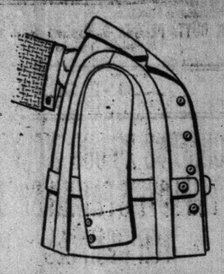

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# WICKETT AND M'PHERSON TAKE PLACE OF CLEVELAND

## Chicago Man Storm Bound En Route, and Empire Club Was Disappointed.

The Empire Club held their regular dinner in Webb's parlors last night with Col. Mason presiding. The lecturer of the evening was to have been F. A. Cleveland, a member of the firm which audits the accounts of the City of Chicago, who was to have spoken on the methods of keeping municipal accounts. F. A. Cleveland was unfortunately delayed by the train from the east being stalled in a snow bank near Newtonville, and did not reach the city until a very late hour. In order to show courtesy to the visitor the Empire Club has decided to hold a special lunch at Webb's at 1 o'clock to-day, but later called this off owing to the uncertainty of the guest arriving.

**Dr. Wickett Heard.**

Last night Dr. Morley Wickett gave a short address on the Canadian views of the question in which he reviewed the struggles for responsible government. Toronto, he said, has a larger financial budget than the Province of Ontario; but has less safeguards. In Great Britain, while the national debt was decreasing, the local municipal debts were increasing by millions, so in Canada there is the same tendency. This is probably accounted for by municipal ownership, for there is hardly any limit to the powers of municipal councils. How to keep them in control and how to improve them were the questions for the speaker of the evening to discourse upon. He argued in favor of intelligent publicity, uniformity in municipal reports so that comparisons between municipalities would be made and the grouping of receipts and expenditures into proper departments.

**W. D. McPherson as Critic.**

W. D. McPherson criticized the financial statement of the City of Toronto, and said that it was presented to the public in such a way that skilled accountants could not get an intelligent idea from it of the actual standing of the city. The various loans are obscurely dealt with and until the present year there was no index. This report should be like the annual statement of a company to its shareholders and should show progress or retrogression.

The police benefit fund, amounting to about $10,000 a year, is deducted from salaries of the police under Col. Grasset as treasurer. He does not invest these funds; but hands them to the city treasurer. The city treasurer shows the receipts of the money, but not the city's indebtedness to the fund. What is needed is careful classification, strict business methods and a distinct form of bookkeeping.

**Waterworks Department.**

The waterworks revenue is not equal to the expenditure. The public should be put in possession of the facts just as they would be if a company was presenting its statement. When the land for reservoir park was purchased a sum of money was paid and an obligation in the form of annuity to the owner was assumed. This annuity was charged to the waterworks. Then, when it was found that the waterworks department was costing a great deal, a happy idea struck the council and this annuity was charged to the parks and gardens.

**Transferring Accounts.**

A charge was annually made for the waterworks department against the fire department at a certain amount per hydrant. In order to get more money for the waterworks the charge per hydrant was raised so that the fire department was drawn on to supply the increasing cost of the waterworks. This transferring of accounts, robbing one department for the benefit of another, is what makes the annual statement unintelligible. He thought the city had been blessed with honest and capable administration; but the true state of the city's finances should not be kept in obscurity. It should be made plain enough for the intelligent citizen to thoroly understand what moneys are received and where the city's indebtedness lies; Ald. Hubbard also spoke.

**TIME FOR TEDDY.**

Washington, Feb. 16.—The state department to-day received a cablegram from Minister Bowen, dated at Caracas, stating that the supreme court had confirmed its former decree sequestrating the property in Venezuela of the American Asphalt Company. The action of the court brings the asphalt dispute to the critical point, for it is now incumbent upon the government here to make the next move.

Gems of literature in next Sunday's World.

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# DO NOT KNOW WHAT TO DO LIBERALS UP A HIGH TREE

## Committee of Four Will Decide on Action in Regard to Wentworth.

Hamilton, Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Liberals of Wentworth appear to be up in the air. The executive met this afternoon to decide whether the appeal from the judgment of Chief Justice Meredith in the Sealy-Smith protest case or bow to the judgment and hold a new election. They arrived at no decision, but left the matter in the hands of a sub-committee of four, who will give out their decision to-morrow afternoon. That is all the members of the executive would tell about the meeting. It has been the opinion that a new contest would be waged, but there have been some new developments, apparently.

Before a large congregation this evening Rev. D. R. Drummond was inducted as pastor of St. Paul Presbyterian Church. Rev. R. Martin was the moderator, Rev. J. A. Wilson preached, Rev. Dr. Fletcher addressed the minister, and Rev. S. H. Gray, Dundas, addressed the people.

The H., G. and B. has bought a block on Main-street between Catharine and Bowen-streets, opposite its present station, and it is here that the union station will be put up by the H., G. and B., and the Hamilton-Ancaster and Brantford Railway.

There are residents of the north end who say that they can produce three men who will swear that Assistant License Inspector Dixon did not touch the button on the Genesee House Sunday night when he says that he was assaulted. The inspector sticks to his story, and Chief Smith believes him. In fact he hinted to-day that he would soon land the culprits in jail.

George, better known as "Pud" Myers, is being held as being insane by the police of Niagara Falls, N.Y.

The county council has expressed approval of the route chosen by the H., A. and B. The plans show that the road will run from the head of Main-street in Ancaster Village to the Brant Town line.

Hon. J. M. Gibson's family deny that he is seriously ill in John Hoskins' Hospital, Baltimore.

The price of wheat on the local market went up to $1.12 a bushel to-day, and the price of flour has raised from $2.75 a bag to $3.

The railway commission is expected in the city Saturday morning to settle the north end bridge difficulty.

Chairman Eastwood of the bay front committee with Ald. Stewart and Main set out for Ottawa this evening to ask for a larger grant than $30,000 for the bay front revetment wall.

The Maxim gun detachment under Lieut. Laser will be added to the 91st Highlander Regiment. New instruments will be ordered for the bands.

W. Pickard is suing Anderson & Co., for $21 alleged to be excessive interest charged on a chattel mortgage.

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# CZAR PRESIDES AT COUNCIL TO DISCUSS ORGANIZATION

## Difficulty of Mobilizing Reserves Tends to Bring About Reforms in State.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 16. — Emperor Nicholas to-day presided over a council at Tsarskoe Selo. All the ministers, including M. Witte, had been summoned for the purpose of discussing the advisability of transforming the present unofficial council of ministers, which is called at irregular intervals by the emperor into a cohesive cabinet meeting regularly as an advisory and responsible body under the presidency of the emperor, or the minister president. Intimations find their way to the public that one of the main factors in the present situation tending to influence the government to convene the zemsky zabor is the increasing difficulty of mobilizing reserves to replace troops bound for the front, the belief being that if the zemsky zabor were assembled, either it would arouse a wave of patriotism in the country and itself facilitate the government's task, or if it declared in favor of peace the responsibility therefore, however disadvantageous, the terms would rest with the nation's representatives and not with the rulers.

**Will Assist Chamberlain.**

Montreal, Feb. 16.—Before his return to Canada some time next summer, Sir Charles Tupper will have taken part in the Chamberlain propaganda in Great Britain. Sir Charles, who was in the city to-day enroute for Boston, whither he goes this evening, will sail from that port for Naples. The spring months will be spent enjoying the delights of the Italian winter. Altho physically in the best of condition for a man of his age Sir Charles now finds the Canadian winter slightly trying.

**Died in Rossland.**

Kingston, Feb. 16—A telegram from Rossland, B.C., announced the sudden death yesterday of Mrs. George Dickson, formerly Miss Etta Callaghan, daughter of D. Callaghan, of this city. Her husband also belongs here, but went west after graduating from Queen's School of Mining. The remains left Rossland to-day for Kingston. The deceased's sister was with her at the end.

Second-class hardwood $5.50 a cord for present delivery. P. Burns & Co., 'phones 131 and 132. ed

**HURT IN SLEIGHING PARTY.**

Montreal, Feb. 16.—While a number of members of the St. James' Methodist Church Bible class were out on a sleighing party to-night, the sleigh was upset and a number were more or less injured. One of the occupants, a Miss Allen, was so badly hurt that fears are entertained for her recovery.

Society Gossip from all the important cities and towns in The Toronto Sunday World.

Chief Grasett is again directing the attention of the civic authorities to the necessity of increased accommodation for the police in the city hall.

Henry Hoover, a milkman, was sent down yesterday for 10 days for stealing milk from doorsteps delivered by other parties.

# ILL-FIT FOR LIFE'S BATTLE SCHOOL CHILDREN OF TO-DAY

## District Trades Council Committee Says Things About Frills in Educational System.

The District Trades Council last night decided to adopt the recommendation for fortnightly meetings, and will meet hereafter on the first and third Thursdays of every month.

The report of the educational committee was outspoken. It favored Trustee James Simpson's proposal that the school board should buy vacant land now for school sites for the future. It also sympathized with Trustee Maguire's opposition to frills in the school course. The children of to-day at fourteen years of age were not as far advanced in their necessary studies as were children twenty years ago, and were not as capable of taking situations. It was almost impossible to get a boy of 16 capable of writing or composing a legible letter.

"We prefer facts to theories," said the report. "We strongly object to our children's minds being crammed with subjects at an age when they should be grounded in the real principles underlying education, the principles entering into the battle of life, the three R's."

When a pupil reached 16 he could then take up the extra studies. All would like their children to have university educations, and it was hoped the time would come when this could be realized, but present conditions were not suitable.

**Rap for Manual Training.**

The sensible reason for manual training was to train the eye and the hand; the real reason in the schools seemed to be to keep children from going into the professions and thus crowding the trades, and cutting the wages of the working classes. The technical school as it was now was satisfactory.

Fred Bancroft of the patternmakers was appointed to the educational committee.

This Labor Day committee was appointed: John H. Kennedy, Mrs. Darwin, J. H. Barnett, James Ralph, James McDonald, William Boland, J. A. McIntyre, A. W. Griffin, John Tweed, W. J. Boulton, R. L. Stephen, A. G. Vanzant, William Boyle, John Gardiner. The council executive and this committee will confer and then issue circulars to the locals.

**Fire Bylaw Too Stringent.**

The proposition to join the Toronto Civic League was discussed and left over. The league's platform insofar as it believes the present fire bylaw too strict in regard to the erection of cheaper priced houses was endorsed.

William Berry, president of the Hamilton Labor Council, was a visitor.

**THE TELEGRAPHERS' AWARD.**

At Osgoode Hall last night, the arbitrators in the dispute between the Grand Trunk and its telegraphers met to consider further evidence. The sitting was, of course, entirely private. The award will not be given out for several days yet.

The Aura Lee Rink held a carnival last night. The prize winners were: Arthur Mahaffy, W. Bonser, J. Wardell, Miss Magee and Miss Cooper. The judges were Rev. L. D. Skey and W. F. Battin. A five-mile race is the feature to-night.


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These are the nerves that wear out and break down.

It does no good to treat the ailing organ—the irregular heart—the disordered liver—the rebellious stomach—the deranged kidneys. They are not to blame. But go back to the nerves that control them. There you will find the seat of the trouble.

There is nothing new about this—notaling any physician would dispute. But it remained for Dr. Shoop to apply this knowledge—to put it to practical use. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is the result of a quarter century of endeavor along this very line. It does not dose the organ or deaden the pain—but it does go at once to the nerve—the inside nerve—the power nerve—and builds it up, and strengthens it and makes it well—and that is the end of womanly weakness.

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# IMMIGRANTS DISEASE LADEN FILLING TORONTO HOSPITALS

## Lax Inspection at Port of Entry Charged — Tubeculosis Numbers Many Victims Among New-Comers.

It is only a few days ago that a conference of those interested in public charities was held in this city to consider action toward preventing an indiscriminate foreign immigration into Canada. At that meeting it was the effect of the influx on the labor market and as affecting the prosperity of the country that was principally dwelt upon as a just cause for stricter measures by the Dominion government in connection with its immigration policy. But an even greater cause for rigid inspection of immigrants coming into Canada has developed. It is stated as a fact that medical men in Toronto can tell some startling tales about the physical disabilities of many of the new comers of more or less recent date. All sorts of infirmities are credited, but worst of all there has been found to be a large percentage suffering from the very disease that is causing most anxiety in the minds of those charged with looking after the public health—the "white plague."

The consumptive sanitariums at Gravenhurst and Weston have been overrun with weak and diseased-lunged foreigners. A prominent physician, who is in a position to know, told The World yesterday that the free wards were filled with patients of recent importation to Ontario, who were in varying stages of tuberculosis, and who are now a charge on the institutions and on the province and municipalities.

"It is a disgrace," he said, "that the people were ever allowed to land. They are not only diseased, but they are paupers, and if they are not an immediate charge upon the citizens, they eventually become such. Their invariable plea is that they were sent to Canada for their health. They cannot go to the United States, for the law there is so strict that they would be immediately deported at the expense of the steamship company that brings them over. But the medical examination at Montreal and Halifax and St. John is so easy that very few are rejected.

"The inspection there is a farce. The doctor stands the immigrants in line, takes a rapid look at their teeth and one thing and another and passes the lot. That is no way to detect tuberculosis or any organic disease."

Trachoma is another common ailment among the immigrants. It is a granulation of the eyelids and is due mainly to dirt and is infectious. In the earlier stages only is it curable.

**One Doctor's Patients.**

One local doctor says that he has at present five cases. One has ringworm, another violent hystesia, a third is a hunchback with criminal tendencies, a fourth is a physical wreck, and a fifth has tuberculosis. All are paupers.

The free wards of the local hospitals are overcrowded from these causes. The question that medical men are puzzling over is how the afflicted should ever have been permitted to come into the country. "A proper medical inspection at the point of entry would end in hundreds being refused admission," said one doctor. Austrians, Russians, South Londoners, Swedes and Italians are among the victims.

It is in this matter of inspection that Canadian and American immigration principles differ greatly. To get into the States the strictest medical examination is necessary, as well as a thorough assurance that the new-comer is financially able to look after himself. In Toronto it is notorious that, aside from the matter of health, the penury of many of the immigrants has proved a great drain on the charitable organizations of the city this winter.

**Law Good, Enforcement Bad.**

Thomas Southworth of the Ontario Colonization and Immigration Bureau says that the letter of the Canadian immigration law is as strict as that of the United States, and if the weakness existed it was in the method of enforcement.

The greater number of the immigrants who came out were sent by private agencies and did not come into touch with the government. They were obtained chiefly from farm labor, for that was the only line of work which at present was deficient in men. There were, however, he said, many worthless characters among the city bred men who came out to Canada. He could not understand the fact of the diseased immigrants passing the inspectors. All of that kind who came under the notice of the Ontario government were promptly deported.

"As to the United States law, I do not know," said Mr. Southworth. "They have so many immigrants that one naturally hears more about deportations without hearing much about the diseased immigrants who succeed in passing the inspectors."

"Most of the Londoners who come to Toronto are of a very worthless type, and this is naturally the place where they will congregate. They are used to a city and will, if possible, stop in Toronto rather than go to a place like the Northwest, where they will have to work hard.

**Sent as a Riddance.**

"A great many of the most undesirable were sent out by persons interested in ridding themselves of them. A subscription is raised and the man in question is shipped to Canada.

"It is the opinion amongst immigration experts that the inspection point will have to be at the point of embarkation and not of debarkation. It will then be possible to a certain extent to inspect the character and antecedents of the immigrant in addition to his physical fitness. A man of criminal instincts cannot be detected by any medical officer on the Canadian seaboard. A system of this sort is at present in force with regard to the Barnardo children, and only a small percentage of the children are permitted to come to Canada.

"Canadian immigration, altho growing phenomenally, is still in its infancy. In 1901 3000 immigrants were registered. Last year there were 25,000, and the tide for 1905 is already setting in.

**Afflicted With Trachoma.**

"There are among the incoming emigrants who come to Ontario, many Russian Jews and Finlanders. These are in the main industrious and self-supporting, altho some have to be sent back for various diseases. Chief among these is trachoma, or granular eyelids, resulting in blindness. It is an infectious disease, resulting from habits of uncleanliness. If such case is curable the patient is allowed to go into a hospital, if incurable he is sent back to the point of embarkation. The Jews and Finlanders, however, are often refugees from their own countries and are helped by their various colonies in Ontario.

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By order,
C. D. SCOTT, Secretary.
Toronto, February 10th, 1905.

**APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.**

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session for an act providing for the admission of William Edgar Foster, Esquire, to practise law.

H. E. ROSE,
Solicitor for Applicant.
Dated at Toronto the 10th day of February, 1905.

**FISHER'S FUNNY BILL.**

**Mr. Borden Thinks it Comes Dangerously Near Being Nonsense.**

Ottawa, Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Sydney Fisher's seed bill held the intermittent attention of the house during most of to-day's sitting. The measure was severely handled by the opposition, who debated it clause by clause until 10.30 o'clock to-night.

Mr. Staples of Macdonald, Man., who strongly condemned the bill, took occasion to tell the committee of the shameful tactics used against him in the general election, when the names of many Conservative electors were marked off the list with red ink. But for that, his majority, which was a large one, would have exceeded that of Mr. Sifton's in Brandon, he said.

Mr. Cockshutt pointed out that another effect of the bill would be to take away from Ontario farmers a profitable source of revenue, inasmuch as it would affect the business of raising seed for export, which netted some two million a year. He suggested that the bill be sent to the committee on agriculture, when it could be licked into shape by the lawyers and farmers.

Mr. Fisher defended his bill with vigor and more or less effect, until it came to the legal features of the measure. At one stage the minister amended the section preventing a dealer from having in possession for export seeds slightly under standard, by adding a clause allowing a dealer to hold screenings, or refuse, for export.

With my limited knowledge of the subject, the only comment I can make on this is that it comes dangerously near being nonsense," was Mr. Borden's humorous criticism.

The several amendments were eventually concurred in, with the understanding that the bill be reprinted between being taken up for the third reading, this day week, "or later," as Geo. Taylor observed.

**BRUCE COUNTY OLD BOYS.**

**Fifth Annual At Home in Temple Building the Best Yet.**

Altho parliamentary duties and bad train service prevented some distinguished visitors who were expected from attending, the fifth annual at home last night of the Bruce County Old Boys led all the rest in point of success. The assembly room in the Temple Building was hardly large enough to accommodate the gathering of those who have yet a tender recollection of their native heath and those who hail from it.

President J. H. Spence tendered official welcome to the guests. The concert program was contributed by J. C. Williams, Dr. J. M. Johnston, Mrs. Ida McLean Dilworth, Alex. Gorrie, Miss Ethel McKinley, the Cadenzas, Mandolin and Guitar Club, Piper Thos. Ross and the Duncan sisters, in Scotch dances. A lengthy dance program followed.

The event was enjoyed by over 500 guests, and the excellent arrangements of the committee merited the congratulations so frequently tendered.

**Second Concert of the Mendelssohn Choir Tells of Another Triumph for the Heintzman & Co. Piano.**

Reference was made in these columns yesterday in writing of the great Mendelssohn concerts in Massey Hall, of the wonderful help rendered in the use of a Concert Grand Piano of the old firm of Heintzman & Co. Again this instrument was put to the severest test in the concert of last night, but proved triumphant, as it has on every other occasion. In a peculiar manner this piano meets the requirements of the high-class artist, whether the instrument be used because of its beautiful singing qualities or for recital purposes. Like the names Mendelssohn and Vogt, the name Heintzman & Co. has become synonymous with all that is best in music the wide Dominion over.

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**Wednesday, 22nd of February Inst.,**

at 12 noon, to receive and consider the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Corporation for the year ending 31st December, 1904, and to elect Directors for the ensuing year as well as for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the Shareholders.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. W. LANGMUIR,
Managing Director.
Toronto, Feb. 10th, 1905.

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