

ENGLISH VIEW

Of the Outlook For Reciprocity.

THOUGHT IN LONDON

THAT THE PROPOSALS WILL GO THROUGH.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Decision to Sail on May 12th Indicates His Confidence in a Satisfactory Solution.

London, April 17.—It is thought here that the Knox-Fiddling reciprocity proposals will go through, though the opinion in Washington appears even to the optimists somewhat clouded by the dark looks of several insurgent senators.

British free traders who have been exceedingly anxious to see the agreement ratified have been fearing a collapse at the Canadian end because of the hostility of the manufacturing interests.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's frequent assurances to the manufacturers that his government would not hurt them disappointed the extreme free trade extremists here, because it means there will be no general revision of the tariff in Canada and no increase in the British preference.

Sir Wilfrid's decision to sail for England on May 12th, a date when it is scarcely likely the dominion parliament will have been prorogued, is interpreted to indicate his confidence in a satisfactory solution of the problem in Ottawa within a few weeks.

During parliament's Easter recess, which runs to April 26th, there is likely to be considerable stiffening of the unionist backbone in resisting Premier Asquith's projects. Failing methods will be abandoned, and, instead of delay and negotiation, the programme will be positive and aggressive, and calculated to bring the fighting to close quarters. This change of front began with Mr. Balfour's Lambeth speech, forecasting an extension in general election, which seems probable.

MURDERER TOOTHLESS.

Dying Man Describes the Man Who Slashed Him.

Toronto, April 17.—"Remember this, Frank, the man without the teeth, slashed me." These words uttered by Georgina Veei, the Italian murdered in a row at 40 Agnes street, Friday night, were reported to Inspector of Detectives Duncan at headquarters, Saturday afternoon at the close of an investigation which up to that time had only served to throw doubt upon the original theory of the police without giving any very definite direction to any new explanation of the stabbing. Thus the dying man laid his murder at the door of Frank Russell, 40 Agnes street.

The significant sentence was repeated by Helena Anelli, 190 Elizabeth street who says that this is what Veei said to him as he stood beside him just after he had received his death blow in the dark alley beside the house at 40 Agnes street.

SLAYER AND WIFE FRIENDS.

George Eddy, Who Killed His Wife's Paramour.

Watertown, N.Y., April 17.—Friendly relations are said to exist between George Eddy, of Theresa, now serving a ten-year sentence in Auburn prison, and his wife, Mae Eddy, whose associations with John Reid led to the latter's murder at Paluski a year and a half ago. They correspond regularly. The attitude of husband and wife toward each other will, it is said, have an important bearing on any future effort to free Eddy. For some time Attorney Jerome Cooper, counsel for Eddy at the time of the trial, has been talking of circulating petitions, asking for a pardon for the Theresa man.

SOLD HUMAN FLESH

To Starving Chinese and Was Arrested.

Harbin, April 17.—The abatement of the plague in Manchuria continues. Kumamoto Hisahara, in charge of the crematorium in Kulsuyau, was arrested, recently, charged with selling human flesh. According to the Kaku-min and other Tokio papers, a search resulted in the finding of a large quantity of human flesh, either toast-ed or salted, and ten human tongues preserved in pots.

STRUCK BY A FLYER.

And Three People Were Killed at Elizabeth, N.J.

Elizabeth, N.J., April 17.—Three persons were killed and several were seriously injured when a flyer crashed into a crowd of people boarding a local train. It seems the fast train was carrying, and the officials did not expect it. The victims were terribly mangled as the train went through at fifty miles an hour.

Mrs. Sherman Calman died, Saturday morning, in Thurlow township. Deceased, who was twenty-six years of age, was the third daughter of George Hamilton, Thurlow, in which township she was born.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McDougall, Sarnia, formerly of Dalhousie, celebrated their golden wedding on March 15th.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Dance at Yacht Club to-night.
Recital, Spadina Street Church, 8 p.m.
Light, heat and power committee, 8 p.m., Tuesday.

A WIDOW ELOPES.

Disappearance of Man and Woman From Elgin.

Brookville, April 17.—Thursday afternoon Chief Burke received a telephone message from C. E. Johnston, Elgin, a justice of the peace, asking him to apprehend F. Marshall and Mrs. George Burt, who eloped during the afternoon from that village, taking with them Mrs. Burt's youngest child. When asked by the chief if a warrant was out for their arrest Mr. Johnston replied there was not and Chief Burke accordingly had no authority to make an arrest.

The couple, with the child, arrived here shortly before six o'clock on the B.W. & N. train, and at 7.30 crossed the river, remaining in Morristown over night. Friday morning they purchased tickets for New York city, and that has been the last heard of them. Mrs. Burt is the widow of the man who committed suicide by taking carbolic acid two weeks ago. Four or five children have been left behind.

WIFE SPANKING LEGAL.

St. Louis, Mo., April 17.—After deliberating twenty-four hours, a jury decided that a husband has a right to spank his wife. The jury therefore refused to give a divorce to Mrs. Hannah Rebecka Yowell. Mr. Yowell testified that at two o'clock on the morning of July 5 last he got up and gave his wife "a good spanking" because she had kept him awake for four hours talking to him.

CHEESEMAKER KILLED

While in the Discharge of His Duty.

Brookville, April 17.—A fatal accident occurred on Saturday morning, at Roebuck cheese factory, situated in the township of Augusta, a few miles north of Prescott. The victim was Robert Graham, aged thirty-five years, the maker in that well-known factory. He was engaged in the discharge of usual duties and in adjusting a belt was caught by the same, and whirled around the fly-wheel in such a way that he was killed instantly.

The body of the unfortunate man, while shockingly injured, was not mutilated. The deceased was a married man, and leaves a wife and four children.

RICH WOMAN UNDESIRABLE.

And is Deported From the United States.

New York, April 17.—Although Mrs. Annie Gold, a tall and attractive French woman, declares that she is married, has two children owns more than \$100,000 in cash and property, and has been in this country ten years, she was deported, as an undesirable alien. The case had its origin in Portland, Ore., where she was charged with conducting disorderly houses. Mrs. Gold denied emphatically that she had offered \$10,000 in cash to any man who would make her his wife and save her from deportation.

MET A TRAGIC DEATH

AN EDITOR WAS BURNED TO A CRISP.

Fell Asleep in His Apartment, and Fire Broke Out—He Lived a Frugal Life.

Claremont, N.H., April 17.—Samuel Henry Storey, editor of The Narrative, a weekly publication, met a tragic death, Saturday. While apparently asleep on a sofa in his apartment, fire from an overturned stove communicated to the furniture and burned him to a crisp. Storey lived alone in his newspaper office, and, according to his own statement, lived on nine cents a day. He was one of the oldest publishers in the state, having been born in 1833. He had no relatives so far as is known.

WAITED ON BY ARCHBISHOP.

Time-honored Custom Carried Out in Montreal.

Montreal, April 17.—To be waited on at table by no less a personage than an archbishop was the experience of 300 young men at the noon-day meal, on Friday, in the Grand Seminary, Sherbrooke street. The guests for the occasion were the students in the theological faculty of Laval University and the waters were Archbishop-Iruchosi, the dean of the faculty, and the professor.

The affair took place in the large dining hall of the Grand Seminary. The archbishop, over his robe of purple, wore the conventional white apron, and he was assigned a certain section of the refectory, or dining hall, which he was to look after.

The custom, as carried out at all houses of St. Sulpice's Good Friday, is a time-honored one, and is destined to commemorate the act of Christ on the day previous to His Passion, in waiting upon His disciples.

HORROR OF A MOTHER.

Looked Out of Window and Saw Her Son Dead.

Ithaca, N.Y., April 17.—Looking out of the window of her home in Bessmer, Mrs. Frederick English was horrified to see a pair of small legs sticking out of a pool of water about fourteen inches deep. She rushed out and pulled from the pool the body of her five-year-old son. Efforts were made to resuscitate him, but they proved of no avail. The child had been playing in a ditch, fell head first into the pool and was unable to extricate himself.

LATEST NEWS

Despatches From Near And Distant Places

THE WORLD'S TIDINGS

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everybody Easily Read and Remembered.

The democrats are preparing for a thorough house-cleaning. Balloons collided at Berlin and turned turtle. Four will die.

There are prospects of a general strike to tie up the Montreal building trades.

Yankee's bank clearings broke all previous records last week, being over \$11,000,000.

President Diaz's power is noticeably weakening and his resignation is hourly expected.

Serious riots are following Mormon meetings in up-country towns near London, Eng.

Rev. Dr. Parsons, Toronto, aged eighty-three, Presbyterian, pleads for simpler religion.

Dr. A. Burrows, of Hamilton, is gazetted senior surgeon of the naval service of Canada.

The Ontario government may send experts to study the use of electricity in farming in Europe.

Peter Napolitina, Sault Ste. Marie, was killed with an axe by his wife while he was sleeping.

Henry H. Matthews, Jr., was acquitted at Cobourg on the charge of murdering Josephine Brinacombe.

There is still no clue to the whereabouts of Walter Duthie, missing bank manager of Hillsboro.

John H. Mitchell, Toronto commercial traveller, is under arrest at North Bay, charged with stealing and selling his samples.

Permission has been given by the Canadian authorities for the United States warship Dubuque to make a tour of the upper lakes in Canadian waters.

The \$50,000,000 loan to China by a group of American financiers, negotiations for which have been going on for some time, was signed Saturday.

At Victoria, B.C., Capt. Sears, of the steamer Iroquois, was arrested, charged with not attempting to rescue his passengers, twenty of whom were drowned.

The capital of the Otis Fensom Elevator company, Ottawa, is increased from \$400,000 to \$1,000,000 and that of the Canadian North Pacific fisheries from \$2,500,000 to \$4,000,000.

A \$5,000 pearl necklace found in a Brighton street car, Boston, and deposited among the "lost articles" at the Oak Square car station by Alfred F. Aunehan, a conductor, has been restored to Mrs. F. L. Hoppin, New York.

ANTI-OPIMUM SOCIETY THANKED.

Chinese of Tien-Tsin District Praise Campaign Against Traffic.

Tien Tsin, April 17.—The British Anti-Opium society has received the following memorial from the gentry, students and merchants of Poughat Hsien, near Chefoo:

"When your honorable country first began to send in opium we presumed it was for the curing of disease and easing of pain, and that you intended to benefit China, but we misread it and in time it became to us as sweets to children. Thus it became a poison and for fifty years we sank deeper and deeper under its influence, the drug weakening the body and dulling the brain. We know it is our own fault.

"The saying, 'Chinese always blame others, but never blame themselves,' is true. But you good people, see us thus and feeling that it is a shame to your country to send opium to China, do not blame others, but have put forth your strength and energy to help China. Not only do we Chinese thank you for your efforts, but the whole world will surely praise you. We hope that your honorable mission will succeed in accomplishing this great object, and will implore your honorable government to stop sending the opium now, instead of waiting for the rest of the ten years.

"The happiness that you will confer upon China will be great indeed. You will be a 'Wan Chia Sheng Fu' to China (that is, a living Buddha), to millions of families."

CUT GRAIN RATE.

Railways Propose to Make Reduction of Two Cents From Buffalo.

Washington, April 17.—The interstate commerce commission in the case of the New York Produce Exchange against the New York Central & Hudson river railroad and other eastern carriers granted the carriers permission, on three days' notice, to establish at any time before May 1st, a rate on ex-lake grain for export from Buffalo to Atlantic seaboard ports, lower than the rate now in effect.

It is understood by the commission to be the purpose of the railways to put into effect a rate on export grain that practically would be a reduction of two cents a hundred pounds from the present rate and perhaps more. This export rate will not in any way affect the domestic rate, but it is the nature of a concession to shippers of grain intended for export received at Buffalo and transported by rail from that city to Atlantic ports.

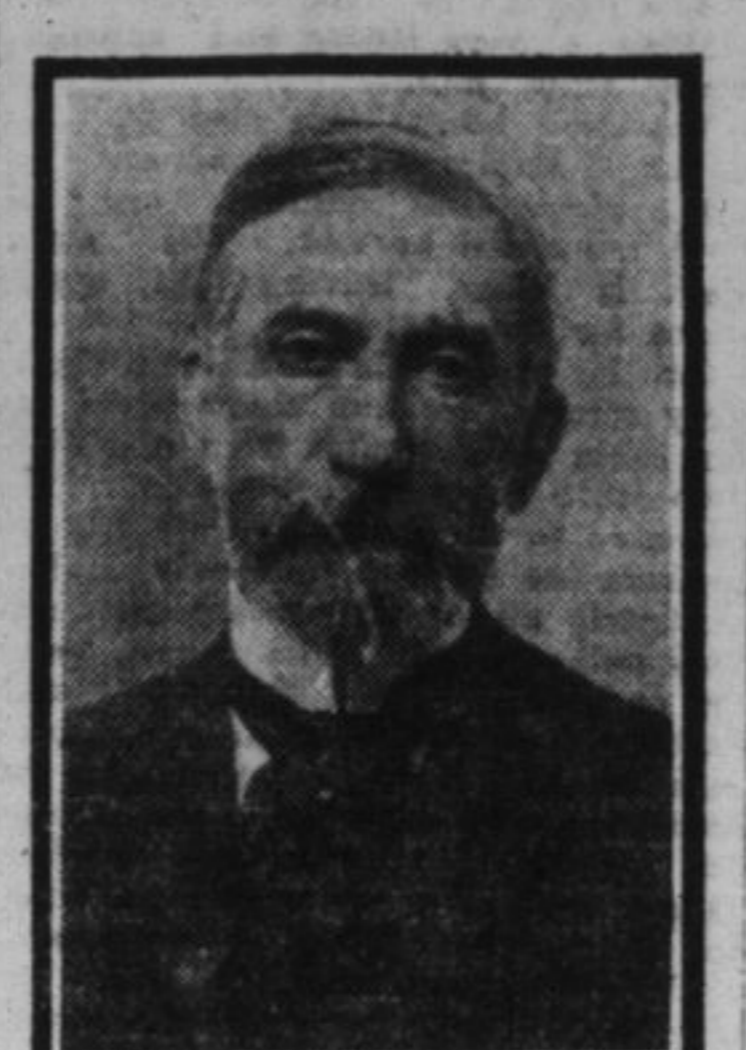
"Sweet, pea seed," Gibson's.

SUCRIBED A PAUPER.

Appealed to His Daughter for Aid, But She Refused.

New York, April 17.—Cast off by his relatives and friends, and without a dollar of his former fortune left, Wesley W. Hamilton cut his throat in Carroll park in Brooklyn. He was taken to a hospital in a dying condition.

Twenty years ago Hamilton was the head of a big law firm, and lived with his family in the most aristocratic section of Brooklyn. He had a disagreement with his wife and daughter and separated from them. He then began drinking heavily, and lost all of his once extensive fortune. For several years he has lived in poverty. Three months ago, he appealed to his daughter, who had married a Brooklyn business man, for aid, but she refused to have anything to do with him.



THOMAS J. O'BRIEN, United States ambassador to Japan.

SAVED BY PRESENCE OF MIND.

Submarine Escapes Serious Injury In Naval Manoeuvres.

Paris, April 17.—During the naval manoeuvres at Cherbourg, the submarine Germinial was run down by torpedo boat No. 206, and slightly damaged.

The torpedo boat was cruising at some speed to the east of the harbor when the officer in command saw the presence of the submarine, a few cables' length ahead. He slackened speed, but suddenly the submarine rolled right underneath No. 206, and there was a moment's panic on board.

The captain of the Germinial had the presence of mind to sink. Both boats were slightly damaged, but were able to get back to harbor unaided.

INDIANS NOT ON WAR-PAH.

Winnipeg, April 17.—Local Hudson's Bay officials ridicule the reports from Ottawa about famine-stricken Indians in the north attacking their posts to secure food. A party of Hudson's Bay officials arrived from Churchill and Fort Nelson, Thursday, and are the last to bring information from the north. They heard nothing of Indians trying on the war-path, though they report the fur catch very light. There were no disorders when they left.

DECLARE HIM SANE.

BROOKLYN MERCHANT ESCAPED FROM ASYLUM.

And Went South and Made a Small Fortune—Returns North and Adjudged Sane.

New York, April 17.—Ralph A. Clark, a former Brooklyn merchant, who was declared incompetent by the courts, in 1906, escaped from the asylum in which he was confined, wandered over the country and finally settled in a prosperous Richmond, Va., where he had taken the name of B. R. Benton, has been declared competent by Supreme Court Justice Blawie, in Brooklyn.

Clark, in September, 1906, walked out of the asylum at Riverdale, just north of this city, climbed a fence and with five dollars and a gold watch in his possession, made his way here, where he pawned the watch for \$13 and started south. He worked at various employments in Perryville, Md., Richmond and Chicago, and in Chicago became interested in a chemical preparation. Going back to Richmond he went into the manufacturing business there and prospered. A friend, who recently met and recognized him, induced him to come north to prove his sanity.

Experts in Philadelphia pronounced him sane and at meeting here with his sister, Mrs. Adelaide Johnson, of Fertile Valley, Canada, his mother and other relatives, friendly proceedings for the establishment of his sanity were agreed upon, resulting in today's court's finding.

Clark's Brooklyn estate, of which he is given control, now amounts to about \$27,000. He was married recently in Richmond and declares his intention of returning to that city to live.

DEATH IN BROOKVILLE.

Of Perry M. Graham, Son of Hon G. P. Graham.

Brookville, April 17.—Capt. Perry M. Graham, aged twenty-five, of the Evening Recorder, and the second son of Hon. George P. Graham, minister of railways, died at an early hour, this morning, of brain fever. He belonged to the 41st regiment and will likely have a military funeral.

The marriage took place at Mallorytown, Thursday evening, of Miss Blanch Herbyson, a popular young resident of that locality, to William Earle, of Fairfield East.

WILL SEND IT

To the Senate on Wednesday Morning.

RECIPROCITY BILL

IS STILL WITH HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A Strong Speech Against Reciprocity Made by Asher Hinds, of Maine—His Arguments Were Answered.

Washington, April 17.—The Canadian reciprocity agreement was in the limelight again, in the House of Representatives, to-day, when several democratic members answered arguments advanced by Asher Hinds, of Maine, against the agreement.

Mr. Hinds' speech was a strong defence of the principle of protection for the farmer, a principle that, he said, was recognized by leading statesmen of the world. Mr. Hinds declared that the statements of Germany, France and Great Britain had recognized the necessity for the maintenance of protection on the products of the farm, and that if congress enacted the reciprocity bill it would be going against the best judgment of the leaders of all these countries.

"When the manufacturer fails," said Mr. Hinds, "everyone knows it; smoke ceases in the tall chimneys. But when the farmer fails smoke does not cease, because on the hearth below burns the only stalwart fire of the race."

Representative McCall, of Massachusetts, republican, delivered an eloquent speech in favor of the bill, and Mr. Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, leader of the opposition to the measure, presented his minority report from the ways and means committee. His arguments were very effective, but it is quite evident that the representatives will send it to the senate with a favorable report to-morrow night, or Wednesday morning.

FATHER LIODORE WON.

Holy Synod Withdraws Order at Desire of Czar.

St. Petersburg, April 17.—Father Liodore, the monk who recently defied the holy synod, has won his fight against the synod and the government with the aid of the czar. The determination of the priest and his fanatic supporters made it clear that nothing short of military force could dislodge them from the church of Tseritin, where they had been defying the synod's order. As the dispute involved religious prejudices, the authorities decided apparently not to arouse dangerous passions. The procurator of the synod consulted with the emperor, and afterward conveyed to a special meeting of the synod his majesty's wishes that Liodore be let alone. Accordingly the synod's orders affecting the monk have been withdrawn.

TOLSTOI FAMILY FUED.

Youngest Daughter Takes Action Against Widow.

St. Petersburg, April 17.—The Tolstoy family feud has taken a deplorable turn. The proceedings instituted at the instance of the youngest daughter, Alexandra, to compel the widow to surrender Tolstoy's manuscript, that was taken from the Moscow historical museum, have not been allowed to drop. When the daughter's purpose has been accomplished, the widow's offense will constitute a state crime, as the manuscript is a crown institution. The minimum penalty is a year's confinement in a fortress, a sentence, probably will be passed, even if pardon follows immediately.

ANARCHY AT DELAGOA BAY.

Deposition of Governor of Mozambique Demanded.

London, April 17.—A Cape Town despatch says that the British protected territory of Delagoa Bay, on the east coast of South Africa, is in a state of anarchy. The revolutionists demand the deposition of the governor of Mozambique and the expulsion of these loyalists.

More Troops for Border.

Washington, April 17.—Following a conference at the White House, Saturday, between President Taft, Secretary of War Dickinson, and Gen Wood, the latter announced that four more troops of cavalry would be ordered to Douglas, Arizona, from the nearest post station to assist the United States troops now there.

Train's Fast Time.

St. Thomas, Ont., April 17.—The Detroit, the Michigan Central railway fast flyer, passed through St. Thomas last night on first run from Detroit to Buffalo, making the 111 miles from the City of the Straits in 102 minutes. A number of Michigan Central railway officials were aboard.

Followed to the Grave.

Ottawa, April 17.—A great cortege of all religions, political parties and classes, this morning, accompanied to the grave the remains of the late Sir Henri Elzear Taschereau, former chief justice of the supreme court of Canada.

Gla Humphrey, an actress, and Prince Ibrahim Hassan, a cousin of the khedive of Egypt, were married at London, on Saturday.

"Pure gum euphor," Gibson's.

FORTY NEGROES REJECTED.

Turned Back at Boundary Because of Tuberculosis.

Victoria, B.C., April 17.—Regarding the rejection of forty negroes, yesterday, at the international boundary at White Rock, the refusal to permit entry is attributed to physical unfitness by the immigration authorities, who state that some of them had tuberculosis. Those physically sound and meeting the monetary requirements were admitted. It is believed the party sought to enter Canada at this point owing to the excess of some thirty who passed through Vancouver to Alberta in December, and it is said that many more would have followed had these been successful, yesterday. But immigration officials here and at Boundary, while not drawing the color line, nor being permitted to draw it, are strictly enforcing regulations as to health and money requirements.

MUST USE COPPERS.

Washington, April 17.—A resolution has been adopted by the inter-state commerce commission putting an end to the practice of railroad companies, for the sake of convenience, of selling passenger tickets whenever possible at a charge in multiples of five. For instance, if the fare, according to the mileage, figured 44 cents, the rate exacted has in many cases been 45 cents. By the order issued Saturday carriers are required to make the charge in odd cents, exacting the precise fare in every instance.

HAD AN EVENTFUL TRIP.

Murder, Suicide and Fire on Steamer Headley.

New York, April 17.—A murder, a suicide, and a fire which raged five days, were recorded in the log of the British freight steamer Headley, which reached New York Saturday, from Montevideo. The ship's crew of thirty-seven Chinese, officered by British sailors, fought the blaze in the bunkers, and with their last ounce of strength extinguished it. The murder occurred twelve days later, when a Chinese sailor slew the bos'n, a fellow-countryman, with a hatchet. The sailor then jumped overboard to his death, still grasping his weapon.

STEAD ON ARBITRATION.

Accuses Anglican Church of Apathy Towards Movement.

London, April 17.—At a meeting in the White Fields tabernacle, on Sunday, in favor of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty, W. T. Stead complained strongly of the apathy of the archbishop of Canterbury and the Anglican church toward the peace movement. The meeting resolved to send an appeal to the leaders of the church to assist in forwarding the lord mayor's project to form a committee representing all the religious churches and denominations in support of the government's effort to secure the treaty.

SHE SAVED HIS LIFE.

WIFE'S STORY OF HUSBAND'S DOINGS MOVED COURT.

Prisoner Had Many Times Attempted to Commit Suicide—"Oh, Freddie, You're Dead!" She Cried as She Kissed Child's Lips.

Goderich, April 17.—George Vanstone's wife saved him from the scaffold. He will spend the rest of his life in the penitentiary—such is the sentence of the court.

Quite as tragic as her narrative of the finding of her son and her cry, "Oh! Freddie, you're dead!" as she kissed his lips that were cold in death, was part of the story of her married life with the prisoner. She told how he had beaten her "two or three years after their marriage"; how he had charged her with unfaithfulness and harped upon it for months; how he had threatened to take his life by throwing himself into the lake, and how he did take laudanum and had a narrow escape; how he became so wild looking after having the grippe in 1909 that she hid him in the Goderich jail, and how he several times threatened her life, saying they "would die together."

Asked if Vanstone had ever beaten his other children, the witness reluctantly admitted that he had whipped a two-year-old baby "until he was nearly gone" because he would not set a chair back. She told how pleasant he was for certain periods and then how suddenly and inexplicably his mood would change and he would terrorize the household—the mother and five children, the eldest of which is but thirteen.

On the very night of the tragedy, she said, her husband, one and one-half hours before he began the headlong tortures of his little boy, was playing on the floor with three of the youngsters who had pulled him out of his chair.

"Look, mamma," Freddie, the dead boy, called as he mounted triumphantly on his father's back. "I've got papa down," and the father roared with laughter at the little fellow.

"Flower seeds," Irish, Gibson's.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., April 17, 19 a.m.—Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair to-day and on Tuesday. Tuesday, milder.

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