

ony

The Sporting World.

ful cure related below is unusual with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Its great medicine has to suffering children, health seemed impossible. Its success is that it purifies and enriches the blood. Tell of a wonderful cure of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Five little boys were suddenly afflicted with a severe lameness, apparently knees, which some physicians diagnosed as rheumatism, while others said it was a disease and that it was

urable

at winter and spring he worse. We took Jimmie who said it was hip disease. The affliction became so bad that he could not move him without screams of agony. He became weight to 30 pounds, and now of his former self. We are up hope when we read of Hood's Sarsaparilla of a similar cure. We decided to try this medicine, and decided improved after first bottle. He was even

etter

We have since used of the medicine, and needed our expectations. To walk without the aid of crutches goes to school every day. He was wonderfully cured. J. O. RUNDLE.

red

Sarsaparilla and that Mr. Runy reliable. He has a good Sarsaparilla and Hood's which are giving perfect results. He says Hood's Pills seem to be family cathartics. He decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, because

od's

Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

apapilla

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

od's

Hood's Sarsaparilla. All druggists, \$1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. It is easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

## Local Skating Contest for the W. O. Challenge Cup.

## Annual Meeting of the London Golf Club.

## London Hockey Club Juniors Defeat the Rowers—Chatham Bicycle Club Reorganized—Fistic and Other Sporting News.

## SKATING.

Bert Thomas had such an easy victory in a three-mile skating race at the Westminster rink last night that the contest was somewhat uninteresting, except for Thomas and his friends. It was Thomas' race from the start, and while the winner only kept up a nice easy jog, his three opponents worked hard to prevent him from getting a long lead on them.

The race was the second of the season for a large silver trophy and the championship of Western Ontario, offered by the proprietor of the Westminster rink, Whit Lancaster, to the person who will hold it two years in succession. Thomas is the only skater who has won it this year, and unless a dark horse looms up he will doubtless have no difficulty in holding onto the trophy another season.

His opponents last night were "Banjo" Crabb of this city; Coughlin, of Windsor, and Howard, of St. Thomas. Crabb was looked on by his friends as a possible winner, but he proved a great disappointment by showing up in bad form. He made a great effort to stay with Thomas in the first part of the race, but repeatedly lost ground in making the corners, a "trick of the trade," which Thomas had mastered to perfection. In brief, Crabb's action was clumsy, while Thomas' was remarkably graceful. Coughlin, the Windsor man, chased the winner for nearly two miles, but he lacked the necessary stamina to remain, and made a spurt for first place; Howard, of St. Thomas, was in last place throughout the race. Coughlin was one lap behind Thomas; Crabb was one lap behind Coughlin, and Howard was a lap behind Crabb.

The time was 10 minutes and 36 seconds. Charles Sumner was timekeeper; Michael Clark, referee, and Whit Lancaster starter.

## HOCKEY.

The South London hockey team challenge the London Juniors to play a rubber match on Wednesday evening, March 4. S. McEvoy, captain.

## LONDON JUNIORS VS. ROWING CLUB.

The Juniors of the London Hockey Club defeated the Rowing Club at the Princess rink last evening. The score being seven to one. The ice was in excellent condition, and the game was a lively one, Hobbs making some of his speedy rushes. The rowing team did good work for their side, but they were outplayed all round. Following are the names of those who took part:

LONDON JUNIORS		ROWING CLUB	
H. Niver	Goal	J. Kerrigan	Point
H. Abbott	Point	C. Pigot	C. Pigot
F. Reid	Cover Point	G. Laing	G. Laing
H. Spence	Forwards	H. Kerrigan	H. Kerrigan
G. Simpson		M. Martin	M. Martin
R. Lind		S. Taylor	S. Taylor
R. Hobbs			

## BASEBALL.

## FLYS.

Parrot, who pitched for the Cincinnati club last year, has been signed by the St. Louis Browns to play in that position this season.

James McCracken, formerly right fielder for the Guelph Maple Leafs, has signed with the Wilmington (Delaware) club for this season.

Fred Barron (formerly of the Varsity baseball club) will arrange a big summer's programme, including a lengthy tour.

Manager, Buckenberger has secured the Exhibition Park at Pittsburgh for the use of his Torontoes for two weeks in April. The team plays Pittsburgh Athletic Club two games on April 2 and 4.

## GOLF.

## THE LONDON GOLF CLUB.

At the annual general meeting of the London Golf Club the following officers were appointed for the present year: Hon. president, Lt.-Col. Smith; president, Mr. V. Cronyn; 1st vice-president, Mr. F. E. Leonaud; 2nd vice, Mr. G. B. Harris; captain, Mr. Geo. T. Brown; secretary-treasurer, Mr. R. Inglis; ground committee; Messrs. J. L. Anderson, F. P. Betts, H. Cronyn, J. W. Hamilton; executive committee (in addition to above), Mr. H. S. Blackburn, Mr. H. E. Gates, Capt. Heming, Mr. F. D. Widdier; auditors, Messrs. Anderson and Gates.

A subcommittee was appointed to consider the question of the erection of a club house and report.

A cordial vote of thanks was passed to Lieut.-Col. Smith for his kindness in permitting the use of the military grounds to the club.

A cordial vote of thanks was also passed to Mr. John Labatt for his liberal donation of a very handsome trophy to be played for yearly by members of the club.

A number of new members were elected. A complete new house has been laid out and will be ready for use as soon as the spring opens. The club expects to be able to begin play within a few weeks.

## THE WHEEL.

## CHATHAM CLUB.

At the Chatham Bicycle Club meeting A. E. Ham gave notice of a motion to increase the membership fees from \$1 to \$2. The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Sydney Stephenson; president, A. E. Ham; vice-president, C. C. McPherson; captain, W. Harrick; lieutenant, J. Reid; secretary, Hugh Lamont; assistant secretary, Dr. Fisher; treasurer, A. E. Pilkey; executive committee, Messrs. P. S. Coate, A. E. Pilkey, James Gray, Charles Dunn, J. B. Kitchen; finance committee, Messrs. S. Smith, Dr. Fisher and George Foot; property committee, Messrs. S. Stone, G. F. Turrill and H. Fitzsimmons; consul, Fred Briscoe. A. E. Ham and S. Stephenson were elected as delegates to the annual meeting of the C. W. A. to be held in Toronto.

## ATHLETICS.

## A FIERCE FIGHT.

West Superior, Wis., March 3.—Jimmy Murphy, of Chicago, knocked out Billy Patterson, of San Francisco, here Sunday night in the sixth round. The fight was a fierce one.

## THE TERMS.

London, March 3.—Sporting Life publishes a draft of the Bolingbroke Club's articles of the world that have been mailed to Corbett and Fitzsimmons. Each man will receive his expenses, and must deposit \$5,000 as a guarantee. The referee will be selected by mutual consent, failing which, he will be appointed by the proprietor of the

## club. Sporting Life will be the final stakeholder.

## A KNOCK-OUT.

Maspeh, L. I., March 3.—A fight between Tommy Ryan and Kid McCoy was the attraction at the Empire Athletic Club last night. Over 2,000 persons were in the hall. Ryan was knocked out in the fifteenth round. McCoy's victory places him in the front ranks of the welter-weight fighters. The result of the fight was one of the biggest surprises of the fight arena for some time. Ryan was looked upon as a certain winner. For five rounds Ryan was practically a punching block for his opponent. Nothing but his gameness kept him in the ring. From the eighth round to the finish Ryan was almost entirely on the defensive.

## Ontario Legislature

## The Question of the Duration of Parliament and of the Legislature.

Toronto, March 3.—In the Legislature yesterday Mr. Whitney brought up the question of the duration of the House.

The duration of the Provincial Legislature was four years from the return of the last writ. The elections in Algoma for both the Dominion and Province had, by the B. N. A. Act, to take place between May 1 and Nov. 1, 1915 the last of the writs outside of Algoma were returnable on Feb. 2.

Yet the Legislature of Ontario sat four years and 39 days after that date. Mr. Whitney wanted to know if the acts passed in those days were legal or not. The law for Ontario was practically the same as the law for the Dominion. The question was, did the Dominion Parliament terminate on April 26 or last five years from the return of the writ for Algoma? If the latter was the case, the legislation passed in 1915 was illegal.

Sir Oliver Mowat remarked that it was evident Mr. Whitney was looking for comfort for his friends in Ottawa. Mr. Whitney, he showed, to be discussing a long since settled matter, as the legality of the acts he referred to had been settled seventy years ago. His position then was that the life of the Legislature was four years from the date fixed for the return of the writs, and not from the date the last writ was returned. Further than that, he held that while a Dominion Parliament could not exist, under the British North America Act, longer than five years, on any conditions, the Legislature was not so bound down in its four-year term.

Wednesday was fixed as the day for the discussion of Mr. Crawford's anti-remedial motion.

Mr. Howland asked: "Has the attention of the Government been called to the operation of the act respecting the solemnization of marriages, in respect to marriage ceremonies performed by license by clergymen not residents of this Province, and does the Government intend to introduce an act to legalize marriages which have been so performed?"

The Attorney-General said he had never heard of any such marriages.

## Soldier in Jail.

## Pte. Charles Cole, of Wolsely Barracks, Gets Eighty Days—Deserted and Lost His Military Clothing—Was Married at the Teamsters' Picnic.

Private Charles Cole, an enlistee at Wolsely Barracks, will for the next 84 days do duty not for the good of the country, but for the good of Middlesex county. He will be quartered at the county jail, where he will have to do daily drill on a wood pile, and eat

skilfully every morning and evening. Though only twenty years old, Cole has had a varied experience. He enlisted at Wolsely Barracks about a year ago, and at the teamsters' picnic in Queen's Park. This exploit didn't tax Cole's nerve to any extent. The youthful soldier took up house, but in a couple of months he became tired of London and soldiering. He deserted from the ranks. The military authorities could find no trace of him whatever, and Cole was given up for good, until one afternoon a week ago, when he walked through the barracks armful as large as life, and gave himself up. He was sentenced to be imprisoned, with hard labor, for eighty days, and to be put in stoppage of pay until he has made good the following articles: One pair trousers, \$4.50; one pair winter boots, \$4.87; one forage cap and badge, 60 cents—total, \$14.97. The sentence was pronounced by 24 days by the commanding officer. The offense for which Cole was committed included two counts, one being desertion, and the other for losing, by neglect, his regimentals.

## RIGHT IN OUR MIDST.

## Mr. Shipman, of Owen Sound—Seven Years' Ailing Suffering—Diabetes Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Owen Sound, March 2.—Mr. Shipman tells his story in the hope that he may benefit others: "As the result of a tumble when a boy, which injured my back, I have been troubled with weak kidneys all my life. For the past year I have been a great sufferer, growing worse until a friendly druggist advised me to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Tests of urine showed diabetes and I realized my danger. I found it impossible when tired to stand upright and at all times was drawn down sideways. In such I have used about one dozen boxes and am now hearty and healthy as ever in my life."

Col. A. K. McClure, editor of the Philadelphia Times, in an address to a meeting of Cubans Monday night, said in effect that if Spain persisted in pursuing her present course, the United States should declare war against her and invade Cuba.

Rev. Wm. Tatlock, D.D., Secretary of the American House of Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church, died at midnight on Monday in the rectory of St. John's parish in Stamford, Ct.

How to Cure Skin Diseases.

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures itching, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lymington Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

Try Adams for fine watch and clock repairing, all work warranted. Adams, watchmaker and optician, East London.

Win Do No Good

## Principal Grant Riddles the Remedial Bill.

Machinery of the Bill is Wonderful, But with No Steam to Run It.

Almost Every Line of the Measure Means Future Litigation and a Veritable Lucullian Banquet to the Lawyers.

Montreal, March 3.—Rev. Principal Grant expresses himself as follows on the Remedial Bill.

"The proposed Remedial Bill, in my opinion, is one well adapted to irritate every one, without doing a particle of good. It combines the prospect of a long-continued Donnybrook between the Province and the Dominion. What a Barmecide feast for the Manitoba Roman Catholic minority!"

"There must be dozens of men in Parliament who, after a little reflection will see how it is sure to work. The bill puts all the powers of the Provincial Government into the hands of a Board of Education, which is responsible to no one. When, however, we look a little deeper, these extravagant powers are seen to be a pure delusion."

THE MACHINERY IS WONDERFUL. "The machinery looks wonderfully complete. It is spread out over 40 pages of type, but there is not a pound of steam to run it. Not a cent is provided even to enable the board to hire a room to meet in or to pay its necessary expenses."

"The executive officer of the board is the superintendent, and he must have a good salary. He has all the power to do and a difficult country to travel over. Without his initiative nothing can be done. But his salary and the salaries of the local inspectors and the expenses of a normal school and other higher training as well as more than half the salaries of the teachers, are all to be paid out of a fund to be voted by the Legislature of Manitoba."

"It sounds like a huge joke. Of course, Manitoba will not vote a dollar. The efficiency of the schools is to be determined by inspectors appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, and every school is to be deemed efficient till an inspector reports it inefficient. As no inspectors will be appointed we shall have Botheboy's hall over again if we have anything."

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTION SHIRKED.

"No doubt the bill says that any sum granted by the Legislature of Manitoba for the separate schools shall be placed, to the credit of the board, but there is not a pretense that the Dominion Government has the power to force any such grant. The constitutional question is shirked. If the Roman Catholics are thankful for such a bill, the fox must have been thankful for the dinner to which the stock invited him."

"However, let us suppose that the board does meet in the street or elsewhere and finds a superintendent who will work for love and put his shoulder to the wheel to set the machinery in operation. He organizes a few school districts and gets trustees appointed. These call on the municipal council to levy separate school taxes; the municipality obeys. What then? Section 92 of the British North America Act, enumerating the exclusive powers of Provincial Legislatures, sub-section 4 of section 93, permits the Dominion Government to apply Dominion funds for the purpose, but in view of previous decisions of the Privy Council, which have jealously guarded provincial rights, it is difficult to believe that it gives them power to do this. The fundamental principle of the constitution in order to carry out their peculiar ideas of Remedial Legislation."

IT MEANS LITIGATION.

"Should a municipality try the experiment it will find itself in litigation with the Dominion Government. The board undertake the work instead, the litigation will come a little sooner."

"The bill proposes that Roman Catholics assessed for the support of sectarian schools are to be exempt from taxation for public schools. The British North America Act gives the power to the Dominion Government to make such exemptions. If it does why not also exempt the Mennonites, who came to Manitoba under promise of the most favored race treatment, and the Anglicans, who had more schools in 1870 than the Roman Catholics and people who have no children and no contributions? Then the province would have very few people left to tax. Of necessity the province must proceed against any man who refused to pay a provincial tax. What a veritable Lucullian banquet to the lawyers is suggested by all this litigation."

## FRICTION AT EVERY POINT.

"Again, if the trustees of a school district require a loan for the purpose of building or for any other purpose, and the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council declines to sanction the loan, his Excellency the Governor-General-in-Council is to have the power to sanction the loan. The British North America Act by any stretch of meaning be made to cover this transference of power? Besides, what means are provided for informing his Excellency's advisers as to whether there is sufficient security for such loans? It is unnecessary to go on criticising. The bill means friction at every point."

"It may be asked whether a better bill could not be drawn. I doubt it. The subject of education is by our constitution entrusted to the people of each province. The wisdom of the arrangement is shown by the fact that there are peculiarities in the system or in the administration of every province, even the territories having a different system from that of any of the seven provinces. The peculiarities are due to the historical development and the stated conditions of the different sections of the country, but, notwithstanding the apparent variety, we have substantial unity and peace as well as a reasonable degree of educational progress. The happy condition has been arrived at by trusting to the good sense and the good feeling of the people immediately concerned. Changes are made from time to time in every province, according as they are needed. Hard and fast lines are nowhere more unsuitable than in connection with educational growth."

COERCION IS ALWAYS ODIUS.

"Coercion from without is always odious to free men, and never as tedious as when administered by people who do not understand the peculiar conditions of the case, and who would stoutly refuse to take the medicine

S. &amp; J.

## THE WEATHER TO-DAY.

Fair; snow furries.

ONLY TIRED

That's the complaint the young lady had who paid more than was necessary for a pair of shoes. And they didn't even fit her. No wonder she was tired. The kind we sell prevent that tired feeling, because they fit. If they don't, bring them back and get your money if you want it. That's our way of giving satisfaction.

Photographing the inside of things may be very interesting to some, but the general public will find that we do not require such an intricate process to reveal the astonishing values offering in our popular shoe department. They can be seen with the naked eye, to wit:

\$2 for a pair of \$3 Vic Kid, hand turn, button boots.

\$2 for a pair of \$3 Vic Kid, hand turn, sewed welt, button boots.

\$2 for a pair of \$3 Vic Kid, hand turn, sewed welt, lace boots.

\$1.25 for a pair of \$2 Dongola Kid lace or button boots.

\$1.25 for a pair of \$2 Dongola Kid common sense button boots.

\$1.50 for a pair of \$2 Tan Pebble lace boots.

\$1 for a pair of \$1.50 button boots.

You can save money and get good wearing boots if you buy this week. Our spring goods have arrived. They are brilliant and beautiful, and require no breaking in.

## Slippery Places

You can't always keep out of them, but they won't be slippery places to you if you have on a pair of our Rubbers. They get a good grip, as well as keep the feet dry. Goodyear Glove Brand, at 45c, is the kind we sell a lot of. They're good.

## Strong and Stout.

Our Hickory Grain Boys' Shoe sells on its merits. Those who have bought them know it. Those who haven't should. They wear well and easy, are waterproof, and HICKORY is their name, because they are strongly made.

## SMALLMAN &amp; INGRAM

149-151 Dundas St.

which they propose to force upon others, as full grown as themselves.

"Even at the last hour I would fain hope that the Government will frankly recognize that it is attempting the impossible. The longer it perseveres in the present course the worse for it and the country."

"If this bill would settle the question, men might be induced to give it a grudging support. But, clearly, it will not. That it is attempting the impossible, is already saying that he hopes for more in the future. He will need more, and need it soon. Why, then, should men ruin their political life, or at cost to the country of their political superannuation, attempt to force this bill on Parliament? Intelligent Roman Catholics must now see that, as Hon. Mr. Fielding puts it, 'One point conceded by the Government of Manitoba will be worth more to them than half a dozen promised by the Dominion.'"

## LITIGATION CLERICAL BIGOTS SWIM.

"The Government would do a brave thing if it called its followers together and announced its decision to begin again on the basis of accepting the proposals of Manitoba."

"Should its supporters from Quebec realize what could they do? Simply put Laurier in power to let him do the very thing which seems to them outrageous. Surely at this critical epoch in the life of our nation and empire Canada might cease convulsing herself over a two-penny half-penny matter, which three or four sensible men could easily settle so as to satisfy everyone except a few clerical and secularist bigots."

## GREAT MEN MEET.

## Gladstone Talks With Faure and Bourgeois—Peace Praised.

Canes, March 3.—Mr. Gladstone had an interview here today with President Faure, who was in company with the Premier, M. Bourgeois. The English statesman expressed his gratification with the Anglo-French rapprochement, and M. Faure replied that the desire for peace tended to bring all nations together. The interview lasted about a quarter of an hour.

Kur-a-Kof, the new cold and lung remedy, 25c at Anderson & Nelles' Drug Store.

Cooper & Sanders photos beat them all. Sixteen years experience. New studio, cor. Dundas and Richmond. ywt

The James F. Hunt & Sons' hair mattress and feather bed cleaning factory; manufacturers of new mattresses and goose feather pillows; a good variety on hand. Bedroom sets, spring beds, fancy rockers, tables, chairs, stoves and general house furnishing. 593 to 597 Richmond street. Telephone 997.

The best place to get a fashionable turn-out is at Overmyer's Livery, Richmond street north. Phone 423.

A woman never realizes how clumsy a man is until after she has married him.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

The capital of the Rothschild firm is now said to exceed £200,000,000 sterling, and the Vienna branch of the family is the richest.

A. Screaton &amp; Co.

## Received Today

DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER IN GERMANY, THE BEST VALUE IN . . . . .

Fancy Linens

Ever Offered in the City.

Tray Cloths—12½c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

Toilet Scarfs—25c, 35c, 40c, 50c.

Sideboard Scarfs—40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c.

Five O'Clock Teas—50c, 90c, \$1, \$1.25.

Doilies—10c, 12½c, 20c, 25c, 35c.

Table Napkins and Table Damasks—Special values. See these. They are all new, beautiful designs.

## A. Screaton &amp; Co.

Six Miles More.

Street Railway Extensions to Be Made in the Spring.

Line to Pottersburg Among the Possibilities—A Heap of Wire.

As soon as the winter breaks up and the frost is out of the ground, the street railway company will begin to extend their lines both in and out of the city. In all, it is expected that about six miles of road will be built. The unfinished sections inside the limits are the Wellington street south branch, to Maryboro Place; the continuation of the Richmond street north line, along St. James street to Wellington, and thence to the limits; and the Hamilton road line from Rectory to Egerton, and Egerton to the Grand Trunk. Then the company has under consideration the extension of their tracks on Dundas street east to Pottersburg, which will be a big boon to the little hamlet, and a step which will all a want long felt among the residents of the village and the employees of the Asylum. An agreement with the water commissioners will mean the construction of a considerable amount of track into the waterworks property at Springbank. If all these extensions are made—and it is almost certain they will be—London will have fully six miles more of track than it has at present.