And Thorough Agricultura!Sur-

CHIEFLY CAUSED BY DECREASE IN RURAL DISTRICTS

The Ontario Leader is Paying Serious Attention to Food Production and the Whole Question of Rural Life.

Woodstock, Feb. 7.- A demand for a stock-taking and a thorough agricultural survey of Ontario was made by N. W. Rowell, K.C., M.P.P., in a speech given in the city hall in his own constituency at Woodstock, last

"To-day's high cost of living," declared, "is dividing public attention with the question of workmen's compensation in all the industrial communities of this province." The leader of the opposition dealt fully with both these questions. "I cannot but think," he said, "that one of the important causes of the present high cost of living is the great increase in our consuming population in Ontario and the decrease of our food-producing population accompanied by a de cline in food production by the farmers of this province."

Church and School Becline "The decline in rural population, he continued, "has been accompanied by a decline in the strength and vitality of the rural school and the rural church." Mr. Rowell quoted figures and gave definite instances which showed the startling extent of the de in certain sections in the church and school. "The whole question present condition of rural life." h said with emphasis, "constitutes ders that even the government of this province should fail to see it need for radical and aggressive action in dealing with this question.

Better Leadership Needed "One of the most urgent needs to day is leadership in the department of agriculture. Any who recall the great work which John Dryden for the agricultural interests realize the loss Ontario has sustained by not having a strong leader at the head of the department of agri-

culture to-day.

In the year 1881 the government of Sir Oliver Mowat appointed a commission to investigate the agricultural conditions in Ontario, a commis sion of which John Dryden was a member. It made a most thorough study and presented a careful exhaustive report. That investigation started a new era in the agricultural development of Ontario. More than thirty years have passed since then and the time has now come when we should have another stocktaking and a thorough agricultural survey with a view of getting at the exact conditions. Let us get at the facts and thus help the government and you people to see how we can proceed most effectively with further development of the agricultural industry with the of staying the decline of our

depopulation and with the recreation of rural life. "Last session we proposed to the

DAILY MEMORANDA Band at Covered Rink tonight

See top of page 3, right hand corner, for probabilities. Martin Harvey in "The Only Way, Grand Opera House, 8.15 p.m.

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THE EARL OF DERBY sell his estate in Bootle, as suburb of Liverpool, for \$7,500,000. The property his finding in a was purchased in 1724 for \$35,000 and a special session. Baron de Forest cited this as a striking case of unearned increment. He estimated the value of \$20,000,000 and immediately offered to purchase Lord FARMER WAS KILLED Derby's estate at \$7,500,000

It is evident that Mr. Rowell is pay- government that a thorough, indeing serious attention to this problem pendent and non-partisan commission of food production and indeed the should be appointed to carry on this whole question of rural life both for investigation but the government itself and in its relation to the whole shut its eyes to the problem and of the province. He has taken up this voted down the resolution. We shall theme at a number of his recent ad- again press the matter at the ensudresses and at the Woodstock meeting ing session and we hope with betemphasized it again with new points ter success. The problem can -no longer be ignored. It must be faced and dealt with.

> Questions Requiring Solution "In the meantime there are certain uestions of great moment to the rural communities of the province which should be pressed to u ion without further delay. mong these questions Mr. Rowell mentioned farm, labor and declared that the government must co-operate the agricultural interests lealing with this question more fectively timn they have yet done. He also discussed good roads, declared that the appointment of the Good Roads' commission should not he used as an excuse for further delay, but that the government should introduce its good roads bill this "If it is an adequate bill," said Mr. Rowell, "it will have support. If it is inadequate, shall endeavor to help improve it. In any case we stand by our policy of endeavoring to promote a system of good roads throughout the prosince for the benefit of the agricultural communities as well dwellers in the cities and towns.

Cannot See Anyone At

Toronto, Feb. 7 .- Taken ill while + be interested in the features coming from the west, on his return | to be found on page fourto England, Joseph Martin, the Can- + teen. adian M. P., who represents St. 4 Pancras, in the British House of ********* ment liberals to defeat the governtrain when it reached Toronto yest-rday, and o being taken to the King Edward hotel was confined to Zanzibar arrived via Marseilles from his room, being too ill to see any-

Concerning Fruit Shippers

terest to shippers of fruit in western service at Kikuyu last June. The Ontario has been issued by the rail- bishop of Zanzibar is the complainway commission, directing that in ant in the case, but owing to the fact his full influence within constituthe special tareff of charges for de- that the Bishop of Mombasa, one of tention of refrigerator cars used in the accused prelates, will not be able shipment of perishable products the to reach England until April, the inclauses be eliminated which refer to vestigation is likely to be protracted. detention at the point of loading. G. E. McIntosh, of Forest, secre- THE UNIONIST PARTY tary of the Ontario Fruit Growers' association, a few days ago presented this and other matters with regard to refrigerator cars to the rail-

Eminent Physician Dead New York, Feb 7 .- Dr. Edward Gardiner Day, an eminent physician and surgeon in New York city for thirty years, is dead at the age of Irish leader, in a speech last night, at penditure, is avenging himself by seventy years. Death, which was a dinner given in his honor by the planning a budget to make the rich due to a complication of diseases. was hastened by grief over the death of his wife, which occurred on Jan-no longer had any read uary 9. Dr. Day was the author of jection ... to the principle many professional journals. He also was the author of a romance, "The Realm of Light," and was at work stroy the present government and in on a second volume when he was stricken.

Posthumous Award to Scott Geographical society have decided to governor-general of Australia. honor the memory of Captain Scott by the posthumous award of the Hauer medal, the highest distinction the society can offer.

An architect is preparing plans for well-known a new organ for Trinity church, Na- months' leave of absence in order that

25 bbls. Winter apples worth advice of his physician, Mr. Knowles Grand Trunk here. \$4.50, for \$4.00, at Gilbert's. A Montreal tool factory is consid- latter's former home in Newbern, N.C. ering proposals to locate in Napa-

Heintz's Dill pickles at Pickerings. 20c a tin, 4 for 50c, at Gilbert's. "Backache plasters." Gibson's.

California Has Banner Year -Gen-

Chicago, Feb. 7.-E. O. McCormick, vice-president of the Southern Pafic railway, in an interview to-day on lon at the Chicago Club, stated : "I recently spent several days the orange groves of Southern Cali-

fornia. Growers estimate this season's shipments will amount to at least 40,000 cars of oranges. Weather conditions have been ideal and the fruit has matured perfectly. In fact, I have never tasted better oranges. "Arrangements have been completed by the railroads to move the oranges OF HON. MR. CROTHERS OVER in refrigerator cars, which will ensure the delivery of ripe fruit in perfect condition.

FINE OFTRUS CROP

eral Outlook Promising

"The recent rainfalls on the Pacific Slope, while unusually heavy, have been of immense benefit to orchards and agriculture in general. At no period in my knowledge of California has the outlook been so favorable for good crops and prosperous conditions for employer and employee.'

HELD TO YEARLY CONTRACT

If He Quits He Forfeits Right to Collect Wages London, Ont., Feb. 7.-That a farm a yearly contract and who leaves

violation of such an agreement, is not only not entitled to his wages, but is also liable for damages sustained to the crops of his employer; was the rul; ing established vesterday, when County Judge Talbot Macbeth handed down his finding in a suit recently tried at

Was Also Seriously Injured—Others Had Narrow Escape

Guelph, Out., Feb. 7 .- Robert Wright farmer about forty years of age, of Ashgrove, three and a half miles from Georgetown, was killed. Mildred Bessey, aged fifteen, lies riously injured at Guelph hospital, as the result of being struck by a Grand Trunk passenger train going east shortly before five o'clock vesterday.

The fatality occurred at a crossing on the seventh line of township of Esquesing, two miles afternoon. west. of Georgetown.

Pearl Bossey aged twelve, also occupant of the buggy, escaped with a bruise on one knee. Her brother, Roy, aged nine, and David Marcellus, who were sitting in the back of the rig, jumped in time to save themselves, and were uninjured.

***** READ ALL THE WHIG

The second section of The Whig, today, is full of splendid news' distributed over all the pages, and should carefully read. On page 9, the financial and social appear, along with a Mutt and Jeff feature that is extremely interesting. The Book Review is on page ten, and is of great merit to those concern-The Man on Watch speaks to the readers from page eleven and is really upto-date in comment on local events. On page twelve is another section of our new story, and the farmers will

Prosecute Heresy Charge London, Feb. 7 .- The Bishop o

East Africa yesterday, his mission being to plead the charges of heresy before the Archbishop of Canterbury against the two bishops who took Ottawa, Feb. 7 .- A decision of in- part in the famous denominational

HAVE NO REAL OBJECTION way commission, meeting in Toron- Using Ireland As A Pawn To Destroy pross supporters continue to refer The Present Govern-

Louden, Feb. 7 .- John Redmond National Liberal Club expressed the pay, and will increase the death duconviction that the Unionist party ties and impose supertax of two home rule for Ireland but was using Iraland as a pawn in a game to deso doing restore to the House Lords the power of veto.

Give Minister a Holiday Galt, Feb. 7.-The congregation Knox Presbyterian church has granted | Kingston, Brockville. author-preacher. he may recover his health. On the

100 tins white wax cherries, wonth Buffs."

and his wife left, yesterday, for the

VANCOUVER STRIKE

F. B. Carvell Severely Criticizes the Careless Manner of the Minister In Discussing Labor Matters Calls Him "Minister of Play."

Ottawa, Feb. 7 .- "Here we have a

or seven months, to settle the dif- get her afloat ferences between the men and the mine operators. Was there ever such confession made by a minister of labor in any parliament ?"

This was the beginning of termined liberal attack upon the action and indifference of Hon. Mr Crothers, Premier Borden's eminister of labor in the whole administration of his department, and particularly in regard to the Vancouver Island troubles, the most serious labor disturbances in the history of Canada, disturbances marked by bitter violence and bloodshed

The attack began when the esti mates of the labor department came up for consideration and liberal after liberal condemned the dagrant disregard of labor interests shown by the minister, basing the criticism in large part upon the statements made the house by Mr. Crothers himself. "The careless manner of the minis

ter in discussing the matter." Mr. Carvell, "would lead one to think that this was a matter of portance. If ever he has convinced which he gave himself, .che 'minister of play, it must have been yesterday

MAY WITNESS SCRIES OF AMAZ- great crowd this morning at the hear-

ING TROBENCE When It Meets Next Week - Ireand Will Entirely Dominat the New Session. London, Fef. 7 .- Politicians await The temperance people say the trial in the vicinity at the time occurred taxed \$20 and costs. The case against Tuesday's opening of parliament will disclose organized corruption of on Clarence street. The citizen was

with an anxiety rarely paralleled in voters in the three countries which enclosed in one of the old fashioned missed. modern times. There is everywhere scenes of strain and tension which may easily develop at the first fight into scenes of amazing violence Parliamentarism and democracy are on trial. The liberals realize that essential issue of the coming session is not home rule, but the enforcement of the parliament act and the demonstration of supremacy of the commons over the lords.

have developed an amazing air of confidence. They declare that they have a secret plan up their sleeve, which will inevitably force dissolution within three months. Rumor describes their methods to be schemes which have been previously til the Russian flag floats over the mentioned, the rejection of the army Carpathian mountains." This is one bill by the lords in combination with of the statements attributed to Count the labor party and the anti-arma- Vladimir Bobrinsky. ment over the navy estimates, the unionists voting with the others in a snap division for the reduction or day of Sir George Ross is said to be result of exposure to the wrong musiorganized obstruction. Unless they very serious. Sir James Whitney have some better scheme, they will practically convalescent. fail. The government on their side, have resolved to leave no stone unturned in advancing their concili-

King George has again taken a The government has offered the opposition practically any Ulster concessions within the limits of the integrity of Ireland, the establishmen. of an Irish parliament and an executive responsible to it. Ireland will, from the opening hour, dom't. ate the new session. Nothing else is now discussed. Lloyd George's acrimoniously to Churchill's ducal indifference to money.

George, compelled to yield Churchill on various details of exob- shillings in the pound on incomes of over five thousand pounds.

Old Pianos Exchanged

It is officially announced that las or player pianos. We will give Napanee are giving a dance, this even- morning that be had been robbed of plan. Kindly call at our warerooms. ents, Mr. and Mrs. James Vine, re- been robbed of his watch. Phone or write us and we will give turned, on Monday last, to their you full particulars. C. W. Lindsay, home in Calgary, making a short stop \$1.50 overalls, strongest made, \$1.

At Sagnaw, Michigan, three trainnen were killed in a collision on the "Phone Gibson's for drugs."

have been affiliated with "The

GENERAL ATTACK ON TARREF Liberals Will Not Confine Onslaugh to Food Duties

Ottawa, Feb. 7 .- It is rumored today that when the budget debate takes place next month the liberals. will make a general attack on tariff, and not limit it to the food idea, as enunciated by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. To a section of the party that particular policy appeals, but the rural wing objects to the farmer being sacrificed at the expense of the manufacturers. So it is that a general crusade against the tarifi on manufacturers as well as on food is said to be in contemplation.

WAVES BREAKING VESSEL

But the Crew Are Striving Hard to APPLAUDED EN COMMONS BY

Float Her. Manasquan, N.J., Feb. 7.-Fastly aground on Squan Beach, with huge waves breaking her to pieces, is the trike involving some four thousand British tramp steamer Queen Louis. men, starting in December, 1912," Her crew of twenty men are still all said F. B. Carvell, liberal member for aboard with the exception of two cab-Carleton, N.B., in discussing the labor in boys, who have been taken off by troubles in the coal fields of Vancou- means of breechers buoy. The rest of ver Island in the bouse, "and out- the crew declined to leave the ship, ly, though in all kindness, to the side of a telegram to the men in but have two lines of breeches buoy British war office, that so far as the general terms, practically not a fin- connected with the shore so that they militia department is concerned, no ger was lifted by the minister of la- can get to shore at a few minutes Canadian rifleman will have to bo bor, not an effort was made for six notice. They are striving manfully to to its autocratic rulings. If we are

A Detective Murdered

New York, Feb. 7.-Frank Palazzo private detective, was shot and stantly killed, early this morning, two unknown gunmen, as he left esidence in a quiet part of the city It is thought that the Black Hand in spired murder.

THERE IS GRAVE CONCERN OVER INTERNATIONAL ISSUE

Berlin Is Fearful Of The Dispute Between Japan And United

Berlin, Germany, Feb. 7 .- Accordng to a prominent member of the kaiser's court it is the opinion, in the highest military and naval cir- Clark (Red Deer, Alta.). cles that the questions at issue between the United States and Japan are graver than is generally belived he former country decides on military intervention in Mexico.

SENSATIONS PROMISED

the Temperance Voting Trial

Bridgeburg, Feb. 7.-There was ing of the case against Loputy Return | A local business man didwith making false returns in connecsations are promised. Twenty witnes- no serious results, but created ses are summoned for examination. great deal of amusement ofr thos

Three New Bishops

London, Feb. 7.-The first bishop of his office the conveyance overturnor the new see of Chelmsford is Rev. ed. Watts Ditchfield, of Bethnal Green. Unionists during the past week op of Lewes. Dr. Burrows, and the was opened, and the business man Hodgson.

Russia's Insidious Work. Buda Post, Hungary, Feb. 7 .- "Russia will not demobilize her army un-

Ross in Serious Condition

THE MAYOR OF OTTAWA

tional lines to effect a compronise. Charged That He Is In Debt To City For Taxes And Is Ottawa, Feb. 7 .- Proceedings have

been commenced to remove Taylor Mc-Veity from the office of mayor on the locks showing a very perceptible thinground that it is alleged he is not le- ning by the age of fifty. The harm gally qualified, for a number of rea- done is among players of brass insons, to hold office. The principle struments, and those who make much grounds given for action are that Mc- use of the cornet and the horn ad-Veity had claims for damages out- vance rapidly towards baldness, while 'Phone 577 The latest report is that Lloyd standing against the city at the time players of the trombone lose at least of his election, that he is in the debt sixty per cent of their hair in about five years.

Tidings From Napance

the customs house, Napanec, has gone on a visit to New York. Keith Johnston spent Sunday with his parents. Limited, Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa, off at Toronto and Winnipeg.

Kingston, Brockville.

Mrs. Edward Boyle entertained, on Emma Knight, the muchly-married Thursday afternoon, in honor of guest, Miss Collins, of Toronto.

A large crowd attended the carnival pended sentence. at Mack's rink, on Wednesday evening. "Buy plasters," at Gibson's. Miss Nettie Vandusen is the guest of A new edifice of the cathedral type The Queen's Own Riffes Toronto, improving nicely, after illness.

"Benson and Hedges' Tobacco."

Canadian Riflemen Will Not Bow To It

BOTH PARTIES

When He Declared that Canadian Riflemen Would Not Take Part in Bisley Meet if Modern Canadian Rifle Was Erred.

Ottawa, Feb. 7 .- "Let me say plainobliged to abandon our Canadian rifle and use an obsolete weapon at the decree of the war office or retire from the contest, we will retire. No Canadian volunteer will leave the shores of Canada with any such yoke and

handicap upon him. It was Col. the Hon. Sam Hughes the militant Canadian, who made this declaration in parliament yesterday, amid a vigorous rattle of hearty

"I am totally out of harmony with the extravagant expenditure of the minister of militia, but I congratulate him upon his manly Canadian spirit in this matter. I am with him, because it is Canadian and because it is right," announced Frank Carvell (Carleton, N.B.)

"I am far from an expert on military matters, but it is good to hear that we are to have autonomy for our fighting department on land if we are denied it by the fighting department on water," quote Dr. Michael "Why not take the same exception

to interierence by the admiralty office as we take to interference by the war ed will become acute the moment office?" queried Hon. Mr. Emmerson. "I congratulate the minister on the robust Canadianism he has manifest ed," added E. M. Macdonald (Pictou) amid further applause.

"JACK ON THE BOX."

Local Business Man Had Experience Saturday.

ing Officer Coulthurst, who is charged "Jack in the Box" stunt on Saturday J. W. Bradshaw, at the court house morning when being driven down to on Saturday morning. William Yatetion with the Scott act election. Sen- business. The accident which had man, Storrington, was found "guilty" voted on the Canada Temperance act. cab sleighs, being drawn by a single horse. When the right runner mounted a ridge of ice and snow outside

As soon as the "cabby" made sure He is famous as a man's parson, and that his horse would remain quiet visited Vancouver, Winnipeg and Mont- he turned his attention to releasing real recently on behalf of the Church his imprisoned passenger. The glass of England Men's Society. The first of the door on the right hand side "Sweet castor oil." 10c. Gibson's. bishop of Shelfield is the present bish- of the sleigh, which was uppermost. first Bishop of Ipswich is Ven. II. B. | bobbed out his head like a "Jack in the box." He at once climbed out none of the worse of his experience The harness was loosened and the horse released after which the sleigh

INFLUENCE ON HARR Stimulation Brought About by Action

of Sounds. the nutrition of the bodily tissues and McLeod's Greecry 51 Unten St., W.

ort this view. The influence, however, is always Vallean's Grocery 308 Montreal the same. Male pianists have wealth of hair, and it is found that playing the piano and violin have a specially beneficial effect, as do also, in less degree, the violoncello, the harp

Players of the fiute and clarinet get much less hirsute stimulation, their

TWO WATCHES STOLEN

Napanec, Feb. 7 .- J. P. Hanley, of Young Man and Old Man Report Losing Their Timepieces

A sneak thief is evidently working Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Johnston. Miss overtime in the city and apparently We want old pianos and will make Edna French has resigned her position gold watches is his chief stock-ina liberal allowance for them in part with the Robinson company and has trade. A young man from Parham payment towards new pianos, Victro- gone to Toronto. The young men of reported to the Whig on Saturday Right Hon. Ronald Crauford Munro- you a good new upright plano at ing, in the town hall. Mr. and Mrs. a gold watch while he was around Ferguson, member of parliament for 86 per month, or a player piano at W. J. Vine, after spending three the city and he also reported that a Vienna. Feb. 7 .- The Austrian Leith, will succeed Lord Denman as \$10 per month, on the instalment months in town, the guests of his par- friend of his, an aged man, had also

her woman, found guilty of bigamy at Toronto, was allowed to go on sus-

friends in Deseronto, Bonald Hum is will replace Knox church, Stratford, burned last spring. Arthur White was elected president of London Canadian Club.

"Sweet castor oil," 10c. Gibson's.

1 \$7,500,000.

BARON DE FOREST An hereditary baron of the Austrian men of the British aristocracy, who offers to buy the Earl of Derby's Bootle estate at the latter's valuation

WITH OUR READERS.

Seldom do newspapers receive conscience money. That pleasure is generally reserved for the government. However, for the first time in its recollection. The Whig, on Friday last, received fifty cents in stamps, enclosed in a letter which read:

"Just use these stamps in the business. It's alright. Don't try to find out who sent them, but you can use them with a clear conscience." And just think of it-they

came through the Odessa

***** Buy Jad Salts," at Gibson's. Right now is the best time to ave your residence photographed if there are many trees in front. Phone

G. E. Marrison. Buy drugs at Gibson's. Phone 230. Two liquor cases were tried by Jusices of the Peace George Hunter and of being under the influence of liquor William Mellroy, Verona, was dis-

"Sweet castor oil," 10c. Gibson's. The extreme cold weather continues in the west. - Shippers of perishable

goods in Ontario will have to provide for zero temperature. "Backache plasters." Gibson's During the course of the rising Lima eleven persons were killed

Belleville, Ont., the body of John S. Dickson was found on the J. T. R. tracks terribly mangled. "Buy plasters," at Gibson's.

IS ON SALE AT THE FOLLOW

ING CITY STORES Bucknell's News Depot .. 205 King 10, Clarke, J. W. & Co. ... 353 Princess The eleven per cent of all musicians College Book Store 160 Princess Toronto, Feb. 7 .- The condition to are bald, it appears that this is the Coulter's Grocery 269 Princess Cullen's Grocery, Cor. Princess & Alfred is cal vibrations. M. Henri de Parville, Frontenne Hotel Ontario St. the French physicist, is credited with Gibson's Drug Store .. Market Square the theory that the well-known action McAuley's Book Store 93 Princess of music on the nervous system affects MeGall's Cigar Store Cor. Prin. & King this has an influence on the hair, and Medley's Drug Store 260 University Ave it is claimed that observations sup- Paul's Cigar Store 70 Princess Prouse's Drug Store 312 Princess

> BORN PURTELL-in Kingston, on Feb. 6. 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Purtell, corner John and Montreak Sts., a daughter.

> > DEED

AMBERT-In Kingston, Feb. 7th, 1914, Eleanor, daughter of Thomas J. Lambert, 473 Albert St., aged 10 ROBERT J. REID

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