SYNDICATE SECURES MANY OPTIONS HERE

LONDON STREET RAILWAY BEING INCLUDED

WITH TRACTION LINE AND LONDON ELECTRIC

47th YEAR, NO. 20262

Purchase of the Toronto

Electric by Sir William

Mackenzie and Others

Is Likely to Affect

London.

Radial Lines Are to Figure in

the Scheme—Looks Like a

Fight Against Niagara

Power.

do with the development of London in the near future is made very clear by

these:
Option on the London and Lake Eric
Traction Company to Port Stanley,
Option on the London Electric Com-

nonths ago.
It will be remembered that the di-

It will be remembered that the directors did refuse the offer, and later withdrew altogether their terms of sale to the city.

When passing through the city sometime ago, Sir William informed The Advertiser that he intended coming to

NOW ADMITTED

OPTIONS ARE

PRICE TWO CENTS.

SNATCHED BILLS FROM A BUTCHER

Maudsley Struck Him on the Eye and Took Money.

JUST

THAT.

Was Enlarged—Fred Maudsley
Reserved His Plea in Court

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man, named Thomas Pritchard d with Mandsley and Dowling eputy Magistrate Graydon at the

ley reserved his plea, but elected Deputy Magistrate Gray-

and elected summary trial. The aid over until Monday, next. The Victim's Story.

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F. F. PARDEE, M. r. Who Spoke in Favor of Reciprocit at Big Barnia Mass Meeting.

CHINESE TROOPS

A Serious Situation Is Reported the following list now being negotiated at Canton.

TARTAR GENERAL SLAIN

The Citizens of Chinese City Are Fleeing to the Country.

[Canadian Press.]

London, April 10.—The Times claims to have advices to the effect that ail the northern troops stationed at Canton have muthined because they are annoyed over the action of the Prince Regent in proclaiming himself commander in chief of the army. The paper states that citizens at Canton are fleeing to the country.

The London Daily Express published a dispatch from its Hong Kong correspondent this morning saying that a serious revolution at Canton was reported. The Tartar general commanding the troops was said to have been murdered. There has been no official confirmation of this report. On April 3, an imperial edict was issued proclaiming the Prince Regent commander of the army.

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STREETS ARE WATERED MERCHANTS ARE GLAD

Dust Was Stifling for a While Today in Downtown District.

reets commenced this afternoon. After conference between Ald, Ashplant and eputy Engineer Wright, it was decided put as many carts at work as pos-ble

object as many earts at work as possible.

Owing to the death of Mr. Henry Dreaney, street watering inspector, and the subsequent delay in naming a successor, the committee did not have the carts repaired, and as a result it will be some days before they are ready. However, Mr. Wright has several carts in readiness, and they will be sufficient to keep the downtown streets moistened for a few days until the remainder of the carts are repaired.

London Street Railway Will Not Accept

It was stated today that the Lordon Street Railway Company would not purchase power from the hydro-electric com-

"The proposition so far as we have gone seems too high," a director informed The Advertiser. "We would not mind giving the commission a few thousand dollars the best of it, but we cannot give as much as the proposition calls for under the

IF REPAVING IS NECESSARY WHO WILL FOOT THE BILLS

No Money Has Been Set Aside by Board of Works for a New PAYS WARN TRIBUTE Foundation for Dundas and Richmond Street That there are large financial deals in the wind that will have mucht to Paving.

If Dundas and Richmond streets are to be repaved, not resurfaced, as originally intended, who is to pay the difference in the cost?

That is the little problem now being worked out by the board of works prior to arriving at some decision as to the best way to improve the streets. It will be remembered that a while ago the merchants petitioned to have the streets resurfaced. They were to pay the cost of the improvements, of course, and the contract was given to the Barber Asphalt Congany.

Since that time, however, the streets have been torn up so much that the aldermen have come to the conclusion that, it is out of the question to merely resurface the streets. A new foundation when the cost. The latter have set aside some money for this work, but it is not sufficient to do all. (Continued on Page Eight.)

Miss Scatcherd, Former

London Lady.

KIND WORDS FOR ALL

Winnifred Scatcherd Says the Well-Knewn Author Has Enriched the World by Living in it.

Tax Commissioners.

Some of the aldermen consider that the water commissioners should pay a large proportion of the cost. The latter have set aside some money for this work, but it is not sufficient to do all. (Continued on Page Eight.) Among the options at present held are

SUNDAY BROUGHT OUT

Country But Majority Kept

to the Pavements.

HON. A. G. MACKAY

Price of Farm Lands Will Jump as a Result of It.

THE ANNEXATION YELL

Dead Now, as the Conservative Politicians Are Realizing the Folly of It in Canada.

Is Mackenzie the Man?

It is understood that the options were taken at the instance of Sir William Mackenzie, a Toronto financier, who is acting for a large coterie of scores of care dotted the options. Canadian and American interests in the local situation for a long time. In fact, it is stated that he has had a large part to play in the negotiations between the city and the London Electric when they were negotiating for the purchase of the latter.

It is alleged that Sir William cabled to the London Electric from England, instructing them not to accept the effer of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the control of \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the city some into the first \$100,000 made by the ci passing of the reciprocity measure. rival from Toronto he spoke of the general increase that will result all

MERGER PLANNED

the commercial world and their well-being in this world and the next.

The primary Department.

The billiard room is the primary department of the saloon. Boys graduate from it to the advanced course given in the bergroom. Strange of the saloon well-being in the begroom.

PLACES TO SHUN ARE POINTED OUT

Rev. Mr. Malott Dealt With the Question in Colborne Street Church.

THREE PLACES BANNED

The Billiard Room, the Barreem and the Gambling Room—A Strong Appeal Made to Young.

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"Places to Shun" was Rev. F. E. Malott's theme at Colborne Street Methodist Church last evening. The text was Proverbs, iv., 14. After a brief introduction on the value of the book of Proverbs as a guide book for young men, the speaker sat data to man could come to middle life without knowing something of the perils that beset the pathway of youth, and every right-minded man will have an interest in everything that helps young men to live clean, manly, useful lives.

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There are temptations that come to young men with almost overmastering force, no matter how carefully they steer their course, but if they run recklessly in the path of wicked men and frequent places where the asseptions are degrading, God himself cannot save them.

Three places that are peculiarly dangerous to manhood and morals were named—the barroom, the billiard room and the gambling room.

No one can speak a good word for the barroom today. It is a menace to all that is good—the enemy of all righteousness—an unmittgated nuisance, and the wonder is that society tolerates it. Many quotations from leading men were given and statistics were read to prove the deadly nature of the saloon. Young men were warned to shun it if they valued their that helps young men to live clean, manly, useful lives.

The New York Journal has the following in connection with the death of Miss Scatcherd, a former London lady, some days ago:

Here is a sweet, tender, beautiful tribute from Laura Jean Libbey to the filling in this world and their well-being in this world and their well-being in this world and the next.

The Primary Department.

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memory of a fellow worker, Miss Winlifred Scatcherd, who was known as
Beatrice Fairfax, whose sudden death
was announced in these columns some
days ago. The authoress' tribute is
embodied in a letter to the editor of
the Evening Journal, as follows:
Dear Sir,—With profound sorrow,
read in your columns of the passing
sway of your glifted writer, Miss
Scatcherd. The miracle of life we
cannot fully understand; the miracle
of death, that which transforms in the
twinkling of an eye a human being,
warm with life, love, hope and ambition, is still more of a mystery to us.
The sudden darkening of that golden
light which diffused its radiance forgood is not only the Journal's loss but
the world's at large, wherever her
thoughts penetrated on your printed
pages.
Her words brought balm to the
hearts of sorrowing women who
silently blessed her for her loving
counsel; and brought truths home to
the hearts of men.

Gave Hope to the Sorrowing.
She was a heart-musician, touching
its harpsichords with a firm but gentle
and, bringing forth all its latent, pathetic music—turning its dirges into
an intense of joy, and hope which blotted out sorrow and mellowed lonelities.
She lived a life so pure, sweet and
in helpful, she did not fear the cool kiss
of death when it toole upon her, laying
till ill is lips upon hers—stealing from her
the breath it vould not return.
Nor did she fear when it drew her,
with relentless hand, from the sunshine of life adown the dark shadowed
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anthems of joy, and hope which not are already taking options on many of the big bean farms. When the bill goes through it will mean an increase in their value of half a million dollars at the least. Farm it nds all through this district will increase in value.

"The yell about annexation is dead. When you find men like Dr. Jamieson and Mr. Brodeur, of Dundas, strong Conservatives, saying that there is nothing in it, and that it is simply ridiculous it shows that the political are realizing the folly of such a cry and wish to disown it.

A Silly Charge.

"The charge was made that reciprocity would lead to disloyalty. The city would lead to disloyalty. The part of the pa

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