BOARD OF WORKS DO NOT WANT A BEAR

Offer of a Fine Yearling Was Refused at Meeting Last Night.

The board of works will not buy the bear.

It will be remembered that at the last meeting of the council, a communication was received from a resident of Englehart, Ont., offering to sell the city a fine bear, one year old, tame enough to eat out of one's hand.

The communication was sent to No. 3 committee, but last night the aldermen decided they did not want a bear, and so they sent the letter to the water commissioners.

"They have a fine park at Springbank, and it may be that the commissioners would like to start a zoo, such as they have in other cities," declared Ald. Mitchell. "They could make a fine place for animals down there."

Some of them suggested that Ald. Cooper purchase the bear, fatten him, and invite the members to a barbecue. However, the chairman could not see it that way.

M'MANIGAL TELLS STORY TO GRAND JURY

Expected That the McNamaras Will Be Indicted Today.

Los Angeles, May 4.—Appearing before the county grand jury late this afternoon, Ortie McManigal told its members the story of the dynamiting plots in which he says he participated with James B. McNamara, and of which he asserts John J. McNamara had guilty knowledge.

The session of the jury prefaced the return of more indictments against the McNamaras. These indictments probably will be returned tomorrow morning, and the arraignment of the prisoners will follow.

FORESTERS TO THE KING

Supreme Court to Draft and Send Congratulatory Resolution.

Toronto, May 4.—At today's session of the supreme court of the Independent Order of Foresters, a committee was appointed to draft a congratulatory resolution to King George and Queen Mary on their coronation. Judge Cockburn, of New Brunswick, and Prof. A. R. Wiggins, of New York, were the sponsors of the resolution.

After considerable debate the supreme court passed a recommendation of the supreme chief ranger that in future the high courts shall meet triennially. A saving of between $60,000 and $80,000 will be effected by this order and the sum saved will go to the mortuary fund.

LONG LITIGATION CLOSED

Privy Council Decides for Standard Trust Against Government.

Montreal, May 4. — A cable from London to Messrs. Foster, Martin, Mann, Macklnnon & Hackett, from Mr. Martin, K. C., announces that he has won in the appeal before the privy council in the case of the Attorney-General against the Standard Trust Company, the South Shore Railway being a party thereto.

This litigation is the last pending suit with reference to the sale, six years ago, of the South Shore Railway, in which the New York Central, the Grand Trunk Railway, and the Delaware and Hudson Railway were competitors. The Delaware and Hudson bought the property, and when it came to a division of the money Judge Furbridge awarded the Standard Trust Company, of New York, about $600,000, which was contested by the Government of Canada on the ground that it should have gone to the other creditors, principally to the Bank of St. Hyacinthe.

The case went through the courts of Quebec and the supreme court, and in each case the Standard Trust Company won. Last year an application was made by Mr. Geoffrion, K. C., for special leave to appeal to the privy council, which was granted, and it is the merit of that appeal that was heard in London today.

By the judgment of the privy council the Standard Trust Company, of New York, will recover, with interest, about $600,000 and costs, and this being a final judgment, it will dispose of this long-drawn-out litigation.

BACK TO IRELAND.

Toronto, May 4.—In the criminal assize court today an arrangement was made in the case of Herbert McLetchie, who was charged with manslaughter and in whose trial the jury disagreed, by which on Monday the prisoner may be released on bail of $1,000 to appear for trial again at the autumn sittings of the court or sooner if called upon.

In the meantime his counsel, T. C. Robinette, K.C., will try to secure for him passage for Ireland and McLetchie will be allowed to go home. If he does not leave the country for Ireland or returns here again he will be liable to be called up for trial on the charge.

FINDS WIFE DEAD WHEN HE GOES HOME

Ingersoll Lady Succumbs to Heart Disease While at Work Around House.

Ingersoll, May 4.—James Livens found his wife dead on the floor of the kitchen this evening when he returned from work. Mrs. Livens was in her usual health when her husband left the house at the dinner hour.

Mrs. Livens was stricken down while going about her work, death being due to heart failure.

FATHER AVENGES DAUGHTER'S HONOR

Shoots Man Who Refused to Make Reparation.

Philadelphia, May 4.—Avenging the honor of his 18-year-old daughter, Frank McMahon, aged 48 years, shot and fatally wounded George Leary, aged 53 years, tonight when the latter laughed at his demands for reparation.

The shooting occurred in the presence of a large crowd that had been gathered at 55th and Spruce streets by the loud wrangling of the two men.

Leary had broken away from McMahon and had walked about 50 feet away when the angry father drew a revolver and fired a shot at his back. With a bullet through his left shoulder, Leary turned and walked toward his assailant. McMahon then fired a second shot, which struck Leary in the abdomen. He staggered for an instant, but continued to approach the revolver when McMahon fired a third shot, which struck him over the heart.

Leaving his victim lying in the street, McMahon sought a policeman to give himself up. "I went out to see him to demand to know what he was going to do about my daughter, and he gave me the laugh," was the only statement he would make.

McMahon is a saloonkeeper at Second and Spruce streets, in the southern section of the city. Leary is a real estate operator, and lived near the scene of the shooting. He was removed to a hospital, where it is stated he cannot recover.

WARSHIPS ON LAKES

Question Again Brought Up in the House of Commons.

London, May 4.—The foreign office was asked in the House of Commons this afternoon if the United States was now maintaining warships on the great lakes in a position from which they might sever the internal communications with Canada and isolate the prairie provinces, and if such was the case what action the British Government proposed to take in the matter.

Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, replied that the Government was acting in the closest touch with the Canadian Government which was intimately concerned in the matter.

He was not prepared to make any further statement.

CONSUMPTION SPREADING

Sixty-Four Per Cent. of Deaths at Montreal Due to Tuberculosis.

Montreal, May 4. — The alarming spread of tuberculosis in Montreal was made the subject of a report to the board of control today by Dr. J. E. Laberge.

The doctor states that 64 per cent. of the deaths registered are from tuberculosis; and, further, there are probably 2,000 cases of tuberculosis in the city at present.

The report states that the plague is increasing rapidly, and that hundreds of tuberculosis patients are circulating in the streets and spreading the disease.

METHODISTS BAR WOMEN

Under No Circumstances Can They Attend the Annual Conference.

Toronto, May 5.—Under no circumstances are women to represent the Methodist Church at its annual conferences.

The decision was arrived at yesterday by the court of appeals of the Methodist Church. The question was raised by the British Columbia conference, where a woman, elected by a quarterly official board to represent a church at an annual conference, was refused admission on arrival.

Another important matter was the definition of the individual powers of the church quarterly and trust boards. It was decided that the functions of the boards are so distinct as to make co-operation imposable except in matters of finance.

NORWAY'S PRIDE HURT

King Haakon Plans to Educate Son in England.

Christiania, Norway, May 5. — Norway's pride is deeply hurt by the plans of King Haakon and Queen Maud to send Crown Prince Olaf to England to be educated. The people had counted on his growing up among them.

Although he will not be 8 years old until July he has shown strong fondness for the sea, and declares his ambition to become a viking. That prospect has appealed to the Norsemen.

Parental plans add insult to injury by proposing to send him to Dartmouth College, where the English princes are taught seamanship. The ministers have taken up the popular cause with such effect that the king and queen have consented to waive the plans for a time. They will refer them to King George, who is Queen Maud's brother, when they go to London for the coronation.

King Haakon has described Olaf as "the most popular person in Norway." The people adore him because they have found him high-spirited, generous, intelligent and bubbling over with fun.

GRANT OFF FOR SPEEDWAY.

New York, May 3.—With the same Alco car in which he won the Vanderbilt cup race last year, Harry Grant will leave for Indianapolis in about ten days to compete in the big Memorial Day race for 500 miles over the Indianapolis Speedway.

"Dressing is not a matter of what a man spends, but how he spends it."—R. H. & J. Dowler.

Great Demonstration of Suit Values Saturday

OUR 20TH CENTURY BRAND BENCH-TAILORED GARMENTS, confined exclusively to this store for London, are readily acknowledged the leaders for exquisitely tailored clothes for style and fit—for good clothes that are in good taste. The Young Men's Suits are modelled to fit the young men's physique, and draped to give an air of smartness to his bearing. We have the standard styles, equally well tailored, for the men of more conservative taste. The tailoring on these Suits is now far ahead of any American clothes shown in Canada; besides this there's the superior British cloth.

TWO LIVE RINGLEADERS in Suit Sellin Saturday and Saturday Night and Every Day of the Trade-in-London Week $14.50 and $9.80

Our **$14.50** "RINGLEADER" will be a strong feature in suit selling this week.

98 Suits in the lot, Suits that were tailored to sell at $16, $18, $20 and some $22. The cloths and colors are the season's latest.

$24.00 BRITANNIC SERGE SUITS, $18.00.

20th Century Brand Bench-Tailored, in pure Indigo blue and fast blacks, 22 distinct styles. The swagger young man, the regular, the short, the long, and the corpulent can all get fitted here. The tailoring is the work of expert artists.

SEE OUR BLUE AND BLACK SUITS AT $10.80.

This is a fine twill, regular $14.00 line.

235 DOZEN EARLY SPRING AND WARM WEATHER SHIRTS.

The Hot Weather "Three-way" Shirt, regular reversible and separate collar, $1.25

$1.25 Swayette Separate Soft Collar Shirts.....92c

85 dozen Soft Collar Negligee Shirts, very special.67c

48 dozen French Cuff, regular 90c Shirt, in a handsome selection 59c

50 dozen regular 60c Negligee Shirts, Saturday special 42c

20TH CENTURY BRAND

Bench-Tailored Young Men's Clothes

Are directly pointed towards the enthusiastic young men, the men of ideas and fashion discrimination. These clothes were originated on the idea that young men demand: "Correctly different" clothes, and the enthusiasm and originality of conception are dependability of quality. Come in and see the spring styles and you will cease to wonder why our patrons, ourselves and the makers are so enthusiastic about 20th Century Brand Bench-Tailored Suits, Overcoats and Extra Trousers.

NEW YORK'S VERY LATEST.

Four cases of Hats have been placed for Saturday's selling. Imperial, Woodbine, Prince and Duke Borsalino, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3, and $3.50.

400 Dozen Underwear

And still it is coming in. English and domestic natural wool, Egypo, Penman's, Pen-Angle and Zimmerknit and other balbriggan, Porous Knit, in combination two-piece suits.

SPECIAL VALUES FOR SATURDAY.

Will prevail all through our Furnishing Department.

The very latest neckwear, silk lisle and silk-pleated fancy and plain Hose, Gloves, Coatless and EZE Suspenders.

50 dozen Spliced Cashmere Hose.....25¢

138 SUITS IN THE LOT—Suits that were tailored to sell at $12, $13, $14, and some $15. Some are the balance of badly-broken lines, only a few sizes being left, and some are the overmakes of two of Canada's smartest makers. All are new, of this season's latest.

A SPECIAL $16.00 SUIT RANGE

That will be of keen interest to all suit purchasers has been added to our range for Saturday. 118 Suits in all—Blues, blacks, grays, honey browns, tans. Long swagger coats for the young men, and regular styles for their "dads." All hand-built shoulders and hand-molded collars. This is an exceptionally live wire suit chance.

A SHAKING-UP AMONG THE WORK SUITS.

See that some of them fall your way.

$7.00 Suits (76 Suits only in the lot).....$4.80

Boys' Suit Sale

We've prepared a magnificent menu of Boys' Suit values for Saturday and Saturday night.

BOYS' TAILORED SUITS, $6.50, $7.00, $7.50, $8.50, $9.00, $10.00, $11.00 and $12.00. Cloth and tailoring as good as you can get made to order, and at many dollars less.

BOYS' $6.00 and $6.50 SUITS, $4.80—Fine dark navys for first communion suits, tastefully tailored of fancy worsteds and tweeds.

AT $3.48—Perhaps you have been paying $5.00 for these at other stores. You will find the range as good as most $5.00 Suits.

BOYS' CAPS in all the latest shapes.

Boys' American and English Felt Hats, special.....$1.00

Boys' Bloomer Knickers, all sizes.....69¢

Boys' Cashmere Stockings.....25¢ and 50¢

Boys' Special 25c Stockings.....19¢

CHILDREN'S AMERICAN WASH SUITS

By the best American maker, fast colors and shape-retaining. 65c, 75c, 90c, $1.00, $1.20, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 to $3.50.

OUR WORK GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Work Gloves, Mitts, Overalls, Smocks, Work Shirts, Pants. 50 pairs regular $1.25 Tweed Work Trousers, special Sat. 85c

50 dozen 60c Black and White Stripe Drill Shirts.....42c

You secure a free trip to London any day next week by purchasing your outfit at this store. To relieve the crowd on Saturday, special lines will be on sale every day.

LONDON **R.H.&J.DOWLER** ST. THOMAS

LONDON STAGE WORLD

Whitneys, of Detroit, to Build a Great Theatre at London.

London, May 4. — Mr. Fred. C. Whitney is having his new theatre, the Whitney, formerly the Strand, entirely redecorated. He is spending a roll of money big enough to choke a whale in doing it, too, as new seats, new carpets, new draperies, new curtain and new everything, are being put in. The color scheme is rose Du Barry and gold. Mr. Whitney has decided to open the theatre with "Baron Trenck." In the cast are Miss Marie George, Miss Caroline Hatchard, Walter Hyde, William McLoughlin, Rutland Barrington and Walter Passmore.

"How To Be Happy Though a Playgoer" is the subject of a lecture Mr. Hannan Swaffer will give to the Gallery First Nighters' Club—The Stage. It is rumored that Mr. Swaffer has himself written a play. Perhaps that accounts for his optimism.

In Mr. Charles Hawtrey's address at the annual dinner of the Playgoers' Club, he maintained that a national Shakespeare theatre was unnecessary, as London managers already gave as fine productions of Shakespeare's plays as could be given and as often as the public cared for. What he wanted to see founded was a national theatre to educate actors, a sort of stock company organization, where they could get the best kind of schooling and where overlooked budding geniuses would have a chance to bloom.

Miss Dare's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Brett (formerly Miss Zena Dare) have returned from their honeymoon and taken the house in Thurlee Place formerly occupied by Miss Marie Dressler, who had a twelve years' lease of it when she suddenly left England. Mrs. Brett has just refused a tempting offer to play in South Africa and says she will never appear on the stage again. Mr. Brett is a son of Lord Asher.

Miss Connie Ediss has been telling a Daily Express reporter that during the four years she was in America she was ill half the time. That's why she is going to sell her farm of 140 acres in Massachusetts and buy one in England. She also denies the report that she became an American citizen. She still remains English in general, and Cockney in particular.

Mrs. Langtry, on the other hand, although bearing an English title, Lady de Bathe, is an American citizen. She was naturalized when she bought some property in the United States some years ago.

It is practically settled that Mrs. Langtry will play in Paris when "The Whip" is produced there in French. She speaks the language like a native, as well she might, considering the fact that as a child in Jersey she talked it before she knew English.

Mr. Arthur Collins has made a gorgeous revival of "The Sins of Society" at Drury Lane. Mrs. Langtry has the leading part. She works hard for the authors, wears some beautiful gowns and hats and looks very attractive.

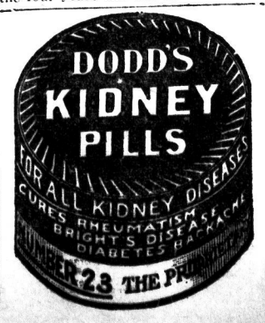
Mr. J. M. Barrie having presented Kensington Gardens with a statue of Peter Pan, the Pelican suggests that Mr. Walter Melville now weigh in with one of the Girl Who Took the Wrong Turning or the Worst Woman in London. It doesn't seem fair to Mr. Barrie to monopolize the theatrical advertising possibilities of Kensington Gardens.

The prices for the coronation gala performance at the opera have now been announced. Grand tier boxes will be $500 and the stalls $100 each. And you can consider it a great favor to be allowed to buy tickets. It is probably unnecessary to add that the free list has been suspended.

BODIES IN SEWER.

Montreal, May 4. Entering a manhole on Mance street, a few yards above Ontario street, today, Zeon Houle, a corporation employee, discovered the bodies of two new-born infants.

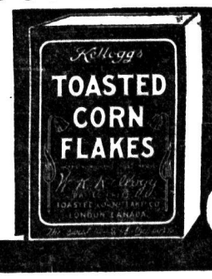
The bodies were taken to the morgue, where an autopsy will be held tomorrow. There was nothing on the bodies to aid in their identification, but the circumstances of the case show that they could not have been there more than 24 hours.



When the Children Come Home From School—

give them Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes.

"Kellogg's" is a wholesome cereal that satisfies a child's longing for sweetmeats. You can give them all they crave of it, too, for while strong in quality, it is light in digestibility. Be sure to get "Kellogg's." 22



10¢ per pkg.

Kellogg's TOASTED CORN FLAKES

Don't Persecute your Bowels

Cut out cathartics and purgatives. They are brutal—harsh—unnecessary. Try

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Purely vegetable. Act gently on the liver, eliminate bile, and soothe the delicate membrane of the bowel. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache and Indigestion, as millions know.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price

GENUINE must bear signature

Brent Good

When the Odds Are Against You

YOU CAN DEPEND ON DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE TO HELP YOU, IF YOU GET THE GENUINE.

What a fight goes on during the winter season against coughs and colds. The children are careless about keeping dry and warm, and the parents are worried to hear them cough.

The best insurance against serious results is the use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

So well known is this medicine and so universally used that we need scarcely tell you of its merits. But we do want to warn you against imitations and substitutes.

Once you know that there are at least four imitations of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine on the market, you are not likely to let any dealer talk you into accepting anything but the genuine, on each bottle of which are the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., the famous Receipt Book author.

Imitations are sold on the reputation of this great medicine, and not on their own merits, or why should they not have a name of their own?

With the genuine Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, you can readily overcome croup, bronchitis, whooping cough, throat irritation, and the most serious coughs and colds. Twenty-five cents a bottle; family size, 60 cents; all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Ironing With a Flat-iron Is a Distinct Satisfaction

A trial will prove its superior Economy and Efficiency. Ideal for comfort.

PRICES: $3.75 AND $5.00.

We will furnish one to any of our customers on approval for 15 days

PHONE 958.

London Electric Co.

LIMITED.