

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORT.

WILL HOLD AN ASSAULT-AT-ARMS.

Local Olympic Committee Held a Meeting Last Night.

Hurtubise, the Ex-Football Player, Won Wrestling Match on a Foul—Cherokee Indians' Nine Will Play Here on May 22—Opening of the Eastern B. B. League.

There was a good gathering of supporters of athletics at the meeting held at the Royal Hotel last night by the Hamilton Olympic Committee to consider the question of raising funds for the representatives that will be sent to England to compete in Olympic sports. Mr. R. T. Steele presided. Secretary Wright announced that the Canadian committee had agreed to send Tom Coley and Bobby Kerr to England a month ahead of the Canadian team, and it was now up to the Hamilton people to raise the additional expenses—their keep in England for 30 or 35 days. In addition to this expense, which would be about \$250, the committee thought that \$500 would be required for the boys—for expenses that the Canadian committee could not pay.

Quite a long discussion took place as to the best means for raising the fund, and it was finally decided to leave the matter in the hands of the following committee: R. T. Steele, T. M. Wright, J. A. McPherson, R. B. Harris, D. M. Cameron, W. Sherring, Dr. Thompson and Inspector McMahon.

It was announced at the meeting that Mr. Peter Christopher had agreed to allow the C. A. A. U. to manage the Brantford to Hamilton race for his trophies, if the race is made one of the Marathon trials. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the C. A. A. U. secretary and find out when the committee meets again. The union's representative, Mr. A. J. Taylor, was requested to press for the race being made a Marathon trial, and a number of the Hamilton men will go to Toronto to interview the committee on the subject.

After the meeting adjourned the sub-committee met, with Mr. McPherson in the chair. It was decided to hold an assault-at-arms on Monday, May 4, and that subscription tickets be issued at 50 cents and \$1.

A programme of boxing, wrestling and other athletic events will be put on. A feature will be a mile race for winners of the Herald races. This was suggested by Billy Marshall, the winner of the first round-the-bay race. He says he will enter. Tickets will be issued at once.

WITH AUTO PARADE.

How International League Season Will Open Here.

Manager Paige has decided to arrange for an automobile parade in connection with the opening game in the International League here, on lines similar to the parades held in the United States cities.

The date of the night game between the Hamiltons and the famous Cherokee Indians has been fixed. It will take place on Tuesday evening, May 22. The Indians carry an immense lighting plant with them, and claim they can play as well at night as in the day time.

The work of increasing the seating accommodation at Britannia Park, the home of the Tigers, is progressing nicely.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

At Pittsburgh—With ideal weather, a crowd of over 13,000 baseball enthusiasts saw Pittsburgh defeat St. Louis in the opening game of the local season by a score of 5 to 1. Wagner received a great ovation when he came on the field, and justified the confidence in him by knocking out a two-base hit in the fifth inning with two men on bases. Abbot followed with a three-base hit, netting Pittsburgh three runs in this inning. Both pitchers were strong and succeeded in keeping the hits pretty well scattered.

Score: R. H. E.
Pittsburgh..... 5 10 0
St. Louis..... 1 7 1
Batteries—Cannitz and Gibson; McGlynn and Hostetter, Umpire—Rigler.
At Chicago—The championship pennant of 1907 for the National League was raised by the Chicago team before the opening of the game, to the music of a brass band, and the cheers of the fanatics, who crowded all available space in the new grand stand extension. Score: R. H. E.
Chicago..... 7 10 1
Cincinnati..... 3 7 3
Batteries—Fraser and Kings; Tozer, Conkley and McLean.

At New York—R. H. E.
Brooklyn..... 2 7 0
New York..... 3 7 3
At Boston—R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 7 7 0
Boston..... 1 6 3

AMERICAN LEAGUE SCORES.

New York 2, Philadelphia 3.
Washington 3, Boston 5.
Cleveland 0, Chicago 4.
Detroit 3, St. Louis 7.

EXHIBITION GAMES.

At Exeter, N. H.—Phillips-Exeter 12, Vermont Academy 1.
At Providence—University of Vermont 6, Brown 4.
Amherst, Mass.—Amherst 3, Tufts 0.
Princeton, N. J.—Princeton 8, Lafayette 7.
Middletown—Wesleyan 3, Holy Cross 7.
At Ithaca, N. Y.—Cornell 6, Franklin and Marshall 3.
At West Point—West Point 4, Williams 3.
At Saratoga—Utica 4, Saratoga 3 (exhibition game).
At Washington—Pennsylvania 5, Georgetown 3 (11 innings).

EASTERN LEAGUE OPENING.

At Newark—Newark opened the Eastern League season here yesterday before a record-breaking crowd of 12,000 spectators, defeating Buffalo by the score of 2 to 1 in a ten-innings battle. Previous to the game a street parade was a feature, while Governor J. Franklin Fort was the big mogul at the ceremonies at the park. The Governor, before the game started, shook hands with the players of both teams, and afterwards took his position in the box and tossed the first ball across the plate. Other guests of importance were President P. T. Powers, of the Eastern League, and Frank Farrell, owner of the New York Americans. Score: R. H. E.
Newark..... 1 3 1
Buffalo..... 2 6 1
Batteries—Kissinger and Archer; Pardee and Stange.

At Baltimore—The opening game for the season of 1908 was played here between the Orioles and Montreal. The Royals gave a splendid account of themselves, and from all appearances will be factors in the race. Baltimore secured an early start and held it against all the strategy of the visitors. The usual opening performances took place before the game started. Score: R. H. E.
Baltimore..... 4 10 2
Montreal..... 2 8 2

FOUL TIPS.

The Granites will hold a practice Friday evening for their game with the Young Canadians on Saturday afternoon. All players are requested to attend this practice.

Hence, one has been signed by the Tigers' manager, was the star pitcher last season with the Seneca Falls team in the Empire State League.

Boston Herald: "Bullet Jack" Thoney opened Boston's first inning auspiciously with a hard drive in the teeth of the wind to left, on which, by good running, he reached second. Harry Lord

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

There are two things that the local Olympic Committee should press for now—one from the Canadian Olympic Committee and one from the C. A. A. U. The first is that Billy Sherring, the winner of the last Olympic Marathon, should be sent as trainer of the long distance runners that are sent to England and the other is that Peter Christopher's race be made a Marathon trial. Hamilton is the home of the long distance runners and is entitled to these two honors.

In regard to the Christopher race it could be finished at the Cricket Grounds in connection with an afternoon of field sports and the gate would be just as large as if the affair was held in Toronto. If the Toronto bunch in control of the C. A. A. U. consent to one of the Marathon trials being sent here, no complaint will be made here against the sending of a raft load of officials over at the expense of the public.

Manager Paige, of the Hamiltons, has decided to give Fred Howe a trial in the opening games. Howe is handy with the willow and should make good.

George S. Lyon, of Toronto, the Canadian amateur golfing champion and winner of the Olympic, stated yesterday that he was quite willing to represent Canada at the Olympic golf tournament in England this year. He never raised any objection to going, but he could not afford to pay his own expenses. If the Olympic Committee is prepared to meet this expense, Mr. Lyon is ready to go. He has made no preparations, however, and if he is to go he should be on his way next week, which would give him only two weeks on the English links before playing.

There will be no Australian or South African cricket teams visiting England this year. The Philadelphians are the only touring combination on the English season's programme, and though they play good cricket, they fail to excite international interest.

The outdoor gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. is being put in shape for summer sport, the high jumping, broad jumping, shot putting, sprints, and long distance running. The committee is arranging to hold the series of Junior and Senior handicap athletic events open to any athlete in the city. The Pentathlon consisting of: 100 yards, high jumping, pole vaulting, twelve pound shot, and one mile run will be held in July, gold, silver and bronze medals awarded.

Telegram: Fred Hubert, of Hamilton,

followed with a neat punt, and Thoney, after turning third, took advantage of Shipke's poor throw to first, and came home. Thoney made a star in popular favor by good hitting and good base-running in the early part of the game. Good judges of ball players are picking Thoney to be one of the leaders of the American League. They pick Cobb to be the only man to lead him. They called late on Jack batting .329 and Cobb .350.

POLICE TOOK HAND.

Hurtubise, Won Wrestling Match on Foul.

Toronto, Ont., April 23.—A very large crowd witnessed the wrestling bouts at Mutual Street Rink last night. The main bout of the evening was between Eugene Hurtubise of Peterboro' and Frank Kennedy, of New York. This was the most sensational bout ever witnessed in this city. Hurtubise, who is the ex-amateur heavyweight champion of Canada, made his first appearance as a professional. He secured the first fall in 43.47 minutes with a combination arm and stomach hold. Hurtubise was very aggressive, and was much stronger than Kennedy.

Kennedy got the second fall with a combination leg and shoulder hold in 1:45. Hurtubise was the victor of the second bout up till the fall was secured, but his opponent showed more knowledge of the fine points of the game.

In the third period, after the men had been on the mat a short time Kennedy secured a strangle hold, which he refused to break, though cautioned several times by Referee Art Edmunds. Inspector Cuddy and several police entered the ring and separated the men. When the crowd became quiet Art Edmunds announced that Hurtubise had won on a foul. The winner was looked after by Jack Moriarity, who recently returned to the city. Charlie Conkle, who refereed the preliminary bouts, challenged the winner.

In the preliminary bouts Hockey Jones won from John Edmunds. Edmunds secured the first fall with a head in chancery hold in four minutes and thirty-five seconds. Jones gained the next two falls in 1:45 and 9 seconds.

The main preliminary brought together Harry Gatenby and C. Deas, the colored welterweight. Gatenby secured the first fall with a scissors hold in 4:17. He also secured the second fall, which took 51 seconds. This fall was gained with a combination leg and arm hold.

Two Toronto little girls, Florence Marshall and Olive Pettigrew, have accused a woman named Clara Cook of teaching them to steal from the down town stores.

There has been talking over the phone to Bun Clark in Walkerton, and the former Trenchum goal-keeper is still of the opinion that he will spend the summer in Hamilton. And "Bun" is just Scotch enough to stick to what he says.

The Ottawa Citizen keeps a little sermon on "Play Fair" standing in its sporting page. And from the top of the grand stand comes the megaphoned tones of Dave Mulligan, "Get that man!"

The British Rugby team that will visit Canada next fall will be absent from home for six months, visiting New Zealand, Australia before coming here. The Scotch and Irish Union players, who are on tour and would not allow any of their men to participate. However, a strong combination has been made up from England and Wales, and the King telegraphed them his best wishes before they sailed last week for New Zealand.

A race over the greater part of the Olympic Marathon course will be run on Saturday, under the auspices of the London Polytechnic Harriers. The exact distance will be 22 miles, 1,420 yards. The finish is at Wimbledon Park, instead of at the Stadium, owing to the difficulties in the way of a large number of runners going through the crowded streets in the neighborhood of Shepherd's Bush. All the best men in England will take part, as this is a sanctioned Olympic trial.

"When two players try a double steal and one of them gets put out, the other does not get credit for a stolen base." The foregoing baseball ruling has been made by President Pulliam, of the National League, and official scores of that organization have been instructed to follow it in all games.

William Walker, better known as "Red" Walker, has made application for fifteen stalls at the Woodbine. His horses will be shipped here early in May.

The "gate" at Hampden Park, Glasgow, for the international football match between Scotland and England amounted to £7,800, which represented an attendance of 121,452 spectators. This is the record for paid attendance at any form of sport, in any part of the world. Possibly as many people see the Derby, but a great proportion occupies the free fields. In fact, the largest gate at any race in England is obtained at Liverpool on Grand National Steeplechase day, and represents 70,000 persons. The Melbourne Cup race is said to have been attended by more than a hundred thousand people during exhibition year, but they do not all pay at Flemington.

In selecting flags to adorn the New Ark grounds this season Manager Stallings chose the pirate color—black for Jersey City and green for Duffy's Providence team. "When I was in Buffalo I used to have an anarchist banner (red) for Newark," said Stallings, "but we'll transfer that honor to Toronto this year."—Newark Star.

NO BOATS BUILT UNDER OLD RULE.

Detroit Yachtsman Defends the Universal Regulation.

The Rule Has Killed Yacht Building In Hamilton, However—Quite a Number of Ships and Motor Bouts Added to Burlington Bay Fleet.

"It's a strange thing that the local yachtsmen are dissatisfied with the universal rating rule and refuse to sail under it," said a very prominent yachtsman to the Detroit Tribune. "They have not given it a fair tryout, and furthermore have jumped to hasty conclusions."

"The records of the Interlake Yacht Racing Association show how inconsistent some of the followers of the sport are. Just now a number of the clubs want to sail under the old regulations, because they believe the universal rule will destroy their classes."

To tell the truth, not one boat has been built on the old water-line rule, which was in vogue before the adoption of the present regulation, in the last five years. The Interlake register shows that all the boats now in commission were built to the rule which preceded the water-line regulation. Boats that have been built since that time were not designated for any special class, as the rating book shows. They merely fit into certain classes and sailed in them. Two 16-footers, Shake and Gambol, built by the Country Club, were the only craft in these waters which came directly under the water-line rule.

"If the yachtsmen used the water-line rule for five years without building any boats to it, there is no reason why they should kick when the regulation was superseded by a better one. Let them try out the universal rule for the same length of time and see what happens. At the worst it could not be less successful than the water-line rule, which rule they are championing at present."

"If boats were built to the universal rule, all objections to it would be overcome in short order. It is one of the best yachting rules the day was ever drawn up. It has been in vogue along the Atlantic coast and among Pacific coast clubs. The Interlake association adopted it and the Lake Michigan association has also decided to race under these rules. If the rule gives such universal satisfaction, there is no reason why the local yachtsmen should not be willing to race under it."

"Some argue that it will produce a cut-throat race, and that it is true. But yachts built under this set of regulations will be every bit as fast and probably faster than the other craft. At the same time this rule will not kill the 21-ft. restricted class. The only class that has been developed under the water-line rule. On the adoption of the universal rating rule

FEW ANGIES IN CHES.

During the last four centuries chess has been played under practically the same rules now existing, but the styles of openings adopted at various periods have been largely a matter of fashion. The great masters of the day and designers of the fashion plates and the style adopted by them in their serious games or recommended in their writings was followed by the lesser lights.

The most popular openings during the last century and a half have been the Scotch and French openings, and a Ray Lopez and the queen's pawn game, and they form a large percentage of all the games played in tournaments and matches. Up to and including the time of Morphy the lively and tricky gambits frequently were adopted in serious and casual games, and chess literature abounds with beautiful specimens of the older masters' skill in these openings.

Then the so-called "modern school" adopted openings in which no risks are taken and the opponent's downfall is sought by gradually securing small advantages in position and material until his surrender is effected. This latter-day style of chess is held by many to be far less interesting than the old, and to them it is a matter of rejoicing that a gradual return to the old way is in the air.

CHADWICK Memorial

New York, April 23.—Baseball players and followers of the game throughout the country are to be asked to contribute to a fund to be used in the erection in Greenwood Cemetery of a memorial monument to Henry Chadwick, the "father of baseball," who recently died in this city. The matter has been taken in hand by Patrick Powers, President of the National Association of Baseball Clubs, and he will ask each club in organized baseball to devote a suitable sum to the fund, and also that every professional player in the country contribute one dollar to the fund. It is Mr. Powers' idea that one dollar should be the maximum individual contribution. In addition to this, he suggests that amateur players and followers of the sport be permitted to contribute, and that newspapers throughout the country accept contributions for the purpose in their respective cities and transmit the sums so collected to the permanent treasurer of the fund, to be chosen later. Mr. Powers recommends also that boxes for contributions from the public be maintained at the entrance and exits of all baseball parks.

President Powers yesterday issued an order that the flags at all ball parks in America be hung at half mast to-day, the day of Mr. Chadwick's funeral.

The Interlake association inserted a clause which provided for the maintenance of this class.

"The boats which I have seen developed under this rule have been faster than the old style of craft. Take the Seneca and Adele, last year's Canadian cup defender and challenger. They left all the old boats, boats of much more displacement, away behind when it came to racing. These yachts were probably the fastest of their kind ever produced, and they were built under the universal rating rule. I do not think there is any danger that the Interlake association will ever repeal this rule, unless in the far future some better system is brought into use."

The past season has been the quietest one the local boat builders have experienced for many years. Very few sail boats have been built during the past winter and those that have been ordered are mostly 16 foot skiffs and cat boats. A large addition will be made to the motor boat fleet of Hamilton bay, however. One of the finest motor boats building for these waters is for Mr. J. Orr Callaghan, license commissioner. It is being built by Johnny Morris and is a 22 footer. It will be elegantly finished and will be equipped with a 9 horse power, 2-cylinder, 2-cycle Triton engine—a made-in-Hamilton engine. It will have automobile steering gear and reverse clutch. The same builder is working on a 22-footer for Fred Clark.

Robertson Bros. are building the large motor boat for local waters for Joe Reid and other employees of Kerr & Coombs. It will be a 27 footer, with 6 foot beam.

Thos. Jutten has filled a large number of orders from out of town. The largest he is working on is a 38-foot, full cabin launch.

Among the other local people who have placed orders for motor boats are: J. Fielding, a 23-footer, and J. Nicholson, 18 footer.

Those who are getting skiffs or cat boats built are: Reg. Simpson, W. Malcolm, W. Shaver and H. Wise.

COHORT ADDED,

But Was Not Good Enough to Beat Berry Maid.

New York, April 23.—Cohort, an added starter and 7 to 5 favorite on the strength of some fast trials, raced well up to the stretch yesterday, but tired badly and finished fourth. Besom, a quick starter, went out to make the pace, followed by Berry Maid and Cohort. This order remained until well in the stretch, when Berry Maid went to the front and won by one and a half lengths.

Besom was second, two lengths behind Cohort. The latter was poorly handled, but closing runs through the stretch. Berry Maid, heavily played at 16 to 5, easily won the Avenue stakes of six furlongs.

THE TORONTO HORSE SHOW.

Toronto, April 23.—The entries for the Canadian Horse Show are now all received, and there are close on to 600 in 60 classes, or an average of nine a class. This is a slight reduction from last year, but whatever has been lost in quantity has been more than gained in quality. It was known that there was a scarcity in the Horse Market of horses of show ring quality. This was due to the fact that owners with blue ribbon candidates were not prepared to sell, while dealers were asking very high prices. This fact, however, did not deter many gentlemen, with the result that Mr. Langdon Wilks, of Galt, bought a notable pair in President and Vice-President, and several Toronto gentlemen made purchases in New York, notably the Ennis Clare Stable, with four golden chestnuts that are said to be the finest quartette ever seen in Canada. Hon. Adam Beck appears in the list with 23 entries, and has some splendid new hunters.

Bidding yesterday for the boxes for the Canadian National Horse Show was not perhaps so extravagant as in other years. The total sum realized for thirty boxes was \$1,665, as against \$2,000 last year. The highest bid last year was \$125. This season Mr. George Beardmore paid

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\$110, the highest price. Mr. A. O. Beardmore paid \$100; Colonel Victor Williams \$100; Mr. E. B. Oiler, \$100; and Mr. Cawthra Mulock, \$90.

NEW ENGLISH CRICKET CLUB.

Among the many who have recently come to Canada from England are not a few good cricketers, and a movement is on foot among them to organize a club. A meeting has been called for Saturday evening next, of the English Association Cricket Club, for the purpose of discussing the situation and getting the club into shape. It will be held in the A. O. C. W. Hall, MacNab street, at 8.30 o'clock, and all English people interested in the game are cordially invited to attend.

CHECKER TOURNAMENT.

Nine Contestants For the Canadian Championships.

Toronto, April 23.—The checker tournament to decide the championship of Canada is arousing considerable interest at the Grand Union Hotel. The tournament, which began at 2 p. m. yesterday, is held under the auspices of the Ontario Checker Association, of which Mr. Richard Disette is President.

The first prize, a handsome silver cup, is the gift of Harry Knott, Toronto. The second prize, also a valuable silver cup, has been presented by the President. Nine contestants entered the lists—Judge D. McGibbon, of Brampton, Ont.; J. M. Small, of Arthur, Ont.; W. Dillane, of Tottenham, Ont.; J. Weatherstone, of London, Ont.; Markham, Ont.; Herbert Barrett, C. Rhodes, Fred Wright and Joseph L. Garvin, of Toronto.

Afternoon Score.

Contestant	Games	Draw
McGibbon	2	0
Wright	2	0
Dillane	2	1
Small	0	1
Featherstone	3	0
Rhodes	1	1
Garvin	1	1
Lawrence	0	0

Evening Score.

Contestant	Games	Draw
Garvin	2	1
Featherstone	0	1
Barrett	1	1
Wright	0	0

And two to play.

C. Pickering, of Baltimore, Ont.; Joseph B. Dixon, of Toronto; W. Moore, of Parry Sound, and several other expert players are interested onlookers.

TIGERS WON TWO.

In the City Bowling League series last night the Tigers took two games from the Hamilton H's. The scores:

Tigers.

Bolton	191	78	178	547
Hunter	112	129	170	411
Woods	150	129	199	478
Morton	145	133	163	441
Total	708	752	848	2350

Hamilton H's.

Cooper	292	172	178	547
J. Ericker	107	123	154	384
Keys	158	140	155	453
W. Ericker	129	163	148	440
Irwin	187	161	158	506
Total	893	759	788	2350

BRANTFORD BOUTS.

Brantford, Ont., April 23.—(Special.)—A large crowd was present last evening in the roller rink, when the Daly and Minnes management put on a splendid series of boxing bouts.

The 125-lb. class, got the decision over Kid Smith, of Hamilton, in a four-round bout. The bout between Christie, of Toronto, and A. Welsh, of this city, was a mixed affair. Welsh floored Christie, who took a five-second count, but came back strong and floored Welsh over the ropes. Welsh received injuries, which forced him to quit. Hillard Lang, of Toronto, defeated Joe Tryling, in the 145-lb. class. Tommy Daley also figured against Tryling, and won the decision. Much interest centered in the wrestling match between H. McDonald, of Hamilton, and Ferguson, of Peterboro. Both won the 15-minute limit, neither securing a fall. About 1,000 people were in attendance.

CASH PRIZES FOR GOOD FICTION.

The Bohemian, Deposit, N. Y., a bright and entertaining monthly which has been making a place for itself, is in the field with several substantial cash prizes for good fiction. The editors of the Bohemian are convinced that there are hundreds of people in this country who have a good story to tell if only they are induced to put themselves upon paper. It is to bring out these stories from what source so ever that next month particulars of the cash offer for prizes will be printed in the Outing Press publications: The Bohemian and the Outing Magazine.

This offer means that the Bohemian is offering especial encouragement to those outside of the field of professional writing.

IRISHMEN PROTESTED.

U. S. Senate Fruitlessly Bombarded With Treaty Petitions.

Washington, April 21.—In the face of scores of protests from every section the Senate to-day, in executive session, notified an arbitration convention with Great Britain. The protests came from Irishmen and Irish organizations throughout the United States. The Ancient Order of Hibernians, Clan Na Gael, Friendly Sons of St. Patrick and Robert Emmet Societies, bombarded the Senate with yards of names, attached to warnings that Britain's word was no good and that "the oppressor of the Emerald Isle wanted the convention drawn so that she could kill to rest the suspicions of the United States and jump on this country's shores when the Government was not looking." The arguments did not impress the senators. A similar treaty with Spain was also ratified.

Magistrate Kingsford, of Toronto, has decided that an automatic cent-in-the-slot machine must not sell chewing gum on Sunday.

GRASPING THE LEVER.

Engineer Rigger Killed on C. N. R. Near Roblin.

Roblin, Man., April 22.—A Canadian Northern locomotive drawing a freight train on the Edmonton main line jumped the track in a cutting about four miles east of Roblin this morning and rolled over, crushing Engineer Edward Rigger to death. The fireman jumped and escaped without injury. The engineer met death at his post. When removing his body it was found that his hand was still tightly grasping the throttle. Ten cars loaded with wheat following the locomotive were derailed, and considerable wheat was spilled on the track. Mr. Rigger was a single man and lived in Dauphin. He was formerly a resident of Winnipeg.

MR. DEWART'S DENIAL.

No Suggestion of His Appointment as High Court Judge.

Ottawa, April 22.—Mr. Hartley Dewart, K. C., Toronto, who is in Ottawa to-day, stated to a correspondent that there was absolutely no foundation for the report published in Toronto that his withdrawal from the Liberal candidacy for the Commons in South Toronto was a preliminary step to his acceptance of a seat on the Ontario High Court Bench, to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of Mr. Justice Macle to the Railway Commission. "There has been no suggestion made to me," said Mr. Dewart, "of any such appointment. My withdrawal from the candidacy in South Toronto was for purely business reasons, as I found that I could not afford to take so much time from my professional practice."

MRS. ALEX. MORRIS DEAD.

Widow of Late Lieutenant-Governor Dies Suddenly.

Toronto, April 22.—Mrs. Alexander Morris died suddenly at her residence, 471 Jarvis street, at 9 o'clock last night. Heart failure was the cause of her death.

Mrs. Morris was the widow of the late Hon. Alexander Morris, at one time member of Parliament for East Toronto and the first lieutenant-governor of Manitoba.

She had been a resident of Toronto for many years. She leaves two daughters and three sons.

WILL BE RE-MARRIED.