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me. When I wrote to her some time ago I was a very woman, suf ering from female roubles. I had nflammation of he female organs, and could not tand or walk anv distance. At last I was confined to my ed, and the doctor said I would have

to go through an operation, but this I refused to do. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now. after using three bottles of it, I feel like a new woman. I most heartily recommend this medicine to all women who suffer with female troubles. I have also taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills and think they are fine."-Mrs. Frank Emsley, Lindsay, Ontario.

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#### SKIN CURED THROUGH SKIN

Suppose you scratch your hand-

It is the same with Eczema and other and I venture to say that it has been skin diseases. The trouble is in the violated at almost every meeting in skin and no amount of blood medicines the most flagrant manner. This counwill kill the disease germs. To accom-plish this cure the best medicine is oil mendation at the last meeting to colwintergreen compounded with lect the rent, and then violated it in thymo! glycerine, etc., and this must two minutes afterward. Nine of the be used in liquid form. The liquid penaldermen fairly tumbled over themetrates to the inner skin and kills the selves to violate it. This ought not

If you want quick relief and a permanent cure write the D. D. D. Laboratories, Dept. LA., 23 Jordan street, Teronto, for a free sample bottle. We tion as seriously as they should, and don't ask you to buy till you have hinted that they were too anxious to proved positively that D. D. D. re-lieves the itch. The free trial bottle ask. will prove that, and to complete the cure you can get D. D. D. in regular dishonest," continued Ald. Richter. "If W. T. Strong, druggists.



NEW MILITIA GAME. Terento, March 7.-Major A. emigrating territorials to Canada the bylaw as well as others in the inder arms, get them jobs, and hand council. hem over to the Canadian militla, acording to a Standard correspondent.

## HEAD ENGINEER IDEA APPROVED

City Council Last Night Indorsed Scheme to Appoint a Big Man.

RATHER LIVELY DEBATE | for charitab this trouble.

A Joint Meeting With the Water Commissioners Is To Be Arranged at Once - The Duties of the Council.

The council, at its meeting last night, approved of the principle of a head engineer for the city. Mayor Beattie was instructed to arrange a joint meeting between the council and the water commissioners, to work out the details. It will probably be held some day this week.

Ald. Tancock introduced the motion, approving of the suggestion. He pointed out that in the report of No. 2 committee the joint meeting had accepted the suggestion and it was now the duty of the council to accept the idea. He moved that the council place itself on record as approving of the suggestion, and that Mayor Beattle be instructed to arrange a joint meeting of the council and the water commissioners to arrange the details

Hold Meeting Saturday.

Ald. Tancock suggested that meeeting be held Saturday night, but the aldermen soon persuaded him that meeting should not be held on that

Ald. Eckert did not see the necesity of having the whole council present, as it was work for No. 2. However, Ald. Tancock was of the opinion that all the aldermen should be present to deal with the matter.

Ald. Saunders opposed the motion. He declared that it went rather far. He doubted that it would improve conditions at all. A big man over, the power and water departments was all and would work out satisfactorily, but he doubted that a man big nough to handle the whole business

A Big Problem.

"We are up against a big problem," said Ald. Saunders. "Let us get an idea of the cost before we do anything you will have to pay a big price, and |graph. he will demand good men under him have to expend much money, in exper-

Ald. Richter thought the principle flood. tails would have to be worked out, and dents have deserted their homes out an idea of the cost obtained. Then it right, taking as much of their furniwould be for the council to say whether or not they approved of the sug- An exodus of portable property is

# **COUNCIL CAN'T** REMIT RENTAL

Night Must Be Paid for the City Hall.

Alderman Declares It Is Time That the Bylaw Was Adhered To-A Lengthy Debate on Matter.

At the meeting of the council last night, Ald. Richter introduced a mo- safety tion to the effect that the council secure the opinion of the city solicitor the flood will mean a possible loss the flood will mean a possible will mean a possible loss the flood will mean a possible will be a flood will be a flood will mean a possible will be a flood will as to the right the council had to give of \$40,000. the city hall free of charge to any work on the three miles of track person or society, and if they did give threatened by the inrushing waters. it to these people was the individual member of council responsible for that for about five miles in one direction money, and could it be collected from and three the other

matter was laid over until the next running on the east-bound (southern) meeting of the council.

The motion as introduced by Ald. Richter was clothed in legal verbiage, and it sounded ominous, as it was read by the mover. Ald. Jeffries seconded

Didn't Like Sound.

Saunders, when Ald Richter had finfor me to digest in a minute. I move council be furnished with a copy of the Department of Public Works,

Ald. Rose seconded it. Ald, Richter then began his explanation of the motion, and his reasons for introducing it.

Remitting the Rental.

"It is all due to the action of the council at its last meeting," he said. "On that occasion we remitted several do you dose the stomach to cure the societies' rental. We did it in face of wound? Don't you wash and cleanse a bylaw which clearly states that we it instead, and thus let the skin cure must charge \$10 a night for this hall. It has been in force for fifteen years, germs while soothing the healthy tis-

Just Squaring Votes. Ald. Richter chided the aldermen that they were not taking their posi-

"The aldermen do not intend to be size bottles. Anderson & Nelles and you voted \$10 to yourself you would be called a grafter and rightly so. What is the difference when you vote it into some other person's pocket? should know our position, and we want to know if we are personally respons-

ible for this money. "I believe we are personally responsible. Any raterayer would have the right to take action against us to re-

cover the money." Ald. Saunders took up the cudgels on behalf of the council, and declared the council had a right to remit the rent for the hall in cases of charity. odrick hopes to take his party of He chided Ald. Richter with violating

Repeal the Bylaw. "If we cannot give the hall for the

purposes of charity under the bylaw I will give notice to have the bylaw epealed," said Ald. Underwood. "I am not opposed to granting the nall," said Ald. Jeffries.

it free in one case we should make it free in all. If we charge one, we should charge all.

Ald. Richter pleaded guilty to having violated the bylaw, but that was before he knew it existed.

"We can all give the same excuse as Ald., Richter," said Ald. Morgan. "We can get out of just as small holes as he can. It seems to me a shame that this council cannot give this hall for charitable purposes without all

Cannot Refund

"We can refund the hall rent if we desire," declared Ald, Eckert. "No you cannot," shot back Richter. "We can amend this bylaw without Mr. Meredith's advice," declared Ald.

"We should do that. Tancock. "Yes, and save \$10 or \$15," said Ald. Saunders. "It seems to me No. 1 committee are running to Mr. Meredith every few minutes. A fine bill

of law costs we will have." "Let us obtain Mr. Meredith's opinion," said Ald. Richter. "It will do no

Ald, Saunders' amendment was caried on the following division: Yeas.-Ald. Ashplant, Rose, Saunders, Morgan, Pocock and Tancock. Nays .- Ald. Richter, Eckert, Under-Wood, Fitzgerald and Jeffries. The aldermen will in the meantime digest the motion, and consider it in two weeks' time

# THAMES ICE JAM CAUSES FLOOD

The River at Prairie Siding Is Blocked for Three Miles.

AID IS ASKED

Scores Moving to Upper Stories, o High and Dry Spots on Farms.

Prairie Siding, Ont., March 7 .-Prairie Siding is cut off from all comof a definite nature. We are going it munication with the outside save for blind so far. If you get a big man, the long distance phone and the telegraph. Approaching roads are under water. The store is flooded, the water in every department, and you will being away up over the floor. In the houses people have moved their furniture upstairs to be out of reach of the Cattle have been driven to lone was being approved of. The de- higher lands, and in some cases resi-

in progress from the surrounding farms not yet reached by the flood. Cattle are being driven to the high lands, and hay is also being removed in large quantities.

Jammed With Ice. For three miles or more just west of his place the Thames is jammed with

WasCuredbyLydiaE.Pink- Ald. Richter Shows That \$10 a line splace the Thames is jammed with line current the huge ice floes have packed tight as a stone wall: and this line wall extends from the line wall extend the very bottom of the river. of the jam the water is ten feet above normal. West of the wall, toward the lighthouse, the water is below summer

LAW HAS BEEN BROKEN The onrushing current, unable to break through, is backing up, seeking an outlet over the low lands in the vicinity of Prairie Siding, resulting in what old-timers say will probably be the worst flood in fourteen years. From homes and farms there has been a steady exodus, farmers removing their eattle, hay and house-hold goods to the high lands for

The whole country is under water

All trains, whether east or west-It started a sharp discussion, but the bound, have since this morning been west-bound (northern) track. track being reserved for the work trains running between Prairie Siding and Chatham

Government Aid Asked

Immediately on receiving word this morning of the jam near Prairie Sid-"What have we got here," asked Ald. ing and its accompanying threat of Saunders, when Ald, Richter had finished reading it. "We had better have
a copy of that to read over, as it
is accompanying threat of heavy loss to the country and city large amount more ice coming. Situmiles in a day, biting everything ation serious for surrounding country everybody they meet en route.

Grand Trunk agree to co-operate in re
"Some of them, borround in city large amount more ice coming. Situ-miles in a day, biting everything and sounds rather reculiar. It is too much department of public works, at Otta- lieving. Will you authorize procuring wa, urging the co-operation of the Do-dynamite and expert to handle? for me to digest in a minute. I move that it lay over for two weeks, and in the meantime the members of the follows. His telegram read as not available tonight.

Ottawa, Ont.

Thames blocked with ice two miles west of Prairie Siding. Info mation is

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A graceful model with tapering waist. 13-inch front, clasp and unboned extension below steels, two pairs hose supporters attached. Price ....\$1.50

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# 41/4-Inch Taffeta Ribbon, 19c

We have just received our new spring stock and color range of this special quality All-Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 41 inches, in full assortment of colors. Special, a yard...19¢

# Pretty Ribbon Neck Bows, 25c

These dainty and pretty little Ribbon Bows are worn with either lace or linen collars. Some have buckle to match, others all ribbon, made up in almost every color. See these at Ribbon Counter. All one price, each.......25¢ CENTRE AISLE-MAIN ENTRANCE.

# Those Beize Curtain Nets Are Here, 30c to \$1.25 Yard

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THIRD FLOOR.

Spring Sewing Machine Club Now Being Organized.

burg's spring freshet proved as serious spreads."

this year, as in former years.

dykes near the pump station were

marsh lands to be flooded. Michael

dated, as were also the homes of Alex. Willeston. John Hall and others who

in order to keep them from perishing.

HOW RABIES SPREADS

Infected Dogs Will Run 50 Miles in a

Day Biting All They Meet.

O'Neil's house was completely inun-



"NORWOOD" Drop-head Sewing Machine.

as far as 50 miles. "Finally the dogs which they have bitten go mad and do their share in CHAS, AUSTIN, Mayor. the relay, biting other dogs on the Freshet at Wallaceburg. way. That's the way, and the only Wallaceburg, March 7.-Wallace possible way in which hydrophobia

#### overflowed with water, causing the UNNATURAL THINNESS EASILY CORRECTED

live near the pump station. J. S. BY CLEVER PRESCRIPTION WHICH Fraser's live stock had to be removed CAN BE FILLED AT ANY DRUG STORE.

No Need To Be Thin Now as Reports

Show This Method Effective.

People who are very thin and scrawny Ottawa, March 8.—"We are liable to ought not to be so. Undoubtedly they have an outbreak of rabies here any are more subject to disease and conday now," asserted Dr. J. G. Ruther- tagions than the normally fleshy. Thinford, the Dominion veterinary-general, ness is usually accompanied by weakness, This assertion was made in the face and weakness subjects anyone to colds, of his opinion that the newspapers coughs, consumption pneumonia, etc. It were frightening the people by printwere frightening the people by printing far too much about hydrophobia these days.

Dr. Rutherford brought out a map of Ontario. "All the trouble started in the first place at Niagara Falls. The list specially beneficial to men and we have of Officially. An the trouble stated in nesh-making medicines known to science. It is especially beneficial to men and wo-disease has spread. In the west it has got as far as Chatham and Sarnia, disease has far as Chatham and Sarnia, disease has spread of trains at level got as far as Chatham and Sarnia, disease has been the ages of 16 and 55, who an hour the speed of trains at level got as far as Chatham and Sarnia, disease has been crossings, where accidents have occurrence to the control of th and in the north it has travelled about as far as Collingwood. You see, it symmetrical figure in man or woman inhas apparently gone in every direction dicates health, magnetism, stamina and

three weeks at the end of which time mom). Shake well and take one teathe dog goes mad. Then it starts to spoonful before each meal, one after each run; a mad dog always runs as far meal. Drink plenty of water between as it is able. The direction it takes will be the direction in which the disease will spread.

"Most mad dogs will run about 20 health will also improve.

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#### RAILWAY COMMISSION NOT SLOWING TRAIN

Ten-Mile Limit at Accident Crossings a Rule of the Railway Act.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.] ting from Montreal and Hamilton to the effect that train service is serioushampered by an order of the rail red since 1900, is hardly according to the facts. A member of the railway commission today explained that the but eastward."

"Suppose that some farmer from a point on the C. P. R.—Toronto line, 20 or 30 miles east of Toronto—were to go to Toronto market and take his dog along, as they frequently do, the dog might easily contract rabies and compound essence of pepsin and compound essence cardiol. Shelve and the commission today explained that the speed at crossings is not regulated by the order of the commission, but by sub-sections 3 and 4 of section 13, this valuable prescription:

First obtain of any well-stocked druggist three ounces of essence of pepsin and three ounces of syrup of rhubarb, in an eight-ounce bottle. Then add one ounce compound essence cardiol. Shelve and left. carry it back eastward.

"There is always a latent period of three weeks at the end of which time mom). Shake well and take one tea. railway act sets the sreed at level crossings in thickly populated districts such as towns, villages, etc., at ten miles an hour, and the following subsection deals with the speed at crossings where accidents have occurred.
This requires that the railways shall

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notify the commission of the place of the accident, and that the commission shall examine the crossing, and if any safety precautions are necessary they

