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They have a ghost scare at Kingston Penitentiary. Hamilton has given work to 400 the 700 unemployed.

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India famine fund.

The new directory gives Hamilton a population of 50,000.

WORLD OVER.

CANADA. St. Catharines has voted \$200 to the

Peterson, Tait & Co., have purchased the Beaver Line of steamships. The bronzes for the Macdonald statue have arrived at Kingston.

The entire force of workmen at the Springhill mines, N.S., is out on strike. ly performed on him, is progressing fav-Mr. McEachran reports that hog orably, cholera in Essex is thoroughly stamped out.

The Dominion Type Foundry Company of Montreal has gone into liqui-

The Hamilton Cattle Company has secured incorporation, with a capital of

Mrs. Western, of Hamilton, has invented and patented a bicycle tire that Dr. Thompson and Mr. Ferris have

been unseated from the Niagara Falls South Council. The Ottawa Board of Trade is discussing a resolution in favor of an alien labor law.

has asked the Council for 123,256 for the current year.

Rev. Dr. O'Meara has been appointed Dean of Rupert's Land, succeeding the Bishop of Qu'Appelle. A Montreal despatch says that the

Quebec Provincial elections will be held on the 29th of next month. Brantford's fire loss last year was

load of furniture falling on him.

The national India famine fund now amounts to \$40,000, and a draft for 100, 000 rupees has been forwarded to India. An epidemic of grippe is being experienced in Ottawa. Sir James Grant says he never knew the disease to be so pre-Barrington & Sons, trunk and bellows manufacturers, of Montreal, have

assigned. The liabilities are about \$75,-An increase of \$10,000 in the Hamilon Board of Education estimates will be required this year, mostly for teachers' salaries.

Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, who was injured in the railway accident near Doncaster, N.B., two weeks ago, is at Halifax. Rev. Ira Smith, of London, called the

attention of his congregation to their duty as citizens to clean the slush off their sidewalks. The amount of cash contributed in Toronto to the Indian Famine fund from

various sources has passed the twelve thousand dollar mark Governor Murray of Newfoundland, who it was reported was about to visit

Ottawa on annexation business, has gone to England. Rene Dabin and Fred Corier, two Frenchmen, who had a piggery two

miles from Port Arthur, Ont., were The C.P.R. has declared dividends of 2 per cent on the preference stock and I per cent. for the common stock for the half year ending December 31st. Tuesday night held up and robbed An-News of a discovery of an enormous-

ly rich deposit or copper and gold on \$2,000. both sides of the Canadian boundary line has been reported at Spokane. Charcoal, the Indian condemned to be hanged for the murder of Sergeant Wilde, it is reported at Winnipeg, may the train. not live till the date of his execution.

tawa by the recent fire. tents, made vacant by the recent death nesday night. of Mr. Richard Pope.

freight department in London reveals divorce at Houston, Texas. Her husband the time. All the Foulah Princes fled a shortage of \$250. Mr. Forsythe has is a wealthy citizen of Houston. been missing for a week.

Dr. Selwyn states that he was misrepresented at the meeting of the minliever in the gold fields of British Col- exp. dition.

Secretary Charles Drinkwater of the announced at the age of 61. C. P. R. was attacked by four footpads at Montreal on Tuesday night on seriously wounded in a strikers' riot at his way home. He fought the men as Hamburg. long as he could, but they got away Galileo Ferraris, member of the Italwith his gold watch and chain. Mr. ian Senate and a well-known electric-Drinkwater received some injuries in ian is dead at Rome.

GREAT BRITAIN. The Mansion House fund for the suf- annexation to the United States. ferers in India will likely reach the

\$5,000,000 mark. wrecked steamer Angloman have been A British troopship has been de-

to use the closure freely in passing the gees.

telepathic phenomena.

London to be ashore on Skerries' Island, will probably be a total loss. Mr. Thomas Sexton, anti-Parnellite, who resigned his seat in the House of Commons last year, refuses to re-enter THE VERY LATEST FROM ALL THE

ent charitable schemes to mark the dia- will be doubled.

Interesting items About our Own Country. Great Britain, the United States, and All Parts of the Globe, Condensed and Emperor William.

May, who for twenty years previous to November, 1893, was chief cashier of the Bank of England.

Colonial and American bishops will be invited to preach at Oxford University this year, during the sitting of the Lambeth Conference.

Through the collapse of a viaduct on of Saghalien. a railroad at Cornwall on Tuesday 12 men fell a distance of one hundred and fifty feet, and were killed.

London, where an operation was recent- bable

with such vast hordes of undesirable standard, at the ratio of one to thirtyland may be forced to pass an Exclu- two.

The Winnipeg Public School Board and Company of Toronto, was on Tuesday sentenced to five years' penal servitude.

Mr. Balfour stated on Thursday that the Government intended to make a Rrilliant Work of the Niger Expedition picion. England still slings to the public holiday for the occasion of the Queen's diamond jubilee, but it was not proposed to make the day a permanent holiday.

Mr. Curzon stated in the British only \$1,528.50. In the last six years Commons that the reported massacres Company's expedition against the Emir possible, for a ranway journey, long or at Crete were unfounded. There had of Nupe. The fighting in the vicinity fians, and maniacs is supposed to exist Mr. George Roach, a Hamilton team- been some small disturbances. A rester, was killed near Burlington by a port from Canea says 200 buildings fugees from the city have been taken of January 26, was resumed at day- gedy. Nothing has been found conon board the British and Greek war- light on the morning of January 27. ships in the harbor.

UNITED STATES. Mr. Richard Croker is the probable Tammany candidate for Mayor of New

The Ohio river at Cincinnati is fast verging on the danger line, which is Niger's Company's expedition had been

famous Christy minstrels, died at the Kansas City Hospital, aged 68 years. the Foulah scouts were watching. The been necessary actually to kill the wohouses in New York city, and has an square, the guns following. The rear to crowd the body under the seat in income of more than \$6,000,000 a year. half of the force then closed on the time to leave the train at the next. tration treaty being signed by the The British forces advanced steadily, murderer remained in the carriage United States Senate during the pre- halting every 200 yards, for the purpose while the train stopped at any way sent Congress.

It is stated that after the inauguration of President McKinley, Mr. and

in Chicago, on Wednesday.

tle of the Yalu River, committed sui-

cide at New York, on Thursday. Two armed robbers in Chicago on toine Boenert in his steamship ticket

near Los Angeles, Cal., on Tuesday shot

has a deficit of \$20,000, with a prospect of the quarantine of Canadian cattle, forces, but they were badly shattered, forces, but they were badly shattered. of \$19,000 or \$15,000 more when the Collegiate Institute building is com-The governors of the Hamilton General Hospital propose to build a new control of the white pine, as in the event of its imposition, they fear Caradian retalic.

The Michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty bombarded the town, six Maxim guns and the effective use of the Maxim guns. At 10.30 the artillery bombarded the town, six Maxim guns and playing on the gradually retiring massplaying on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradually retiring massthe difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the effective use of the gradual proposed to the difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the gradual proposed to the proposed two dollars duty playing on the gradual proposed to the gradual proposed to the difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the difference of the dollars duty playing the difference of the michigan lumbermen are opposed to the difference of th

Business during the week has been Of the fifteen Maxim guns in the pos- a little more favorable; prices are more session of the Dominion Militia De- steady and there is a better demand for partment, some six or seven will be labor; in the Eastern and Middle States kept on hand for emergencies, and the particularly works are reported to be sunday Closing Rejected By the British others will be handed over to the city opening up. A demand for pig iron at Pittsburg is also noted. Hemlock and The various Dominion Government leather are more active, with an addepartments have been asked to push vance in values. While a lower range House of Commons on Wednesday re- Miss Zeph took up a pail of water by ago visited the penitentiary here in mates, so that the Government can sub- the general return quotes figures as

GENERAL. It is considered possible that Dr. Nanumbia, and called attention to their The death of Sir John Bates Thurs-

Two men were killed and nineteen

vived feeling in Hawaii in favour of came law in August, 1872.

It is said that Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, is much annoyed when One horse and 450 sheep from the he sees himself referred to as a Swede. spatched from Malta with a fortnight's

The Imperial Government is expected food for twelve hundred Cretan refu-Wm. Donna, the American artist, it

The half-yearly statement of the hard to bring about the fulfilment of Grand Trunk Railway, issued in Lon- his dream of Germany as powerful on sea as on land.

It is officially stated that 2,750,000 relief work in the different districts

of India where famine prevails. The distress in the Jubbulpoor district of India is appalling. About 120,-An immense amount of money is be- 000 are now receiving Government aid, ing subscribed in London for the differ- and by the month of May the number

Archduke Otto of Austria, nephew of Mr. Cecil Rhodes is said to have in Emperor Francis Joseph, and heir prehis possession one of the letters that sumptive to the throne of Austria, is at murders has so aroused London and all discussed in connection with the compassed between President Kruger and Present visiting Emperor William in

professors who recently signed a de- Hounslow reached London terminus at and patrons of every languishing in-

The building of the trans-Siberian railway will give the convicts of Siberia such facilities of escaping that they will likely be transferred to the Island It is now stated that the recent disturbances in Crete were stirred up by

not yet able to leave the hospital in tween Turkey and Greece is very pro-

The despatch of the torpedo flotilla

pean powers. In the British House of Commons on | Prince Bismarck, when asked to give Wednesday Mr. Samuel Smith's mo- an academic opinion on arbitration

FIGHTING THE SAVAGES.

Against Nupe.

A despatch from Bida gives additional details concerning the advance of the columns of the Royal Niger secure an unoccupied compartment, ordered to cross a ravine near the ridge ing to it were one or two hairs from the girl's head. The victim's clothing on which the troops of the Royal was badly torn and stationed during the night. As they but it is hardly possible that the mur- has always been somewhat of a re- bounties. France is now agitating the Charles Christy, the last of the crossed the ravine it was noticed that derer attempted an outrage for, with cluse. Moreover, she has a positive subject, and it is reported that 100,-William Waldorf Astor owns 4,000 troops accordingly formed in a half man on leaving one station in order There is very little hope of the arbi- front half, forming a complete square. It is not considered possible that the of allowing the guns to keep pace. The station, for passengers were likely to -de uoos Amouo out jo socioi possem enter at any moment. It is not known

peared, even covering the sugar positively whether robbery was com-Hamlet's soliloquy, thrust a dagger ly surrounded by 30,000 cavalry and throat. It is supposed she had quite footmen. The reduction from the es- a sum of money, but this is only con-

army of the Emir of Nupe. office in La Salle street. They got ridge commanding Bida. They then municate with the guard. The Eng-A mail clerk on a Santa Fe train verse of the slope, and continued to lish newspapers are clamouring for the his department. The Customs Depart- G. T. R. platform and across the sevone burglar and wounded another. forces were constantly harassed by of such crimes. They had attempted to "hold up" the Foulah sharpshooters, who daringly advanced to within a hundred yards The Hamilton Board of Education cinity are jubilant over the abrogation cavalary charged on the Royal Niger residence for the nurses and use the imposition they fear Canadian retaliation.

on the white pine, as in the event of its imposition they fear Canadian retaliation.

es of the enemy. At noon the advance company of the troops entered family of ex-Alderman James Flana.

Additional perception Bida, which is a town three miles Albert Hess of Ipswich, Mass., dissquare. Bombarding of a portion of gan, a well known dry goods merchant, taken against fire in all the old buildingressiant fire in all It is calculated that it will cost about appeared suddenly with \$7,000 of other the town was resumed, however, last- His two eldest daughters, Mary and three hundred thousand dollars to repeople's money. He sent his wife ing until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, word to return to her parents in Toword to return to the sum to the parents and the pa pair the damage done to the western word to return to her parents in To- when one-half of the Houssa troops took possession of the town. Only 15 ball. A large lamp had been placed on to guard against them being frozen. Armand Castlemary, an actor, fell of the Houssa troops were wounded. a small shelf alongside a mirror. The It is intimated that the Dominion dead at the close of the final scene of The losses of the Foulah forces were lamp was rather large, and by some Government intends to abolish the of- the opera "Martha" at the Metropoli- enormous. The brother of the Emir fice of Deputy Commissioner of Pa- tan Opera House, New York, on Wed- of Nupe and many of the Princes were severely wounded by a shell which breaking. Instantly there was an ex-Mrs. G. W. Baldwin, nee the Hon. exploded among the members of the plosion, the burning oil flying over An investigation of the accounts of Lady Carey, granddaughter of the late staff of the Emir, killing two men who Miss Mary, and setting not only her Cashier Forsythe of the C. P. R. Duke of Brunswick, has filed suit for were sanding within a foot of him at

in the direction of Sokolo. TRIUMPH OF BEER.

Parliament.

mit the estimates early, and ask sup- being mostly firm and in many lines son, Liberal member for West Hull, dreadful the burns were. By this time the convict's confession, which is said providing for the entire closing of pub- help came, and Miss Mary Flanagan to be most circumstantial. lic-houses throughout Sunday. They was found unconscious and dreadfully Troy was sent down from the West and he still lives. John Wynn is his are at present allowed to be open for burned. ing engineers in Montreal. He is a besen will soon start on an Antarctic a short period during the middle of

Sunday and on Sunday evenings. The death of Sir John Eates Thurston.

The licensing laws at present permit through their injuries, and grave fears to make the figure of the Figure Islands, is public-houses outside of the Metroton, Governor of the Figure Islands, is public-houses outside of the Metroton, Governor of the Figure Islands, is public through their injuries, and grave fears are entertained as to Miss Flanagan's attempted to grapple with a burglar, day, when Mr. Wynn went into the condition. It is believed as to make the first properties through their injuries, and grave fears are entertained as to Miss Flanagan's attempted to grapple with a burglar, day, when Mr. Wynn went into the six p.m. to eleven p.m. In the Metro- wardly. politan area the hours are from twelve. noon, till two p.m., and from six p.m. till after midnight. The local justices may slightly vary those hours outside It is reported that there is a re- ing of public-houses in England be-

CURE FOR SLEEPLESSNESS.

A Sweedish servant maid, finding that her mistress was troubled with sleeplessness, told her of a practice of the people of her country who are simlilarly afflicted. It was to take a nap-Prof. Crookes, the eminent English is reported in Paris, will be promoted kin, dip it in ice-cold water, wring it slightly, and lay it across her eyes. The plan was followed, and it worked like a charm. The first night the lady slept four hours without waking— Strange as it may seem, the seventh something she had not done before for is the hardest to execute musically, and

persons are now employed on famine MURDERED ON THE TRAIN SHOCKING CRIME ON A LONDON

SUBURBAN RAILWAY. The Young Woman's Body Found Under a Seat-No Clue to the Assassin-The Motive of the Crime a Mystery.

Nothing since the Jack-the-Ripper England as the tragedy in a suburban The death is announced of Mr.Frank the prosecution of several university Thursday evening. The train from claration in favor of the striking dock 8.30 o'clock. After the passengers left stitution and charity consider this an gilt-edged securities at 3 1-2 per cent, a car cleaner, inspecting the carriages, acceptable time for urging their own in Montreal and at 4 1-2 per cent. at woman partially concealed beneath a tional memorial. The picturesque ele- The world's visible supply of wheat seat in a second-class compartment, ments of the celebration are neglect- for the week decreased 579,000 bushels, The body which was still warm was ed; nothing is yet suggested as a town which is a smaller decrease than had dragged out with difficulty, for the show except a long, open-air drive in been expected. Greek agitators, that the Christians upper part of the body had been forc-Lieut-Governor Kirkpatrick, while were the aggressors, and that war be- ed under the seat with great violence. enable the swarms of London sight- at Toronto is firm \$5.25 to \$5.35 by It was found that the skull had been seers to gaze at her. The Spectator, the car-load, and the best live hogs It is expected that the Japanese Gov- crushed in by a couple of heavy blows. reviving a suggesion of the last jubi- are selling at \$4.50. ernment will introduce at the present There was evidence of a severe strug- lee, cries aloud for bonfires on all the Bank shares are in demand on the London at present is being flooded session of the Imperial Diet measures gle before the victim succumbed. hills of England, Wales, Scotland and Toronto Stock Exchange. Dominion Germans, Poles, and Italians, that Eng- for the establishment of the gold There was no trace whatever of the murderer. The most astonishing feature of the crime was the fact that celebrate the Queen's diamond jubilee, The exports of Argentine wheat for

THE YOUNG WOMAN was immediately identified by her fi-Wednesday Mr. Samuel Smith's motion for the disestablishment and disended where the condownent of the Church of England was rejected by a vote of 204 to 86.

In academic opinion on arbitration and arbitration of the station to meet her. She was Miss Elizabeth and the decision of an arbitration court, the decision of arbitra John Chandler, of London, England, who confessed having forged bills of exchange on Messrs. S. F. McKinnon and Company of Toronto, was on Tuespublic interest is that such a crime could be committed in a railway compartment in London itself, and the percompartment system of railway travel for the very reason which cost this young woman her life. It is the object of every Englishman and woman to of Bida, the Foulah capital, which was only on long runs. It is impossible thus were burned, and 5,000 Christian re- stopped by darkness on the evening far to assign even a motive for this tranected with the murderer except his weapon, which was a chemist's heavy Half of the British forces, which con- pestie. This was discovered near the sisted of 500 troops, six Maxims, 26 line at Putney about three miles out. mounted officers, and 900 carriers, were It was covered with blood, and adher-

SMEARED WITH BLOOD,

JOY TURNED TO WOE.

family of ex-Alderman James Flanameans slipped and fell to the bureau, clothing, but the room, on fire. Miss

Meph at that time escaped. Mrs. Flanagan, hearing screams, received startling confirmation on rushed into the room, and threw a rug Thursday, when a convict in the peni- Her husband, who worked at the G. over her daughter. Zeph, seeing the tentiary named Troy made a voluntary T.R., had finished his dinner, and was ing on fire, threw herself on her sis- confession, that he, in September, 1893, ter, and instantly was wrapped in shot and killed Angus McLeod, of Nap- his wife until, running up, he recogflames herself. Not a man was in anee. Government Detective Rogers, nized her. His grief was terrible to the house, and their mother and a who had charge of the investigation behold. By a vote of 206 to 149 the British young woman had to master the fire. into the murder, and who a few months jected the bill of Mr. Charles H. Wil- a wire handle, the wire cutting into connection with the case, came down the bones. Then she realized how from Toronto yesterday, and took down

er are all confined to their beds Angus McLeod, it will be remembered,

THE HUMAN WHISTLE.

become satisfactory. A musician in St. Catharines, was noticed by the constitution the doctors expect ductor, who attempted to put him off. that he will like for some time. New York city, who has made whistling ductor who attempted to put him off. a special study, says that the human Trioy pulled a revolver and fired three whistle is divided into seven degrees or qualities:

The full tone or straight whistle. The rolling or undulating. The warbling. The trilling. The chirping or bird-like.

The solemn or trombonic.

THE DIAMOND JUBILEE.

Raising Money for Charitable Purposes-A Shilling Fund-Will Lord Salistury Become a Duke.

A London special says:-Many unofficial forecasts of the programme for jubilee week have been published, and hundreds of projects are eagerly memoration of the longest reign. A train on the South-Western railway on vigorous plea is made for the comple- the cloths and yarns markets are quiet tion of the South Kensington Museum, and rather easier. found the mutilated body of a young plans as the best possible form of na- Toronto.

Another London despatch says:-To for many months. Returns issued by the British Board of Trade for January show an increase of Trade for January show an increase thusiasm among the populace, and a constant the populace, and a constant thusiasm among the populace, and a constant thusiasm among the populace, and a constant thusiasm among the populace, and a constant transfer of the populace. The constant transfer of the populace of the populace of the populace of the populace of the populace. in England will be visited by their responding two weeks of 1896. canvassers. The Queen is a patroness The Canadian Pacific on Monday deof the movement. The Prince of Clared a dividend of 2 per cent. on the Wales' diamond jubilee scheme, to ex-

are also receiving contributions. have a Dukedom if he wishes this firmer on moderate offerings. Red year. The Queen made to him the same winter is selling at 77c. and white at offer in the jubilee year in 1887, but | 75c. to 79c. Barley, oats and corn he refused to accept the honor. Prob- are heavy, with liberal offerings. ably he will not care to refuse twice. The visible supply of wheat in the Moreover, during the past ten years, United States and Canada is now 47,his record in public life would make 885,000 bushels, a decrease of 1,706,000 the promotion natural. But personal- bushels for the week. The total a year ly, there is no man in the country who ago was 66,119,000 bushels and two years cares less for the outer pomp and cir- ago, 82,322,000 bushels. The amount cumstances of his position. It is with affoat to Europe is 26,800,000 bushels, as great difficulty that he can be got to against 25,440,000 a year ago. The attend any crowded society function, or | visible in America, together with quanbeing there, keep up a semblance of tity affoat to Europe, is 74,685,000 bushinterest in his surroundings. In pri- els as against 91,559,000 bushels a year vate life he is silent, and likes to be ago, a decrease of 16,874,000 bushels. alone, but is very even tempered and In speaking of the sugar trade in generally cheerful. His chief friend in the United States last week, Dun's Rethe Cabinet is Lord Halsbury, who is view says: Although better country a man very much after his own tem- buying made the tone of refined sugars per. As Lady Salisbury has no social a trifle stiffer, the position of raw ambition, there will be no domestic grades is a shade weaker. There is pressure for him to accept a Dukedom, much interest shown in the attitude of

THE OTTAWA FIRE.

A despatch from Ottawa says:-A but such action by the foreign powers is hardly probable at present. A resmall army of men are engaged by the port from Berlin announces the for-Mrs. Cleveland will start on a tour rama in their semi-barbarous cos- was empty near the body, and no value was empty near the body.

Western block The fire has therefore to control the business of Germany tumes. The square of the Royal Niger ables were found in her pocket, her dia- Western block. The fire has therefore to control the business of Germany. Warren W. Linney, after reading Company's forces was soon complete- mond brooch remained fastened at the been quite a boom to the unemployed of Ottawa. At present the men are timate of 30,000 made on January 26 jecture. The police thus far are quite stationed on the roof, throwing the The United States Senate on Satur- was due to the death of two of the nonplussed, although they are active- debris of the fire on the lawn below, day voted funds to enable the Secre-tary of the Navy to charter a vessel lem States, allies of the Mohamme-ling passengers who left the train at least the lem States, allies of the Mohammedan Emir of Nupe, and vassals like way stations with the crime, One the- last two days every available carter Capt. McGiffin, who commanded the the Emir of Nupe dependent on the ory is that an escaped female lunatic in the city has been engaged removburned to death on Wednesday night. Chinese warship Chen Yuen in the bat- great Mohammedan Empire of Sokolo. from Putney killed the girl. Although ing office effects to the new quarters When these two Princes and rulers experience has shown that the con- for the departments that have been R. station. Mrs. Fred Barche had been were killed by the shells of the Bri- struction of English railway carriages turned out of doors. Sir Richard Cart- down town all morning, and was reish their forces withdrew from the is especially favourable to the commit- wright has quartered himself in the ting of crimes of this kind, still there House of Commons, and has secured The Royal Niger troops continued to was no appliance in the compartment rooms for his deputy and the rest of home, No. 7 Wilkins street, faces the advance slowly until they reached a to enable any one attached to com- his staff in the Senate. Mr. Tarte has G. T. R. tracks. To reach it persons reconnoitre throughout the day, Their way carriage as the surest preventive ment and part of the Militia Depart- eral tracks. This Mrs. Barche did. A. menti are housed in two buildings just freight train was shunting to and fro west of the Rideau Club, on Welling- at the time Mrs. Barche came along. ton street. The Marine Department is The train was just backing in on the in the Slater block. The Mounted Po- third track over Market street with lice staff has been accommodated in eight or ten cars.

the Langevin block. visability of removing some of the ed the track, where the train was com-A despatch from Moncton, N.B., says: most precious public documents in the ing a moment ahead. She looked at East block garret, which is another the train, and Yardman Vicary and fire trap, to the Langevin block, which | the flagman at the crossing, both de-

MURDER WILL GUT.

A Convict in Kingston Says He Killed

Angus McLeod, of Napanee. A despatch from Kingston says :- | wheels were upon her, passing right The old adage that "murder will out"

bullets into the conductor, none of which had fatal effect. 'The convict comes from the western portion of the province. He made his confession voltively young man will be taken to

THE FIELD OF COMMERCE

Some Items of Interest to the Busy Business Man.

The world's shipments of wheat last week were 5,640,000 bushels.

Consols are weaker the past few days, and are quoted at 112 11-16 to 112 13-16 A cable, fro mManchester says that

has sold up to 230, the highest price

There is a better demand for wheat It is true that Lord Salisbury can throughout Ontario, and prices are

for shipment in case the new tariff law is passed, which increases the bounty on exports. Should Germany, France and Austria unite in the abolition of the bounty, as has been suggested, this A Small Army of Men Clearing Away the and the best sugar interests of this market would be considerably affected, country ought to receive an impetus,

A FRIGHTFUL DEATH

Mrs. Fred Barche, of Brantford, Cut in

Two by a Train. A despatch from Brantford, Ont., says:-An awful fatality occurred at 12.30 o'clock on Saturday at the G. T. turning with a well-laden basket. Her

The unfortunate woman took the The Cabinet is considering the ad- short cut above mentioned, and reachvising her purpose about crossing, call-

Had it not been for the slippery condition of the road-bed she would certainly have got past all right, but, to the horror of the eye-witnesses, she slipped and fell right across the far rail from the platform. She made one frantic effort to rise, but it was too late, and in an instant the heavy over the middle of her body, and literally cutting ber in two. Death must

just coming out of the house. He saw

WITH A BROKEN NECK

There lies at 50 Colborne street, Hamilton, a man with a broken neck, two years ago to serve a 20-years' sen- name, and his case is causing consider-The two daughters and their moth- tence for shooting a railway conductor. able interest among the local physipolitan area to open on Sundays from | condition. It is believed she is serious- | whose movements his wife had heard. | cellar to attend the furnace he had twelve noon, till two p. m., and from ly burned inwardly, as well as out- Mr. McLeod rushed out into the hall a fainting spell, and fell over on his and as he advanced the man fired, and head. The doctors said that his neck the shot took effect. The murderer was broken and held out little hope fled, leaving a brown fedora hat be- of his recovery. After a consultahind. It is said that Troy was run tion the patient was placed in a down through the headgear. Mr. Mc- plaster cast, and he has been doing That the talent of whistling can be Leod was a tinsmith and a former nicely since then. While he is unable cultivated there is no doubt, but unless Kingstonian. Troy is a tramp, who, to take any solid food, he is given one's ear is correct his work will never while stealing a ride on a train from liquid nourishment, and, as he has a

FISH THAT NEVER SLEEP.

There are several species of fish, repen Metcalfe. Should the confession ing their stay in this world. Among show sufficiently strong evidence of be- fish it is now positively known that ing genuine. Troy, who is a compara- pike, salmon and goldfish never sleep Napanee and there tried for the crime, at all. Also, that there are several Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, is suffering from a severe attack of gout.

The steamer Angloman, reported at The steamer Angloman angl others of the fish family that never