auditor-general gave evidence. Mr. Barker explained that he was led to test the method of making the audit of the stores account. He questioned the auditor-general as to whether the total over expenditure of $237,000 beyond the amount authorized by parliament purchases were made in one year and charged against the next.

Mr. McDougall explained that, as in the case of payments to the Halifax cotton factory, the appropriations of one year included an amount sufficient to pay balances due on old accounts.

To the minister of railways the auditor-general said that two complete audits of the accounts were taken each year, one at Moncton and one at Ottawa, and by the same men that had been doing the work for the last ten or twelve years, having been appointed by the former government. He said that the audit is taken now in exactly the same way as then.

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DIED.

SHEERE—Suddenly, on March 12, 1902, at Calgary, Stanley Sheere, of London, aged 23.

Funeral notice later. 30u

MESSAGES OF CONDOLENCE.

The Country Sympathizes With Premier Ross

In His Hour of Bereavement—Kindly Words From All Quarters of the Dominion.

Toronto, March 14.—Premier Ross' sad and sudden bereavement in the death of his beloved wife has evoked from many quarters tender tributes of sympathy and condolence. Among many such messages received at the family residence yesterday were the following:

OTTAWA FRIENDS.

Lord Minto, Ottawa—Please accept our most heartfelt and sincere sympathy in your most terrible and overwhelming loss.

Hon. James Sutherland, Ottawa—My most sincere and heartfelt sympathy with yourself and family in your terribly sudden bereavement.

W. S. Calvert, M.P., Liberal Whip, Ottawa—The Liberal members of the House of Commons deeply sympathize with you in your great sorrow, and unite in deploring the loss of one whose devotion to her husband and family was so manifest to all.

Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick—I deeply sympathize with you in your great bereavement.

Hon. A. G. Blair, Ottawa—Please accept my sincerest sympathy in your sad bereavement.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, Ottawa—Accept deepest sympathy of Mrs. Fielding and myself in your great bereavement.

Hon. William Mulock, Ottawa—My deepest sympathy with you.

Hon. R. W. Scott, Ottawa—Mrs. Scott and I deeply sympathize with you in your great sorrow.

Hon. J. Israel Tarte—I need not tell you how deeply sorry I feel for you in the great calamity with which Providence has just visited you. Please accept the expression of my warmest sympathy.

FROM MANY PLACES.

E. O. Stratton, Peterboro—Sincerest sorrow and heartfelt sympathy in your irreparable loss.

Sir William Meredith—I have just learned of the great sorrow that has come to you and yours with such awful suddenness, and hasten to express my deepest sympathy with you and them, a sympathy which will go out from the hearts of all your fellow countrymen, without distinction of class, creed or political faith.

Rev. Dr. John Potts wrote: Just a line to express my sincere sympathy with you in the great and sad bereavement through which you are passing.

A. R. Creelman, K.C., Montreal—Have just heard with deep sorrow of the terrible loss which you have sustained. We regarded your devoted wife as one of our dearest friends. Can hardly express my grief. You have my sincere sympathy.

Leighton McCarthy, M.P., Ottawa—Sincerest and deepest sympathy with you and yours.

Messages were also received from Sir Oliver Mowat, Rev. Dr. Burwash, Principal Caven, Sheriff Mowat, J. Ross Robertson, and many others.

THE PRESS MEN.

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of The Globe the following resolution was moved by Mr. W. B. McMurrich, K.C., and seconded by Mr. A. F. Rutter: "That the shareholders of The Globe Printing Company have heard with profound regret of the sudden demise this morning of Mrs. Ross, wife of the premier of this province, and desire to tender to Mr. Ross their deep sympathy and respectful condolences in the irreparable loss he has thereby sustained."

Press gallery of the legislature—The members of this gallery beg to express to the Hon. the Premier of Ontario, and to the members of his family, their earnest sympathy in the bereavement which they have sustained. They realize that in the death of Mrs. Ross he has lost a helpmeet in the true and fullest sense of that word, and that his family lose a noble mother and inestimable friend.

[Special to Advertiser.]

Ottawa, March 13.—At a special meeting of the Press Gallery, a resolution of condolence with Hon. George W. Ross, the beloved premier of Ontario, was passed, and the following message sent to him:

"To George W. Ross, Premier, Toronto: "In your bereavement accept the deepest sympathy of the Press Gallery of the House of Commons." (Signed) R. J. Hartley, President; H. R. Holmden, Vice-President; Rodolp Laferriere, Secretary. S.

THE CALL WAS SUDDEN.

Toronto, March 13.—Mrs. Ross was apparently in the best of health until Tuesday morning, when she complained of feeling unwell. She had been a visitor at the legislature as recently as Friday, and was down town on Monday. Her indisposition increased as Tuesday advanced, though not seriously enough to alarm her family, until past midnight. Mr. Ross had been in attendance at the legislature until nearly 12 o'clock, and had been home but a short time when Mrs. Ross became worse, and from then until 4:30 o'clock life gradually ebbed away.

MRS. ROSS' FUNERAL.

Toronto, March 13.—Business progressed very rapidly at the legislature this morning, there being an understanding that the house shall get through before tomorrow morning, so that members may attend the funeral of Mrs. Ross. The pallbearers at the funeral will be the six members of the cabinet, so that there will be no session of the house tomorrow afternoon, whether business is finished or not.

DOCTORS' REFERENDUM.

Toronto, March 13.—The long-standing feud among the medical men of the province over the question whether the medical council shall be composed almost entirely of elective members, as at present, was settled by the legislature this morning. It was decided to submit Dr. Jessop's bill providing for election of members to a referendum to the doctors of the province at the time of the next election for the council. Doctors in arrears are also to be allowed to vote.

Convalescence.

Convalescence is sometimes merely apparent, not real, and especially is this true after such diseases as pneumonia, typhoid fever and the grip. To make it real and rapid, there is no other tonic so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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THE PROHIBITION CAMPAIGN PLANS

Talk of Putting Up a Third Candidate in Certain Constituencies.

Toronto, March 12.—The prohibition campaign committee are testing the feeling throughout Ontario as to the advisability of placing prohibition candidates in the field in many of the ridings at the next local elections. Letters are being received from many quarters dealing with the question, and urging an active campaign on behalf of prohibition.

If prohibition candidates are placed in the field, they will only contest the ridings where the temperance feeling is strong, especially in some of the ridings which are represented by cabinet ministers at present. An effort will be made to pledge the party candidates in the ridings where no temperance candidates are running to support prohibition.

BASEBALL.

On Wednesday evening the employes of the D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited, met and reorganized their ball team for the coming season. The officers elected were as follows: Honorary president, D. S. Perrin; honorary vice-president, H. P. Allen; president, T. W. McFarland; manager, J. T. May; secretary-treasurer, H. A. Summers.

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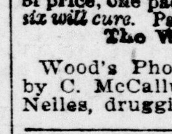
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"Well, Watkins, have you found a treasure?" asked the lady, looking a trifle amused at the figure he made with the clumsy thing in his arms. "One would think something very precious had been stowed away in there, by the quantity of rope wound about it."

"And true enough, Mrs. Remington; it's —it's another Moses in the bulrushes," Watkins responded, as he deposited his burden by the roadside, with a sigh of weariness, for it had been no light load. "There's a baby in it."

"What!" cried the fair occupant of the carriage, and losing all the color which the excitement of the adventure had called into her face.

The man drew aside the coverlid and blanket, and revealed to his excited mistress a pair of waxen chubby hands clasped over the little one's breast.

"Heavens! it is a baby!" exclaimed the lady, dropping the reins, and springing to her feet, her lovely brown eyes full of startled wonder. "Is it alive?"

"Yes, mum; and sleeping as sweet as a cherub," responded Watkins, waxing sentimental, and as if he were in the habit of seeing sleeping cherubs every day.

Mrs. Remington hastily descended from her carriage and approached the cradle.

Bending over it, she drew the coverings still farther away, and looked upon the babe.

Then a moan of anguish burst from her white lips.

"Oh, Watkins! how like my own lost darling!" she sobbed.

The kind-hearted coachman brushed a tear from his eyes with his coat sleeve.

"Sure, mum, it is about the size of the little angel herself," he said; "and a sorry day it was, too, when ye lost her."

At this moment the infant stirred, then opened its eyes—great dark orbs of liquid brown—and gazed up into the faces bending over the cradle.

For a full minute the child looked wonderingly, first at one, then at the other; then, throwing out its little hands to the beautiful woman, its little face broke into a happy smile, and it begged, with a bewitching little coo, to be taken up.

"Cut this rope, Watkins," Mrs. Remington commanded, all the mother-love of her nature reviving at the sight.

It was no sooner said than done, and Adele Remington, tears streaming over her cheeks, stooped and gathered the little water-waif into her arms, and hugged it close to her heaving bosom.

"Dear little blessing! where do you come from, and to whom do you belong?" she murmured, pressing her quivering lips to its soft cheek.

For answer the child laughed out in babyish glee, nestling closer into her arms, as it to show how content it was to be with her for the present, and this evoked a gratified smile from its protectress.

"Watkins, we must take the child directly home; then you must go to the city and make inquiries about it. Perhaps some poor mother is nearly frantic over the loss of her darling. How it could ever have come here is more than looking both perplexed and anxious.

"The poor thing must be one of the victims of the Franckport flood, mum," said the man. "I'm sure of it, because of the rope; its father or mother must have tied it in, hoping to save it in that way."

"Perhaps so," mused Mrs. Remington. "Maybe there is something in the cradle to tell who the child's parents are."

Watkins turned over the blankets and pillows in search of some clew to the babe's identity.

But he found nothing save a good-sized bottle with a few drops of milk in the bottom, showing that some thoughtful mother had provided for her little one's comfort, even in the hour of peril.

There was no mark, either, upon its clothing, though it was of fine material and richly trimmed with needlework, proving that the child's parents must have been people of means.

All at once, however, Watkins broke out with his favorite expletive:

"By the powers, mum!"

"Well, Wat, what is it? What have you discovered now?" his mistress eagerly inquired.

He had turned the cradle upside down, and was examining the bottom of it.

"Truth, it's not much of a discovery, mum, though it may prove something some day. But it is the age of the thing that surprises me."

"The age?"

"Yes, mum; the cradle must have belonged to the baby's great-grandfather, for it's marked '1771.'"

"Seventeen-seventy-one!" repeated Mrs. Remington in surprise. "Why, that was before the revolutionary war! That cradle must be a sacred heirloom! Put it on the front seat, then drive home as quickly as possible. The child will be crying with hunger pretty soon."

She stepped into the carriage as she spoke, the child still clasped in her arms and cooing in a contented way, as if delighted to be released from the close quarters where it had been so long confined."

Watkins bestowed the cradle as commanded; then, mounting his box, turned his horses homeward and drove back with all speed to the elegant mansion, a mile away, which was the home of the wealthy and artocratic Mrs. Maxwell D. Remington.

CHAPTER II.

Adele Fontain, inheriting French blood from her father and Scotch from her mother, had all her life, until within a year of her marriage, when her wealth was swept away in a business panic, been the petted child of luxury.

She had never expressed a wish which her fond parents had not tried to gratify; she had been shielded from every care and ill; they had given her every advantage that money could procure, and she had never known a sorrow until, first, her parents died and then all her money melted away suddenly, like snow beneath the sun. But in spite of all this luxury and indulgence she was a grand and noble girl, as well as a very beautiful one. She seemed to possess one of those sweet, sunny dispositions that nothing can spoil; and when sorrow and deprivation came upon her, they only served to strengthen her character and bring out the reserve force of her nature.

At the age of 23, just a year after the death of her parents, she had married a wealthy bachelor of 40, a gentleman of rare culture and intelligence. They had been on board an ocean steamer, when both were returning to this country—Mr. Remington after a sojourn abroad of two years, during which he had seen the greater portion of Europe, while Adele had spent only six months in England and France as companion and governess in a family who were obliged to take the ocean voyage on account of the ill-health of the mother.

The courtship had been a short one, the marriage was a sudden one, but Mr. Remington idolized the young and beautiful bride that he had won, and she returned his affection, strange as it may seem, with all the strength of her pure, true nature, and thus she stepped back into her former position in the gay world which lack of means had forced her to shun, and which she was now so well fitted to grace.

Two years later a beautiful little girl came to brighten their home, and then it seemed as if their cup of happiness was full.

About five months after the birth of the little Adele, however, Mr. Remington was suddenly stricken with brain fever.

He barely lived through the ordeal, and when he did finally begin to recover his mind seemed to have been much weakened by the dread disease. Among other peculiarities which attended his convalescence, a strange jealousy seemed to possess him—a jealousy of his wife's affection for their child.

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SALE AT TORONTO.

Toronto, March 13.—Good prices were paid at the spring sale of trotters at Grand's repository yesterday. Some of the figures were: Dan Finister, bay stallion, sold for $420; Little Jack, bay gelding, $325; Lady Houston, bay mare, $195; Wedding Ring, bay mare, $220; Antim, bay mare, $325; Erie Maid, black mare, $160; Topsy Mount, black mare, $375; Forester, brown gelding, $125; Wild Duchess, black mare, $170; Ernie Wilkes, brown gelding, $150; Texas Queen, chestnut mare, $150. The sale was well attended, and the horses, which were consigned by Beford Bros., Chatham, were of a superior quality.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, La., March 13.—Navasota, Lord Quex, and Lindenela were the winning favorites. The event of the day was the race for the Bush cup at two miles and a quarter, worth $1,760 to the winner. Major Mansir was a strong favorite in the betting, but was never prominent until the end. For two miles it was a slow race, Little Elkin leading easily, Azim challenged in the last quarter and won out easily. Weather clear, track fast.

First race, 2-year-olds, 4 furlongs—Navasota, 115 (Odom), 3 to 5, 1; Eufalia, 106 (Lindsay), 12 to 1, 2; Sue Vius, 95 (Helgeson), 40 to 1, 3. Time, :48.

Second race, selling, 7 furlongs—Mr. Phinizey, 110 (Gilmore), 40 to 1; Algie M., 101 (Helgeson), 2 to 1, 2; Ben Hulum, 94 (Munroe), 13 to 5, 3. Time, 1:27¾.

Third race, handicap, mile and 70 yards—Loften, 97 (Lindsey), 7 to 2, 1; Scarlet Lily, 103 (Brennan), 7 to 10, 2; Johnnie McCartey, 91 (Helgeson), 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44½.

Fourth race, the Bush cup, 1¼ miles—Azim, 97 (Munroe), 6 to 1, 1; Little Elkin, 97 (Helgeson), 9 to 1, 2; Major Mansir, 104 (J. Miller), 8 to 5, 3. Time, 3:59.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Lord Quex, 115 (Odom), 3 to 5, 1; Balm of Gilead, 105 (E. Robertson), 3 to 1, 2; Marcos, 95 (W. Waldo), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:27½.

Sixth race, selling 1 3-16 miles—Lindenella, 104 (Helgeson), 2 to 1, 1; Wood Trice, 109 (Minder), 16 to 5, 2; Dr. Stephens, 101 (Otis), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 2:00¾.

Seventh race, 1 1-16 miles — Lady Chorister, 101 (Otis), 6 to 5, 1; Homage, 106 (Robertson), 5 to 2, 2; Woodstock, (Munroe), 50 to 1, 3. Time, 1:49.

WRESTLING.

GREAT IS McLEOD.

Hamilton, Ont., March 12.—Dan McLeod, the Scotchman, showed his ability as a first-class wrestler before a small audience here tonight, when he threw Charles Reinecke, of Pittsburg, Pa., five times in less than half an hour. He had an hour in which to do the trick. Each fall was accomplished within six-minute time, and was a rather good exhibition of wrestling throughout.

BASEBALL.

THE CITY LEAGUE.

A meeting of the City Baseball League was held in the Tecumseh House last night, with representatives present from the Londons, Struthers', Aberdeens, Orients and Rockets present. The last two named clubs were admitted into the league, the Pastimes having withdrawn. An effort will be made to secure a sixth club, and Messrs. E. Struthers and S. Milroy were appointed a committee for this purpose. Messrs. E. Struthers and G. Black were appointed to report on the securing of grounds. The season opens on May 10, and the schedule will consist of 25 games for each club. The five teams now in the league have put up their deposit as a guarantee that they will finish the season. Another meeting of the league will be held on the 18th inst.

LACROSSE.

LONDON AND THE C. L. A.

It is the intention of the old London lacrosse club to enter the senior series of the C. L. A., which will group them with Brantford, Toronto, and St. Catharines, and at a meeting to be held at the Oriental Hotel tomorrow night, delegates will be chosen to represent the club at the annual C. L. A. election to be held in Toronto on Good Friday. London possesses some excellent material, including such men as Lawlor and Dowse, formerly with Montreal; Kelly, of Orillia; Graham, of St. Marys; Grieves and Mulcahy, of Seaforth; Hawkshaw, of St. Marys, besides such old-timers as Brennan, Kerrigan, Gibbons, West and Ross, all of whom are available, and there are reports of new material to be added to the above list.

BILLIARDS.

CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT.

New York, March 13.—In the championship pool tournament in Brooklyn last night, J. R. Keough, of Buffalo, defeated Patrick H. Walsh, of New York, by the score of 125 to 57. The winner's high run was 13, while Walsh's high run was 15. In the second game of the night William Wenrick, of New York, defeated McCune, of Boston, the New England champion, by the score of 125 to 123. The winner's highest run, which was also the highest run of the tournament so far, was 24, while McCune's highest run was 15.

YACHTING.

SIR THOMAS WILLING.

London, March 13. — Sir Thomas Lipton, who is cruising in the Mediterranean, when asked if he would fit out the Shamrock I. in the event of the suggested visit of the Columbia to European waters, telegraphed as follows: "Pending fuller and more definite information, I can say that I am always delighted to do everything in my power to encourage or asisst international sport. The Shamrock I. would gladly welcome such a visit."

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THE ONTARIO ORANGEMEN

Annual Meeting of Grand Lodge at Petrolea.

Grand Black Chapter Chooses Officers —Interesting Reports Presented.

Petrolea, Ont., March 12.—The annual meeting of the Provincial Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario West was convened in the town hall here today, Grand Master McMillan, of Toronto, presiding. There was a good representation present from all parts of Ontario West.

The grand master, in his address, referred to the general harmony that existed in the ranks of the association at the present time. He also alluded to the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, the grand reception tendered them by loyal subjects, and the many good impressions they left on the people. His concluding words in the matter were: "The outcome of the royal visit will necessarily be of great advantage to Canada, and must eventually divert to our shores a large proportion of the surplus population of the old land, who desire to emigrate." He also referred to the assassination of President McKinley, and spoke of the true sympathy of the Canadian people in connection therewith. He referred to the death of the late M. W. grand master, N. Clark Wallace, M.P., and paid a fitting tribute to the ability and sterling qualities of their deceased leader.

GROWTH OF THE ORDER.

According to the report of the grand secretary, the following new lodges were organized during the year: No. 317, at Blind River, county of East Algoma; No. 731, at Minessing, county of West Simcoe; No. 738, at Orrville, county of Parry Sound; No. 921, at Spanish Station, county of Nipissing; No. 1,237, at Port Stanley, county of Elgin; No. 1,762, at Lakeside, county of South Perth; No. 1,767, at Keewatin, county of Rainy River; No. 1,769, at Grimsby, county of Lincoln; No. 933, resuscitated, in the county of Oxford; No. 363, resuscitated, in the county of North Kent. From the returns so far received, the grand secretary reports on the progress and growth of the order during the year, as follows: Initiated, 1,358, joined by certificate, 427; reinstated, 314; total, 2,099; withdrawal by certificate, 491; died, 168; expelled, 30; net increase, 1,410.

The grand treasurer, Bro. E. F. Clarke, M.P., reports the finances in a very flourishing condition. The total receipts, including balance from last year, were $3,774 30; the expenditure, $1,941 33, leaving the net balance of $1,832 97 to the credit of the grand lodge.

A public meeting was held in the town hall tonight, at which addresses were delivered by Dr. Sproule, M.P.; John McMillan, of Toronto; E. T. Essery, of London; D. M. Jermyn, of Wiarton, and others. From present appearance there does not seem to be anything coming up for discussion at the grand lodge sessions. Wingham and Guelph are working for the grand lodge meeting next year, with the chances in favor of the former.

Bros. J. S. Leighton, of Toronto, manager of the Orange Mutual insurance branch, and T. A. Duff are both on the ground, and are getting in good work for the insurance department.

THE GRAND BLACK CHAPTER.

The annual session of the Grand Black Chapter of Ontario West was held this morning. The following officers were elected: Grand master, Sir Knight W. J. Dunlop, of Toronto; deputy G. M., Sir Knight Wilson, Petrolea. The officers were duly installed by Sir Knight Wm. Lee, P.G.M., of Toronto.

A resolution of condolence was passed to the widow of the late Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, and a vote of thanks was tendered to Royal Black Lodge, No. 429.

CHEAPER TO ANSWER.

Montreal, March 13.—The first action in connection with the recent census for refusing to answer questions has been taken by the commissioner against the Canada Thread Company. The Dominion Government has decided that the company, as a company, can be sued and fined $40 a day for every day after conviction that it refuses to answer questions.

CRIPPLE REGAINS USE OF HIS LEGS.

Montreal, March 13.—Michael Goldberg, a 14-year-old newsboy, who formerly crawled around on his hands and knees, owing to deformation, has been dismissed from the Western General Hospital as erect as anyone, after a remarkable operation. After the treatment, called "forced correction," had been applied, the boy was incased in plaster of paris from head to foot. The operation was successful in every way.

PRESBYTERIAN HOME MISSIONS.

Toronto, March 13. — At the opening session of the Presbyterian home mission board, the questions of the succession to Rev. Dr. Robertson, former western superintendent, and the general condition of the missions in Manitoba, the Territories and British Columbia were considered at some length. The growth of the church in Western Canada during the past few years has been enormous, and many members of the committee were of the opinion that at least two, and probably three, men would be necessary to take up and continue the work of the late superintendent. A recommendation from the western portion of the church was to the effect that a general secretary of home missions should be appointed, with two assistants. This was referred to a committee for consideration. The sums voted during the afternoon totaled $52,000, distributed as follows: Manitoba and Northwest Territories, $18,000; British Columbia, $23,000; Yukon Territory, $4,000; work among the farming people west of Ontario, $7,000.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Mr. George Edwards, of Hyde Park, left for Reston, Manitoba, Saturday morning.

—Mr. D. C. Roach, of Chicago, who has been spending a few days in this city, returned home Tuesday with his wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis.

—Mr. Geo. F. Pinel, who went to South Africa with the first contingent, has been stricken with paralysis in the right side. He is in a serious condition. Mr. Pinel was a member of the old Pastime Baseball Club.

—The will of the late John F. Wood, of Hamilton, has been entered for probate by his sons. The estate is valued at $91,445, and is left chiefly to the deceased's sons and daughters, with provision for the widow. The sons are Dr. Fred Wood and Dr. Jeff. Wood, of this city, and Dr. Peter Wood, of Hamilton.

—The trustees of the Protestant Orphans' Home are gratified to announce that through the good word of a friend the home has been left ten shares of Agricultural stock, worth $600, from the estate of the late Mrs. Maria T. Arkell; also a bequest of $50 in her will. The board take this opportunity to express to the relatives or friends of the deceased their deep gratitude for the gift.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.

An interesting and enthusiastic meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Tuesday at their rooms, Dundas street, Mrs. Thornley presiding. Arrangements were completed for a reception to the Normal students, which will be held on the evening of the 14th inst. A very interesting and helpful talk on the themes "Thy Kingdom Come" and "Thy Will Be Done" was given by the Rev. Mr. Owen, and was listened to with interest and appreciation. The education half hour was devoted to the subject "Hygiene and Child Training." Some thoughtfully prepared papers were read and suggestions made which were a source of information to those present.

METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., March 12—8 p.m.—Rain is falling throughout the greater portion of Ontario and Quebec. Elsewhere the weather is from cloudy to fair. It keeps very mild everywhere and there is still seemingly no prospects of any wintry conditions at present.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 24-44; Qu'Appelle, 22-30; Winnipeg, 18-36; Port Arthur, 26-34; Parry Sound, 38-46; Toronto, 44-54; Ottawa, 38-42; Montreal, 36-42; Quebec, 34-40; Halifax, 30-52.

Local temperatures, Wednesday: Highest 59.5, lowest 49.5.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 6:34 a.m. and sets at 6:20 p.m. The moon rose at 8:25 a.m. and sets at 10:52 p.m.

ANGLERS' MEETING.

The Thames River Angling Association met last night at the London House, when about 40 members were present. The object of the meeting was to consider the code of rules drafted by the executive. These were taken up and adopted. H. B. Elliott occupied the chair. Since its birth the membership of the organization has been increased by about twenty members.

LEFT FOR MONTREAL.

Ex-Mayor Rumball, president of the Columbia Handle Company, left for Montreal on Tuesday to interview the G. T. R. authorities regarding a telegram he had received, stating that the company would be allowed to build on the old site, but that the G. T. R. would not undertake to erect the buildings. He has not returned yet and a definite settlement is expected.

A LONDON OLD BOY.

Mr. Fred Peel is in the city representing "The Foxy Quiller" Company. Mr. Peel is a London boy, and has been away from London for twenty years, although visiting here once about ten years ago. He has been connected with theatrical affairs many years, and is now recognized as one of the brightest business managers on the road.

W. M. M. C. RECITAL.

The following programme was rendered at yesterday's recital of the Woman's Morning Music Club, held in the banqueting hall, Masonic Temple:

Symphony V., Finale.....Beethoven
Misses Morphy and Blackburn, Mr. Wright and Miss K. Fraser.
"Sunset".....Dudley Buck
Miss Cameron.
Fugue, F minor, Op. 72, No. 3..Schumann
Berceuse, Op. 13.....Ilzinsky
George C. Phelps.
"A Spanish Serenade".....Sawyer
Mrs. C. Bilinn.
Paper—"Famous Violinists," Miss M. Regan. Read by Miss Love.
"Florian's Song".....Godard
"Good-bye".....Tosti
Miss Rose Coles.
Op. 72, Polonaise Brillante...Weber-Liszt
Miss Morphy and Miss Raymond.

HIS RIBS BROKEN.

The many friends of Mr. Jos. Odell, manager of the M. C. R. Cartage Company, will be pleased to see him around again, after a few days' compulsory holidays. It happened thus: On Saturday last Mr. Odell went into the country and purchased a team of heavy draughts for use on the big lorries. He drove them to St. Thomas, and, hitching them to one of the heavy wagons, commenced to drive around the city to familiarize the team with the street cars, railways, etc. While on Talbot street the horses shied at some object and swerved so suddenly as to throw Mr. Odell from the wagon onto the brick pavement, resulting in three broken ribs. His hand was also painfully injured through being run over by another rig which was passing at the time the upset occurred. Mr. Odell was able to be out yesterday.

PROF. WILLIAM WINDSOR TO LECTURE ON VITOSOPHY.

Prof. William Windsor, LL.B., Ph.D., president of the International College of Science at St. Louis, Mo., will deliver a course of lectures at the Auditorium Friday night. Vitosophy is a new discovery, which makes it possible to read human character as it has never been previously attempted, and throws upon all perplexing problems of life the light necessary for their successful solution. It combines in a practical science the startling discoveries of genetic philosophy, revealing in a clear and comprehensive way all of the mysteries of occultism. It also includes the sciences of phrenology, physiognomy and psychology, and gives a basis for the science of ethics. As these lectures are free, no doubt the professor will be greeted with a large audience on his first appearance.

MAD SWIRL OF WATER AT SPRINGBANK DAM

Recent Rains Transformed the Barrier Into a Miniature Niagara.

It is well worth a trip to Springbank to see the waters of the swollen Thames plunge over the waterworks dam. The brown flood swirls down in many places level with the river banks, and in others overflowing it, and bearing on its bosom logs, branches, stumps and small cakes of ice. The smooth, broad current of the river just above the dam is in striking contrast to the scene of tumbled, swirling waters which extends for 40 or 50 feet below the barrier. The way in which the driftwood is drawn by irresistible currents to the foot of the dam, and there beaten by the falling waters, forced under and down the stream for 20 or 25 feet, and then borne back by the currents to be again pounded by the descending mass of waters, shows what little chance a human being or any living thing would have in such a cauldron. The pieces of driftwood, after being buffeted for hours, perhaps, are finally released by a deeper dive than usual, and they float on down the river, to repeat the experience at Byron dam, and after escaping from these, to continue their journey until they either become waterlogged and sink, are left stranded by the receding waters, or float on into Lake St. Clair.

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WIFE'S INGENUITY

Saves Her Husband.

The author of the "Degeneration of Dorothy," Mr. Franklin Kinsella, 226 W. Twenty-fifth street, New York city, was the victim of a little by play—but he can best tell the story himself: "I must confess that I have been the victim of an innocent deception which turned out all for the best, however.

"I had been resting under the belief, for some years, that coffee served as a lubricant to my cerebral convulsions, in other words, 'made the wheels go round,' and I had the idea that I could not work without it as a stimulant.

"I soon paid the penalty in nervousness, loss of flesh, insomnia and restlessness, none of which troubles would yield to any or all medicines. I finally got in rather a bad way and my wife took a hand in the affair all unknown to me. She purchased a package of Postum Coffee and first gave me one-half Postum and one-half coffee. In a little time she had me down to clear Postum, and I was none the wiser.

"I notice that I was getting better, my nerves were steadier, and I began to gain flesh and sleep nights. My work was performed far better than in my old condition.

"Commenting upon my greatly improved health one morning I was told the truth. 'Tis to laugh,' so I submitted gracefully and joined the Postum ranks.

"Experience teaches that boiling is one-half the game. When the directions are carried out the result will be as fine a cup of rich, fragrant coffee as ever delighted the senses without ruining the nerves."

CHIEF TO HAVE MORE CONTROL

Tenders Awarded for Supplies and Street Watering.

New Firemen for South London Hall—Billiard Room Closing Hours Extended.

Two and a half hours of No. 3 committee's three-hour session last night was taken up with the consideration of tenders for street watering and for the furnishing of supplies for the fire department. Little business was done outside of the awarding of the tenders. Chief Roe will probably be given additional power in the disciplining of the members of the brigade. An additional fireman will be placed in No. 3 hall. The time for closing of poolrooms on Saturday night was extended to 11 o'clock. Petitions for and against street watering and petitions for electric lights were all laid over, as were half a dozen minor matters, which have been lying on the table for some time.

Petitions for electric lights were received from R. J. A. O'Neil, et al, on William street; F. A. Andrews, et al, at west end of Oxford street; Robert Fraser, et al, at corner Waterloo and Victoria streets; John Thompson, et al, on Dufferin avenue, between Adelaide and Elizabeth streets; H. G. Fraber, et al, at corner of York and Lyle streets. All were laid over to allow the committee to visit the different sites and decide on the necessity for granting the lights.

Petitions for street watering were received from John Murray, et al, Oxford street, from bridge to Wharncliffe road; George, Finnegan, et al, Blackfriars street, from Albion street to Collins' Hotel; S. J. Southcott, et al, Simcoe street, from Wellington street to Waterloo; Rev. S. J. Allin, et al, Hamilton road, between Mamelon and Rectory streets. The first three were referred to the assessment commissioner for report, and the last one was laid over.

Petitions against street watering were received from Catherine Shea, et al, William street, between Pall Mall and Piccadilly; and M. McCrimmon, et al, Pall Mall street, between Maitland and Adelaide streets. The first petition was reported insufficiently signed. The second petition was laid over.

Wm. Webster, H. E. Hickson, Chas. McMillan, Wm. Kerr, Thos. Parkinson, A. T. Essery, Wm. Clark, S. C. Hersey, M. J. Morkin, M. Baldwin, H. E. Turner, Robt. Wigmore, A. Isaac and Ed. Talbot applied for appointment as street watering inspectors. They were referred to the engineer.

Chief Roe's recommendation that electric wire, so far as possible be placed underground instead of overhead, was laid over.

M. & M. E. Hook, John McMartin, Galpin & Barr, Martin O'Meara, James T. Gleeson, and F. A. Merritt petitioned that the hours for closing poolrooms be extended to 12 p.m. on the first five nights of the week, and 11:30 on Saturday nights. At present hotel poolrooms must close at 11 p.m. and 7 p.m. respectively, while other poolrooms keep open till 11 every week night. By motion the bylaw was changed to allow the rooms to stay open till 11 p.m. on Saturdays.

Market Clerk Wilson reported on certain small repairs and supplies needed for the market. The report was referred to the chairman and engineer, with power.

Chief Roe pointed out the necessity for appointing another fireman at No. 3 hall, South London.

In connection with this matter Ald. McMechan asked the chief if he would favor a scheme by which firemen would be engaged for a definite period of ten or fifteen years, at the end of that time they would retire and others be appointed. This would keep the force young. A system of pensioning the retired firemen should be adopted.

The chief said that such a system would have many advantages, and Ald. McMechan said he meant to bring it forward later on.

On motion the committee will recommend the appointment of another fireman at No. 3 hall.

The mayor advocated that Chief Roe be given power to dismiss or discipline members of the fire brigade, contending that the brigade could not be brought to the highest state of efficiency unless the chief had such power. The mayor considered that the same rule should be carried out in all civic departments. Each head should control his own department, and if he is found incapable of doing so he should be dismissed and replaced by a better man.

Ald. Campbell moved that the matter be referred to the chairman, the mayor and the chief, they to consider the bylaw and report on the changes necessary to give the chief the desired power.

Tenders for watering the streets were opened and awarded. The total price for the eleven sections is $3,534. This is slightly higher than last year's figures. But there is also an increase in the number of blocks to be watered. The accepted tenders are as follows:

Section 1—$384, John Hislop.
Section 2—$430, John Hislop.
Section 3—$289 50, Thomas Morkin.
Section 4—$293, Thomas Morkin.
Section 5—$275, W. D. Gunson
Section 6—$297 50, Turnbull & Co
Section 7—$305 50, Bibbings & Son.
Section 8—$295, Bibbings & Son.
Sections 9 and 10—$635, Chantler Bros.
Section 11—$329 50, John Robinson.

Tenders were accepted for fire department supplies, the contracts being awarded to the Gutta Percha Rubber Company, Toronto; James Cowan & Co.; C. D. Johnston; Canada Fire Engine Company.; Alex. Anderson; Anderson & Nelles, and C. McCallum & Co.

Henry Wallace was given the contract for watering the asphalt pavements, at $300 for the season.

OF INTEREST TO LOVERS OF PLANTS

Instructive Lectures To Be Delivered by Well-Known Authorities on Flower Culture.

There should be a large attendance at the public meeting in the Collegiate Institute on Friday evening, when Mr. A. Gilchrist, of Toronto Junction, and Mrs. Torrance, of Chateauguay Basin, Que., will lecture under the auspices of the London Horticultural Society. Their subjects are chosen as well to interest as instruct all growers and lovers of plants and flowers, and many valuable hints on the beautifying of home and school grounds will also be given.

On Friday afternoon, at 4:30, the same lecturers will address the teachers and senior scholars of the public schools in the Collegiate assembly hall, when no doubt a large number of the rising generation of citizens will receive an impetus to enlightened nature studies close at hand. The Horticultural Society, in its campaign for civic improvement, is deserving of great credit, and will be pleased to have large audiences at both meetings on Friday. The lectures are free, and a general invitation is extended.

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"I began a treatment of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets with the result that I am now perfectly well. I can eat a good meal and work all day without feeling the distressing pains of Heartburn and Indigestion.

"If there are any others suffering as I used to suffer, I wish they would read my letter and do as I did."

(Signed) F. LEMIEUX,
570 Notre Dame St., Montreal.

Tuesday was a field day for hanging in Mississippi. John J. Sasser was hanged at Brookhaven for the murder of Tom Laird. Jake Gilmore, colored, was hanged at Ellisville, for murdering his wife. Jim Troublefield, colored, was executed at Tunica for a murder committed several years ago.

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Metallic Stripe Lining, double fold, 15c, Friday..... 8c



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