## THE ACCIDENT AT GOUROCK.

Nineteen Persons Hurt But None Seriously.

Hamilton Man Now in Hospital Among the Number.

#### Incidents Related by the Passengers.

THE INJURED

Mr. Alex. Stewart, druggist, Guelph right leg injured at thigh, shaken up. Mr. Harold Bartmen, 18 years of age, Tobermory, hurt in back.

Mrs. John Knowles, Guelph, hip in jured, internal injuries feared.

Mr. R. Jasper, 128 Paisley street, jured and two ribs fractured.

Mr. J. M. Dowling, Callender, Ont., forhead and arm bruised.

Mr. J. A. R. Anderson, 281 East ayenue north, Hamilton, cut in head. Mr. R. H. Brydon, Guelph, head cut in front, right leg bruised; now at his

Miss Angeline Holme, Hespeler, foot prained, bruised on back, badly shaken up. (Has gone home.) Miss Agnes Holme, Hespeler, shaken

mr. John Knowles, 136 Paisley street, Guelph, hand cut.
Mr. Walter Miller, Brantford, hockey player, cords and sinews of hands injured.

hands injured.

Mr. John Marks, Brantford, hockey player, six breaks in right hand and

Thomas Smith, Brantford, player, nose cut. James Bradley, Brantford, broken finger Brakeman Kearns, 48 Montrose av

Mr. T. H. McCormack, Guelph, bad cut in head requiring eight stitches, left cheek bruised, right shoulder

hurt.
Mr. Warren Moore, Batteneau,
North Dakota, slightly mjured.
Mr. G. B. Ryan, Guelph, very badlyshaken up and suffering from

whock.

Mr. George Dill. Acton, severe injuries to the spine, on the head and at the neck; the extent of injuries are not yet known, but he is in a critical condition, the worst of those injured.

Besides these probably as many more were slightly injured, but they went to their homes in Brentford and Hamilton to be cared for.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Guelph, Jan 14.—One of the most peculiar railroad accidents in the recollection of the residents of this place occurred near Gourock, a small station four miles from Guelph, on the old Wellington. Grey & Bruce division of the Grand Trunk, shortly after 11 o'clock this morning. Happily the injured, while cumerous, are not in a serious condition, except Mr. George Dill, of Acton, who is lying in St. Joseph's Hospital here in rather a critical condition, and his physician, Dr. Savage, is rather doubtful as to the turn his injuries may take. He is injured around the nape of the neck, while his head is badly cut, and the doctor is fearful-of concussion, though he is not unconscious. Another man, Mr. Alex Stevent descriptions HOW IT HAPPENED. he is not unconscious. Another man, Mr. Alex. Stewart, druggist, of Guelph, who at first was thought to be seriously injured, is not in a critical condition, though he will be detained in the General Hospital for a few

days.

The train, which was due to leave The train, which was due to leave Guelph Junction at 10.40 a. m. for Hamilton, was a little late. There is a down grade all the way to Hespeler, and the speed of the train is variously estimated at from 25 to 40 emiles an hour, the consensus of opinion being in favor of the latter. The 1 train was made up of a light engine, a bagage car, combination mail and smoker, and one heavy first-class day coach. It had proceeded only about two miles when the rear car, in which were 57 passengers, a large number of whom were women, suddenly gave a lurch, ran bumping along the ties for a short distrince, and then turned over on its side, being dragged a distance of a hundred yards before the coupling broke. The passengers in a great measure owe their safety to the fact that the coach was heavy and solidly built. The seats held firm, and this, too, contributed not a little to their miraculous escape from death.

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Inside the coach all was confusion, the passengers being piled up in an indescribable manner. Those sitting on the east side suffered most from broken glass, their hands, arms and heads being in some few cases rather badly cut up. Those on the other side were thrown from their seats down upon the others, and it was the tumbling about of these that caused the few fractures there were. Several people had miraculous escapes from most serious injury. Mr. R. H. Brydon, an insurance man, of Guelph, was among the number. When the car toppled over, his right foot was forced through a window, and during the hundred-yard slide the flesh was bruised and cut from the knee to the ankle. As he explained it afterwards, while the pain was great, his chief thought was "if the car stops now I'll be all right." It did stop, and those who saw the way the man was pinned in were quite emphatic in the opinion that had the wild ride continued only a little farther the leg would have been torn off the wild ride continued only a little-farther the leg would have been torn off. As it was, the injured limb was so fast-ened in that it took about half an hour's chopping away of the woodwork to re-



A PHILADELPHIA BELLE.

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# Fun For Our Readers

DOUBTFUL COMPLIMENT.

Tall Clerk-I don't think the boss usts me much. Short Clerk—Why, he said you were as honest as the days were long. Tall Clerk—Yes, but he always says that when the days are short,—Chicago

NON-BELIEVER.

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I don't believe that every man who has a wife would like to lose her;

I don't believe a woman's dress alone with happiness imbues her;

I don't believe all millionaires won through transactions that were shady;

I don't believe that sin is in the heart of every chorus lady.

don't believe that grafting is the aim of every office-holder;
I don't believe each woman who claims
to be thirty is much older;
I don't believe that every man who is
a father longs to slaughter
The eager boys who flock around to try

don't believe each bank cashier takes I don't believe each bank cashier takes risks with other people's money;
I don't believe all jokes about unwilling servant girls are funny;
I don't believe that every man who has on office in the city
Is bossed by his stenographer because she happens to be pretty.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

Hinckley-Can't you sympathize with me, old man? I've just loved and lost. Binkley-No. Can't you sympathize with me? I've just loved and married.

Askit—How does Wiseguy manage to get his wife to clean of the sidewalks? Tellsit—He had a paragraph publish-ed in her household magazine to the ef-

NO NOVELTY.

"A novel always ends with the marri-"Which is proper. There's nothing novel about the subsequent hunt for a flat, and a cook, and a job lot of furniture."

met him—I mustn't say where! 'Twas—no! I've forgotten the spot His name? no. that wouldn't be fair. Ilis name? no, that wouldn't be fair.
I told him—I mustn't say what!
We kissed—but I said I'd not tell!
We vowed—but 'twas quite entre

nous And I'm to be married to—well, Lippincott's Magazine.

LOVED AT SECOND SIGHT.

"A case of love at first sight, eh!"
"No, second sight. The first time he
wher he didn't know she was an heirss."-Boston Transcript.

A QUESTION OF HONOR. Mother Willie you wicked boy, you mayon't kept your word. You promised on would never again steal jam, and

pere I find you at it again.
Willie-Well, it's no worse than you You said you were going out this even ing, and if you had kept your word you wouldn't have found me stealing jam.

NOTHING TO PAY.

Tommy-Did you go to the hockey match the other night?

Jockey—No, I went to the abattoir, inst as good and nothing to pay.

"Why do you wear those enormous earrings? They'll drag your ears out of

"I know it, but father doesn't like "I see, Any thing to pester dad."— Exchange.



A LITTLE MIXED.

Mr. Newwed-Teil John I want my horse curried.
Mrs. Newwed-Horrors! Have you been drinking? You mean the chicken, of course

the aisie from me. She was thrown on her face just at the doorway of the car. There were two or three broken selts piled over her, so that all I could see was her foot. When we cleared away the broken furniture that was piled over her she got up quite unhurt." The old lady would not give her name even to the conductor. Her ticket was for Hamilton. She was more anxious about an old black satchel than anything else. "What train do you want to complete your journey on?" the conductor asked her when she arrived here with a carload of injured ones.
"I want no train at all; from now on I will travel by stage," was her anthe aisie from me. She was thrown on

chopping away of the woodwork to release it.

A lucyk escape was that of baby Helen Knowles. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Knowles, of this city, were en, route to Galt, where they intended taking up their abode. The father was riding on the east side with his back to the engine, and his wife sitting opposite. When the first jolting was felt the mother grasped the little one, and, at great personal risk to herself, held it clear of danger, and shielded it from contact with the tumbling passengers from across the aisle. The mother was painfully injured about the bips, and late to-night was still lying in the General Hospital. The child escaped without a scratch, and the father's injuries consisted of a severely-cut hand from the glass in the window by which he had been seated.

"That for on the line was not impeded in any way, as the car had been thrown in the afternoon, but the car was not righted until very late, as the traffic would not allow of the crew working steadily. When partially righted it was seen that the car was not damaged to say great extent. The windows on the side which slid along upon the snow were smashed, and there were some rents in the woodwork, but the actual damage to the rolling stock will be small. The child escaped without a scratch, and the father's injuries consisted of a severely-cut hand from the glass in the window by which he had been seated.

"That old lady there," said H. O. Moxley, of New Liskeard, and pointing at an old Scotch woman, the oldest passenger and not leave the rails. The engineer had his train at a standstill in a few seconds. Then, while the few passengers who were uninjured in the rear coach and those in the smoker did what they could for the injured, he

ran his engine down to Hespeler and McKinley from that town. These physicians, along with Dr. Peters, of Hamilton, who had been a passenger on the train, returning from the Fergus bonspiel, did what they could to help the injured.

The smoker was turned into a hos pital coach and the train backed up pital coach and the train backed up to Guelph, where the injured were removed in an ambulance and hacks to the hospitals. At the General Hospital, where the bulk of the injured were taken only four remained at a late hour to-night. These are: Mrs. John Knowles, Guelph; Mr. Alex. Stewart, Guelph; Harold Bartman, aged 18, Tobermory, and Mr. J. A. R. Anderson, Hamilton. None of these are in a serious condition. Mr. George Dill, of Aeton, is in St. Joseph's Hospital, and his condition is still a source of anxiety.

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Kimberley, Jan. 14.—Matthew Ferguson, a farmer living here, was terribly scalded while preparing to kill pigs. Water had been heated in a big kettle, when in attempting to fix a pulley Mr. Ferguson fell into the kettle. His whole body was horribly burned. No hope is held out for his recovery.

Wm. Watcher, jun., of Dorchester, found guilty at the London assizes on Tuesday of bribery in the last general elections was on Thursday afternoon sentenced by Chief Justice Meredith to fifteen days in jail without hard labor.

#### AMONG & & \* THE JEWS

The meeting of the American Jewish Historical Society will take place in Philadelphia this 21st and 22nd of Feb-

The well-known Jewish painter, Isidor The well-known Jewish painter, Isidor Kaufmann, recently celebrated his silver wedding. An address was presented by the Jewish community, and in his reply Herr Kaufmann said that it would always be his aim to devote his art to depicting the finest and noblest sides of Jewish life.

The council of Jewish women through Dr. Cornelia Kahn, chairman of the Committee on Purity of the Press, has issued an appeal to newspapers of the United States to eliminate indecent details from the account of murder and divorce trials. The appeal says that many prominent individuals and socie-ties support the movement.

Abraham Rosenstein an 18-year-old Boston newsboy, las just been awarded a scholarship at Harvard. He is the third newsboy to receive the honor. All these boys are Jews. He is a graduate of the English High School and also of the Phillips School in the west end, where he was born. His father, who is a tailor, has resided in Boston for twenty-five years. Rosenstein entered Harvard in the fall and at present is studying architecture. studying architecture.

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Three out of the four Jewish members of the French Chamber of Deputies voted the other day in the minority in favor of the abolition of capital punishment. They are MM. Joseph Reinach (who made a striking speech, in the course of a debate), L. L. Klotz and Louis Dreyfus. The fourth, M. Theodore Reinach, did not vote.

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Herr Arnold Weiss has bequerized to
the Jewish community of Berlin half his
estate, amounting to 250,000 marks is to
be given in scholarships to Jewish technical students, 80,000 marks to students
of the Institute for the Science of Judaism, while 70,000 marks is placed at the
free disposal of the Council of the Community of Berlin.

The Mayor of Kansas City, Mo, has

munity of Berlin.

The Mayor of Kansas City, Mo., has appointed Jacob Billikopf, of that city, a member of the newly created board of pardons and paroles. Mr. Billikopf is superintendent of the United Jewish Charities, and is experienced in work among derelicts of all nationalities. He has lectured at William Jewell College on sociology.

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The death is announced of the well-known Warsaw rabbi, Dr. Zilkoff, who had for several years occupied the position of the pro-Polish leader among the

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Mr. Philip Kalisky has been appointed Esperantist Consul to the city of London. Mr. Kalisky, who is only 21 years of age, has had but three years' experience of the language.

At Collinsville, Ill., while a crowd of men stood over the top of a cistern into which three-year-old Raymond Hoist had fallen, Philip Cohn, a youthful musician reproached them for their inaction, dived into the water and rescued the child. R. Hoist, father of the boy, arrived as Cohn elimbed a ladder which had been let down into the cist. which had been let down into the cis tern, with Raymond in his arms. Mr Hoist wrote a cheave Hoist wrote a cheque for \$100 and handed it to Cohn. Cohn returned the

the well-known writer, Bernard G Richards, died at the Massachusetts General Hospital at Boston recently. Mr. Richards was a Talmudic scholar.

The Jews of Kovno recently celebrated the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Mappu, one of the earliest of the modern Maskilim and the first novelist who wrote in modern Hebrew. A library was established in Kovno bearing his name. The number of Jewish immigrants ar-

riving at the port of New York during November was \$2426, a little more than one-quarter of the number of arrivals in one-quarter of the number of arrivals in November of last year, when 12,418 Jews arrived. Of the arrivals last month, 1,157 were men, 1,365 woman and 904 children. As in all previous months of all previous recent years, the Russian Jewish immigration predominated, 2,292 or, roughly, about two-thirds of the immigrants coming from that country. Austria-Hungary comes next, with the far lower number of 914, the Roumania with 163, after which there follow 41 English, 9 German, 3 Dutch, 2 Spanish, 1 French and 1 Turkish.

Hon, David Laventritt, who resigned

Hon. David Laventritt, who resigned as a member of the Supreme Court of New York, has been appointed by Governor Hughes a member of the committee to investigate the methods of Wall street, and to report to the Governor, with recommedation for legislation.

The Federation of Zionist Societies of Canada has been conducting a vigorous campaign, on behalf of the party fund The officers of the federation themselves headed the list with subscriptions totalling over \$500. In the last couple of weeks this amount has been increased to over \$750. The Pioneers of Zion and the Sons of

Zion, of Boston, recently amalgamated under the name of the Boston Zionist Association. The first meeting took place on Nov. 29, when the election of officers was held.

A Young Men's Zionist Culture Association has been formed at Glasgow, Scotland, for the purpose of educating the Jewish youth of that city in Zionistic principles, thus imbuing them with national sentiment.

Judge Cassel's Report.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—The report of Mr. Justice Cassels, giving his findings on the evidence adduced in the investigation of the Civil Service Commissioners' charges against the Marine Department, will be presented to the Government next week, and will be presented to Parliament as soon as it is printed.

by the Dominion Government to confer with the Provincial Governments regard-ing the fisheries.

#### Constipation— Nearly Every One Gets It

The bowels show first sign of things going wrong. A Cascaret taken every night as needed keeps the bowels working naturally without grip, gripe and that upset sick feeling.

Head Office, Hamilton.

## By all who are employed, the possibility of temporary lack of employment must be recognized . . .



F, from any cause, your present employer were compelled to close down, where would you, personally stand?

Dependent on relative or friend for support or cash accommodation?

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### UNHAPPY MARRIAGE

### What the Divorce Statistic Reveal in Great Britain.

Sheffield Independent: Some re arkable glimpses of unhappy married ife are provided by the divorce sta tistics for 1907, which have just been ssued from the Home Office

Thère were 904 matrimonial cases en ered in the High Court—434 by hus ands and 470 by wives. The analysis the status and occupation of the hu ands showed that of the leisured folk officially described as "gentlemen, esquires," etc., 67 were concerned in thes suits. Three types of commercial me are equal in the list, viz.:

Soldiers and naval seamen .. .. Physicians, surgeons, etc., ... Veterinary surgeons Eight policemen as

under the notice of the High Court. 

Sails When Given Momentum.

Canton Ohio, Jan. 14.—William H.
Martin, Tomer surveyor of Stark county, announced to night that he made eight successful flights to-day in a motorless aeroplane of his invention. His wife, Mrs. Almina P. Martin, rode in the machine at a height of thirty feet for a distance of two hundred feet. The aeroplane is operated on sleigh-runne. As so a as it receives sufficient velocity it rises in the air and sails. Martin will purchase a motor, he says.

## HARPER'S CORNERS

as juryman in Hamilton.

The agent for the Patterson electric railway has been through this section making arrangements with the farmers for right of way.

# COAXED TO MARRY.

possessed of sufficient mental pabulum to understand what he was doing." The marriage is alleged to have taken place last November, but Lachance lived with

### USED FORCE.

## ROJESTVENSKY DEAD

#### Commanded Russian Fleet at Battle of Sea of Japan.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.-The death is announced of Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky, who was in command of the Russian fleet which was practically

pan, the last great fight of the Sea of Japan, the last great fight of the war.

This is the second time Admiral Rojestvensky has been reported dead. In July last despatches from Germany announced that he had succumbed to heart disease at Bad Nauheim, and the Admiral was accorded the rather grim. Admiral was accorded the rather grim satisfaction of reading his own obituary notices. In the Russian papers, particu- I

Michigan Boy Asks to Have the Contract Declared Void.

Detroit, Jan. 14.—Based on the ground that he was barely eighteen years of age at the time and not in a condition to judge intelligently, the parents of Edward Lachance, residing at Maidstone Crossing, twelve miles from this marriage to Annie Brown, a school girl friend, declared null and void.

In the petition presented to court, young Lachance alleges that he was not possessed of sufficient mental pabulum to understand what he was doing." The marriage is alleged to have taken place last November, but Lachance lived with the course of sufficient mental pabulum to understand what he was doing." The marriage is alleged to have taken place last November, but Lachance lived with the course of sufficient mental pabulum to understand what he was doing." The marriage is alleged to have taken place last November, but Lachance lived with the course of sufficient mental pabulum to the course of sufficient mental pabulum to understand what he was doing. The marriage is alleged to have taken place last November, but Lachance lived with the course of sufficient mental pabulum to the propose of sufficient m

ese war by firing on the British North Sea fishing fleet on the Dogger Banks. The matter was finally settled by an international commission, and fleet and Admiral kept on their way to the Pacific. There, at the battle of the Sea of Japan, Togo overwhelmed them in one of the greatest naval battles in a hundred years.

which the courts were asked to review during the year:

1 year 3
1—2 years 100
5—10 years 102
Over 20 years 102
Over 20

CRESOLENE ANTISEPTIC TABLETS

SORE THROATS AND COUGHS