THE SURGEON'S KNIFE

Mrs. Eckis Stevenson of Salt Lake City Tells How Operations For Ovarian Troubles May Be Avoided.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered with inflammation of the ovaries and womb for over six years, enduring aches and pains which none can dream of but those who have had the same expe-

MRS. ECKIS STEVENSON.

rience. Hundreds of dollars went to the doctor and the druggist. I was simply a walking medicine chest and a physical wreck. My sister residing in Ohio wrote me that she had been cured of womb trouble by using **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**, and advised me to try it. I then discontinued all other medicines and gave your Vegetable Compound a thorough trial. Within four weeks nearly all pain had left me; I rarely had headaches, and my nerves were in a much better condition, and I was cured in three months, and this avoided a terrible surgical operation."—MRS. ECKIS STEVENSON, 250 So. State St., Salt Lake City, Utah.—*$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine.*

Remember every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her symptoms she does not understand. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

THE HAPPY LIBERALS.

Garnish For Solid Meats of Politics.

Toronto Globe.

Premier Ross is evidently in his best form these days. No public man in the dominion knows better how to garnish the solid meats of politics with the watercress and peppermint of fun. In the introductory passages of the Midland meeting he said: "You have sent Mr. Miscampbell to us for a good many years. I do not know whether he did you much good or not. He didn't do us much good—(laughter)—and I may say he didn't do us much harm. (Laughter.) He tried, but then he was helpless in the face of the good sense of the majority of the house. He has thought perhaps you would not elect him again, and he has gone to fairer fields, and I do not think they are going to elect him there from what I can hear. (Cheers.)"

Another jauntily jocular series of sentences were these: "Of course we have been in power for thirty years. That is no fault of ours—(laughter)—you have kept us there, and we were willing to stay, and we are unwilling to go if the majority of the people wish us to remain. We are the most docile government you ever saw—(renewed laughter)—if you want us we will serve you, if you don't want us we don't want to serve." The easy humor of this must be appreciated by friend or foe.

MINISTERS MEET.

Methodist District Meeting Held To-day.

A meeting of the ministerial session of the Kingston district of the Methodist church opened this morning in the Queen street Methodist church. Rev. J. C. Antliff, chairman of the district, presided, and there were present: Revs. J. Philp, S. Shibley, E. Eawson, J. Ferguson, J. Follick, E. Crummy, T. Brown, W. Short, J. H. Philp, I. Wheatley, W. Craig, J. A. Wellwood, J. Cornell, T. C. Meredith, G. C. Wood, W. J. Wood, A. M. Delong, R. F. Oliver, W. F. Perley, T. C. Brown, W. Service, E. S. Shorey, W. Sanderson, T. H. Richards, W. T. Brown and S. Quinn.

The characters of all the clergymen were passed, and some routine business done. The resignation of Mr. Snider, a probationer travelling on the Pittsburg circuit, was accepted, as he desired to go into another denomination. It was resolved that an adjourned district meeting be held at conference to consider the cases of Bros. O'Hara and Brown, who are not able to be present, and other cases that may be referred to it. The meeting adjourned at twelve o'clock to meet again this afternoon.

Westbrook Waftings.

Westbrook, May 20.—A number from here attended the sale at the residence of the late T. Denyes, at Ernesttown, on Tuesday. A little boy has come to stay at the home of James Gates. Wilbert Grass has purchased a fine horse. James Donovan, Three Rivers, Mich., accompanied by his sister, Mrs. J. Greenwood, and Mrs. J. Norris, Kingston, were recent visitors in this vicinity. Willie Howie is ill. Mrs. F. Gates, seriously ill, is slowly recovering. Our school is making great progress under the able management of Miss Hunter. J. R. Smith has purchased a fine carriage. Frank Meagher spent Sunday at his home in Marysville.

"Florodora" To-night.

Isador Rush, for so many years in the support of Roland Reed, is playing the part of "Lady Holyrood" in the "Florodora" that is to be seen to-night at the Grand. The other principals are Maude Lambert, R. Peyton Carter, Sydney Deane, Guelma Baker, Donald Brine, Alf. C. Whelan, and of course the famous double sextette of "pretty maidens" and handsome young men.

Think hard electors before you mark your ballots. Who will help Kingston the most with a liberal government in power?

Pineapples 16c. at Carnovsky's.

SECRET PACT WITH RUSSIA

CHINESE MINISTERS ACCUSED OF DOUBLE DEALING.

Grant Special Privileges — Czar's Government Accorded Right of Deciding Questions Which May Come up in Manchuria.

Victoria, B.C., May 21.—The steamers Glenogle and Shinano Maru arrived to-day from Yokohama and China ports. There exists, according to the correspondent of the Tokyo Asahisco, a secret agreement between the Chinese plenipotentiaries and the Russian minister in Pekin for the grant to Russia of certain privileges in the three eastern provinces which is not stipulated in the Manchurian agreement.

The Asahisco says Russia and China entered into a verbal agreement through their representatives whereby the former obtained a right of deciding alone any question which may arise in Manchuria in the future without giving ear to the voice of the Pekin government.

Despatches from Pekin to Tokyo newspapers say that the Russians were not making any preparations to withdraw from Manchuria, although it is stipulated in the Manchurian treaty that they will do so in the course of eighteen months.

Further details were received of the rebellion in Kwang Si, where the rebels are still gaining and hold scores of towns. They had been plundering steamers on the West river until all traffic was stopped. The troops lost heavily in engagements with the rebels, and the viceroy on one occasion had a narrow escape, his carriage being riddled with bullets.

The rebels are committing wholesale massacres, killing all who do not subscribe to their demands and swear allegiance to their flag. There has been heavy slaughter at some points. Over 1,000 men, women and children were indiscriminately killed at Chun Shan Hui and Yat To Shi.

The rebels were engaged in besieging Nan Ning at last reports, which place was making a desperate resistance. One of the rebel joints in Canton was raided by the authorities, and six mandarins, who were sealing brotherhood with the rebels by "mixing blood," were captured and executed. Documents which aimed at the massacre of Manchu officials were found on them.

THIS IS NERVE.

Displayed by Canadians at Hart's River Battle.

Ottawa Journal.

The most phenomenal case of nerve ever known on the American continent is reported from Wichita. A rug pedlar called several times at a house and found the people away from home. At last he wrote and pinned this note on the door: "Madam—Kindly remain at home to-morrow forenoon, I want to sell you a rug."—Kansas City Journal.

That is all very well for a joke, as it probably is. Yet joke or no joke, it is discounted by the idea of one of those boys whom Canada has been letting loose on Africa. In a letter telling of the fight at Little Hart river, private Walter Buchanan, an Ottawa lad in the Canadian mounted rifles says:

"We were attacked very suddenly. We had just got our horses tied down when fifteen-pound shells began to drop round us. We all picked up our rifles and ran to the outside of our camp, which was devoid of any shelter, and we were at once subjected to an awful shell and rifle cross-fire coming in on us from all points of a circle, the Boers, having surrounded us. We waited until they closed in within close range, and then let them have it. We certainly did good execution, for the enemy began to fall back, our fire being too hot to face.

"I then pulled out my harmonica and played 'The Maple Leaf Forever.' The boys all joined in with the song and poured in another deadly fire on the retreating Boers."

This was equivalent to posting up a notice to the Boers, in the alleged Wichita style, as follows:

"Dear Sirs,—Kindly keep on shooting for a while. I want to play you our Canadian music."

If any of the Journal's readers think they know where this can be beaten in the annals of war or peace or Kansas, we would like to hear of the case. If private Buchanan's effort does not fill the bill for the Victoria Cross, it is the fault of the conditions of the cross.

One element of trouble possibly has mingled in South Africa with the memory of this remarkable instrumental performance. As all reports of the fight tends to indicate that most of private Buchanan's comrades as much much nerve as himself. We fear that some of them may have since taken the liberty of suggesting to him that the Boers made off, not from the Canadian bullets, but from Buchanan's music. We suppose there is no keeping these C.M.R. fellows quiet.

Blanche Walsh—Thursday.

Miss Blanche Walsh and a large supporting company will present at the Grand, on Thursday, an entirely new emotional drama entitled "La Madeleine." The author is a New York newspaper man, long resident in Paris. Mr. Dam is said to have given Miss Walsh in the title role of his play a character quite worthy of her great talents.

What To Call It.

Alderman Walkem is having sleepless nights. He is puzzling his brain to find a suitable name for the city park fountain. We suggest that it be called "Whitney Memorial," to commemorate the engulfing of the Ontario tory leader on May 23th, 1902, and to be a warning to others.

Received An Appointment.

The friends of E. J. Northmore, V.S., who sailed from Halifax for South Africa, on May 17th, will be glad to hear that he has received the appointment of second veterinary in the sixth regiment, C.M.R.

At Abernethy's.

Ten per cent. off all boots, shoes, trunks and valises, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

CHILDREN OF THE THRONE.

Alfonso XIII One of Many to Wear a Crown.

Alfonso XIII of Spain, when he takes the oath of allegiance to the constitution, will be the only unmarried king in Europe and the youngest king in the world.

The south-western peninsula of the continent of Europe has produced its full quota of the potentates in pinafores who have helped to rule the world. In the last sixty-nine years, counting Alfonso in the ranks of the interesting little company, Spain and Portugal between them have seen two queens in tiny short dresses and two kings in Eton jackets.

Modern history numbers thirty-six such small monarchs, Brazil, Greece, France, England, Scotland, Sweden and Austria each contributing to the total of twenty-five royal girls, most of whom lived unhappy lives, and many of whom met untimely or violent deaths.

Alfonso's own grandmother, Isabella II, was one of those into whose life came much sorrow. She came to the throne when a child of three and actually took up the reins of government ten years later.

Her troubles then began, to be steadily continued throughout her life. First her mother, Maria Cristina, tried to force her to marry a man she did not love. Then the enmity of her mother made trouble for her after the little queen had been wedded to her cousin Francisco de Assisi. Then there was an uprising of the populace against Maria, which drove her into France, and then, a dozen years later, a similar outbreak of the mercurial Spanish temper forced Isabella herself to follow her mother. She abdicated two years later in favor of her son, Alfonso XII, the father of the present king.

In the meantime, across the line in Portugal, queen Maria, whose father, Dom Pedro IV, had given her the throne when she was but a slip of a child not yet seven, was trying against an ill-affected people and a hostile ministry to hold the power for herself, while over in Brazil her brother, Pedro, one of the most charming of young men, was doing his childish best to satisfy the demands of a rebellious people.

Maria of Portugal died of discouragement, it is said. Pedro of Brazil, driven from his kingdom, died of a broken heart.

When, in 1833, Isabella was queen of Spain, at the age of three, and Maria was queen of Portugal, at the age of seven, and Pedro was emperor of Brazil at the mature age of eight, Greece was in the rule of a boy not yet out of his teens, prince Otho of Bavaria. He sat on the throne at Athens during twenty-nine years of almost constant disaffection and turbulence, and then, in 1862, was expelled, only to be succeeded by another young man of eighteen, prince George of Denmark, brother of queen Alexandra of England.

England has entered upon her chronicles the names of ten child monarchs, the latest of whom was Victoria herself, who was but eighteen on that historic June night when she was awakened from her sleep in the palace at Kensington to hear that the king was dead and that the queen ruled.

Henry III came to the English throne when he was ten, Edward III when he was fifteen, and Richard II when he was eleven. Two of the kings in whose reigns the island was rent and torn by the wars of the Roses, Henry VI and Edward IV, began their ruling when little more than mere boys; Edward IV at twenty, and Henry VI when scarcely eight.

The next Edward never lived even to be crowned, for Edward V, rightfully succeeding to the throne when thirteen, spent the twelve weeks of his mockery of a reign as the prisoner of his uncle of Gloucester in the tower of London, where he was murdered.

Henry VIII began his reign when eighteen, and when the throne descended to his son, Edward VI, that boy was in his tenth year; he died before he was sixteen. Lady Jane Grey was England's queen for just eleven months, which measured for her forty-five weeks of plots and counterplots, strife and suspicion, ending in her execution before her nineteenth birthday.

Five of the seven potentates in pinafores who sat upon the ancient stone of Scone in the neighboring kingdom of Scotland met untimely deaths. James I, who began to rule when twelve, was murdered when forty-three, and his son, James II, was accidentally killed when thirty, having worn the crown of his father twenty-three years.

The third James, coming to the throne at the age of nine, was murdered when forty-five; the fourth, who began to rule when fifteen, was slain in battle when forty-one; the fifth, only sixteen months when his little head was first weighed down by the crown, was dead at thirty, while James VI, under whom the two kingdoms were at last united, was the only one of all the line of whom it may be said that he lived out the natural span of life. He came to the throne when only a month more than one year old, and died when fifty-nine.

His mother, the ill-fated Mary Queen of Scots, found in her portion all the sorrow that has come to be associated with the lives of infant monarchs. She was crowned eight days after her birth; she was a widow at eighteen.

When twenty-three she married Darnley, Bothwell when twenty-five, and through all these years her hopes were constantly disappointed and her plans turned to naught. Forced to abdicate the throne that was hers by right, she was beheaded in the end.

On the continent eight kings have assumed the reins of government when only boys. The present emperor of Austria was eighteen when, in 1848, he was proclaimed. Charles XII of Sweden was fifteen, Louis IX of France eleven, Louis XIII nine, Louis XIV and Louis XV each five. Louis XVI was sixteen when he began the reign that was to end in deposition and death on the scaffold; Louis XVII, who became rightful king when eight years old, was dead two years later.

On the other hand, Louis XIV wore the diadem of France royally for seventy-two years, the longest reign in history.

To this company of boy rulers Alfonso XIII of Spain is now to be added.

Cashmere socks, 25c. Bibby's.

A SANITORIUM BURNED.

MRS. M. L. GODDARD BURNED TO DEATH.

The Other Inmates Escape — A Heavy Loss — A Prominent Montreal Merchant Dead — Corea's Ambassador Arrives.

Montreal, May 21.—The Laurentian sanitorium at Ste. Agate Des Monts, in the Laurentian mountains, north of this city, was destroyed by fire this morning, resulting in the death of Mrs. Malvina L. Goddard. The institution was the leading place in the province of tuberculosis patients, and Mrs. Goddard was there with her daughter, Mrs. J. Bruce Payne, Granby, who was under treatment. All the other patients, numbering seventeen, escaped, and were cared for in hotels and houses in the village. The building was destroyed, causing a loss of $15,000; insurance $10,000.

John Cassils, of the firm of Shaw Bros. & Cassils, leather merchants, died this morning of heart disease at his home, having been taken ill only yesterday. He was in the prime of life, and was one of the best known merchants of the city. Besides the larger mercantile houses with which he was connected, the affairs of a number of industrial companies absorbed a large amount of his spare attention. He was vice-president of the merchants bank of Canada, president of the Dominion express company, vice-president of the Laurentide pulp company, and a director of the Guarantee company of North America.

The ambassador of Corea to the coronation of king Edward arrived in the city from the Orient this a.m., and will remain here until Saturday, when he sails by the Tunisian for Liverpool.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters on Their Rounds.

Sweet Valencia oranges are only 20c. a dozen at Carnovsky's.

Chief McGowan, of the Smith's Falls police force, has been dismissed.

The indications are that West Durham will return to the liberal ranks.

Fine sweet juicy oranges, only 15c. a dozen—Jumbo sweets, 25c. a dozen. W. J. Crothers.

E. L. Godkin, formerly editor of the New York Evening Post, died last night in England.

Chicago's population this year, by the city directory census, will approximate 2,149,000.

The nominations occur to-morrow in the city hall. The electors should hear the candidates.

The number of United States troops coming to Kingston next Sunday evening will total 300.

President Roosevelt addressed the Presbyterian assembly at New York in the interests of home missions.

R. S. Bell, until 1898 editor of the Belleville Intelligencer, left to-day for Chicago, where he will manage the Chicagoan.

The civic property committee was called to meet this afternoon at four o'clock, and the board of works at four p.m. to-morrow.

Mrs. Stephen Garratt, Belleville, died on Monday, leaving a husband and four children. She was always very active in charitable work.

The English steamer Abbotsford, to-day, landed eighteen of the crew of the French schooner Liane. The Liane was wrecked in the North sea.

Members of St. Mary's cathedral are responding liberally to a fund for the renovation of that magnificent edifice. Over $25,000 will be raised.

James Johnston, University avenue, in the hospital for some time suffering with rheumatism, has improved sufficiently in health to be removed to his home.

D. P. Brannigan, stage manager of the Grand opera house, arranged the settings at the city hall entertainment last night. Scenery from the Victoria theatre was used.

We can collar you 2 for ¼ at Bibby's. Oak Hall.

Mrs. Hudgin, relict of the late Capt. Lewis Hudgin—for many years lightkeeper at Salmon point—died on Sunday at Cherry Valley, aged eighty-seven years, highly respected.

Mrs. J. D. Thompson, Colborne street, has returned from Regina, N.W.T., where she paid an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. Pettigrew, wife of a prosperous druggist and stationer of that place.

The court of appeals, under the manhood suffrage act, met in the police court room this morning. A couple of appeals were allowed, and a few more were struck off. The court sat again this afternoon.

George Sullivan received miserable support from the Providence team yesterday, and, though he allowed only six hits, Montreal won by 8 to 3. Providence made ten errors, which gave Montreal the match.

These officers of the 47th regiment will be recommended to have conferred upon them the colonial auxiliary forces officers' decorations: Quartermaster and honorary major G. Thompson; captains, C. S. Irvine and A. Shart.

Because the head chief at Guthrie, Okla., refused to sign the land deeds issued by the Dawes commission, great dissatisfaction exists among the freed men and mixed bloods of the Creek Nation and civil war is imminent.

Rev. W. T. G. Brown, attending college in Toronto, is seriously ill in a hospital in that city. He will be remembered as the eloquent young clergyman who lately filled the pulpit of the Princess street Methodist church.

To-morrow will be nomination day, and there ought to be a good attendance of liberals at all the nomination meetings. The liberal party never had a better set of candidates in the field in a provincial election, and they deserve all the encouragement their supporters can give them.

With the completion of the Marconi wireless station at Sagaponack, L.I., next Saturday, it is expected that ships will be in constant communication with New York from the time that they are picked up by the Nantucket station. The Sagaponack station is built in Nantucket.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Ten per cent. off boots, shoes, trunks and valises at Abernethy's.

PRODUCE AND PRICES.

The Standard Rates — Governing The Local Markets.

Kingston, May 20.—The revised quotations of the local produce markets are:

Meat—Beef, hindquarters, 8c. to 9c. a lb.; forequarters, 5c. to 6c. a lb.; choice cuts, 15c. a lb.; western beef, 7c. to 15c. a lb.; mutton, 6c. to 7c. a lb.; yearling lamb, by the carcase, 9c. to 10c. a lb.; forequarters, 10c. a lb.; hindquarters, 10c. to 13c. a lb.; hogs, live weight, 5c. a lb.; dressed, 7c. to 8c. a lb.; veal, by the carcase, 6c. a lb.; tongues, 35c. each.

Fish—White fish, 12c. a lb.; brook salmon, 25c. a lb.; Seattle salmon, 25c. a lb.; salt salmon, salt trout, salt mackerel and smoked ciscoes, 10c. a lb.; salt codfish, 7c. to 15c. a lb.; kippered herring, 30c. a dozen; lobsters, 10c. to 15c. each; perch, 20c. a dozen; Spanish mackerel, 15c. a lb.; bull heads, 10c. a lb.; pike, 6c. a lb.; smelts, 10c. a lb.; halibut, 15c. a lb.; bloaters, 20c. a dozen; finnan haddie, 10c. a lb.; salmon trout, 12c. a lb.; shad, 12c. a lb.; blue fish, 12½c. a lb.

Poultry—Chickens and fowl, 60c. to 85c. a pair; turkeys $1 to $1.50 each.

Vegetables—Potatoes, 90c. to $1 a bag; turnips, 40c. to 50c. a bag; beets, 50c. a bushel; celery, 5c. to 10c. bunch; cabbage, 3c. to 6c. a head; lettuce, 5c. a bunch; radishes, 5c. a bunch; green onions, 5c. a bunch; rhubarb, 5c. a bunch.

Grain.—Wheat, Manitoba, No. 1, 75c. to 77c. a bushel; white winter and Canadian spring 65c. to 72c. a bushel; local soft wheat, 65c. a bushel; Northern No. 1, 75c. to 77c. a bushel; buckwheat, 50c. a bushel; barley, 45c. to 50c. a bushel; peas, 72c. a bushel; oats, 43c. a bushel; rye, 25c. a bushel.

Flour and feed—Bakers' strong and farmers' flour, $2 to $2.10 a cwt.; Hungarian patent, $2.20 to $2.30 a cwt.; oatmeal and rolled oats, $4 to $5.50 a bbl.; corn meal, $1.40 to $1.60 a cwt.; bran, $22 a ton; shorts, $23 to $25 a ton; hay, $9.50 to $10.50 a ton; straw, $5 to $7 a ton.

Fruit—Bananas, 20c. to 25c. a doz.; lemons, 20c. to 25c. a doz.; apples, $5 a bbl.; Valencia oranges, 25c. a doz.; Lorrento oranges, 30c. a doz.; Jamaica oranges, 30c. a doz.; strawberries, 15c. to 25c. a box; cranberries, 12½c. to 15c. a quart.

Hides—These prices are given by John McKay, Brock street; Dekin skins, 60c. to 65c. each; deer skins, 10c. a lb.; beef hides, No. 1, 6c. a lb.; beef hides, No. 2, 5c. a lb.; horse hides, $2 to $2.25 each; rendered tallow, 5c. a lb.; unwashed wool, 8c. a lb.; washed wool, 13c. a lb.

Dairy Wholesale.

Butter—Creamery, 22c. to 23c. a lb.; farmers', prints, 18c. to 20c. a lb.; in rolls, 17c. to 18c. a lb.; baking butter, 14½c. a lb.

Cheese—11c. a lb.

Dairy Retail.

Butter—Creamery, 25c. a lb.; farmers', in prints, 20c. a lb., in rolls, 18c. to 20c. a lb.

Cheese—12½c. to 15c. a lb.

Eggs.

Wholesale—Fresh, 12c. to 12½c. a dozen.

Retail—Fresh, 15c. a dozen.

Markets Elsewhere.

Toronto, May 19.—Wheat, white, 75c. to 80c. per bush.; wheat, red, 75c. to 79c. per bush.; wheat, spring, 72c. to 74c. per bush.; wheat, goose, 68c. to 68½c. per bush.; oats, 47½c. per bush.; barley, 54c. to 55c. per bush.; peas, 84c. per bush.; rye, 59½c. per bush.; hay, timothy, $12 to $13 per ton; straw, $8 to $9 per ton; dressed hogs, $9.25 to $9.60; butter, in pound rolls, 16c. to 18c.; butter, creamery, 18c. to 22c. per lb.; chickens, 75c. to $1 per pair; turkeys, 12½c. to 15c. per lb.; ducks, per pair, 85c. to $1.10; eggs, new laid, 13c. to 14c. per dozen; apples, per bbl., $4 to $6; potatoes, per bag, 80c. to 90c.; turnips, per bag, 30c.; carrots, per bag, 45c. to 50c.; beets, per bag, 50c. to 60c.; onions, per bag, 90c. to $1; parsnips, per bag, 40c. to 90c.; cabbage, new, 60c. to $1 per dozen; beef, forequarters, $6 to $7; beef, hindquarters, $9.50 to $10.50; beef, medium, carcase, $6.50 to $7.50; beef, choice, $8.50 to $9; lamb, $10 to $12; mutton, $8 to $9; veal, choice, $8 to $9.

Montreal, May 19.—There were about 600 head of butchers' cattle, 700 calves and 250 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End abattoir to-day. The butchers were out in large numbers and trade was good with slightly lower price for common to medium cattle, but the best cattle brought firm rates, owing to the demand for shipments to Britain. Prime beeves sold at from 5¾c. to 6¼c. per lb.; pretty good cattle from 4¾c. to 5¼c., and the common stock from 3½c. to 4½c. per lb. Three of the best calves were sold for $30, the others brought from $1.50 to $8 each. Shippers paid 4c. per lb. for good large sheep and the butchers paid from 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb. for the others. Yearlings sold at from 4c. to 4½c. per lb. Lambs sold at from $2.50 to $4.50 each. Fat hogs sold at from 7c. to 7½c. per lb., weighed off the cars.

Quite A Scheme.

When his wife died, the late J. Sterling Morton had erected over her grave a tombstone bearing the inscription: "Caroline French, wife of J. Sterling Morton and mother of Joy, Paul, Carl and Mark Morton." "Why did you put the boys' names in?" inquired a friend of him one day. "I took my boys out to the cemetery," said Mr. Morton, "and showed them their mother's grave. 'Boys,' I said, 'your mother is buried here. If one of you does anything dishonorable or anything of which she would be ashamed if she were alive, I will chisel your name from her tombstone.'"

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LUCAS COUNTY.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

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COMMERCIAL.

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Montreal, May 21.—Flour receipts, 600 bbls.; patent winter, $3.80 to $4.00; patent spring, $4 to $4.20; straight roller, $3.50 to $3.60; strong bakers, $3.60 to $3.80; Ontario bags, $1.60 to $1.70; wheat, No. 2 Manitoba hard, 80c. to 82c.; corn, 69c. to 71c.; peas, 87c. to 89c.; oats, 47c. to 48c.; barley, 60c. to 62c.; rye, 62c. to 64c.; buckwheat, 66c. to 68c.; oatmeal, $2.20 to $2.30; cornmeal, $1.40 to $1.50; pork, $21 to $22; lard, 8c. to 9c.; bacon, 14c. to 15c.; hams, 13c. to 14c.; cheese, 10c. to 12c.; butter, townships, 19c. to 20c.; western, 16c. to 17c.; eggs, 11c. to 13c.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

	May 21st. Sellers.	Buyers.
Canadian Pacific	133	133¾
Duluth, Com.	18¼	00
Montreal Street Ry.	271	268
Toronto Street Ry.	122	120¾
Halifax Street Ry.	105	100
Twin City Transit Ry.	118¾	118¼
Richelieu & Ontario	113	111¾
Commercial Cable	164	161
Montreal Telegraph	172	168
Dom. Iron & Steel, Com.	56¼	56
Dom. Iron & Steel, Pfd.	100	95
Montreal L., L. & T.	101½	101
Montreal Cotton	128½	128¼
Dominion Cotton	60½	60
Virtue Mine	9	8
Dominion Coal, Com.	136	135¾
Montreal Bank	262	259
Molsons Bank	210	206
Toronto Bank	000	140
Merchants Bank	800	145
Royal Electric Company	180	000
Quebec Bank	000	117
Union Bank	000	123

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

	Open. May	Close. 21st.
Union Pacific	104¼	104½
St. Paul	168¼	169
Manhattan	132	132¼
B. R. Transit	65¾	66¼
Sugar	128¼	128
People's Gas	102	102¼
U. S. Steel	40¼	40¼
U. S. Steel, Pfd.	90¾	90¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	63¼	63¼
Miss. Pacific	99¾	99¾
Southern Pacific	64¾	64¾
Ontario & Western	32¾	33¼
Western Union	90¾	91¾
Erie	36¾	37¼
Reading	63¼	63¼
N. Y. C.	155¼	156¼
Wabash	43¼	43¼
Rock Island	171	172¼
Louis & Nash.	140¼	140
Pennsylvania RR.	149¼	149¾
Texas & Pacific	40¼	40¾
Atchison	78¾	79
Am. Ice	18¼	18¼
Baltimore	106¼	106¾
Col. I & F.	98¾	99
American Loco.	30¾	31¼
Amal. Copper	69	70¼

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