REMINDERS.

MONDAY.

Convention of students at 8 p.m. TUESDAY.

PARADE of "A" Company at Drill Shed. SALE of Mis. Lake's furniture, 251 Brock Street. at 10.30 a.m. CONVOCATION at Queen's University at 2:30. SALE of Dwelling House, by Murcay, between 12 and 1 p.m.

BIRTHS.

Robinson-April 21st, the wife of W. J. Robinson, 353 Division street, of a son.

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BETWEEN the Post Office and Portsmouth. A PASS BOOK, of no value to anyone but the owner. A reward will be paid upon its return to J. FISHER, Portsmouth.

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SEASON 1889.

STEAMER ALEXANDRIA will commence her trips this season by leaving MONTREAL on Thursday, 25th Instant, at Noon, arriving in Kingstom on Friday night, and leaving for Trenton and Way Ports on SATURDAY MORNING at 5 o'clock. Returning, will leave for Montreal and Way Ports EVERY MONDAY NIGHT at 7:30 o'clock, until further no-

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CARS MAY BE ASSESSED.

The Administration May Impose Duties on Canadian Rolling Stock.

WASHINGTON, April 22 .- It is not improbable that Canadian freight cars, coming into the United States, and running over United States railroads, will have to pay the regular rate of duty at points of entry. The treasury department has had the matter under consideration for some time, in fact, ever since the fisheries trouble. But at that time it was considered as a possible retaliatory measure. If now adopted it would simply be in accordance with the protective tariff ideas of the administration and to protect United States car builders. In preparation for this move on the part of the treasury department an account has been kept at some points of entry, notably at Detroit, of the dutiable freight cars belonging to Canadian roads which come in. It is estimated that an average of three hundred such cars come in daily at Detroit, Port Huron and Niagara Falls, and that fully three thousand dutiable Canadian cars are in constant use on roads in the United States not one of them having paid a cent for duty. There are three classifications under which these cars may come and there does not appear to be any precedents to show which it will be. On manufactures of wood, they would pay 35 per cent. ad valorem; on manufacture of iron, 45 per cent., and on carriages, 35 per cent.

EMURDROUS ASSAULT.

Charles Swift, Late of Trenton, Ont., Al-

most Decapitates a Man. MISSOULA, Mont., April 22. - Charles Swift, from Trenton, Ont., committed a murderous assault upon John Delmore, a barkeeper, nearly decapitating him. Swift ordered Delmore to set up champagne for the crowd. This Delmore refused to do, and Swift drew a knife saying: "I will cut your throat." Two of the wounds are serious. Swift is foreman of a large logging firm, and a bully. He is now in gaol. Delmore is weak from loss of blood. His friends have no hope of his recovery.

Who He Communicated With.

LONDON, April 22.—Major LeCaron, the witness in the Parnell-Times' case, says he was never known to the Canadian govern, ment by the name of LeCaron, but he did communicate with the government as Thamas Beach. He was instructed from London to enter into communication with the then governor-general of Canada, and by his direction he corresponded with Judge McMicken, the chief commissioner of police, when the matters connected with the contemplated invasion became acute. LeCaron says he has in his possession many letter of the most complimentary character, thanking him for his assistance at that period.

A Brave Switchman.

NEW YORK, April 20.—He was a railway switchman in greasy overalls. There was nothing remarkable about him as he stood at his post in the Pennsylvania depot, in Jersey City, an ordinary, grimy workman, the bread winner of a wife and seven child ren. A ten-years-old child stood on the track. Within a few feet of him was a moving train. Death was certain unless some hand snatched the child away. Without a moment's hesitation, Patrick McAtamney leaped forward and pushed the little one out of danger. Then the train rolled on and the headless corpse of the brave switch man was found.

An Anti-Jesuit Circular.

TORONTO, April 22.—The citizens' committee on the Jesuit agitation has issued an address to the "People of Ontario" asserting respect for the Catholic religion, but denouncing the Jesuits' estates bill as unjust, unconstitutional and disloyal, and advocat ing the presentation of petitions to the governor-general against the bill; taking steps to test the legality of the act in the courts; and holding a provincial convention here on June 12th.

Yellow Fever Eaging.

BALTIMORE, April 22.—The British steamship Pine Branch, from Rio Janeiro, reports yellow fever as raging terribly at Santos and Rio Janeiro. The number of deaths at the latter port reaches one hundred a day. Chief Engineer Thomas, of the Pine Branch, was left at Rio suffering from the fever. March 31st a boy belonging to the crew died and was buried at sea.

Illegal Weights and Measures.

Picton, April 20. - The district inspector of weights and measures seized 70 barrels of salt sold by the Blyth salt works to the Rathbun company. The barrels were short from 20 to 50 pounds. Mr. Johnson also charged, before Police Magistrate Curry, Archibald Hoover, for using a short and unjust measure. He was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs.

Strike in Vienna.

VIENNA, April 22.—The majority of the carmen in the city are on strike. The socialists side with them. The rioting yesterday occurred in the suburbs. The military and police charged the crowds with swords. Many rioters received bloody wounds, and about 100 were arrested. The mob replied by throwing stones.

Wellington R. Burt, Saginaw, president of the Michigan salt association, goes to England to secure \$10,000,000 by means of which, with the pool already formed in this country, the entire salt product of the United States will be controlled.

U.S. BOODLERS IN CANADA

HAVE MORE REASON THAN EVER TO BE UNEASY.

Prof. Weldon's Bill Transferred to Government Orders-Three Important Bills

Put Through Committee. OTTAWA, April 20. - The House had a Saturday sitting to-day, the first of the session. The uneasiness of the colony of United States boodlers in Canads will not be at all allayed by the action taken with reference to the bill of Professor Weldon of Albert to extend the list of extraditable crimes. Sir John Thompson moved that the bill be transferred to Government orders.

Hon. Mr. Laurier said the details of the bill would occasion a very long discussion and it might be well therefore to leave it over to

Sir John Macdonald said there was great moral impatience on the part of the people of Canada to put an end to the inflow of rascality from the United States. Cynics might say we had enough rascality of our own, but it was well to tell the world that we don't want either these people or their ill-gotten gains. He thought the bill so unobjectionable in principle that it would meet with but little opposition, but if its details were likely to lead to protracted debate it would then remain for the House to say what disposition should be made of it.

Hon. I. H. Davies thought the Imperial authorities would not allow the proposed act to come in force. He knew it would meet great opposition in the House. Mr. Chariton endorsed the Premier's con-

tentions. Hon. David Mills objected and said there was a big heap of constitutional questions in

the way of the measure. Sir John Macdonald then pointed out that both England and Canada were anxious to enlarge the list of extraditable offences, and that whatever delay had taken place in this direction was due to the action of the American authorities. By passing the bill we would inform England and the United States that Canada is anxious to have the extradition treaty enlarged, and this would have a bene-

The motion then passed. When Hon. John Costigan's bill to further amend the Inland Revenue Act was before the Committee of the Whole Mr. Davin moved an amendment permitting brewers in the Northwest to manufacture 4 per cent. beer, that strength being now imported for sale by special permit. The motion was lost without division, and the bill adopted.

When the bill to amend the General Inspection Act was before the committee Mr. Davin moved to increase the number of inspectors of grain standards from 9 to 11, so as to give the Northwest representation on the board. The amendment was accepted by Mr. Costigan and the bill agreed to.

The bill amending the Copyright Act was agreed to after some discussion on the powers of Parliament to enact such legislation, and on Sir John's statement that it would not come in force until it had received Imperial

After recess the debate on the resolution respecting the proposed subsidy for the Atlantic steamship service was resumed in com mittee of the whole. Some opposition was offered by Ontario memberson the ground that the improved service would not be of sufficient advantage to off the increased expense. Colonel O'Brien her that the country should not pay \$500,000 to gratify St. John or Halifax. He wanted a class of vessels that would give farmers cheaper and faster freight service. Six-day ocean steamships such as proposed were of advantage only to the rich, to the class who used Pullman cars on the railways.

Mr. Paterson of Brant held that the people of the Upper Provinces were bound to use New York as a more expeditious port than Halifax or St. John, but Prof. Weldon and Mr. Shanly showed that with a reasonably fast mail train to meet the incoming boats the passage from England to Toronto would take less time via Halifax than via New York.

The evening discussion was mainly devoted to a discussion of the relative advantages of St. John and Halifax as the winter terminal port. A few minutes before midnight the resolution was adopted by the committee and the House adjourned.

The Missing Link.

OTTAWA, April 21.—Sir John Macdonald has given notice of a resolution affirming the expediency of the building by the Government of the proposed line of railway between Harvey and Salisbury and asking an appropriation this year of \$500,000 towards that object. The line to be built is miles long and passes through a country rich in unworked coal beds. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company have long been pressed to build this link as part of their short line but have declined. It will make Halifax about 15 miles nearer to the Upper Provinces.

A Georgetown Fire.

Georgerown, April 20. - Shortly before 12 o'clock last night a fire broke out in the dwelling house of W. R. Brown, wagonmaker and implement agent. The fire had attained considerable headway before it was discovered. The members of the family were soundly sleeping, and when aroused barely escaped with their lives. Mr. Brown's loss is heavy. It includes his dwelling, wagon shop and contents, implements and a new wagon and two other dwelling houses owned by him and occupied by E. Black, Geo. Errington and M. Newton, the contents of which were partially saved. Insurance about \$1000, in the Glasgow and London and the Wellington Mutual.

Sentenced to Death.

Washington, April 20.—Grace Smallwood, a small, weazened colored woman, was to-day sentenced to be hanged Oct. 11. She murdered her illegitimate child at its birth by tying a shoe string around its neck. Her mental condition is open to doubt. In passing sentence the court said it had reason to believe executive clemency would interfere to prevent its execution. This is the first time since Mrs. Surratt's trial that a woman has been sentenced to death in the District of Columbia.

A Father's Terrible Crime.

Appearen, N. V., April 20, Frank Hancock employed as fireman in the mill of Waite & Atwell at Blue Run, Pa, was found dead this morning between 6 and 7 o'clock, having hung himself in'a bedroom of the shanty he occupied. In a bed in the same room lay the bodies of his four children, two with their throats cut, the other two stabbed in the heart. The eldest was 10 years old. The youngest child, aged 4, was still alive when the horrible discovery was made, but has since died.

Explosion of an Oil Tank.

LIMA, O., April 20 .- One of the large iron tanks of the Standard refinery exploded this afternoon and scattered oil in every direction. The tank contained 40,000 barrels of distilled pil. The oil ran down and filled the ditches along the Chicago and Atlantic road, which made it necessary to bank the fires of loco-motives while passing the grounds to prevent a large conflagration. The loss will reach \$40,000. No one was injured.

St. Paul, April 20. - During the afternoon a large number of street cars were kept going, one or two policemen being in charge of each. About 60 Kansas City men have arrived to take the places of strikers. Some of them claimed to have taken advantage of the free transportation offered to reach this city and did not go to work.

THE THEOLOGICAL HALL.

The Results Made Public To-day-The Winners of Various Scholarships. At noon to-day the results of the exam inations in the theological hall, Queen's uni-

versity, were made public, thus : Bachelors of Divinity-Rev. Jacob Steele, B. A., Seymour ; John McKinnon, B. A., Belfast, P. E. I.

Passed in Biblical introduction and theology-Chas. J. Cameron, M. A., Kingston. Scholarship in Theology-Spence, James Rattray, B. A., Scotland; Robert Anderson (for third year divinity), J. J. Wright, B. A., Peterboro; Robert Anderson (for second 'year divinity), W. H. Cornett, B A., Gananoques and E. G. Walker, M. A., Montreal : Robert Anderson (for first year divinity), A. McKenzie, B A., Tiverton, and G. B. Scott, B. A., Belleville. Toronto No. 1, (for second year Hebrew), Chas. A. Campbell, Smith's Falls. Toronto No. 2, (for third year Hebrew and Chaldee), John McKinnon, B. A., P. E. Island; Hugh Mc-Lennan (for church history), G. A. Cosgrove, B. A., Port Hope; Hugh Rankin (for Apologeties), P. A. McLood, B. A., Dundas, P.E. Island.

Third Hebrew and Chaldee-Orr Bennett, John McKinnon, Richard Whiteman.

Old Testament Exegesis-Charles Cameron, Charles A. Campbell, William H. Cornett, Thomas A. Cosgrove, John A. Mc-Donald, Arch. McKenzie, John McKinnon, James G. Potter, James Rattray, Edward G Walker, Richard Whiteman, John J.

Apologetics-J. A. Campbell, W. H. Cornett, T. Cosgrove, D. Fleming, N. T. Mc-Kay, J. Rattray, R. J. Sturgeon, E. G. Walker, J. A. McDorald, P. A. McLeod,

Hugh Ross. New Testament Exegesis-C. J. Cameron, D. Flemming, J. A. McDonald, A. McKenzie, J. McKinnon, J. G. Potter, G. B. Scott, E. G. Walker, A. Whiteman, J. J. Wright. Testamurs in Theology-Orr Bonnett, J. McKinnon, J. G. Potter, R. Whiteman,

Passed the Sessional Examinations, Theology-Orr Bennett, C. J. Cameron, D. Flem ing, N. T. C. McKay, J. McKinnon, J. G. Potter, R. Whiteman, J. J. Wright, C. A. Campbell, W. H. Cornett, I. A. Cosgrove, R. Rattray, R. J. Sturgeon, E. G. Walker, J. A. McDonald, A. McKenzie, T. B. Scott. Church bistory-J. G. Bryan, C. A. Campbell, C. J. Cameron, W. H. Cornett, T. A. Cosgrove, D. Feming, J. A. McDonald, P. A. McLeod, N. C. McKay, A. Mc Kenzie, J. McKinnon, J. G. Potter, J. Rattray, H. Ross, T. B. Scott, R. J. Sturgeon, E G. Walker, R. Whiteman, J. J. Wright. Junior Hebrew-John D. Boyd, G. S. Eldridge, J. C. Falconer, Alfred Fitzpatrick, John Fraser, Neil McPherson, Rannie M. Phelan, Daniel Strachan.

Supplementary Junior Hebrew-J. J Wright.

Second Year Hebrew-Charles A. Campbell, Hugh Ross, Edward G. Walker, J. J. Wright.

Special Hebrew-Charles J. Cameron. INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up by Our Re-

porters in Their Rambles. W. G. Pollock, Cleveland, has arrived in

The "Harbour Lights" company will ap-

pear here on May 6. The school children, Portsmouth, are en-

joying a holiday to-day. Arrivals at Portsmouth-S.S. Algonquin,

Toledo, 71,500 bushels of corn. Some of the timbers in Cataraqui bridge were injured by the wind last evening.

The street cars will be ready for service next week. They are being thoroughly overhauled and painted.

Some scoundrel daubed Mr. Rees' top buggy with paint while in the shed at the Methodist church, Portsmouth. Next Sunday afternoon the members of

the Royal Templars, Portsmouth, will be addressed in St. John's church by Rev. Mr. A public meeting in Napanee decided in favor of the council granting \$12,000 for a

new high school without appealing to the The best local talent with Mr. Ramage, a comic vocalist, Toronto, has been secured for the Oddfellows' concert on April 26th.

The patronage should be large. The following doctors are registered at the British American hotel: Drs. F. L. M. Grassett, G. Acheson, R. A. Pyne, Toronto; A. McKay, Ingersoll; J. A. Grant, jr., Ottawa, and D. Munro, Perth. They conducted the medical examinations concluded

SPECULATION IN CATS.

An Enterprising Dubuque Man Getting

Rich Shipping Felines to Dakota, DUBUQUE, Iowa, April 22 -Two car loads of cats have been shipped to Dakota by an enterprising speculator, and another car load is being secured for shipment. They are in demand to kill mice which swarm the corn and whest bins doing great damage. In this market the felines bring from 50 cents to \$1, while the speculator receives \$3 each for them in Dakota. When shipped they are placed in separate boxes to prevent hostile encounters, and they make enough noise to awaken the seven sleepers.

The Dorcas Society.

The annual meeting of the Dorcas society was held at the rooms, Thursday, April 18th, when reports from the secretary and treasurer were read giving a very satisfactory account of the working of the society for the past year. Fifty families had been visited and 467 different articles of clothing distributed among them. The greater portion of these were made up by the ladies from new material bought with the money which was received from subscription fees, and the proceeds of an excursion in August. But they are in addition greatly indebted to the following ladies for bundles of cast-off clothing: Mesdames G. Sears, J. McMahon, Routley, Falconer, Sine, Young, and Miss Rose. Several gentlemen also greatly aided this good work. Mr. Wilson, of the cotton mill, gave a bale of cotton ; Mr. Dunham fifty bread tickets, and Mr. Upper a quantity of beef. The True Blues contributed \$8. The following officers were elected Mrs. Hoppins, president; Mrs. Whiting, first vice-president; Miss Meadows, second vice president; Mrs. Sine, secretary; Mrs. Couper, re elected treasurer.

Women's Medical College,

The first and fourth year scholarships will not be awarded this year on account of no candidate coming up to the required standard, viz., seventy-five per cent. of the marks. The winner of the second year scholarship is Miss McCallum, of Maxwell, and of the third year scholarship Mrs. Walker, of Pittsferry.

AFFAIRS OF THE WORLD.

TELEGRAMS FROM THE EARTH'S FOUR QUARTERS GIVEN.

The Little Things that Affect Canadians-Flashes From Europe and What They Portend-A Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

The Bijou theatre, Melbourne, has been destroyed by fire.

The wheat crop of the Western States is in excellent condition.

Count de St. Foix, French minister to Uruguay, has been transferred to Mexico. The Irish Times states that Lord Brownlow has accepted the viceroyship of Ireland.

The will of the late William J. Lyms, of

New York, leaves \$350,000 to Roosevelt

hospital. The steamship Missouri, bringing a portion of the Denmark's passengers, has ar-

rived at Delaware. The Shah of Persia will arrive in St. Petersburg on a visit to the czar May 23rd. He will leave for Berlin on the 27th.

Simeon Heouts, Attica, Ind., Saturday night, shot his wife dead and then killed himself. Cause of the deed jealousy. Sir Charles Tupper is making arrange-

ments for the settlement in Manitoba for

the last party of Crofters brought out, The Union Pacific RR. holds a controlling interest in fifty-eight corporations organized for various purposes in several states and territories.

James Kelso, a guest at the Indiana house, Cincincati, was assaulted in his room by a stranger who beat him into unconsciousness and robbed him of \$3,000. Dr. Jenkins, ex-M.P., says that Prince

Edward Island would be one great potato garden if there was free trade between Canada and the United States. Don Sebastian Lerdo de Tjada, ex-president of Mexico, died in New York yester-

day afternoon. The remains will be taken to Mexico and buried with high honours. Mrs. A. H. Lucas, Carthage, Mo., accompanied by her two daughters and hired man attempting to ford a swollen creek in a wag

gon, were carried down the stream and drowned. Mrs. Maria St. John Sheffield, New Haven, Conn., died last night. Mrs. Sheffield and her children were left a fortune, estimated at \$5,000,000, by the decease of her hus-

Dr. Pierce, who has arrived at Zanzibar, reports that the people of the Somali ports refused to give the steamer on which he travelled any cargo and notified him that if he landed he would be killed.

band in 1882.

In September, 1890, two centuries will have passed since the first paper mill was erected in America, in Roxboro, Phila. It is proposed that the bicentennial anniversary be fittingly celebrated. Renden Darden and Thomas Dansby, Lit-

tle Rock, Ark., convicted of violating the

election laws last November, have been sentenced the first to five years in the penitentiary and the last to pay a fine of \$500. Brown, a murderer at Moorehead, Minn., admits killing George Fulljames in a prize fight at Grand Forks, Dakota. He also shot

and killed one George Casey at Hillsboro. The confession clears O'Hara in gaol for shooting Casey. A forest fire broke out in South Hadley yesterday and, aided by the high winds, spread rapidly, covering hundreds of acres and doing much damage. Another fire in

East Hampton became so threatening that the fire department was called out. A year ago George Lucas, Dubuque, Ia., while drunk, put a bullet into his head. He recovered sufficiently to attend to business. Thursday he felt the ball. It was extracted from the brain where it had penetrated over

an inch. Lucas will recover completely. SIR JULIAN ARRIVES.

He Chats With Reporters and Says He is

Pleased With American Courtesy.

New York, April 22.—Sir Julian Pauncefote, the new British minister is here. He said yesterday that his appointment was something of a surprise to everyone, but to no one more so than himself. "But now that I am here," he added, "I can say that I am glad to come to America, for if my treatment by my American fellow voyagers is any criterion my reception in this country will have nothing to be desired. I shall try to do my duty and more I cannot say. like the open hearted hospitality manifested by the American people, and I feel assured that, although this is my first visit to the United States, I shall find myself most happily situated."

Sir Julian was asked how the home rule question was getting on in England. He said: "There does not seem to be no change. I hear the Rochester election was lost by the conservatives, but there is another important one to occur at Birmingham soon. The question has been gone over so much that interest by the public is on the

wane I think. Speaking of Mr. Gladstone the new minister said : "He is still a most indefatigible worker, his voice is as powerful as it was twenty years ago, and it is a pleasure to listen to his clear and vigorous utterances. He will probably die in the harness."

Sir Julian will return to England for his wife and family next September. He has four beautiful daughters. Sir Julian has already secured a home in Washington.

MURDERED AND BURNED.

The Awful Intelligence a Farmer Received on Returning to His Home.

CHARLOTTE, N.C., April 22. - W. P. Wood, an industrious farmer of Macon county, was called away from home on Monday last and when he returned on Friday he found that his house had been burned and that his wife, three sons and two daughters had been murdered. He had saved up a few hundred dollars which he kept in a trunk in the house, there being no banks in the vicinity. This was known in the neighborhood. Several axes and clubs and two large bowie knives, all stained with blood, were found in the ruins. The trunk, broken open and rifled, was found a short distance away. Enough bones were removed from the ashes to prove with the bloodstained weapons that the family had been murdered and then burned with the building. When this discovery was made Wood fainted. There are as yet no clues to the perpetrators of the crime.

Strikers Becoming Demonstrative.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 22.—The strikers and their sympathizers last night tore up the track on nearly all the lines in the outlying districts As fast as the police assembled to protect the company's property at one point the mob sought another and continued the work of destruction. The police force is wholly inadequate.