The Standard of the British Navy to Be Maintained.

Garrisons Abroad Will Be Reduced Wherever Possible---Demand to Be Made on

of \$3,000,000, without apparently any templated." hope of any considerable diminution | The army estimates for 1908-9 total ing given to Yale and Harvard. in the future. Lord Tweedmouth, first \$154,185,120 against \$155,211,830 last lord of the admiralty, explains out- year, and the war secretary estimates right that the future programme of for a total of 185,000 men in the home Great Britain will depend on whether and colonial establishments, irrespec- The foreign powers increase their naval tive of India, a decrease of 5,000 men forces, since the government has every from last year. The navy estimates intention of maintaining the standard are \$161,597,500, against \$157,087,500 of the British navy, which hitherto for 1907-8 and provide for exactly the has been deemed necessary for the same number of officers as last year. safeguarding of national and imperial The agitation for economy has had interests. The war secretary, Mr. Hal- some effect on the shipbuilding prodane, in a similar statement regard- gramme which contemplate only one ing the army, says: "Looking to the improved warship of the Dreadnaught future I am convinced that it is im- type instead of the three expected. possible to make further diminutions | The government proposes to build one in the army expenditure on a con- large armoured cruiser, six fast prosiderable scale unless we, first of all, tected cruisers, sixteen torpedo boat reduce the number of troops serving destroyers, and some submarines. The abroad." "Garrisons abroad," says number of the last mentioned is not Haldane, "will be reduced whenever given, but they are estimated to cost that can be safely done, but if re- \$2,500,000.

Fallen Russian General

THE SENTENCE OF STOESSEL. received, to-day, the Japanese leader said: "As a soldier I deeply sympa-Expresses Sympathy For the thize with Gen. Stoessel. I cannot

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 25 .- Gen. Nogi, commander of the forces that "Three Swallows." Sir John Power & Sons, "Three Swallows" Irish Whiskey, Famous for over a century, had been convicted and sentenced to Distillers to His Majesty the King. death for his conduct of the defence

bear to state my views.'

of Port Arthur, the Cincinnati Times-Representatives of the employers Star sent a cablegram to Gen. Nogi. and strikers reached a provisional tative Charles N. F vier, of New Jer- 1. For sanitary reasons. Time and stating the fact, and asking for a agreement looking to the settlement statement of his views. In a reply, of the shipbuilding strike on the Tyne.

captured Port Arthur, expressed sympathy for his defeated enemy in a brief cablegram received here. On the receipt of the news that Gen. Stoessel Of highest standard of purity,

Prospectors Strike Bed 200 Feet Deep, and 300 Miles Long.

Fort Murray. Prospectors were bor- ists. The news he says has created ing for oil when they came on a bed great excitement in Edmonton. The of salt two hundred feet in depth. land is unsettled, and Mr. Birdwood. Three hundred miles away other bor- says if the proposed railway from ings were being made and they found | Hudson's Bay to the Pacific is built, salt. It is the same bed. This was Canada can supply the world with the statement of W. R. Birdwood, salt.

Montreal, Feb. 25.—The largest salt, who is on his way from Edmonton to and banking defeated his democratic also the difficulty of getting rid of the world has been found near London to interview British capital opponent by only a few hundred votes.

In these days of gas ranges there is also the difficulty of getting rid of the control opponent by only a few hundred votes.

The entrance examination as a line aimed at, bringing to the doors of the rural residence of the rural re

BROAD BACK.

Catch Her Horns.

fact remains.

Hits Her Sliding

Her Haunches-Front Runners

Port Jervis, N.Y., Feb. 25.-Three

girls and three young men coasted to-

Centre, Sullivan county, says neither

suit will stand for the law does not

take enguizance of what he calls "bo-

nor could the sled, of course.

vine interposition:"

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Wilbor Stock Co., Grand Opera House City Property Committee, 4 p.m. Wonderland Theatre-Afternoon and SIX, COAST ON A COW'S evening ; good vaudeville. Independent Labor Party, Branch No. 1, meets, Labor Hall, 8 p.m. Princess Theatre-Pictures: 'Rasulie, the Brigand Chief." "Satan in Prison." Sled

Ginty's Trousers." Song : "Tying the Bijou Theatre ! Moving Pictures, "Discharging the Maid," 'Hardships of a Little Hero." Illustrated Songs, (2 at every performance) 'In The Deep Let gether down a quarter of a mile hill Me Sleep." by John Robert Davis : gether down a quarter of a mile hill

The Clown's Honeymoon." and "Mc

WHIG TELEPHONES, 243—Business Office. 229—Editorial Rooms. 22-Jobbing Department. Legal Forms, all kinds, at Whig. The Daily Whig is always on sale at rible friction; her other front hoof was theon's Drug Store, Market Square split and she was shot to end her sufon till late each evening.



MODERN

TWO MONTHS' SALE Furniture, Stoves, Carpets, and sekery. All good clean and cheap.

Great Odds And Ends Sale. Thursday and Friday, Wilkinson's the church bells had reminded him of Apart from the diplomatic status city council committee. ... "George Washington Toffe of the party, and the fact that Mr. "George Washington Toffe old stand, Wellington street.

-Rink Got All But \$200.

A \$4,500 HOCKEY.

RE-ELECTED SIX TIMES

Congressman Active.



CONGRESSMAN C. N. FOWLER. session of the congress than Represen- law in force congress and one that is much the op-

posite in theory of the Aldrich bill 2. For labor-saving reasons. Many which has been introduced in the Un- a housekeeper with inefficient help, or Fowler, who is fifty-six years of age, try as often as she would like because has been re-elected to congress six times. He is a republican and at the fowl for cookinglast election this authority on banks

THAW MAY STAY THERE.

For Asylum.

ife in an asylum for the insane, drawn. intervene to secure his freedom.

DECEIT AND FRAUD Receipts For Yale-Harvard Game Being Used to Win the Hearts

Charitable. New York, Feb. 25 .- The result of The charitably disposed are urged to great surprise to the followers of the practised upon them by so-called desgame-in New York. On the form dis- titute and starving people. A goodly played at the St. Nicholas rink in the number of cases have been exposed previous contests, Harvard looked to wherein help was afforded, the parties be a sure winner, and went on the receiving it being much better off than ice a two-to-one shot, with few takers. | indications would seem to point to. Three dollars a seat was what the en- It is known that aid has been given thusiasts paid for the game without where the men of the family have been gium of the Congo Independent State find any one to form a new minisa murmur, and the mousand reserved at work, and some with money in the again is assuming a disquieting as- try, it is pointed out the ministry's to sleet or rain. seats-the seating capacity of the bank. Homes have been visited in pect. rink-were snapped up in a jiffy. As which accessible parts have been cold It is said that King Leopold has tak- would be bound to result in the respondence of the said that King Leopold has takhigh as \$50 was offered by some of and bleak, but the investigators pro- en back all his promises and now de- turn of a majority most hostife to the the Wall street college graduates for ceeded no further; they might have mands that the special fund, which king. a pair of sents, with no takers. Pos- found other rooms cosy and furnished. was to replace the crown domain, be The Petit Bleu, while admitting that London, Feb. 25.-Instead of, as ductions in the regular army are car- ing-room in the gallery and ground liquor drinking. Another phase of de- iginally agreed. for the current year show an increase such as hitherto has never been con- game. Of this amount the rink got ations made that these contributions out various projects. the packages, very definitely proved that the articles had been received and Very could identify the persons to whom they had been given. Clothing and

> It would, therefore, be wise that every case should be thoroughly authen-| legitimate purpose.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Another Voice in Favor of the Poultry By-Law. Kingston, Feb. 24 .- (To the Editor):

there being opposition on the part of Kingston housekappers to the proposed by-law about poultry being drawn when placed on sale. I have talked with many of our best housekeepers here and I have found everyone strongly in favor of such a byif it were necessary, to any petition asking the favorable consideration of planning to visit his holiness. the council to the by-law. These are No national law-maker has been some of the reasons why these housemore conspicuous during the present keepers would like to have such a by-

ler, the chairman of the committee on banking and currency which passes upon all financial legislation introupon all financial legislation intro-duced in the House of Representatives, but he is himself the author of one of but he is himself the author of one of the most discussed financial measures terness of the gall often permentes Proposed introduced at the present session of the flesh of the fowl and is neither

of the added bother of preparing the school continuation class.

force, and the fowl come on the mar- high school will be abolished. A Dangerous Lunatic, Fit Only ing all the poultry they used. In- classes will be perpetuated, and pro- education, at its present session. New York, Feb. 25.-Harry Thaw deed in such places poultry will scarce seems doomed to spend the rest of his ly sell at all if put on the market un-

Alienists who have examined and ob- One has only to see such a market served him since he was committed to of drawn and trussed fowl (and there As Issued By Archbishop Gauthier Matteawan asylum are convinced that are several in Ontario) or better, live he is a paranoiac, and as paranoia is in a place where such markets are a progressive disease, it would appear held, to be convinced that such a that nothing short of a miracle can condition of affairs is a step forward in civilization-ELIZABETH SHORTT.

PARALLEL C. P. R.

Me Sleep." by John Robert Davis: on a cow's back yesterday. Interposed From Brandon to Holden.

"The Heart of Maryland," by Miss Vera on a cow's back yesterday. Interposed Engineers Surveying Road From Brandon to a double bob sled, but the interesting There was an awful smash at the bottom of the hill. One of the cow's

> front hoofs was worn off by the ter-Winnipeg, Feb. 25 .- J. J. Hill has preparations for this scheme, but fering. Farmer Caldwater swears he bruises they suffered and for their clothes, which were torn. But so good tance. Two years ago Hill made elaborate north to Edmonton. a jurist as Justice Baker, of Tremont

C.P.R. system throughout that dis- quarters are said to be established at days, Thursdays and Saturdays, ex- advertisements of various clairvoy

MISSION TO JAPAN.

The consters all live at Tremont United States Treasury Enriched Centre. Just as their sled started from By \$12.15.

the hill's crest the cow slid awkwardly Ottawa, Feb. 25 .- A curious circumon their course from the hill side. She stance has transpired in connection braced her forefect and sat on her with the Lemicux mission to Japan. BROS. Broad back. With ever increasing pay the head-tax. To be precise, they betting in America will be two to speed cow, sled, girls, boys, descended had to pay \$4.05 each, the United one on Johnson.

BROS. When the incline ended the cow rolled states being curiched to the extent of by their feminine customers that cer- brought back to Kingston, but this by their feminine customers that cer- brought back to Kingston, but this by their feminine customers that cerlover and six young persons were shot 812.15.

The levy was made in Yokohama. The low fare proposition of Attor- which are permitted. when buying the tickets, and was sor, Montreal and other capitalists, 4th. The anarchist who killed Father given to understand that they would in an attempt to secure a new three-Heinrich at Denver, says he commit- not be allowed to board the steamer cent street railway franchise in Deted the crime because the ringing of without the receipts.

ded from him in Scilly.

The president of Peru entertained the visiting along the banks of the St. Lawrence from Brockville to Prescott.

Evelyn Neshitt Thaw has begun to make active preparations for make active preparations for make active preparations for a character in which the Canadian of a character in which the Canadian to that of the United States, the imposition was absolutely illegal, as the United States have expressly exempts persons traveling to Canadian to the United States and magnificent bull fight at Lima.

An asylum for the insane for Westlaw expressly exempts persons traveling to Canadia, via the United States.

It is proposed to bund a railway the officers and men of the visiting the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the officers and the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the officers and the officers and the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the officers and the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the officers and men of the visiting that the following that the fact that Mr.

Pope was returning from negotiations of a character in which the Canadian that the United States are the following that the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the officers and men of the visiting that the officers and the following that the officers and the fact that Mr.

Huyler's, Sold only at Gibbson's Red Cross Brug Store.

There is no truth in the report that the United States are the officers and the fact that Mr.

The president of Peru entertained to that of the United States are truthed to that the officers are truthed to the United States.

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The president of Peru entertained to the theory that the offi

The American officials, however, re fused to recognize this. ington against the illegal exaction.

May Have A Match. haunches; her back was almost even When the mission left Japan to re- London, Feb. 25 .- A match between ful to invert the order, and to take clientele of the West End dealer in with the snow. She could not halt, turn to Canada Mr. Lemieux, being in Tommy Burns and Jack Johnson, in the collation at noon time, and dinner futurity is similarly under the spell. a hurry, left by the Canadian Pacific England, is quite probable. Burns in the evening.

While the girls shrieked and the steamer and the northern route, as has just deposited \$2,000 in response Those who are exempt from the pre- are asked to change the date on a ESTATE and Insurance Agency. young men turned pale the sled struck the more expeditious. Madame Letto a purse that has been offered, cept of fasting can partake of flesh ticket because the intending passenthe cow on her eastern extreme, for mieux and Joseph Pope, however, When interviewed he said: "I would meat at every meal during the day, ger had been warned by a clairvoyant And decidedly up-to-date. Nothing yet the sled was moving west. It ran up took the southern route, by way of like to fight Johnson here, where the when by special indult flesh ment is not to travel on a certain day or by the cow's back, its forward runners San Francisco. And before the party people have been very good to me. permitted at the principal meal.

| a particular boat are constantly or The prisoner Clarke, who stole caught on her horns and, remarkable Madame Lemieux, Mr. Pope and Mr. We shall see now if Johnson is so No one is permitted to use fish and urring. West End jewellers also "Harry" Hunter's coat, is serving a We are offering at present. Lock at the price, \$12, Finest quality easily gers, balanced nicely on the cow's in San Francisco they were obliged to

troit has been turned down by the

"George Washington Toffey" made by

the final game in the Intercollegiate close up their pocketbooks on account Hockey League, last week, came as a of the amount of fraud and deceit Situation Regarding the Congo Assumes Disquieting Aspect.

Brussels, Feb. 25.—The situation in sary, to resign. As King Leopold the matter of the annexation to Bel- could not under such circumstances

ALMOST A YEAR bedding given also reached the second- Is the Sentence Imposed on Italian

Rome, Feb. 25 .- The senate, sitting as a high court of justice, last eventicated and a dozen persons interview- ing, returned a verdict of guilty ed as to records, so that deserving against ex-Minister of Public Instrucpersons should not suffer through the tion Nasai, accused of misappropriadeceit of those who should be able to ting public funds while in office, and maintain themselves in comfort, if the he was sentenced to eleven months money they earned was used for its and twenty days' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$50 and the costs of from holding public office for four

> Spoken Of As Greedy Vulture. France against that "greedy vulture, to the sermon. Free Masonry, which has obtained such | The scheme inaugurated by the Rev a hold in England."

stead of the United States, this pro- work in relays at each service.

resignation would mean elections that

sibly 1,500 more spectators, at a dol- The money often contributed has been placed under his control and not un- there had been exchanges in the last lar a head, crowded into the stand- put to the purposes of feasting and der that of parliament, as it was or- few days between King Leopold and hoped, showing a reduction, the com-bined estimates of the army and navy have to be made on the citizens for 500, which is pretty fair for a hockey churches and individuals, later declarall but about \$200, a small sum be- had not been forthcoming, that while It is understood , that the govern- works to be executed out of the revthey had been promised they had never ment is firmly resisting these demands enue from the special fund and denies been received. Drivers who delivered and is determined, if it becomes neces- that a ministerial crisis is imminent.

vince might have been French Catho-

Referring to the "Cercle Sacre Coeur," he said members might play a game of cards. Those who opposed such games were like those who had crucified the Saviour-they considered it a grievous sin to eat without first washing their hands.

BABIES WANTED

the trial. He was also interdicted | Chicago Minister Wants Them to Come to Church. Chicago, Feb. 25.-The Rev. John

A. Earl invites babies especially to the Belden avenue Baptist church, and Winnipeg, Feb. 25 .- Strong state has made every preparation for their ments were made by Archbishop Lan- comfort, even to providing nursing gevin in a sermon on Sunday. He re- bottles and the like to keep them ferred to the fight of the clergy in quiet while their mothers are listening

Mr. Earl is an inpovation so far as He believed it had chosen an ill time Chicago is concerned. The preacher law. I could get yards of signatures to ignore the pope when monarchs, in- hopes to have a dozen to thirty babif it were necessary, to any petition cluding the king of England, were ies present every Sunday. One of the church parlors has been If Quebec had seen its duty to send fitted up as a nursery. It is presided 300,000 immigrants to Manitoba in over by forty young women, who will

CHANGES

With the Public Connection Schools.

In these days of gas ranges there is class, taking up in rotation the pres- advanced work,

province warrant it in assisting rural In its place will follow the fifth trustees and schools in developing the

places where this by-law has been in of demarcation between the public and training to the doors of the rural resi-

ket drawn and trussed, the house- Special inducements will be given for Such is understood to be an imkeepers would object very strongly to the fifth class public school work, and portant feature of the educational leghave to take up the burden of clean- the present grants to continuation islature by Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of

LENTEN REGULATIONS.

For Guidance. The following are the rules and re- SOOTHSAYERS ARE VERY gulations to be observed during the coming season of Lent, in the arch-

diocese of Kingston excepted, are fast days on which one full meal is allowed with a collation or partial meal in the evening.

years of age, women in pregnancy or again overrun by an army of clairvoy. Phone, 577. 227 Princess street. nursing infants, all who are employed ants, crystal gazers and sooth-avers

seventh year of age.

Holy Saturday.

Lent at both the principal meal and business is flourishing. the collation, to those who come un- From Wales comes the story of the It is understood that Mr. Pope in der the law of fasting; to those who police prosecution of a palmist who tends to enter a complaint at Wash- are not bound to fast we permit the exercised an extraordinary influence use of the same quality of food at over the miners of Liancily. Owing

Where it is not convenient to take scores of miners refused to enter the

any kind of meat may be used in the by their feminine customers that cer- brought back to Kingston, but this preparation of all kinds of foods tain stones would have an evil in- will not be done. Mr. Hunter Mr. Pope had to make the payment new Baubic, said to represent Wind- Lent begins on Wednesday, March must not wear sapphires. Mme X. press the charge.

> I Am Going-Are You ! Thursday and Friday.

The action of Carter a Little Liver Pilis is picasant, mild and natural. Major Henry A. Cropley, editor and They gently stimulate the liver, and It is expected the provincial treasur-tendance was comblisher of the Fredericton, N.B., regulate the bowels, but do not purge, or will introduce his budget next dent, William They are sure to please, Try them ! week,

BUSY IN LONDON.

vasion of Clairvoyants and Crystal Gazers. The infirm, those under twenty-one The West End of London is once

at hard labor, and those who are en- The police prosecutions of two or feebled by old age, are exempted from three years ago caused a temporary the law of fasting and may, there stampede from the luxuriously fur fore, take their usual number of meals nished temples of mystery in Bond street. Fear of police interference, The law of abstinence prohibits cer- however, has died away, and with the tain kinds of food, and all are bound opening of the London season the by it who have completed their dabblers in the occult have established themselves once again in lashspread hundreds of engineers along the withdrew the force because of the de- By virtue of special indult, we ner- ionable West End streets. At Ox stretch of country, fourteen hundred pression. He owns large sections of mit the use of flesh meat on all Sun-ford Circus, within the space of ter will sue the coasters for the value of his cow; the girls and fellows declare they must be recompensed for the Medicine Hat, where lines radiate far cept Saturday in Ember week and ants and crystal gazers can be count flavor, because it is made from ed, and the advertisement columns the sap of the Maple Tree. We permit the use of ears milk, of the newspapers, more especially butter and cheese on all days during the weekly periodicals, indicate that

to her predictions of coming disaster the principal meal at noon it is law- mine at Trinwara. The fashionable house, Stables, Wash-house, Tool-house,

> fluence on their particular case. "Oh, cured his cont, and is not anxious to warned me against them," is the sort of remark heard in the jewellers

The fashionable West End physi-To the odds and ends sale, Wilkin- cian, too, can cite from his experience son's old stand, Wellington street, cases where the force of suggestion has resulted in a nervous patient rightening berself into iffness.

Probabilities Toronto, Ont., Feb. 25, Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence (10 a.m.) - Fresh milder with snow

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Addressed Engineers. Prof. Gill, last night, deliveright most interesting address b marine engineers, in their ity Deben-Montreal street. He relets Deposits larly to the work of and his remarks poging Director, able to all the