INTERNATIONAL LESSON NO. X. MARCH II. 1906

The Tangue and the Temper .- Matt. 5: 33-43. Oaths (vs. 33-37). The Saviour has been as referring to Jews only. They thereshowing and now continues to show "the fore believed it to be right to hate the relations in which His gospel stands to rest of mankind. 4. But I say-Jesus the previous dispensation, as being the opposed this narrow, wicked view of the fulfilment and confirmation of true Jud- case ,and "extended our neighborhood aism and the reformation of degenerate over all mankind." See Luke x. 25-37. Judaism." He did not come "to destroy Love your enemies-The most sublime the law or the prophets," but "to fulfill" and the most difficult commandment be-(v. 17). Jesus did not disparage Moses | tween the lids of the Bible. Who can or the Scriptures. They are not des- obey it? Only those who have hearts troyed, but their authority is forever filled with the love of God (Rom. v. 5). established by the fulfilment of all their It has been said that this one precept predictions. "A greater than Moses car- is a sufficient proof of the holiness of ried the work of Moses to a glorious con- the gospel and of the truth of the Chrissummation." 33. Hath been said-By tian religion. Bless...do good ... praythe Jews when they received the law and in their interpretations of it. Forswear-To swear faisely; to perjure. The refer- | "The best commentary on these matchence may be to the third commandment. less counsels is the bright example of See also Lev. xix. 12. But shalt perform | the One who gave them. See I. Pet. ii. -"We know from Matt. xxiii. 16-22 that | 21-24; Rom. xii. 20, 21; I. Cor. iv. 12; 1. the scribes and Pharisces declared oaths | Pet. iii. 9. to be binding or not binding, according to | 45. May be the children, etc .- To act the supposed sanctity of the object sworn as Christ commands here would be to by, and from other evidence it appears | act like God, who blesses those who curse that some considered both profane swear- | him and are his enemies by the gifts of ing and perjury to be excusable, provided sun and rain. This is divine.-Cam. Bib. the cath was not taken in the name of Such actions show that we are God's chil-God."-Cook. To "perform" an oath is dren, but do not make us his children. to do what was promised in the oath Sun to rise, etc.-"He imparts to all Unto the Lord-The teaching was that alike, but all do not receive alike. Men only such caths as were made "unto may sit in darkness even when the sun the Lord" or in the name of the Lord is shining, or become lost souls, notwithwere sacred and needed to be kept. standing God's love that would save Oaths-An oath is a solemn affirmation | them." or declaration, made with an appeal to God for the truth of what has been afand renouncing his favor, if what is af-

ing, with all light, irreverent oaths, such | and hated by the Jews. as are not required by the civil magis- | 47. Brethren only-The prominence of trate, are intended in our Lord's prohibi- salutation in the social life of the East tion.—Clarke. This can have no refer- gives a special vividness to this precept. ence to judicial oaths which ought not to To utter the formal. "Peace be with our Lord Himself in answering the ad- compliments and wishes, was to recognize juration of the high priest (chap. xxvi., those whom men saluted as friends and 63, 64), as well as the language of St. brothers. But this the very heathen did Paul on various occasions (Rom. i. 9; II. ("heathen," rather than "publicans," Cor. i. 23; Gal. i, 20; Heb. vi. 16,17), may be adduced to show that this passage is not intended to forbid an appeal to God on solemn occasions."--Cook. Neither by heaven-None of the oaths which our Lord adduces as specimens are judicial caths. The Orientalists are great proface swearers, and the secondary superior religion. What do ye more than in detail the recommendations of the eaths here forbidden by our Lord are 'others-1. Disciples have to do more than just the ordinary profamities of their others. (1) They maintain the Christian conversation.-Whedon. No people that life; (2) they extend the cause of Christ. I have ever known can compare with 2. They are able to do more than others. men, before the presentation of the rethese Orientals for profameness in the (1) They are in alliance with God; (2) port, Senator Armstrong said he hoped use of the names and attributes of God. they have more light and knowledge; (3) to have passed before April 15th the bill of the State hold policies of life insur-They swear by the head, by their life, they have more moral power. 3. More by heaven, and by the temple, or, what is expected of them than of others. (1) is in its place, the church.—Thompson. By their Saviour; (2) by the world; (3) God's throne-"Swearing by heaven eith- by their own consciences.—Bib. Mus., 48. Nov. 15. This would, it is believed, pro- and publicly presented, the legislature er has no meaning or derives its meaning | Be . . . . . . perfect - Complete; perfect in bably nullify all proxies obtained up to linsists upon passing a law inimical to from the fact that beaven is the residence, the court, the throne of God." 35. The earth, etc .- See Isa, lxvi. 1;

36. By thy head-A common form of outh in the ancient world. The ordinary same kind. 37. Yea . . . nay-Let your ! statements be in accordance with laces; ment of the stomach or bowels, which covered a printed pamphlet of 319 pages. lengthy believed to be used for corrupt Many members were opposed to the answers he Yes or No. Cometh of evil - | would be speedily removed if a close of | ing the work and the plan adopted for | itself from the stigma which now at place before the motion was carried. "All swearing, genteel or otherwise, Baby's Own Table's were given the lit- the investigation by the committee, each | taches to the progress of measures afnot enough. If truth were perfect there | they remove the cause of crossness and the laws of New York, issuing level prewould be no occasion to emphasize our | wakefulness. They are a blessing to mium policies and in a single instance of fact, falsehood and profanity are gen- tired, worried mother. Mrs. A. C. Ab- policy of limiting its investigation to ment regarding them should form a part erally close companions."—Abbott. | bott, Hudson's Heights, Que., says: "I companies organized under the laws of of such reports as may be required.

Psa xiviii. 2. Our Lord shows that to

swear by anything which God has creat-

ed is to swear by God Himself.

edy the law of retaliation was probably | bled. Thanks to the relief the Tab- | The committee recommends that arti the best possible in a rude state of soci- lets have given my baby now sleeps cle 2 of the insurance law be so amendety. See Exed. 21. 24 The principle quietly and naturally, and is in the best ed as to permit the formation thereunwas admitted in all ancient nations. But of health." And the Tablets are abso- der of mutual corporations, without capithe retribution was exacted by a judic- lutely safe-they always do good-they tal stock, to transact the business of ial sentence for the good of the com- cannot possibly do harm. They will care life insurance, and for such other purmunity, not to gratify personal ven- the ailments of a new-born baby or a poses as are authorized to be connected gearer. Cam. Bib. But the Jews 111- well grown child. Sold by druggists, or therewith in the case of stock corporatraduced this principle of retaliation in- | sent by mail at 25 cents a box, by writ- tions. to private life. Each man became judge ing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., of for hirself when and how far it should Brockville, Ont. be inflicted. Thereby the principle of l revenge was cultivated, and all conciliation became dishenorable.-Whedon, 39. But I say-Christ introduces a different method of dealing with an assailant, Resist not evil-"Resist not him that is evil OTTAWA SAFECRACKERS IN HARD -R. V. Do not repel one outrage by another.-Clarke. Do not retaliate. Ture....the other-This is not to be understood literally. "Our Lord's own They Explain to Patrick Macdonald, meek yet dignified bearing, when smitten sudaly on the cheek (John 18: 22, 23), and not literally presenting the oth-

er, is the best comment on these words.

able fee .- Whedon. used by the poor as a covering at night, their desperate enterprise. and according to the law (Exod. xxii. The encounter of Macdonald with the systematic efforts of the large insurance

to cherish a spirit of retailation. couriers in the service of the Roman man's lantern with a bullet, Macdonald government travelling through the pro- had no firearms, and he surrendered at vinces had anthority to impress any once. The robbers took him inside, tied man or his beast into service for the him with a cord, and left him under a purpose of carrying them and their bag- counter. After looting the safe the robgage on their journey. This became a bers tied Macdonald to a chair and took great and cruel burden. But Jesus says, his pay envelope from his pocket. if anyone compels you to perform a dif- "We would leave this, but you see we ficult and unreasonable task, avoid a did not get anything in the office," said cannot mean that an industrious man is their victim to seize him watch. to give at the call of every idler, but it "Oh, leave me that," pleaded Macdondoes mean that we are to be large- ald: "I would like to keep my watch. hearted, generous, ready to help others "Well, we don't like to take it," said and grant favors. "We are here ex- one, "but we're having bad luck here." horted to patience and forgiveness, 1. "Oh, he'd hang us if he got the chance," When we receive in our persons all sorts declared the other robber, putting the of insuits and affronts (t. 55). 2. When timepiece in his pecket.

all kinds of toils, vexations and torments (v. 41). He that avenges himself must lose the mind of Christ and thus suffer an injury far greater than he can ever receive from man."-Clarke.

III. On loving enemies (vs. 43-48). 43. Love thy neighbor-The rabbis inter-Commentary .- 1. Christ's Teaching on | preted the command, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself," in Lev. xix. 18, Seek God's blessing on those who call down upon you God's curses .- Abbott.

46. What reward-If you have only loved those who love you, you have only come up to the standard of common sinfirmed is false.-Barnes. 34. But I say ners. You have no reason to expect the -The emphasis here is on the "I"; | Christian's reward for doing what any Christ speaks with authority. Swear | sinner is expected to do. Publicansnot at all-Profane and common swear- Tax-gatherers employed by the Romans

followers of Christ to be content with merely copying heathen customs?-Alford. Christians must do to their enemies what the heathen did to their noon to-day. It was accompanied by mittee has been unable to trace friends. Superior conduct will prove the eight bills, designed to carry into effect

love. Take God as the model instead of this time by Thos. W. Lawson and the | the true interests of the companies, it is | Societies Would Like to Decide on It for publicans. The true standard of the Bible for God's peoples is moral purity.

#### HOW TO MAKE BABY SLEEP.

The baby that cries half the might phrase, "I will give you my head if it is does not cry for nothing. It cries be the Senate and Assembly of the Senate and Assembl not so," is a form of swearing of the cause it is not well, and the chances New York, appointed to investigate the for service in connection with the sup- and leave the responsibility for the sport are the trouble is due to some derange. affairs of the life insurance companies, port of or opposition to bills, and gen- on the individual societies. 'comes of evil.' that is, of an underlying | the one. These Tablets make children individual company is passed in review. | feeting important interests. consciousness that simple assertion is sleep soundly and naturally, because There are 15 companies organized under assertions by such appeals; and, in point the little one, and bring relief to the only the committee departed from the If. On the law of retaliation (vs. 38- have found Baby's Own Tablets a splen- New York. This company was the Prudid medicine for stomach and bowel trou- dential Life Insurance Co., of New Jer Eve for an eve-As a legal cem. bles, from which my little one was trocht sev.

Watchman, That They Had Got lowing plan is recommended: Nothing at the Office, and Then

It is the preparedness after one indig-Ottawa, Feb. 26 .-- Two safe blowers nity, not to invite but to submit meekly to another, without retaliation, which operated in Hintonburg early this morning and ransacked the lumber office of recommends mutualization. On the subthis strong language is meant to convey."-J., F. & B. The sentiment is identical with the precept of the wise man in Prov. 25: 21, 22; but it would be lumber office of George M. Mason, Richdoing great violence to these passages mond road, and the flour office of Mr. that the law be amended so as to provide to understand them as commanding us James Forward, also on the Richmond better control of investments. to extinguish the instinct and to dis- road. The burglars held up Patrick Contributions by insurance corporaobey the law of self-preservation, when Macdonald, of Fourth avenue, who was tions for political purposes should be assaulted by some violent and unapepas- the watchman at the MacLaren mill, strictly forbidden. The devious methand took his wage envelope, which ods taken to conceal the payments of 40. Coat .... cloke-The coat was the contained \$16, and his watch. This this sort are confessions of their illicit inner garment; the cloak was the outer booty, with \$2 found in MacLaren's of- character. and more costly one. The cleak was fice, is all the safe-crackers made out of Nothing disclosed by the investigation

26, 27), it could not be retained as a cracksmen has its comical side. Hearing companies to control a large part of the pledge after sundown. It is better to a noise in the office, the watchman legislation of the state. This course of give up what the law cannot seize than crossed from the mill in a hurry. One of the robbers, wearing a mask, shouted 41. Compel thee, etc. -Officers and "Hands up," and extinguished the watch-

quarrel by doing more than is demanded. one of the visitors. They moved off 42. Give ... burn not thou away-This again, but returned and laid hands on



DREAD is never better than the flour it is made of. Often it is not nearly so good, but that is the fault of the bread-maker.

Without good flour, good bread is impossible, no matter how skilfully it is handled.

Now, good bread must be good to eat, as well as good to see or to taste. Good-to-eat bread is bread that nourishes.

In the matter of nutriment,

## Royal Household Flour

is supreme. It represents the best that is in the wheat, ground to a snowy whiteness and purified by electricity.

It produces bread that is light, easy to digest and best of all-nutritious. Ogilvie's Royal Household is to be had at all grocers.

Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd. Montreal.

"Ogilvie's Book for a Cook," contains 130 pages of excellent recipes, some never published before. Your grocer can tell you how to get it FREE.

be called "swearing." "The conduct of yau," to follow that up with manifold Recommendations of the Joint Committee of New York Legislatures.

gating committee was presented in both

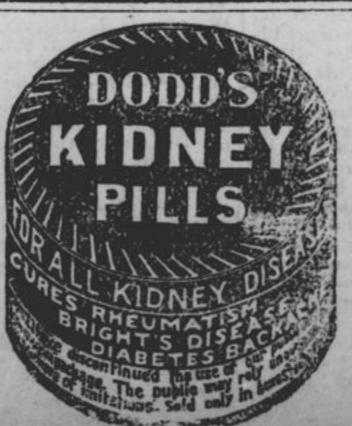
In a statement made to newspaper which will defer the annual elections in the mutual companies from April 15 to prise them of hostile legislative measpolicy holders' committee of State gov- not the officers, but the policy holders ernors and others as well as those which

Concerning the so-called mutual companies, the committee says: "Notwithstanding their theoretical rights, policy holders have had little or no voice in the management, Entrenched behind proxies, easily connected by subservient agents, and running for long periods unless expressly revoked, the officers of these companies have occupied unassailable positions and have been able to exercise despotic power.

"With these objects in view, the fol-"Voting should be limited to those who have been insured at least one year Took His Pay Envelope and Watch. before the election, and whose policies are still in force when the election is

As to stock companies, the committee J. Gordon MacLaren, Queen street; the ject of the investments of life companies, the committee, after declaring against the "syndicates," recommends

deserves more serious attention than the



Albany, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The report of t conduct has created a widespread conbeing the true reading); and were the the Armstrong special insurance investi- viction that large portions of this money would first raise \$500 he would see what have been dishonestly used. On account could be done. of the absence of the necessary witnesses

> moneys said to have been disbursed in connection with the legislation. They suggest the necessity of requiring a strict accounting from those who are responsible for the payments as well as

ures. If, in spite of argument forcibly who must bear the loss. The pernicious activities of corporate agents in matters The legislature owes it to itself, so far

such payments should be fully detailed fairs. and receipted for, and an adequate state-

In this case of insurance corporations, the remedy lies first, generally, in the requirement of a proper authorization of al expenditures and vouchers, stating in detail the purposes for which moneys paid for legal expenses, or in connection with legislative measures have been exended. And, further, the company should be compelled to set forth in its annual statement to the Superintendent of Insurance all the sums so disbursed giving the names of the payees, the amunts paid and the specific purpose for

The committee does not recommend that the rate of commissions be prescribed by law. It is recommended that the commissions should be uniformthat is to say, that while the rate may vary according to the plan of insurance, the compensation should not be greater in amount for any \$1,000 of insurance at the same age, and should be determined by the amount paid in the case of an ordinary whole life policy. Bonuses, prizes and rewards and other special inducemenst based upon the size of particular policies or upon the aggregate or insurance written should be prohibited. All commissions should be definitely agreed upon in advance. Loans and advances to agents should be prohibited.

### MORE INSANITY.

INSPECTOR'S REPORT OF IDIOT AND LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

Housekeepers, Laborers, Farmers and Domestic Servants Suffer Most-York County Furnishes Greatest Number -What Province Pays for Support.

Toronto, Feb. 26.—The thirty-eighth annual report on the lunatic and idiot asylums of Ontario shows that there were 6,213 patients certified insane on September 30th, 1905, an increase of 632 for the year, during which 1,130 patients were admitted. On Sept. 30, 1905, the number of patients was 4,613. The total cost of maintenance for the year was \$760,204, a weekly cost per patient of \$2.32. Revenue from paying patients

amounted to \$114,916. Dr. Forbes Winslow is quoted as saying that "alcohol must be given the first place as a cause of insanity." with tobacco, especially eigarette-smiking, as a potent factor in lunacy. In the British asylums intemperance is assigned as the cause of one-quarter of the cases of insanity, while in Ontario only 616 per cent, of the cases are attributed to

Uniformity in the manual of service

is recommended for the different institutions which have shown a disposition to live apart instead of working in sympathy. The itinerant system among officials is considered a helpful one. The appointment of a Provincial pathologist is recommended.

A strong protest is once more registered against the commitment of insane persons to jail. It is pointed out that the word "asylum" in commetion with the insanc is becoming obsolete, Hospital is the proper name for institutions devoted to their care.

Next to York county, which furnished 250 lunaties last year, comes Middlesex with 63; Weatworth and Frontenac had \$10 a ton. 48 each: Carleton, 46; Leeds and Grenvale, 45; Simcoe, 41, and Northumberland and Durham, 40. Of the total number of patients 1,097 hail from York county, 351 from Middlesex, 280 from Wentworth, 253 from Simcoe, and 245 from Carleton.

As many as 643 patients have been in residence twenty years and upwards. There were 315 discharged cured during the year, one of these after twenty years. The number of deaths for the year was 343, a percentage of 5.97. Tuberculosis was the cause of 43. Senile decay and epilepsy were the next chief causes.

Of the occupations of insane persons the great bulk of them come from four causes. House keepers head the list for the period under survey with 5,434 cases; laborers follow with 4,680; farmers, with 4,368(, and domestic servants, with 3,725. The enormous difference is apparent when it is noted that the next two classes are wives, with 650 cases,

and carpenters, with 471. Patients were given employment in the asylum to the number of 4,431, with an average number of 298 days for each pa-

#### ANDREW CARNEGIE HELPED.

How the Philanthropic Multi-Millionaire Worked New Rochelle,

New York, Feb. 26.-A story was told to-day in New Rochelle, says the New York Tribune, of how Andrew Carnegie helped the members of the First Methodist Church to get a new pipe organ. The congregation wanted a \$1,000 instrument, and one of the members wrote to Mr. Carnegie for help. The philanthropist replied that if the congregation

This response was encouraging, and Houses of the Legislature soon after and the lack of proper vouchers, the com- the flock soon had the money pledged. They then told Mr. Carnegie, who in the meanwhile had investigated the needs of the congregation through his secretary. The deacons yesterday received a letter from Mr. Carnegie, who, instead of sending his cheque, said that from the agents who have received the he had found that the congregation was too small for a \$1,000 organ, but thought A very large proportion of the voters | that one for \$500 would answer the purpose very well, and, inasmuch as they ance. It is easy for the company to ap- had collected this amount, there was no need of any help from him.

### RACING AT FALL FAIRS.

----

Themselves.

Toronto, Feb. 26 .- Yesterday the Onthe management of the companies them- of legislation demand that the present tario Association of Fairs and Exhibiselves have been gathering through their freedom of lobbying should be retricted. tions passed a resolution requesting the The report of the joint committee of as possible, to stop the practice of the Ontario Government to repeal the clause

After reciting the resolution authoriz- purposes. The legislature should free motion and a heated discussion took A resolution was passed, requesting the minister of agriculture to take the Corporations should be required to steps he thought best to prevent imkeep accounts and vouchers in which all moral side shows and exhibitions at the

There is no specific for consumption. Fresh air, exercise, nourishing food and Scott's Emulsion will come pretty near curing it, if there is anything to build on. Millions of people throughout the world are living and in good health on one lung.

I From time immemorial the doctors prescribed cod liver oil for consumption. Of course the patient could not take it in its old form, hence it did very little good. They can take

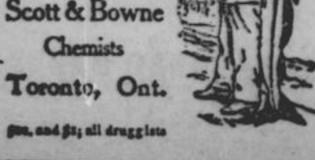
# **EMULSION**

and tolerate it for a long time. There is no oil, not excepting butter, so easily digested and absorbed by the system as cod liver oil in the form of Scott's Emulsion, and that is the reason it is so helpful in consumption where its use must be continuous.

We will send you a sample free.

Be sure that this ecture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy. Scott & Bowne

Toronto, Ont.



### Market Reports The Week.

Loronto Parmers' Market The grain receipts to-day were small Wheat dull, with sales of 100 bushels of Pall at 78c. Oats easier, 200 bushels selling at 39 to 40c. Barley unchanged, with sales of

Hay in limited supply, with sales of 10 loads at \$9 to \$10 a ton for timothy, and \$6 to \$8 for mixed. Straw is mominal at \$9 to Dressed bogs are unchanged, with light quoted at \$9.50, and heavy at \$9 to \$9.25

Wheat, white bush .. .. \$ 0.76 \$ 0.78 Do., red , bush .. .. . . . 0 76 Do., spring, bush .. .. 0 76 goose, bush. .. .. 0 72 Rye, bush ... . . . . . . 0 75 Hay, timothy, ton .. .. 9 00 Do., mixed, ton ..... 6 00 Aleike, No. 1, bush. .. .. 6 25

Red, choice, No. 1., bush. 6 25 Timothy, bush. .. .. .. 1 50 Dressed Hogs .. .. .. . 9 00 Apples, per bbl. .. .. . . 2 70 Eggs, new laid, doz. .. ... 0 22 Chickens, per lb. .. .. 0 11 Fowl, per lb. .. .. .. .. 0 03 Turkeys, per lb. .. .. .. 0 15 Cauliflower, per doz. .. ... 0 75 Potatoes, per bag, .... 0 75 Beef ,hindquarters .. .. . . . 7 00 Do., choice, carcase .. .. 6 50 Do., medium, carcase .. .. 5 50 Mutton, per cwt. .. .. .. 8 00

Lamb, per cwt. .. .. .. 10 00 Winnipeg Options. The following were closing quotations yes-

Veal, per cwt. .. .. .. 8 50

berday at this market: Feb. 75%c bid, May 77% bid, July 79c bid.

Leading Wheat Markets. Detroit .. .. .. .. .. 871/4 841/2

Toronto Live Stock. Receipts of live stock, as reported by the railways, were 58 carloads, composed of 925 cattle, 464 hogs, 628 sheep and The quality of fat cattle was gener-

ally not good, the bulk being of the unfinished class, but there were a few good lots, which sold readily at firm Trade was brisk, and nearly every-

thing in the cattle line of a desirable quality was bought up early in the morning, if not in the night time. It looks just now as though history was going to be repeated, and that the trade, or, rather, many of the dealers,

were going crazy. Exporters-The bulk of the sales in exporters, in fact, we might say all the business in shipping cattle, was transacted by McDonald & Maybee at \$5 to \$5.10 per cwt. A single lot of two cattle sold at \$5.25 per cwt., and was the highest price paid. Export bulls sold

at \$3.50 to \$4 per cwt. Butchers-Two or three cattle picked out of export loads, 1,270 and 1,330 lbs. each, and one lot of eight cattle, 1,200 lbs. each, all good enough for export, which they really were, sold at \$4.80 to \$4.85 per cwt.; londs of good sold at \$4.25 to \$4.50 per cwt.; fair to good, \$4 to \$4.25; medium, \$3.75 to \$4; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Feeders and Stockers-H. Murby reported nothing doing, as few, if any, were offered, aithough he had orders unfilled. All cattle that on other days might have been sold as feeders were taken for butchers' purposes.

Milch Cows-About a dozen milch cows and springers sold at \$30 to \$48

Veal Calves-Over 100 ealves sold at firm prices, as usual, ranging from \$3.50 to \$7.25 per cwt.; and \$8 per cwt. was paid for one of prime quality.

Sheep and Lambs-The run was not heavy, but there seemed to be about enough to supply the demand at following prices: Export ewes, \$4.50 to \$5 per ewt.; bucks, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per ewt.; lambs of select to prime quality, \$6.75 to \$7.15, and one or two lots of extra quality brought \$7.25 per ewt. Hogs-Deliveries of hogs were light. Mr. Harris reports prices unchanged, at

#### Bradstreet's Trade Review.

\$6.75 for selects and \$6.50 for lights and

The movement of wholesale goods in all lines continues more or less quiet. The volume of general trade, however, compares fairly well with that of this time last year. There is a fair sorting movement in heavy sorting drygoods lines and spring deliveries are active. Orders for spring lines continue heavy. Price advances have been announced for printed cottons, flannelettes, dress sateens and other lines of printed goods ranging from 5 to 1232 per cent. to take effect on the 15th inst. Groceries are quiet and sugar is displaying an easy tone with the buying merely tor immediate wants. The hardware trade is very brisk and in some lines of goods and metals there is less firmness noted, particularly in iron and lead. Collections are mostly fair and payments are well up to the average. Hamilton-There is now a better move-

ment in sorting lines and spring goods are moving more actively. Dry goods houses are particularly busy and the outlook has improved during the past week. Collections are fair to good. London-Country and local trade has

taken on a more active tone although the movement of sorting lines is still not heavy. Spring trade is moving fairly well and collections are rather better. Local industries continue active. Ottawa-There is a moderately good

tone to general trade there. Retail business in winter goods is more active and wholesalers are busy with the spring trade which still promises to be large. Collections are fair,

#### HEIR TO LARGE FORTUNE.

Cook in Restaurant Divides \$450,000 With Her Sister.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.-A Journal special from St. Joseph, Michigan, says: John Crawford, who for a year has been employed as cook at local restaurants and hotels, was legally notified yesterday by an act of the Judge of the Probate Court of Ithaca, N. Y. that he and his sister, Mrs. Maud Gardner, of Chicago, are heirs to an estate of \$450,000, left by their grandfather, Alyfius Crawford, of Newfield, N. Y.

Every infus Lead packets



CHAPTI The "up" train wa

entarily at the little ford, from whence a some villages and th A couple of com whose large, neatly s piled on a hand-true amusing description loud and frequently A gentleman, cov foot in a large dar and fro, smoking a sharply into the th the line up to a fet station. The loose wrap he

ceal his air of distin watched so eagerly light steely blue, I burned brown, some his hair and moust "Five minutes be glancing at the clos the booking office, of the two porters about.

'It often is, sir. often to wait at Br borough passengers. after this." "Look after my waiting room. My tain Lisle-I'll be

and will not forget "Thank ye, sir. right enough." "Two-fifteen, and claimed Captain Li his cigar as the eng out of the dim dista the edge of the plats ly into the carriage In a first class of lady sat alone. Las

the door ... 'Beg pardon, sir, guard. "This is a there's plenty of re "All right, I kny will permit me to t her company. Will his deerstalker's ea "Oh, Captain La with a swift blush, "Don't cram in an

said Lisle aside qu pressing some coin o "All right sir,"

A shrill whistle a

"I hope you will sion. But as I had you after that teleg would try to sny He unfastened his brown hair, and a resolute face. His k as they dwelt on his worth looking at. she sat reclining carriage, was eveid age: the eyes with him were very dec and at the mome solemn; her eyebro darker than her l called golden, and having a fair shay opinions. In deed, her sunny locks an brows and eyelast those who met he Her complexion w description which color-and when in haughty, refined

mouth, which thou not small. Her tra green cloth, simple velvet hat of the small plume of 1 was most becomin spoke, a quiet smil she said gently, "I have nothing very good to take you were at Chi time, you started

"I started at the

secure some priva

"Indeed" Again a blush, ted over the lady "Yes, I am goir perhaps offend ye I certainly have cere interest in regret that fort so unkindly, m an ass of myself. "You really vaguely there quite understand ness of my poor one seemed so so Mary, who is ki

feared she had ! money. Do tell m always seem to "I wish I did state of affairslook as if those g been wide awake, lous smile this til "Indeed, I coul haunted by the re quarrels with gra

fond of me, and hi

to me. I must to

.for the past."

ONTARIO ARCHIVES TORONTO