SPORTING EVENTS GALORE.

TORONTO FOOTBALL LEAGUE'S ANNUAL MEETING.

Clubs in the Spring Competition—That Professional Double Scull Race—Players of the Eastern League Clubs—English Turf News—Dr. Smith Talks About Guttenburg—Yachting and General Sports.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Football League was held last night at 4 King-street east, Mr. Breckenridge in the chair.

In the absence of Mr. C. Baird D. Duncan was elected secretary pro tem. The reports of the secretary-treasurer were adopted. It was moved by Mr. Duncan seconded by Mr. Meek and carried that W. P. Thomson be the Toronto League representative on the Western Committee, subject to the approval of the Western Football Association.

The following clubs were entered for the spring season: Marlboros, Scots, College of Commerce, 'Varsity, Osgoode Hall.

The election of officers resulted: Hon. president, Dr. John McCallum, B. A.; president, A. T. Hunter, Osgoode Hall; vice-president, J. A. Warriner, College of Commerce; secretary, Joseph Meek, Marlboros, 338 Bathurst-street; treasurer, Frank Laurie, Scots.

A notice of motion was made by Mr. Breckenridge to come before the western meeting that the rule compelling a player to play with one club for a year be rescinded and read half-yearly instead.

English Football Champions to Visit America.

BIRMINGHAM, April 7.—The directors of the West Bromwich Albion Football Club, winners of the English Association Cup, are discussing an invitation from the Football Association of America to make a tour of the United States after the English season is over and play the chief American teams. This invitation will probably be accepted.

Football in Detroit.

DETROIT, April 7.—James Fleming was presented by the M. A. A. football players with a handsome meerschaum pipe, the occasion being his departure for Indiana. Since the organization of the old Detroit football club, Mr. Fleming has been the efficient goal-keeper and his leaving the team will be no small loss to the boys. He certainly ranks as one of the best goal-keepers in football circles, and being an enthusiast in the cause it is safe to predict that where he goes there will association football be organized. Henderson, the brilliant centre-forward of last year, has also left Detroit and his place will be taken by the captain of the team, John McKendrick, the elder of the three brothers. Negotiations are now on by which it is more than probable that one of Toronto's best goal-keepers will come to Detroit.

Royal Canadian Yacht Club Gossip.

The annual meeting of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club will take place on Saturday, April 30.

It is understood that, after his years of honor at the head of the club and his signal victory last year, Commodore Boswell will step down and out and his place will be taken by G. T. Blackstock, against whom there is at present no candidate in the field.

Mr. N. B. Dick's new 40-foot cutter is now well on to completion and will be launched on April 30. She will closely resemble Yama, her prospective victim.

The only other new acquisition to the R.C.Y.C.'s fleet is Mr. Gray's 31-footer. She will sail in the 30-foot class.

Mr. E. Jarvis has sold that trim little craft, Samoa, to Mr. A. H. Ambrose, and she will sail this summer under the colors of the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club. Mr. Jarvis will be skipper on Mr. Gray's new yacht.

A handsome picture of the Yama of the Oswego Yacht Club has been presented to the R.C.Y.C. by Mr. George H. Gooderham, and it now adorns the reception room of the town club house.

THE DONS AND ARGONAUTS.

The Best of Feeling Prevails Between the Clubs—There Was No Racket.

Sporting Editor World: Under the heading of a "Royal Racket" there appeared an article in last night's News, which stated that hard feeling was created between the Don and Argonaut Rowing Clubs through the tug-of-war contest which took place at Sunnyside Boating Club on Wednesday evening. This statement is as false as all that follows in an article intended to bring disgrace and discredit on the clubs referred to. The best of feeling prevailed between these before the pull and after, as evidenced by the hearty manner with which the contestants shook hands, and the rousing response which followed a call of cheers by the Dons for their conquerors.

It was also stated that the members of the Don Rowing Club took a prominent and active part in the unfortunate row that took place in front of the boathouse after the contest was over. Now, sir, to this, more especially, I take exception, as it is a lie, in every particular a lie. The row was not started by the Dons or their friends. They did not participate in it, not a member of our club having received or delivered a blow. The fighting was not done by the members of either of the clubs referred to.

Hoping you will insert the above in justice to the accused.

J. SULLIVAN,
Captain Tug-of-War Team, Don Rowing Club.

Toronto, April 7.

Will Teemer and Hosmer Back Down?

Ned Hanlan is becoming anxious about the double-scull race with Teemer and Hosmer.

"It's now nearly five weeks since we sent the signed articles of agreement to The Clipper for our opponents' signatures, and as yet we haven't heard from them," he said last night.

It is just possible that the Yankee pair have become seriously impressed with the idea of defeat that is certainly in store for them and that after all they will not meet O'Connor and Hanlan at Boston on Decoration Day.

THE RUNNING TURF.

Dr. Smith Returns from Gotham—About the Guttenburg Track.

Dr. A. Smith returned from his New York trip yesterday.

"They have more use for thoroughbreds over there than we, and consequently could outbid us at the Withers sale."

This was his reason given for none of the all-black coming to Canada. The genial doctor spoke of his visit to Guttenburg last Monday.

"It is a well-managed track. Judge Burke is a capable officer," he said. "But, of course, I always objected to this perpetual racing. And the pool rooms run in connection with the track," he continued, "are a deterrent to honest racing and totally at variance with honest sport."

To Eastern Canadian Horsemen.

WINNIPEG, April 7.—The annual meeting of the Manitoba Turf Club was held last night, at which it was decided to make every attempt to induce Eastern Canada horsemen to visit Winnipeg this season. Large purses will be offered, over seven hundred dollars having already been subscribed for this object.

20 to 1 Against Buccaneer.

The last betting on the City and Suburban was 20 to 1 against Buccaneer, 20 to 1 against Trapezoid, 9 to 1 against Catarina, 4 to 1 against Nunthorpe, 7 to 1 against Sainfoin, 12 to 1 against Bullion, 14 to 1 each against Cuttlestone and Bel Demonia, 17 to 1 against Insurance, 25 to 1 each against Rathbeal, Arturo and Madame d'Albany, 30 to 1 against Durice, 40 to 1 each against Sabrina and Gavotte, 50 to 1 against L'Abbo Morin, 66 to 1 each against Red Eagle and Ordinance, 100 to 1 each against Shelldrake, Alice and Miss Dollar and 200 to 1 against Eyrefield. Bullion and Cuttlestone went to the front at the start and alternated in the running until they were a quarter of a mile from home. Here Buccaneer went to the front, and coming on won by three lengths. There were four lengths between Trapezoid and Catarina.

Death of St. Simon of the Rock.

LONDON, April 7.—This 4-year-old colt, the property of Colonel North, by St. Simon—Blue Rock, has died at Mr. Barrow's paddocks, Newmarket.

It will be remembered that he broke down while taking part in the Cesarewitch last autumn, and that he was then placed in slings. He broke his shoulder in getting up in the box, having been out of slings only a few days, and it was found necessary to destroy him.

St. Simon of the Rock ran six times as a 2-year-old without winning, and the only race he won as a 3-year-old was the Ascot Derby, when, with odds of 3 to 1 laid on him, he beat Barbatello and Crevasse. He finished fourth in the 2000 guineas and was third for both the Newmarket Stakes and Doncaster St. Leger.

At Guttenburg and Gloucester.

Gloucester: Gen. Gordon, Barthens, School Boy, Monsoon, Sunday, Darling.

Guttenburg: Vocalite, Leveller, Blanche, Woodcutter, Inferno, Centaur.

Turf Topics.

The latest betting on the Derby to be run June 1 is two to one against Orme, 20 to one against Scarborough and 40 to one against Polyglot.

Mr. T. Jennings' ch.c. Acrobat achieved a good victory at the Northampton and Pytchley Hunt meeting March 29 by capturing Earl Spencer's plate of 300 sovereigns added to a sweep of 10 sovereigns each. By that victory he carried 5 pounds extra in the City and Suburban, making his weight 89 pounds.

The Vantage Lawn Tennis Club.

The annual meeting of the Vantage Lawn Tennis Club will be held at No. 49 Grenville-street this (Friday) evening, commencing at 7.30 o'clock. A proposition to organize a bicycle club in connection is to be discussed, and as there are a large number of wheelmen in the Vantage Club the new feature should meet with general approval.

Why the Ottawas Jumped.

A prominent member of the Executive Committee of the Ottawa Lacrosse Club last night gave The Citizen what he claimed was the true reason for the Ottawas leaving the four-club league. He said the Ottawas believed that the four outside clubs were trying to form a new league, leaving both Ottawa clubs out, and in view of this the Ottawas had thought it in their best interests to cast their lot with the Montrealers and Torontos, who would ensure them a place in their series, even if the Cornwalls and Shamrocks refused to join also. The Ottawas, the officer stated, had no animosity to the Capitals, and would be glad to see them in the league also, if such could be arranged satisfactorily.—Ottawa Citizen.

THE EASTERN LEAGUE.

How the Players Will be Divided Among the 10 Clubs.

ALBANY, April 7.—The Eastern Association of Baseball Managers completed its business at 11.35 o'clock last night and adjourned subject to the call of President White. The correct list of players for each club, after exchanges had been made, is as follows:

Philadelphia—Devlin and Milbee, p; Gray and Wilson, c; Flannigan, 1b; Bastian, 2b; Battin, 3b; Hanrahan, ss; Scheffler, Costello and Lyons, fielders.

Troy—Clarkson and Freeman, p; Somers and Hofford, c; Power, 1b; Shields, 2b; McGlone, 3b; Phillipps, ss; Kearns, Cudworth and Messitt, fielders.

Rochester—Goodall and Manefee, p; McKeough and Goodfellow, c; Shoenick, 1b; Wise, 2b; Murlock, 3b; Easterday, ss; Hoover, McTammany and Joseph Sommers, fielders.

Elmira—Fricken and Sprogel, p; Heine and Boyd, c; Kennedy, 1b; Delaney, 2b; Devonoy, 3b; Wheelock, ss; Sullivan, Lynch and Simon, fielders.

New Haven—Fournier and Cassien, p; Wells and Burke, c; Morrissy, 1b; Shannon, 2b; Hannivan, 3b; P. Lyons, ss; Connors and C. Brady, fielders.

Providence—Kilroy and Foreith, p; Murphy and Sheehan, c; O'Brien, 1b; Cuil, 2b; Farrell, 3b; Leo Smith, ss; Freel, Leighton and Hornung, fielders.

Albany—Doran and Staib, p; Brown and McMahon, c; Field, 1b; Egan, 2b; Jones, 3o; Lang, ss; Joe Cappell, Knox and Badder, fielders.

Syracuse—Graham and Fee, p; Myers and Urquhart, c; Faatz, 1b; Higgins, 2b; Doyle, 3b; Miller, ss; Knight and Egan, fielders.

Buffalo—William Daley and Hodson, p; Weckbecker and Bowman, c; Drahby, 1b; Petter, 2b; Cappelle, 3b; Cross, ss; J. Burke, Daley and Casey, fielders.

Binghamton—Fitzgerald and Sneden, p; Townsend and Cote, c; Lehane, 1b; Meister, 2b; Hainey, 3b; Day, ss; Stalitz, Griffin and Mansell, fielders.

You All Know Ed. Crane.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Ed Crane, the once popular pitcher of the Giants, is to again don a New York uniform. He wired the management of the club to-day asking for an engagement and was requested to report here to-morrow by Manager Powers.

Crane was one of the best pitchers that ever twirled for the New York club and his addition to that team will prove a tower of strength. He pitched a game a few days ago against the Baltimore club, the score being 1 to 0, the Baltimores only getting five hits.

WESTERN ONTARIO CRICKETERS.

To Co-operate to Uphold Their Interests in the Canadian Association.

LONDON, April 7.—The secretary of the London Cricket Club has written to the Brantford secretary in reference to the Canadian Cricket Association recently formed in Toronto, which will have in charge the international match and be the head of Canadian cricket. He says: "The Provisional Committee will meet in Toronto on Monday evening, 11th inst., and as the representative of Western Ontario I am most anxious to have the advice and co-operation of the various clubs, and also of those individual cricketers who are interested in the game in the west. Will you kindly speak with some of the leading cricketers in your club and write at once, giving me the advantage of any suggestions or counsel which they may have to offer for my support and direction."

Germantown's Professional Arrives.

PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—Hanford, the professional cricketer of the Germantown club, landed in this city yesterday on the steamship British Prince from Liverpool.

Lord Sheffield's Big Score.

An Adelaide, Australia, despatch says: The cricket match between Lord Sheffield's team and a representative Australian eleven was continued in disagreeable weather. The English innings closed for the splendid total of 499. The Australians then went in, but were all disposed of for 100. Following on they fared little better, and when stumps were drawn had lost 8 wickets for 124.

General Sporting News.

Bob Cook is now in charge of the Yale oarsmen.

Cobourg has organized a cricket club, with F. H. Lauder as secretary.

The Toronto Scots will practice on the old lacrosse grounds to-morrow afternoon.

Messrs. Breckenridge and Watty Thomson will organize a football (Association) club this spring and call it the "Plug Hats."

The monthly meeting of the Wanderers was held last night. There was a big attendance. Saturday's run will be to Lambton Mills and return.

May 21 is the date finally set for the Ives-Slosson billiard match. The contest will take place in Chicago.

Scotland's International Association football team defeated Wales last month by 6 goals to 1.

Sunderland played an English league game with Aston-Villa March 26, and won by 2 to 1. This settled the championship.

Yale played another close game with Boston on Wednesday. The Beaneaters won by 12 to 9. Yale made 5 earned runs and Boston 3.

The Young Dukes are anxious to arrange with some club to play a match on Good Friday, players not over 12 years old. Address Charles Hutchinson, 43 Brookfield-street.

Newcastle has a promising sculler in Ralph Carr, who twice met and defeated William Haines of Windsor recently. Carr is a young man and weigh 189 lbs. in condition.

The Victoria and South Australian cyclers are still fighting for the introduction of cash prizes for amateurs, but so far nothing has come of their efforts.

One of the biggest cycling events of the year in the South will be the Memphis race meet May 14. The great feature will be a 100-mile road race, finishing on the track.

The Imperial Baseball Club are open to receive challenges from any club whose ages average 18 years. They prefer the Baysides for Good Friday. Address W. Dash, 45 Darling-avenue.

The Ottawa Rowing Club have elected officers as follows: Hon. president, Col. Allan Gilmour (re-elected); hon. 1st vice-president, A. Burritt; 2nd vice-president, A. F. May; president, P. D. Ross; secretary, E. F. Taylor; treasurer, F. Colson; Executive Committee, J. D. Holbrook, C. C. Smith, L. Coleman, C. S. Clark, H. A. Torrence, R. E. Watts and W. L. Germaine.

JOCKEY IN AUSTRALIA.

What They Are and What They Should Be—Some Can Ride, but Won't.

It seems that out in Australia they have as much trouble in getting honest and capable jockeys as we in this country have. This was particularly so during the last Melbourne meeting, and an Australian writer says:

There are jockeys and jockeys just as there are tailors and tailors. All jockeys are not alike, all tailors are not alike. Some of the former cannot measure distance correctly, some of the latter cannot measure "pants" correctly. Struggling with a pair of trousers a shade too light always reminds me of a jockey getting done by a short head in a tight squeeze home. There are respectable jockeys and jockeys anything but respectable, and this is not the only profession in which there are good and bad mixed.

"Our crack jockeys of the present day have a far different time of it to their predecessors. They work hard, it is true, but then the work is easier and pleasanter, and it is far better remunerated. I know of no class of men who are more subject to temptation than jockeys. Everything depends upon the jockey if he is up on a good horse fit and well. A first-class rider can easily lose a race and gull the public and the handicapper, likewise the owner, and sometimes the trainer, with the idea that he has done his best to win. There are three things I should require in a good jockey—first, he must be honest; second, he must be sober; third, he must ride well. Some people would probably place he must ride well first. Of what use, however, is it if a jockey can ride well if he is not honest and sober? I would sooner have an inferior rider with both these qualities than a crack jockey with neither or only one of them.

How often do we hear the remark, "He's as good a rider as any man when he's all right," or, "He's a splendid rider, but then you know he's—well, you remember that case of——." How many jockeys of the present day can fairly be said to be honest, sober and good riders? Some men when they lose a race are too apt to blame the jockey, but in nine cases out of ten, I fancy, when the whole business is analyzed it will be found that the jockey made a mistake. I would far sooner have a stable lad I could trust up than a jockey with a (?) after his name, even in a Melbourne Cup.

I have seen stable lads ride trials with all the practical skill and finish of a first-class jockey. If they can do it in trials, why not in a race? I know of one notable instance where a stable lad, licensed, rode in a trial and won it. In the race a crack jockey was put up and he lost it. Before the next event the stable lad again rode the trial and won. He was this time put up in the actual race, which he also won. Flash jockeys are an abomination. There are more ways of being flash than one. He can be flash in his manner and dress, and flash in his riding. The former is the more objectionable, the latter more dangerous. How many races are lost through flash riding? At the last Melbourne Cup meeting there were one or two noticeable instances, and I have seen scores of races thrown away by wanting to win by a 'clever short head.'"

The Condition of Ireland.

The banking and railway statistics of Ireland for the year 1891, which have been compiled by the Registrar-General, confirm the evidence already derived from other source as to the material improvement of the country. The deposits and cash balances in joint stock banks stood on Dec. 31 at £34,532,000, an increase of £1,207,000 over 1890. In the years 1877, 1878, 1879 and 1880 there was a decrease, and also in 1883, 1884 and 1885. In the latter year it amounted to £12237 odd, and the total in the banks was £29,570,000, showing an increase last year of £3,162,000; the amount in the postoffice savings banks shows an unbroken series of increases since 1871. In that year the amount of deposits was £745,000; in 1891 they amounted to £3,966,000, an increase of £243,000 over the previous year. In trustee savings banks the deposits on Dec. 31 last amounted to £1,966,000, a decrease of £7000 compared with 1890. The tendency is to transfer deposits to the Postoffice Savings Banks on account of their greater security. The average bank note circulation in 1891 was £6,643,000, a decrease of £455,000, compared with the previous years. There was a diminution of £825,000 in the amount of Government and India stock, in which dividends were payable at the Bank of Ireland. The total railway traffic receipts in 1891 amounted to £3,146,352, as compared with £3,009,901 for 1890, and formed the highest annual amount on record for the railways of Ireland.

The Catholic Schools.

DE LA SALLE INSTITUTE.—Testimonial for the month of March: Form III., Excellent: J. Huntley, J. Flynn, J. Kormann, M. Stafford, F. Boylan, E. Kelly, H. O'Connor, W. Malone, H. Chase. Good: J. Varley, E. McDonald, W. O'Brien. Form II., Excellent: J. Fraser, E. O'Leary, J. Harnett, J. Jordan, F. Richard, J. Ryan, J. Pape, W. Giroux, S. O'Brien, E. English. Good: C. Hanrahan, A. Conlin, M. Tummans, M. Murray, W. Henry. Form I., Excellent: W. O'Toole, J. Henessy, J. Moriarty, J. Muldoon, V. McGuire, H. McGinn, J. Kelly, O. Quinn. Good: J. Milne, E. Rosar, W. Roach, E. Costello, B. Moran, F. Murphy, A. Arndt.

ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL.—Form IV., Excellent: F. Foley, J. Cashman, W. Foley, L. Giroux, F. O'Leary, L. Langley, E. Sharrock, J. Brady, W. Christie, G. Moran, C. Langley. Good: M. Bolan, J. Bigley, L. Doherty. Form III., Excellent: J. McBride, W. Callaghan, J. Christie, J. Currie, J. Swalwell, L. Sullivan, F. Bredannas, C. Phillips, J. Bredannas, J. Wickett. Good: E. McGinn, E. Ewing, F. Lalor, E. Forhan, M. Sheehan, W. Straehle, R. Brown. Form II., Excellent: J. Murray, J. Cowan, T. Jordan, S. McLaren, J. Keough. Good: A. Kennedy, J. O'Brien, E. Harnnett, E. Killeen, J. Connors, M. Leonard, F. Flynn, J. Burns.

The Kilties.

The 48th Highlanders paraded for drill last night at Upper Canada College, under the command of Lieut.-Col. Davidson, Major Macdonald and Adjutant Macdougall. Regimental orders were read to the effect that after the 14th inst. men desiring to be transferred from one company to another must apply to their company officers. One package of the uniforms has been received from the Old Country and the balance is expected in a few days. Fifteen recruits joined last night, and the classes for recruits are drilling regularly. There will be two dress parades on Tuesday and Thursday nights of the week preceding April 25 at the college. There is much enthusiasm among the men and officers. Lieut.-Col. Hood of Montreal, who was in the city, was present at the parade and expressed much admiration of the work done and the physique of the men in the regiment.

Severe colds are easily cured by the use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, a medicine of extraordinary penetrating and healing properties. It is acknowledged by those who have used it as being the best medicine sold for coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs, and all affections of the throat and chest. Its agreeableness to the taste makes it a favorite with ladies and children.

OSGOODE HALL NOTES.

The McKeown Case—Selling Opium to Females—Mr. Jeffery's Life Assurance—Street Railway Co.'s Appeal.

In the action of the Toronto Bank, the Merchants' Bank, Gault Bros., et al, against McKeown & Co., Mr. Winchester yesterday made an order for the examination for discovery of McKeown, who is at present in jail in Montreal.

In the action of Lewis A. Wright and Jessie A. Wright against B. A. Mitchell, an application was made to strike out part of statement of claim as embarrassing. The defendant is a druggist of London, Ont., who sold tincture of opium to the female plaintiff, who, it is said, used the drug to excess, and whose health was injured thereby. Her husband sues for damages, and she is joined as a plaintiff. Similar suits are pending against seven other druggists of the same city. Judgment was reserved.

An order was made allowing the plaintiffs in the suit of Dr. Potts, et al, executors of the late Rev. T. W. Jeffery, against the Temperance and General Life Assurance Company, to file a reply, which was by mistake left unfiled. The action is to recover $5000, the amount of a policy on the life of the deceased. Mr. Jeffery before his death executed a release of the policy on receiving the face value thereof from the company, but his executors think the company obtained the release while Mr. Jeffery was in pecuniary trouble and on his deathbed. The company say Mr. Jeffery himself came to them and asked for the release some time before his death, and that the matter was pending a considerable time before the execution. The action is entered for trial at the present Toronto Assizes, but it is to be postponed if the reply prevents the defendants from proceeding to trial.

The Dominion Government is appealing to the Supreme Court from the decision of the Court of Appeal, holding that the Ontario Government had the right to pardon offenders convicted under its own acts.

The street railway company will appeal to the Court of Appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Robertson confirming the award.

Susie Bartram is suing Robert and Margaret Myles for $5000 damages for injuries received while in their employ.

A TAX ON MILLIONAIRES.

The Succession Duty Will Bleed Fat Estates for the Public Good.

We millionaires are on the qui vive with regard to the bill now before the Ontario Legislature entitled, "An act to provide for the payment of succession duties." The act has been considerably altered since it was brought before the House. As amended in committee of the whole the main features of the bill are that any estate, real or personal that does not exceed $10,000 after all debts are paid is exempt from succession tax. All property bequeathed for religious, charitable or educational purposes is exempt. Properties are exempt up to $100,000 where it is bequeathed to father, mother, husband, wife, child grandchild, daughter-in-law or son-in-law. With these exceptions all property of residents of Ontario so bequeathed shall be subject to a succession duty or tax of $3.50 for every hundred dollars over the sum of $100,000, when passing to heirs of the relationship specified above. Where the aggregate value exceeds $200,000, $5 for every $100. In cases where the legacy passes to persons not so closely related to the deceased every $100 up to $10,000 shall be subject to $5 duty, and where the value bequeathed to such distant relatives exceeds that sum the whole sum shall be subject to a duty of 10 per cent.

A story is being told about a very rich man in the city who, when he heard of this bill, went to his lawyer to know what could be done to avoid having his fat estate taxed for the public good. "Can I escape it?" he asked the man of law. "Well, there are just two ways," said the grave counsellor. "You must either make your will at once or die at once."

Neither alternative was accepted.

Methodist Missions.

The Finance Committee of the Methodist Missionary Society met in the Wesley Buildings with General Superintendent Rev. Dr. Carman in the chair. A resolution was unanimously passed noting the loss the committee had sustained by the death of Alexander Johnston of London, Ont. He for a long time was one of the most active members of the committee. Mr. George Robinson of London was elected to fill the vacancy. It was decided to erect permanent missionary buildings at White Whale Lake, in the Northwest Territory, where a promising mission has been established. It was also decided to encourage missionary work among the Chinese at Nanaimo, B.C., and to rebuild the Indian Church at the same place, which has lately been destroyed by fire. It is contemplated to purchase six acres of ground in British Columbia in the neighborhood of Chilliwack, preparatory to establishing an industrial school for Indian children. A report was read from Rev. A. F. Betts, president of the British Columbia Conference, giving an account of a recent official visit to the Indian tribes in the vicinity of Fort Simpson. He said that several ordained men were needed to fill important charges.

On the Threshold.

Standing at womanhood's door is she,
Clad in her virginal purity,
A creature fair as the lilies be.
Like the lilies, alas, how frail:
They are borne to earth when the storms prevail,
And their life goes out in the summer gale.

When we see a frail and lovely creature, standing on the threshold between girlhood and womanhood, we shiver with a fear of what may be, because we have seen so many succumb at this critical period of life. What is needed at this time is a tonic and invigorant—something that will promote proper functional action of the female organs. The only remedy to be depended on is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This unequaled medicine, which cures diseases peculiar to women, is especially valuable at the period when the girl crosses the threshold of womanhood. Used at such a time, it never fails to produce a most beneficial result, and many a fragile girl has been tided over one of life's most trying period by it.

The Steel Broom Does it.

Mr. M. E. Kavanagh, contractor for the street cleaning of the city of Cleveland, was in the city for the purpose of inspecting the working of the steel brooms which Commissioner Jones uses on the streets. These brooms are the invention of Mr. Jones and have proved a great success. Mr. Kavanagh ordered one of the machines after seeing it at work. The visitor after driving about the city was somewhat amazed at the rapidity with which our spring cleaning has been done. He is an expert, and therefore could appreciate the work that has been done.

"You have the cleanest city in America," Mr. Kavanagh said to The World.

A Chance for House Furnishers.

Yesterday Mr. Charles Henderson, the well-known auctioneer, started to sell out the stock of H. A. Collins & Co., house-furnishers, 6 and 8 Adelaide-street west. The sale was well attended and a large quantity of new goods sold at the buyers' own prices. The sale will be continued this afternoon and every following afternoon until the stock is disposed of. Those wishing anything in the house-furnishing line should attend.

Objections to Socialism.

Last night one of the most entertaining meetings of the Nationalist Association was held. There was opposition, serious and sincere, from Mr. Alf. July, who in an able speech of three-quarters of an hour stated certain phases of the socialistic movement which were not in his opinion so well adapted to procure good government as was trades unionism. Messrs. Thompson, Armstrong, Gordon, Sidney Jones, McCorquodale, Titus and others replied in energetic fashion, and the evening's discussion throughout was thoroughly enjoyed.

James Cullen, Pool's Island, N.F., writes: "I have been watching the progress of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil since its introduction to this place, and with much pleasure state that my anticipations of its success have been fully realized, it having cured me of bronchitis and soreness of nose; while not a few of my 'rheumatic neighbors' (one old lady in particular) pronounce it to be the best article of its kind that has ever been brought before the public. Your medicine does not require any longer a sponsor, but if you wish me to act as such, I shall be only too happy to have my name connected with your prosperous child."

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Steamers will leave Yonge-street Wharf for Hanlan's Point and Island Park every day, commencing on Saturday and Sunday, April 9th and 10th.
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GRAND. This Evening at 8. Gillette's Comedy Company MR. WILKINSON'S WIDOWS. Charles Frohman's Company
Matinee to-morrow at 2. Last time to-morrow night.
Next week—DR. BILL.

THE PUBLIC OPENING OF THE Young Women's Christian Association and Boarding House, 18 Elm-street,
Will take place THIS (THURSDAY) EVENING.
Dedicatory services will commence at half-past seven. All are cordially invited.

FIRST-CLASS FURNISHED HOUSE will be leased for two years in central locality. There is a pleasant library on the first floor, as well as the other usual rooms. The house is detached and the land has a frontage 75 feet. Altogether there are 12 rooms, besides butler's pantry, kitchen pantry, linen rooms, etc. Heated with hot water, with all the recent improvements, sanitary and otherwise. The stables and coach house are extra first-class. A good, careful tenant more desirable than high rent. Further particulars readily given.
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THE GRENS ON PARADE.

Good Muster Last Night—Orders and Promotions—Church Parade Next Sunday.

The Royal Grenadiers paraded last night 414 strong under command of Lieut.-Col. Dawson. The regiment marched to Wellington-street, where a number of intricate company movements were practised. After drill the regiment marched to York and back via King and entered the armory to the tune of the British Grenadiers.

The regiment will parade in review order with busbies and leggings (without side arms) at 3.20 p.m. on Sunday next, the 10th inst., in the Queen's Park, north of the guns, and march to St. George's Church, John-street.

The commanding officer has made the following promotions: To be corporal, Lance-Corporal Baxter, A Co., vice McCullogh, promoted; to be corporal, Lance-Corporal W. J. Westherly, A Co., vice Mactavish, discharged; to be corporals, Pte. W. Hall and P. Stacey, G Co.

An Unlucky Horseshoe.

ST. LOUIS, April 7.—Lightning yesterday struck Frederick Eberhardt, a fireman, just as he was passing through a doorway over which a horseshoe was nailed. The lightning passed over an electric wire and through the horseshoe over the door before it reached him. He was rendered speechless and cannot utter a sound.

"German Syrup"
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For children a medicine should be absolutely reliable. A mother must be able to pin her faith to it as to her Bible. It must contain nothing violent, uncertain, or dangerous. It must be standard in material and manufacture. It must be plain and simple to administer; easy and pleasant to take. The child must like it. It must be prompt in action, giving immediate relief, as childrens' troubles come quick, grow fast, and end fatally or otherwise in a very short time. It must not only relieve quick but bring them around quick, as children chafe and fret and spoil their constitutions under long confinement. It must do its work in moderate doses. A large quantity of medicine in a child is not desirable. It must not interfere with the child's spirits, appetite or general health. These things suit old as well as young folks, and make Boschee's German Syrup the favorite family medicine.

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CUNARD LINE
Every Saturday From New York.
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DISCOUNT SALE!
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AT
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111 King-street West. 246

MEETINGS.

The Toronto and Mimico Electric Railway and Light Company (Limited).
TORONTO, April 7th, 1892.
Notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the company will be held at Committee Room "A" (6th floor) of the Toronto Board of Trade Building, Toronto, on Monday, the eighteenth day of April, 1892, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the adoption of bylaws, receiving of reports, the election of directors and transaction of general business. By order,
J. DAWSON, Secretary.

TO ISLANDERS.

Capt. Goodwin begs to inform cottagers and others interested in the Island that he is now ready to receive lumber, wood, furniture or freight of any description across the Bay. Leave or telephone orders to Ontario Coal Co., foot of Church-street, or Sylvester Bros., foot of Church-street. 456

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JAKE ABRAHAMS, 340 KING-STREET W, opposite Rossin House; agent for Toronto Gas Supply Company; latest and best improvements in gas stoves, heaters, etc.; furniture and household effects at rock-bottom prices; storage accommodation. 246

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BILLIARD CUE CHALK—EXTRA QUALITY. We have just received a consignment of French Patent Enameled Billiard Chalk, specially refined, prepared and put up for the use of exports. Price 25 cents per dozen. Samuel May & Co., Billiard Makers and Dealers, 88 King-street west, Toronto.

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