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#### CLARK W. WRIGHT, City Agent, Kingston, Ont.

#### GOES TO MAURITIUS.

Governor of Newfoundland Pro-  
moted.

St. John's, Nfld., March 22.—Sir  
Cavendish Boyle, governor of New-  
foundland, has been promoted to the  
governorship of Mauritius. This is one  
of the most important of the British  
colonial governorships, and carries a  
salary of \$25,000 a year, as against  
\$10,000 paid to the governor of New-  
foundland. The promotion is due to  
Sir Cavendish Boyle's tactful hand-  
ling of French shore matters during  
his incumbency of the present post.  
He will leave early in May.

### THE CANADIANS

#### ON THE STAGE KNOWN TO "CITIZEN" BEARD

Clara Morris, The Great Actress,  
Was Born in The City of To-  
ronto, He Says.  
Toronto World.

"Canada has furnished the Ameri-  
can stage with some of its brightest  
and most finished actresses," said  
"Citizen" Beard, as he sat in a cosy  
corner of the King Edward hotel the  
other night, "and has also contrib-  
uted its quota of the vocalists and  
instrumentalists now appearing be-  
fore the public on the concert plat-  
form. Let me tell you one or two  
things about several of the foremost  
women on the stage or just retired."  
"Did you know Clara Morris, the  
greatest emotional actress of her  
time, was a native of Toronto, and  
that she graduated from the back  
row of the ballet, and before retiring,  
was the creator of numerous roles,  
and that in her day the foremost  
critics of the world wrote of her 'Ca-  
mille' as being remarkable in its con-  
ception and execution, and did you  
know that Louis Brander, the bright-  
est vaudeville artist of two continents,  
often referred to in the legitimate as  
the 'ideal Ophelia,' was born in Mon-  
treal, and received her education in a  
convent at Lachine?" Well such is  
the case. There are others of equal  
prominence. Clara Morris, of course,  
was the most finished actress, though  
Margaret Anglin, who was born in  
Toronto and educated in Montreal at  
the convent of the Sacred Heart, is  
rapidly convincing her admirers, and  
the theatre-goers in general, that her  
fame as an artist will one day eclipse  
that of any actress now on the stage.  
Miss Anglin first made her appearance  
in 'Shenandoah.' That's nearly ten  
years ago. Then, in 1896, she was  
the Roxane in 'Cyrano de Bergerac,'  
giving every evidence of a great fu-  
ture. In her tour of Canada and  
United States with James O'Neill, she  
gathered fresh laurels, which she has  
added to since joining the Empire  
Theatre company.

"Then there's the Viola Allen, not a  
Canadian born, but her childhood  
was spent in Toronto, where she re-  
ceived her early training. Miss Allen,  
you will remember, was the first  
Glory Quagly in 'The Christian,'  
which, five years ago, had such a  
vogue. She was first heard as lead-  
ing woman to the lamented John Mc-  
Cullough, afterwards playing with  
Selvini, Joe Jefferson and Billy  
Florence. To-day she is in the first  
rank of actresses and has won fame  
on both sides of the Atlantic.

Julia Arthur, who was born at  
Hamilton, is another striking exam-  
ple of what a determined woman can do.  
She made her first appearance with  
an amateur dramatic club at eleven  
years of age, and three years later  
appeared with Daniel Bandman, after  
scoring a personal triumph at Rou-  
mond in 'A Pecked,' though her  
greatest hit was 'A Lady of Quality.'  
It is said of her that she has no rival  
so endowed with a Juliet nature,  
and another writer spoke of her as  
while another writer spoke of her as  
the Sarah Bernhardt of the Ameri-



THE RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS AT PORT ARTHUR.

can stage. Miss Arthur, who in pri-  
vate life is Mrs. B. P. Cheney, and re-  
tired from the stage and is a resi-  
dent of Boston.

"Beautiful Caroline Miskolczi, wife of  
Charles H. Hoyt, the dramatist, was  
born in old Kentucky, but Toronto  
was her home from her childhood until  
she joined Augustin Daly's forces in  
her eighteenth year. Mrs. Hoyt was  
one of the most beautiful women on  
the stage, and in 'A Contented Man,'  
which was written for her by  
Mr. Hoyt, she made a pronounced  
Poor Little Caroline did when her fu-  
ture was assured.

"Of course you knew that Margaret  
Mather, who made her stellar debut as  
Juliet, in McVicker's theatre, Chic-  
ago, was born at Tilbury, Ont., and  
that when she died five years ago her  
funeral shroud was the costume of the  
master's heroine, Imogene, in 'Cymbel-  
ine,' was considered one of the  
strongest character studies.  
"Ethel Knight Mollison, a native of  
St. John, N.B., is now touring Aus-  
tralia. Miss Mollison made her debut  
nine years ago, with Olga Netherland,  
and she was ingenue to Ada Bohan.  
Julia Arthur and Henrietta Crossman,  
appearing also with Richard Mansfield  
in 'The First Violin,' in a number of  
stock companies as leading lady.

"Charlotte Nickerson, who is to her  
friends Mrs. Daniel Morrison, is now  
living in retirement, I understand, in  
Toronto. She was a bright actress in  
her day, winning the title of La Jeune  
Quebecoise during her sixty night in

Toronto boy, is considered the finest  
light opera baritone singer, on the  
American stage, and Jack is a Broad-  
way matinee idol. Many Toronto boys  
are managers of some of the largest  
theatres in New York and Chicago,  
and especially Toronto, is well rep-  
resented in the theatrical profession."  
Mr. Beard was asked to say some-  
thing about himself, but he declined.  
However, Mr. Beard is so well known  
in Toronto in business and musical  
circles that his rapid rise to the posi-  
tion of business representative of the  
Augustin Daly Musical company, the  
strongest and oldest theatrical firm  
in America, speaks well for the busi-  
ness ability of this young man. In  
speaking of the new musical comedy  
'Sunny Ceylon,' that was put on at  
Daly's theatre, London, at a cost of  
seventy thousand dollars, last Satur-  
day, Mr. Beard said it surpassed all  
musical shows ever seen in London  
and would be reproduced at Daly's  
theatre, New York, the early part of  
next season, after which it will be  
seen in Toronto for perhaps two or  
three weeks. "As for 'A Country Girl,'  
it will last for some time to come. It  
is now in its second year in this  
country, and we have not yet covered  
half the territory. But I am tired now  
and must bid you good-night."

#### An Historic Document.

The keeper of the records in the  
state department at Ottawa has un-  
earthed a letter written by the Duke  
of Wellington to Lord Bathurst, dated  
London, December 6th, 1825. The  
Duke forwards the recommendation  
of a committee of engineers ap-  
pointed to report upon the defence of  
British North America, and in doing  
so calls on his lordship to observe  
that it is impossible for his majesty's  
government to withdraw from those  
necessities of establishing military works  
at Quebec, Halifax, Montreal, Kingston  
and Niagara, and the maintenance of  
naval posts on the upper lakes in or-  
der to secure his majesty's dominions  
in North America against any attempt  
upon them by the United States.

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thus allow them to purify the blood,  
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entire system. Each box contains two  
weeks' treatment, 25c. at Wad's.

#### One Of Nature's Freaks.

A cow, belonging to George Lan-  
nin, South Mountain, Ont., recently  
gave birth to a curious freak of na-  
ture. Its hind quarters, shoulders,  
legs, and tail were similar to those of  
a pig. The neck was three times the  
size it should have been. Not a single  
hair was to be found on its body, ex-  
cept a tuft around the mouth. Where  
its nose should have been there was a  
small tuft. Its whole head resembled  
that of a rhinoceros.

Mrs. Dancy Brown, whose home was  
in Foxboro, died Sunday, aged sev-  
enty-four years.  
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#### MERE GIGGLING GIRLS.

Professor Shows Supreme Disgust  
For Class.

University of California, March 22.—  
Prof. Charles Mills Gayley, head of  
the English department, who has been  
gaining prominence recently on ac-  
count of his pronounced stand against  
co-education, has taken his poetry  
class of 100 young women severely to  
task. The professor said: "If God  
Almighty or the Angel Gabriel wrote  
a poem it would not interest you. You  
are nothing but giggling girls. Had  
of you ought to be made to pay tu-  
ition. Class dismissed."

Prof. Gayley was trying to tell the  
class about the glories of some new  
poetry, but they were apparently not  
interested. When Prof. Gayley had  
delivered his admonition he tossed his  
books into a hand grip and left the  
class room.

#### NOT ACADEMIC QUESTION.

Keep Anti-Home Rule Government  
Out.

Manchester, March 22.—John Ed-  
mond, the leader of the Irish party,  
addressing an Irish demonstration,  
said that the first business of the par-  
ty was to strike down the present gov-  
ernment and then to see that no gov-  
ernment was put into office which  
would not grant home rule to Ireland.  
He said it was ridiculous for liberals  
like Herbert H. Asquith to call home  
rule an "academic question."

Capt. David Mulligan, died in Pen-  
brooke last week, from the effects of  
paralytic stroke. He was eighty-two  
and known and loved by all.  
James Cronk, a well-known Trenton  
man, died on Friday, after a brief  
illness from inflammation.

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