

## Every Bone

In my body ached with the dreadful Rheumatism which followed a severe cold. My sufferings were awful. I could not dress myself or comb my hair. My husband had to carry me up and down stairs. I was scarcely able to nurse my little one. Within two weeks after I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, I felt better. Shortly I was able to walk up and down stairs without help and finally I was cured. My friends thought I was going to be a cripple, but thanks to God for his blessing on Hood's Sarsaparilla, I now enjoy good health. Mrs. J. BLACKBURN, Lower Five Islands, Nova Scotia.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Hood's Pills should be in every household.

## THE MALAHIDE MEDAL

Captured by the Forest City Curlers

From the London Club, Who Held It Twenty-Five Years.

Baseball Gossip and Other Sporting News.

## CURLING.

**FOREST CITY WINS THE MEDAL.**  
For the first time in 25 years the London Curling Club released its hold on the Malahide medal yesterday, and it becomes the proud possession of the Forest City Club for 1896. This medal was played for by the late English League, and was given by the club in the Malahide group, which has clung tenaciously to it through these long years, and the Forest City players are correspondingly proud of their achievement. The score follows:

FOREST CITY.		LONDON.	
Atwell Fleming	RINK NO. 1.	John Treblelock	RINK NO. 1.
Dr. Balfour	J. P. Cook	J. P. Cook	J. P. Cook
M. J. Dawson	W. J. Dawson	W. J. Dawson	W. J. Dawson
R. Inglis, skip.	19	Thos. Glen, skip.	13
RINK NO. 2.		RINK NO. 2.	
C. F. Sterling	F. P. Treblelock	C. F. Sterling	F. P. Treblelock
S. S. Sney	J. P. Cook	S. S. Sney	J. P. Cook
C. W. Davis	D. B. Dewar	C. W. Davis	D. B. Dewar
C. S. Hyman, skip.	22	J. F. Evans, skip.	17
RINK NO. 3.		RINK NO. 3.	
J. M. McWhinney	Geo. E. Harris	J. M. McWhinney	Geo. E. Harris
J. W. McIntosh	D. Ryan	J. W. McIntosh	D. Ryan
Don Dewar	D. Henderson, skip.	Don Dewar	D. Henderson, skip.
W. F. Strong, skip.	21	D. Henderson, skip.	20
RINK NO. 4.		RINK NO. 4.	
W. Bartlett	F. G. Rumball	W. Bartlett	F. G. Rumball
M. Howland	H. Brown	M. Howland	H. Brown
D. Logie	H. Brown	D. Logie	H. Brown
K. Reed, jun., skip.	18	C. W. Andrus, skip.	17
Total.....	87	Total.....	67

## BOSEPHIL AT GUELPH.

**GUELPH, Feb. 26.**—Today opened the competition for the Guelph bachelors. Twelve towns sent clubs to represent them. Kinross, Chesley and Walkerton were backed by snow. Stratford, Bright and Galt failed to appear. The following is the result of today's play:

Harrieston 22, Stratford 19.  
Ayr 12, Stratford 11.  
Fergus 19, City of Guelph 10.  
Stratford 19, Milton 14.  
City of Guelph 12, Berlin, Royal City 10.  
Guelph Union 14, Ayr 17.  
Berlin 12, Stratford 10.  
West Flamborough 15, Guelph Union 20.  
Plattsburgh 20, Stratford 10.  
Dundas 18, Fergus 8.  
Dundas 19, Milton 10.

## THE WHEEL.

**CLERGYMEN AS BICYCLISTS.**  
The commission appointed by the Pope to consider the propriety of priests riding bicycles reported last week in favor of the practice. His Holiness refused, however, to ratify the report, because it would allow a priest to convey the sacrament on a wheel to the sick. The Pope thought such a performance would be contrary to the dignity of religion.

## BASEBALL.

**GROWTH OF THE GAME IN ENGLAND.**  
LONDON, Feb. 26.—At the meeting of the London Baseball Association, Chairman Knowles spoke at length on the growth of the association since its organization as a side show to "Barnum's Bill's World West Exhibition." He states it now counted in its membership thirty clubs in England, and was strongest in the northern counties.

## CURLING.

**AT LUCKNOW.**  
LUCKNOW, Feb. 26.—A friendly game of curling was played here yesterday between Wingham and Lucknow, two rinks a side. Wingham 28, Lucknow 50.

**PETERBORO DEFEATS TORONTO GRANITES.**  
TORONTO, Feb. 26.—A match was played this evening between Toronto Granite and Peterboro for the championship of the Ontario Junior Hockey League, the visitors winning by 7 to 6.

## BEFORE THE CABINET.

**The Manitoba School Case Presented—Adjourned Till Monday.**

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—At the afternoon meeting of the Cabinet when the Manitoba school case was again taken up, Mr. McCarry, for Manitoba, asked for an adjournment of the case until a week from Thursday. Mr. Ewart, representing the Ministry, objected, and the Government decided to go on with the case on Monday next.

## Disaster in a Druggists' Shop.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—By the explosion of a cylinder charged with carbolic acid in the drug laboratory of Smith, Kline & French Company this afternoon Frank Robinson, aged 21 years, was killed, and Frank Duffy, aged 33 years, was fatally injured.

## IF THE DOG WAGS

His tail it's a pretty sure sign he won't bite you. You judge by appearance and profit by the experience of others. Plenty of men tell you of our good cigars. We handle nothing but the best, made by the leading manufacturers of Canada. When on Dundas street drop in at number 202½ and get a smoke.

## HUGH LOVELESS

## Pushing Business.

The Public Accounts Laid Before the House,

And the Budget Speech to be Delivered Thursday.

This Expediting of Matters Evokes an Opposition Howl and a Charge of "Bulldozing."

(Special to the "Advertiser.")

## LEGISLATIVE CHAMBER.

A very short session occurred again today, the routine of opening, presenting petitions and adjourning being broken only by a protest on the part of the Conservatives against the delivery of the budget speech on Thursday. Until that is delivered the House has nothing to do upon, and consequently must hold these short and profitless sittings, and the Government innocent by thought to expedite public business by hurrying the budget on as soon as possible, so as to start the Legislature at work. The Opposition objected, however, on the ground that the public accounts had not come yet to hand, so that they could not approach the budget with sufficient preparation.

Mr. Marter spoke first, asking that the Government adjourn the budget on the ground already mentioned.

Sir Oliver Mowat protested that this would mean a delay of a week.

Mr. Whitney echoed Mr. Marter's protest, and was answered by Hon. Mr. Harcourt.

Then Dr. Ryerson made one of his factious speeches, in what he accused the Government of trying to hide inquiry by bulldozing the members.

This drew from Hon. Mr. Hardy the unkind reply that Dr. Ryerson had changed the venue from the calf to a bull, and Mr. Harcourt pointed out that the Government's placing the public accounts earlier before the House than before, and added that the accounts would be in the members' hands in a couple of hours instead of tomorrow, as at first intended. This would give 48 hours in which to prepare for the budget speech, and the public accounts, year after year, vary only in minute details.

Mr. Howland made his maiden speech, saying that before auditing the accounts of the Province more time for examination should be given.

Mr. Gibson replied that this detailed examination will be given in the public accounts committee and in committee of the whole, not in the budget debate, and after a few more remarks this very small debate closed, the House adjourning without the Government yielding the point, and so prolonging the session.

## NOTES.

The Patrons sat throughout the discussion without taking any part in it.

A deputation from the Royal Humane Association of Canada—the new organization which is taking over the work in this country hitherto performed by the Royal Humane Society of England—called upon the Government this afternoon, and, with Mr. Adam Brown as spokesman and Mr. Middleton and Mr. Hobbs, asked several other members as sponsors, asked for grants to assist it to recognize deeds of bravery in rescuing life. The sum mentioned by Mr. Brown was \$200 to \$300, but some of his friends were inclined to set the request at \$500. All the Governments, Dominion and Provincial, will be asked to contribute. The Government made the usual promise of looking into the matter and seeing what could be done.

The license report which was laid on the table shows that there were granted in 1893-94, 3,317 licenses in all, a decrease of 96 from the year before. In the yearly tavern licenses, 2,841 ordinary and 47 beer, and wine licenses were granted, as against 2,907 and 59 in the year before, while there were 38 ordinary and 5 beer and wine licenses, as against 40 and 5 respectively the year before. There were 367 shop licenses and 31 wholesale, as against 378 and 250 the year before. There were 60 transfers, extensions and removals, as compared with 712 in 1892-93. The Provincial revenue was \$389,821, as against \$297,844 47 the year before; the municipal revenue was \$282,475 97, as against \$283,996 74 in 1892-93; the total collection was \$649,173 98, as against \$664,169 33 the previous year. The fines were \$12,277 77, as against \$26,058 05 in 1892-93. In 1894 2,274 persons were committed for drunkenness in Ontario, a decrease of 378.

Mr. J. J. Kelso, the superintendent of neglected and dependent children, has published his report of the work done under the Children's Act. The work is still in its infant stages, but a large amount of good has been accomplished. At his office 140 criminals have been received, 20 of cruelty, 15 of desertion, children, and 105 of immoral home surroundings. There have been 90 applications for children, and 105 children placed out in various ways. 23 children's aid societies have been organized, and 30 children's visiting committees appointed; while the issue of child-saving literature is 18,000 copies. In the children's aid societies of the Province 364 cases of ill-treatment have been received; 403 cases have been investigated, involving the welfare of 671 children. There have been 73 police court cases given temporary shelter and 68 received into country districts is asked for in able information given.

The Conservatives held a caucus this morning. Information as to what took place is very meagre, but it is understood that they will make a fight on the University question.

## NEW SYNONYM FOR STEALING.

"Retaining Money in One's Possession Negligently."

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—T. J. Watters, late acting commissioner of customs, will spend a year in Carleton jail without hard labor. This was the sentence passed this afternoon after the prisoner had pleaded to be technically guilty to a number of offences.

Magistrate O'Garra, in giving sentence, said that he had taken into consideration that Mr. Ritchie had been acting for the Minister of Justice, and as matters had been carefully looked into by him the sentence which he was to give was said by the Minister to be adequate punishment. As a warning to men who hold positions of public trust he sentenced him to one year in Carleton county jail.

Mr. Watters smiled when the sentence was passed upon him. The books had been carefully gone over and every cent paid back.

There much local sympathy for the prisoner, who made a reputation of all money to the Government, "which he had held," as Mr. Oiler said, "in his possession negligently."

## NOT YET.

No Librarian for the Free Library Appointed.

Sixty-Seven Londoners After the "Sit"—The Estimates Prepared.

The Free Library Board met last night, but a librarian was not appointed. To do so was almost impossible, for in reply to the advertisement no less than 82 applications for the position were received. However, the board adopted their estimates. The committee named to strike the estimates reported as follows:

Interest and sinking fund on \$20,000 debentures.....	\$1,471 62
Shelving, desks, newspaper racks, chairs, tables, etc.....	1,500 00
Fuel, light and water.....	300 00
Librarian's salary.....	600 00
Cataloguer's salary.....	300 00
Caretaker's salary.....	200 00
Insurance.....	150 00
Stationery and printing.....	100 00
Books, periodicals and newspapers.....	2,878 38
Total.....	\$7,500 00

"The above requisition," the report read, "will require a levy of nearly a half a million on the ratepayers. Your committee would recommend that an alternative proposition be presented to the council in which the board undertakes to withdraw the above proposition if the council will grant in lieu thereof \$5,000 of free library debentures, which to purchase books and one-quarter of a mill on the city assessment, the quarter mill to be applied as follows:

Interest and sinking fund on \$25,000 debentures.....	\$1,829 55
Fuel, light and water.....	300 00
Librarian's salary.....	600 00
Cataloguer's salary.....	300 00
Caretaker's salary.....	200 00
Insurance.....	150 00
Stationery and printing.....	100 00
Shelving, newspaper racks, desks, chairs, tables, etc.....	300 45
Total.....	\$3,750 00

"The board will have to stand as a balance from the sale of debentures after the building is erected a sum sufficient to make up the balance required to complete the internal furnishings of the building."

The report was considered in every detail, and the question asked whether the estimates were for the year ending 31st or 1st of March, 1896. "The council cannot grant money now on next year's expenditures," said one of the board, and the estimates will be dated for the present year.

The appointment of a librarian was then brought up. Doubt was expressed as to the necessity of an appointment, so soon, while the building will not be completed until the middle of the summer. Mr. Egan opposed the appointment, but Mr. Cameron thought it necessary. It would take two or three months, he said, to catalogue the books.

A motion was made to divide the board into two sub-committees to examine the 82 applications, select a few of the most suitable, and report at once.

"Oh, nonsense," said Mr. Egan to this. "We cannot do it."

"I do not think we can, either," said Mayor Little. "Every one of these applications will have to be given fair consideration. I think if a special commission, and choose a committee of the most suitable, and let them select a few, it would be better. If any member had a party whom they desired to add to the list, it could be done."

Then there was a large number of applications accompanied by testimonials, but these will be given no special attention.

Secretary Keene thought the appointment could be made then and there. "Why," he said, "some of the letters are very short. Here is one, for example, and Mr. Keene read it. It was in part as follows: 'I saw your advertisement in the daily papers, and beg leave to apply for the position. I am a student at the Collegiate Institute, 15, big, and can do a good day's work.' The applicant is willing to work for moderate wages."

The list was finally referred to the library committee, which met at the adjournment of the board. Sixty-seven of the applications were from London residents, and not even write a good hand or spell "library."

The committee selected a number and will present them at the next meeting. Mr. Macklin, James Egan, H. Dignan, Joseph Marks, Mayor Little, E. B. Cameron, Talbot Macbeth, Secretary Keene and Architect Matthews.

## A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS.

Increased Facilities of a Firm of National Reputation in Advertising and Publishing Circles.

(New York Tribune, Feb. 15, 1895.)

The well-known advertising agency and publishing house of Herbert Booth King & Brother, which has long been one of the landmarks of Lower Broadway, New York, will transfer their office to Madison Square about March, when they will occupy a new building, 32 East Twenty-third street, New York, which is adjacent to their printing establishment, 117 West Broadway. Their new offices face Madison Square and are opposite the entrance to the new Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's building. They will connect their new office with their old office by a telephone and pneumatic tube, by which no time will be lost in communicating with the various newspaper establishments. With their facilities for setting up and their own establishments in their own establishment, they will be able to deliver copy to newspapers, they will be enabled to work carefully and expeditiously for their customers. A feature of their new offices will be the art and literary department, where the special work of preparing advertising matter will be undertaken.

Herbert Booth King & Brother, besides controlling one of the largest advertising businesses of the country, also own a large printing establishment, wherein is printed every sort and kind of circular, catalogue or periodical, illustration, and almost every kind of publication. Fashions, which have already attained a circulation of a quarter of a million copies.

## NATIONAL WOMEN'S COUNCIL.

Election of Officers—Changes in the Constitution.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 26.—The Women's National Council today elected Mary Lowe Dickenson, of New York city, president for the ensuing three years, and Rev. Anna H. Shaw, vice-president. The council adopted an amendment to the constitution dividing the council into an upper and lower house. The constitution was adopted giving the president discretion as to the formation of a cabinet. Louise Barsum Robb, of Michigan, was elected corresponding secretary, and Hannah J. Bailey, of Maine, treasurer.

Hattie B. Cheney, of Maine, was elected first recording secretary, and Helen Bristol, of Quin, Me., second recording secretary.

## YOUNG METHODISTS.

The Big Convention Fully Under Way.

Suggestive Papers Read and Discussed—Fraternal Delegations Listed to.

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The big convention of the Methodist Young People's Association of Ontario, comprising the various Epworth Leagues in connection with the Methodist denomination throughout the Province, opened with a sunrise prayer service in Elm Street Church from 6:30 to 7:30 this morning. At 9 o'clock the regular meeting commenced, with President R. N. Burns, of Toronto, in the chair, and devotional exercises by Rev. Jos. Philip, of Ridgeville. The executive reported, and some committees were struck, after which the rest of the morning was occupied by the following short addresses with discussion upon the same: "Revolutions a necessity," by Rev. Jas. Elliot, Ottawa; "The League before a revival," by Dr. A. W. Thornton, Dresden; "The League after a revival," by Rev. J. Henderson, Woodville; "The League before a revival," by Mr. James E. Varley, St. Catharines; "Aggressive work at ordinary services," by Rev. W. J. Smith, Toronto; "What a pastor ought to expect from a League," by Rev. G. F. Salton, Stratford; "What a League ought to expect from a pastor," by Mr. James Hales, Toronto.

## AFTERNOON SESSION.

This afternoon the convention was addressed by the fraternal delegates from the United States, Rev. Dr. Schell, of Chicago, representing the Methodist Episcopal Church, north and Rev. Dr. Steel, of Nashville, Tenn., the Methodist Episcopal Church, south. Rev. Dr. Steel, who was general secretary of the Epworth League in the Southern States, said he appeared to invite Canadian Methodists to the great international conference of Epworth Leagues of North America to take place at Chattanooga, Tenn., next June. The trip will take 30 hours from Toronto, and cost \$20.

The remainder of the afternoon was devoted to the departmental rallies. The C. E. rally, with Rev. G. S. Clendenin, Ottawa, as chairman, listened to papers on "How to secure new members," "How to conduct a consecration meeting," and "The prayer meeting and its leaders."

Mr. F. W. Daly, of London, was chairman of the missionary rally. "Raising missionary money," "Practical temperance work," and "Visiting and relief," were the papers they listened to.

Provincial Librarian Preston presided over the literary rally. "Helpful reading habits and how to develop them," "How to interest young people in Bible study," and "The relation of literary to spiritual work," were the subjects considered.

Rev. E. E. Lancelotti, of Barrie, was chairman of the social rally. The subjects were "A model social," "Music in our societies," and "Social life in and out of the church."

Rev. T. A. Moore, Dunville, presided at the junior rally. "Qualifications and duties of a junior superintendent," "Juniors and their Bibles," and "Juniors as church workers," were the subjects discussed.

The papers devoted to missions were: "The church and the divine commission," "What is our church doing?" "What are our societies doing?" "What are our societies doing?" "Mission work in your own neighborhood," "Young people's societies in country places."

This evening a song service, interspersed with papers and discussion on the effect of the League training in after life, "Our relation to civic and social reform," "Business methods in Christian work," and "Christ our example," was held in Elm Street Church.

## ASTHMA PREVALENT.

Many Cases in London.

A Noted Physician's Views on the Subject.

Asthma has hitherto baffled the skill of our best physicians. Within a comparatively recent period Dr. R. Schiffman, of St. Paul, Minn., who has devoted many years of study to the treatment of asthma, bronchitis and croup, has prepared a remedy for these affections which is meeting with great success wherever introduced.

With this remedy there is no waiting for results. It is not a nauseating compound to be swallowed, but is used by inhalation reaching the seat of disease direct. Its action is immediate and certain. Acting directly on the mucous membrane of the air passages, it relieves the spasm and contraction instantaneously, facilitates free and easy expiration, and insures comfortable rest to those otherwise unable to sleep except in a chair. All druggists have this remedy in stock, but in order that every sufferer who has in vain tried every other means of relief may test its efficacy, the doctor's representative will give away a free trial package, solely as an advertisement, to every one who applies today or tomorrow, at H. S. Saunders' drug store, 188 Dundas street, London, thus convincing the most sceptical. Persons living at a distance who wish to try a free sample package should address Lyman, Knox & Co., wholesale agents for Canada, 374 St. Paul street, Montreal.

## UPRISING IN CUBA.

The Movement Simultaneous at Seven Points.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 26.—Latest advices from Cuba confirm the reports of a general uprising of patriots there.

The movement is simultaneous at seven different points on the island, and the insurgents have attacked eight or ten interior towns.

At Mantanzas a Spanish army officer was dangerously wounded Sunday morning.

Generals Mari and Gomez are at the head of the movement.

## Live News in a Line.

The apprehensions of a revolution in Cuba are increasing.

A distinct shock of earthquake was felt at Kerwood, fifteen miles west of St. Louis, Mo., early Monday morning.

The long overdue steamer Salisbury, of North Shields, from Catano, Messina, etc., via Halifax, has arrived at New York, 38 days out from Gibraltar.

Capt. Stewart, of the British steamer Duchess of Roxburghe, which arrived at Liverpool from Galveston and Norfolk on Sunday, was drowned during the voyage.

Typhus is spreading rapidly in Berlin, and already has claimed victims than at any other time since 1889.

The majority of the sufferers are adults. Several lung diseases have followed the influenza in many cases.

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## RAILWAY TIME TABLES

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY

## LONDON TIME.

## Canada Southern Division—Going East.

Stations	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas
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American Express (daily except Monday)	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
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Atlantic Express (daily)	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
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