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COMMERCIAL,

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Six Years In Kingston Pen. Catharines, April 22.-William to sa years in Kingston penitentiary for a criminal offence.

The Bay of Quinte clerical union to meet at St. John's church, Bath, on Wednesday and Thursday. April 38th and May 1st. Very Rev. Dr. Kittson, dean of Ottawa, is to be the preacher on both evenings.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS,

What is Going on in the Business World-The Market News.

The Scattle away office has haudied over \$55,000,000 since its establishment. British imports of Canadian goods are in The exports are also increasing.

tuning foreign corporations' doing business afternoon, Mr. Sifton introduced sev-

The gross carrings of the railways of the ed country was the creation of Capadian lines, show an increase of 6.3 per the danger of a standing army would

BATTERIES VOLUNTEER

over 70 Per Cent. of the Men Wil Enlist-To-day's Recruits. Two more recruits for the third

applicants were before the medical no matter how powerful the invading The following enlisted men have ar-

and so the exact number cannot be had in contemplation. stated. A prominent officer stated Mr. Ingram asked if it were so that this afternoon that over seventy per the militia department could issue free cent, of the members of "A" and "B" batteries R.C.F.A., had volunteered, cadet corps?

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Upset By His Wife's Lack of Com-

hardly think my wife sees the joke yet," said Brown with a smile, 'and I am almost inclined to think that she has an idea that I was deliberately trying to create a false impression, to which I plead guilty. "One night last week I thought I heard some one prowling about the house, and, as there have been a number of houses broken into lately. I concluded that the noise was made by Montreal will this year have one burglars. As I sat up in bed listen- the most successful years it has ever ing, I chanced to glance into the next enjoyed." Such is the encouraging room, the door of our bed-room being prediction made at the harbor board open, and there stood a sure enough meeting by Robert Reford. He added burgiar coolly examining our silver- that the agents of the company in ware. With the startling discovery which he was interested advised them came to me the chilling thought that freights were being booked to the that I hadn't such a thing as a fire greatest extent for this port that arm in the house. But I determined they had ever seen. Steel and other to 'run a bluff,' so, turning to my products of the United States had wife, I said in a loud voice :

" 'Where's my revolver ?' "'John,' she answered in a voice the port wauld do more business than equally as loud, 'there isn't such a it had ever done; thing in this house, and you know

Ended Matabele War. DAVID HALL, formed a finer act than that of Mr. were known to have been sent to Can-Rhodes when he brought the Matabele ton for the purpose of spreading the war to an end at the risk of his life rebel propaganda and for the purchase the latest phase of the nursing proand career by meeting alone and un- of arms and supplies. The prisoners fession. Doctors and matrons have, it Baths, closets, wash basins and range boil able portion of Mr. Rhodes' faults leader commanding the assassination of and failings will be condoned in his and failings will be condoned in his tory by his unselfish gallantry on this hundred armed men left Conton. Five Steam and Gas Fitting. armed the Matabele chiefs. A consider carried orders from Kwok, the rebel occasion. He was weaponless. The day for Wu Chow.

"Mr. Rhodes greeted them in Zulu, and then a long and animated discussion followed. The chiefs declared their grievances, and the white envoy told hem how he would have those grievances removed. Then Mr. Rhodes came apparently included to supersede the to the point briefly: 'All that is of kilt in the fighting kit. This reform the past. Now for the future-is it is deprecated from all sides. The Highpeace or is it war?' The chiefs each landers assert that tue kilt, both the white man's feet, saying, 'See, the healthiest kit for actice service. this is my gun; I throw it down at your feet,' and 'this is my assegai, followed by the same gesture. 'We are all here to-day. We give you one word; it is peace. The war is over,

was the chiefs' final assurance. Christian Endeavorers Meet.

The first of a series of meetings to be held this week by the christian endeavor union in Bethel churen, occurred last evening. There was a good attendance. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Antliff, whose subject was "The New Birth." He left a good mpression upon the audience, with the result that four persons stood up. in the after meeting, and expressed their desire to do better service. Nearly all the leagues in the city were re-

presented at the meeting. To Attend The Wedding. Miss Maybelle Aiken, Miss Ely and for Westport to attend the Ely-Rey nolds wedding, which event takes place on Wednesday evening, April 23rd, at Knox church, Westport, Miss Aixen will assist the bride, while Dr.

Ely official s as groomsman. An Anti-Morgan Combination. London, April 22.-The Westminster lazette to-day says it is hinted in the city that the Cunard line will form the nucleus for an anti-Morgan con

Edward McLean, Ely, D.D.S., of North Dakota, is visiting his parent and sister, Mrs. Aiken, No. 2 Colborn

HUGHES ADVOCATED COL. SUPPLYING ARMS.

Matter For Provinces-Private Members' Day in Commons-Yukon Legislation - Government and New British Duties

-Cattle Guards. Ottawa, April 21.-To-day was private members' day in the house, and The tax payers of Jamestown, N.Y., will as the remaining days of the week are \$600,000 in a new water works now mainly set aside for government measures, there was considerable pri-The New York senate has passed a bill vate legislation brought up. In eral bills in connection with the government of the Yukon. There was also some discussion on a motion Col. Hughes to have arms given out to corps whose members are over four-

manent loan company and the Provincial Col. Hughes in presenting his mobuilding and loss company, of Toronto, is tion said that one of the greatest dangers in a constitutionally governcontinent for March, including, of course, the standing army. By the development learding American as well as the principal of a proper military force in Canada cent. as compared with the corresponding be entirely removed. His suggestion, therefore, was that the youth of the country should be trained in rifle and instructed in movements. He suggested the adoption of an inexpensive system of targets and the use of a cheap form of

Col. Hughes said that Canada could armouries this forenoon, viz., James the experience of the Boer war showed Cairneross, Brockville, and Redford that with such a force the country Richardson, Northport. A number of would be impregnable against invasion

Dr. Borden, the minister of militia, rived from Port Hope; Acting Corpls. said that he agreed with Col. Hughes F. Law, T. Connell, A. T. Smith; observations. Switzerland, with its Ptes. J. Postle, L. E. Darch, J. H. 250,000 effective militia was an excel-Lunney, F. Gill, J. W. Brown and C. lent object lesson in that respect. It would not do, however, to pass the re-The batteries were given to under solution because its recommendations stand that their services would be came within the purview of the pro very acceptable, and they have vol- vincial legislature, as a matter of unteered almost to a man. Their ap education. The proper way would be plications did not reach the brigade to correspond with the governments of office, but were forwarded to Ottawa, the respective provinces, and this he

ammunition to rifle clubs but not to

Sergt.-Maj. Gimblett, of "A" field Dr. Borden said such was the case hattery, will receive the appointment The government had no power to inof regimental sergeant-major for the clude in the militia persons under contingent. He was out to South eighteen years of age, but the act

> In the evening the members talked three hours on Mr. Lancaster's bill to render railway companies liable the loss of cattle killed by railway trains at places where there are not proper cattle guards. The motion was freely debated, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier. on behalf of the government, promised to have an act interoduced next year providing a remedy. The house accepted the promise of the premier to wait until they would see the government act next year.

Montreal Port To Boom. Montreal, April 22.-"The port gone up to such an extent that our trade would be benefited by it, and

Captured Rebels.

Hong Kong, April 22.-Chinese of Canton and captured six men who l

No Kilts In War Time.

Pretoria, April 22.-Great regret has been caused among the Highland regiments serving in South Africa by the new dress regulations, in which it is lifted a stick and threw it down at this and other campaigns, has been

Pie-Eater In Jail.

Buffalo, April 22.-The Express says that Thomas Fitzgerald, who claims to be the champion pic-eater of Toronto, went to the penitentiary thirty days yesterday, because he dulged in the frivolous pastime monging pies from inoffensive travellers at McLeod's lunch counter on Exchange street, near the New York Central station.

The Fire Subdued London, April 22.-The fierce which started on the Barbican, E.C., last evening, and which at one time shelved threatened to become the greatest fire London has ever seen, was subdued early this morning. The firemen are still guarding the burned district prevent a renewal of flames. More than fifty firms suffered; the damage is es-

He Will Do It

imated at £200,000.

favoring home rule for Ireland and | 2.5 inches of rain. leploring the action of the British rovernment in proclaiming the land

Thanked For Loyalty. Rome, April 22,-The pope to-day received 5,000 French, Belgian and Italian pilgrims in the Sistine chapel, and thanked them for their demonstration of loyalty to the Roman Catholic Church.

A BEAUTIFUL ALBUM Of Canadian Views to Be Sent to

Cape Town. "Presented to Mr. and Mrs. R. Solomon, by the officers of the R.

This is the inscription on

mense and beautiful album, done in

green leather, to be sent to Mr. Solomon, ex-mayor of Cape Town. The album contains first the photographs of the R. C. F. A. officers who served in South Africa during 1900. Then follow a magnificent series of 'Canadian views, beginning at Halifax, to join the fourth contingent at Haliand continuing on westward through- fax, by the I. C. R., at noon, was the out the whole dominion. There are signal for an enthusiastic outburst on views of Halifax, St. John, Quebec, the part of their friends. The Montreal Montreal, Ottawa, the St. Lawrence officers are Lieut. G. V. Bishop and Rapids, the Thousand Islands, King- second Lieut. E. A. Williams. Sault Ste. Marie, Winnipeg, harvest | mood to-day, under the influence of scenes in the northwest, the Rockies, profit-taking sales. Pacific sold off the Northwest mounted police, New from 1274 to 1234; Toronto rails, on the plains. The majority of the Twin City from 1231 to 123; Domintreal, those of Kingston, being Hen- from 992 to 994; Nova Scotia from derson's. Col. Drury took great pains | 111 to 109; War Eagle mining stock, to secure the very best pictures and for a long time inactive, sold up to the choicest bits of scenery through 28, compared with 10 out Canada, and therefore the album Trading was in fair volume. contains a set of views, the equal of John Torrance, manager of the which has never before been grouped Dominion line, says he knows nothing

the batteries when they camped near | ter. Cape Town, before proceeding to the The fruit cargo of the Fremona, the front. Every day he brought the Can- largest ever brought to Canada, will adian artillery an abundant supply of commence unloading on Friday. ceeded northward he alloted them an extra storehouse for their baggage. Such kindness was warmiv appreciated, and no finer gift could have been selected than the album of views now in Col. Drury's possession, and which will be immediately forwarded to Cape Town. Mr. and Mrs. Solomon are still on their tour around the world, and will not reach home till the end of May. It will be remembered that they touched at Kingston last summer on the steamer Toronto, and were warmly greeted by Col. Drury. and officers and men of the batteries.

MIGHTY LONDON.

The Population Increases 50,000 Every Year.

understood when we come to deal migration, Mr. Dryden pointed out with the many sides of the people's that since the investment was first lives. Every year about 130,000 babies made thousands of farmers had come are born in London, some 5,000 of to Canada from Dakota, while he whom are not wanted, and are not knew of none who had gone from this welcomed. There are always more country to the United States. If the

boys than girls. never live to be two years old; over some one ought to make another. 30,000 little coffins being used every (Cheers.) year to bury their remains. More than "I have done nothing wrong," said 20,000 people die every year in Lon- Mr. Dryden, in conclusion, "and, but, in spite of the fact that about ed of. I have as good a right to own 82,000 Londoners go to their last cattle in the United States as the account, there are 50,000 more per- king has to own a building in New sons alive in London each New Year's | York or Boston, and I intend to day than there were on the previous stand by my right, as may any other

of the Establishment. Strange as it may seem, seeing that we have had more than 2,000 persons married in London, who can neither read nor

It is a common mistake to suppose that everybody who can comes to London, and that its population is increased almost entirely by process. As a matter of fact, close upon 40,000 Londoners leave the metropolis every year for the country or for places abroad

ENGAGED GIRLS BARRED. Not be Trained Nurses.

appears, been discussing the subject, day for Sault Ste, Marie, Ont. Geo. and have come to the conclusion that Lahey has secured a position in Tordamsels who are engaged to be mar-ried should not be admitted as pro- Miss Annie Hawley and her uncle, C. bationers to training schools because, A. Graham, are spending a few days in the opinion of those staid, matter- in Toronto. of-fact persons, they only dally with Denis Daly did not sell the Lahey & lightly into marriage, and thus stand He is running off the stock himself in the way of those who intend to de-

form, with all the attraction it pos- ly commence operations. sesses, for the purpose primarily of working havoc among the hearts of medical students and others, with the view of speedy marriage. An argueven young women who are engaged to be married would derive inestimable advantage from passing a year or two among nurses and learning look favorably on those whom they regard as matrimonial interlopers. So the engaged girl probationer is to be

State Of The Weather. Omaha, Neb., April 22.-The tem-

erature at seven o'clock, was fortyeight degrees against seventy-two degrees yesterday. Temperatures in Western Wyoming, Nebraska and Western Iowa, this morning, were below normal. There was freezing weather in Northwest Nebraska, and parts that Hon. John Costigan intends to of Wyoming. During the night there offer in the house shortly a resolution | was a general precipitation of about St. Paul, April 22.-A cloudy and

threatening sky, this forenoon, gave short discussion, the meeting was ad-promise of rain for this section of journed until next Monday night. o'clock North Dakota points reported a drizzling rain and an excess of moisture, but South Dakota is still

Held In Readiness.

Cairo, Egypt, April 22.-British

GIVEN TO RECRUITS FOR CA-NADIAN CONTINGENT,

Montreal For Halifax-Stock in a Reactionary Mood To-day-Where Prices Went.

Montreal, April 22.-The departure of 130 Ottawa boys, under Capt. Arnold and a couple of Montreal officers, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara, The stock market was in a reacting

Westminster, Vancouver and Indians from 121 to 1193, and back to 1204 photographs are by Notman, of Mon- ion steel, from 69 to 674; steel, pfd,

whatever about the talked of absorp-The officers of the R. C. F. A. take tion of that line into the Morgan this means of showing their heartfelt combine of steamships, neither does thanks to Mr. Solomon for the many his son who has just returned from kindnesses he showed themselves and England, know anything of the mat-

THE DAKOTA INVESTMENT.

What Hon. Mr. Dryden Said At Brooklin, Ont.

Mr. Dryden closed with a reference in Dakota. He said that her late majesty queen Victoria, king Edward. other members of the royal family and Sir Charles Tupper had held invest-ments in the United States and nothing had been said against it. Mr. Foy had said it was particularly wrong for the minister of agriculture to be concerned in such an undertaking. The speaker held that there was nothing wrong in what he had done. He had only made arrangements to ship his cattle there to pasture until they were sold; the grass here would saved in any case. (Laughter.) As to The immensity of London can be the argument that it would hurt iminvestment in a ranch had caused im-More than 400 out of every 1,000 migration to flow in that manner

don work-houses and infirmaries; therefore, have nothing to be ashamcitizen the empire over. How can the There are more than 40,000 wed opposition expect to win with such dings each twelve-month, 30,000 of childish twaddle to present to the elwhich are celebrated in the churches ectors? It is all abuse, small talk and generalities, which mean nothing. So far as we have gone in this campaign compulsory education now for over they have presenteed neither princithirty years, there are every year ples, policy nor men calculated to arouse interest or enthusiasm any-

NAPANEE NEWS.

Telling About the Movements Of People.

Napance, April 22.-Mrs. S. Hinch, and two children, Miss Ethel and Master Wilfrid, left yesterday for Carman, where she joins Mr. Hinch, who went west a couple of weeks ago. Mrs. Storr left yesterday for Alexanficials yesterday raided a house at London Doctors Say They :Should der, where she will spend some time with her son. Mrs. W. McDonald left

nursing until the time comes to trip Co. stock as stated a day or two ago. John Milligan has his building into themselves whole-heartedly to place. John Davy, the veteran house Moreover, doctors and matrons en satisfaction of all concerned. Mr. Milfew of these giddy candidates seek the corner but thinks he will himself erect privilege of wearing a nurse's uni- the brick block and will short-

Origin Of Football.

Where did football originate? Some people give ancient Chester in England, credit for bringing the great is a record of football playing in that date. In the tenth century, it is said. a Dane was captured and beheaded by the citizens. Some one began kicking the head about the streets, others followed, and it was discovered that this formed a new and fascinating spirt. This was repeated whenever possible, but as enemies' heads came scarcer and the entertainment of kicking them more difficult to procure it was at last arranged "for the shoemakers yearly on Shrove Tuesday to deliver to the draper in the presence of the mayor of Chester one ball of leather, called a football, of is evidently a fine precedent for those concerned in the game Vlosing their

was held last evening, and, ofter

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