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MR. E.F. CLARKE ASKS FOR MONEY TO COMPLETE TORONTO ARMORY

Senate Reading Room 5 Feb 01

Backed by Letter From Col. Otter, West Toronto Member Made an Urgent Appeal in Committee of Supply, But the Request Was Parried by Mr. Tarte.

Ottawa, April 16.—(Special.)—The House was in Committee of Supply this afternoon, and the item under discussion was one of $50,000 for a drill hall at Vancouver, but Mr. E. F. Clarke seized the opportunity to rally the Government on the subject of the Toronto Armouries. I have offered, said Mr. Clarke, no objection to an appropriation to complete the drill hall in Vancouver, and I hope to have the hon. member's (Mr. Maxwell's) support in asking an appropriation to complete the hall in Toronto, and I will try to give reasons why this work should be done. I see the Hon. Minister of Militia in his place, and that is why I ask permission at this juncture to call the attention of the committee to a matter that has transpired within the last few weeks, illustrating the absolute necessity that existed for additional accommodation.

Letter From Col. Otter.

The first letter I shall read to the committee is from the officer commanding Military District No. 2, Col. W. D. Otter. It is as follows:

"Stanley Barracks, Toronto, March 22, 1901:

"Sir,—I have the honor to make application on behalf of a portion of the local militia force for the temporary use of the Arcade at St. Andrew's Market, for the purpose of storing guns, wagons and harness. With the present strength of the city corps, it is impossible to find enough accommodation in the Armouries, and, pending the provision of such, I am compelled to appeal to the municipal authorities, as no place adapted for the purpose in view can be obtained. I sincerely trust your committee will see its way to recommending my application to the Council, and that favorable answer may be granted. I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

"W. D. Otter,
Colonel commanding M. D. No. 2.

"The Chairman of the Property Committee, City Hall, Toronto."

City Commissioner's Reply.

Mr. Clarke continued: This matter was referred by the Property Committee to the City Commissioner, and this is the report made by the City Commissioner upon the application:

"Toronto, April 10, 1901.

"Chairman and members, Property Committee:

"Gentlemen,—Your committee have forwarded to me for report the enclosed application of Col. Otter for the use of the Arcade in St. Andrew's Market for the purpose of storing guns, wagons and harness, temporarily, for the local militia. I beg to report that I have conferred with Mr. Hughes, caretaker of the market, who informs me that there are no shops or stalls occupied in the building that are entered by way of the Arcade, that is by persons walking down from the north to the south, but that very few persons are in the habit of going thru the Arcade at all, inasmuch as there is no sidewalk across the market square connecting with Adelaide-street; therefore, so far as the use of the Arcade is concerned, it is of no value to the public at large, and I fail to see any objection to the temporary compliance with Col. Otter's request. Respectfully submitted,

"E. Coatsworth, City Commissioner."

What Mr. Tarte Said.

Mr. Clarke: I think I am safe in saying that this correspondence discloses the condition of things respecting the accommodation provided for the militia forces of Toronto. That is not at all satisfactory, nor, indeed, creditable. Appeals have been made time and again, both to the Department of Militia and Deputy Minister of Public Works, asking that the additional accommodation required might be furnished, and if the committee will pardon me for referring to the remark made by the Minister of Public Works when the question was last before the House of providing the additional accommodation, I will quote what he said, especially as the Hon. Minister of Militia, his colleague, is now in his seat.

Speaking on April 2, the Hon. Minister of Public Works, Hon. Mr. Tarte, said:

"Matters of this kind belong to the Department of Militia and Defence. I am only a builder. If the Department of Militia and Defence asks me to erect an armory in Toronto I shall do so with the greatest of pleasure."

A Point Scored.

I submit to the Minister of Militia and Defence and to the Minister of Public Works, Mr. Clarke went on, that urgency is proved in the matter of completing the Toronto drill shed. The delay which has taken place has been an unreasonable delay, and, in view of the presentation of the case to the Municipal Committee by the officer commanding District No. 2, Col. Otter, who knows the wants and requirements of the militia force of the city, and who knows the accommodation at the drill shed, no stronger excuse could possibly be made for immediate action, as the hon. Minister said that the time to make application was when the supplementary estimates were brought down. I think it is a better time now, with all respect to Mr. Tarte, to renew this application before the supplementary estimates are brought down, so that the Minister of Militia and the Minister of Public Works, being seized of the facts contained in this correspondence, may be induced to ask their colleagues to put an appropriation in the estimates to complete the shed.

Proud of Our Soldiers.

We, in the City of Toronto, like the people of other places, are proud of our militia force. The men who compose their corps keep them up at considerable loss of time to themselves and at considerable personal expense, and we think it reasonable that, considering the sacrifices they make to maintain the force in the splendid state of efficiency in which it now is, adequate accommodation should be supplied, that the arms and accoutrements may be placed in a safe and convenient place, rather than be stored in a building borrowed temporarily from the municipality for the purpose. St. Andrew's Market, for which Col. Otter had applied, was a long distance from the drill shed. It is not a safe place to store arms and supplies, as is the drill shed. It will be a matter of inconvenience to the men to have part of the stores and arms and supplies in one building, and part in another building, and I appeal, not pitiously, but straightforwardly, to the Minister of Public Works, and the Minister of Militia, that there shall be no longer delay in providing the means to make an addition to the drill shed that will give the accommodation for the militia in Toronto which is so urgently required.

Mr. Tarte Makes No Promise.

Hon. Mr. Tarte said, in reply: I must say that my hon. friend, Mr. Clarke, has displayed a great deal of energy and zeal on behalf of the City of Toronto. It is his right to do so; indeed, I may add that it is his duty to do so. I cannot blame him in any way; very far from it. But, on the other hand, he must not forget that there are many, very many, places which make calls upon us, and we find it impossible to comply with them all at the same time. It would be out of the question in such a case. As I said in a former debate, I am a builder. If my colleagues impose upon me the agreeable duty of building an armory in Toronto or elsewhere, I will do my level best to give my friends a fine building, that is, if the money is voted. I will put up the buildings all right, but, again, I must call my hon. friend's attention to the many demands that are made upon us. If we were to comply with them all, I am sure we would be sacrificed by our hon. friends the Opposition. They would point to the large increase in the public expenditure we were making. I do not say that in the way of blame to my hon. friend for making the effort, but only to induce him to have a little patience. There are other parts of the country where people are just as anxious as my hon. friend to have armories and public buildings. We can't meet all the demands. But when the supplementary estimates come down, my hon. friend will see whether his eloquent appeal has any effect on the treasury bench.

The House spent the remainder of the sitting discussing the appropriations for harbor and river works improvements in Nova Scotia.

The House adjourned at 12.30 a.m.

EMBLAZONED ON THE SCROLL OF FAME ARE NAMES OF MANY GALLANT CANADIANS

Report of Lord Roberts in Reference to the South African Campaign Deals With the Transportation Question and Mentions Officers and Men Who Have Rendered Distinguished Service to the Empire—General Buller Coldly Treated.

London, April 16.—Another despatch from Lord Roberts on the subject of the South African campaign, dated April 2, 1900, has been published in The Gazette. It largely concerns the transport service, and says the mule transport consisted of what are called in South Africa buck wagons, carrying a load of 3500 pounds, drawn by ten mules each, with two native drivers. After mentioning the serviceable wagons made in Cape Colony and the frequent refiring and other repairs which the English-made wagons required, Lord Roberts said:

"Six buck wagons were imported for trial from the United States. These proved to be superior to any other pattern, of either Cape or English manufacture. The wheels were of hickory, the body of black walnut and the metal work of steel. The superiority of these vehicles was doubtless due to the fact that mule wagons are largely used in America for the carriage of goods, as well as for military transport. The manufacturers have, therefore, learned by practical experience what is the best wagon and the most suitable materials in building them. It may be added that the wagons in question cost considerably less than the Bristol pattern wagons."

The best mules, Lord Roberts thinks, are Cape mules, and the next best the Indian mules. The mortality among the oxen was greater than among the mules.

Lord Roberts, in his despatches, goes over all branches of the service, and in viewing the hospital department, mentions the American hospital ship Maine, "fitted out and manned by the splendid generosity of private individuals, and the committee of American ladies."

Lord Roberts heads eleven pages of special mentions by cordial acknowledgements of the services of Sir Alfred Milner and Gen. Kitchener.

There are paragraphs praising almost all the division and brigade commanders, including Generals White, Methuen, Baden-Powell, Kelly-Kenny, French, Arthur Paget and Pole-Carew. Gen. Buller is mentioned first after the staff officers, but in merely formal terms, without commendation.

Detailing the stores handled, he says there were 1,031,000 rounds of artillery ammunition, 122,000,000 rounds of ammunition for rifles and machine guns, and 2,000,000 pairs of horse shoes.

THE CANADIANS MENTIONED.

The following Canadians are mentioned for meritorious service:

COL. C. W. DRURY, commander of Brigade Division Field Artillery, R.C.A.

COL. W. D. OTTER, commander Royal Canadian Regiment.

LIUET.-COL. L. BUCHAN, Royal Canadian Regiment.

LIEUT.-COL. T. B. D. EVANS, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

LIEUT.-COL. F. L. LESSARD, Royal Canadian Dragoons.

LIEUT.-COL. S. B. STEELE, Strathcona's Horse.

MAJOR R. BELCHER, Strathcona's Horse.

MAJOR A. M. JARVIS, Strathcona's Horse.

MAJOR G. H. OGILVIE, Royal Canadian Artillery.

MAJOR COSTIGAN, Royal Canadian Artillery.

SURGEON-MAJOR A. N. WORTHINGTON, Royal Canadian Artillery.

CAPT. G. W. CAMERON, Strathcona's Horse.

CAPT. F. L. CARTWRIGHT, Strathcona's Horse.

CAPT. E. F. MACKIE, Strathcona's Horse.

CAPT. A. C. MACDONELL, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

CAPT. A. H. MACDONELL, Royal Canadian Regiment.

CAPT. H. A. PANET, Strathcona's Horse.

LIEUT. A. E. CHRISTIE, Strathcona's Horse.

LIEUT. J. E. LECKIE, Strathcona's Horse.

LIEUT. H. J. A. DAVIDSON, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

LIEUT. A. L. HOWARD, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

LIEUT. F. V. YOUNG, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

LIEUT. W. M. INGLIS, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

LIEUT. L. E. W. IRVING, Royal Canadian Artillery.

LIEUT. J. H. C. OGILVY, Royal Canadian Regiment.

LIEUT. R. E. W. TURNER, Royal Canadian Dragoons.

SURGEON-LIEUT. C. B. KEENAN, Strathcona's Horse.

REG. SERGT-MAJOR CHURCH, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

REG. SERGT.-MAJOR HYNES, Strathcona's Horse.

SERGT.-MAJOR J. RICHARDS, Strathcona's Horse.

SERGT.-MAJOR W. H. GIMBLETT, Royal Canadian Artillery.

SERGT. W. H. NELLES, Strathcona's Horse.

SERGT. J. M. B. SKIRVING, Strathcona's Horse.

SERGT. R. H. RYAN, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

CORP. T. GALLAGHER, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

CORP. T. R. MILES, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

CORP. F. W. WHITLOW, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

TROOPER WHITE, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

PTE. J. KENNEDY, Royal Canadian Regiment.

PTE. M. CROOKE, Royal Canadian Regiment.

PTE. S. R. THOMPSON, Royal Canadian Regiment.

PTE. J. LANDEN, Royal Canadian Regiment.

TROOPER HAMMOND, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

TROOPER T. KERR, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

TROOPER MILES, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

TROOPER S. E. MORRISON, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

GUNNER L. W. E. MILLOY, Royal Canadian Artillery.

MILNER GOING TO ENGLAND.

Will Remain Two Months to Recruit His Health.

London, April 17.—Sir Alfred Milner, according to The Daily Chronicle, is coming to England early next month, and will remain two months to recruit his health, which has been severely tried by his arduous labors in South Africa.

Most of the morning papers comment upon the effect which his absence at a critical moment is likely to have on the campaign, recalling the fact that Gen. Botha made the objections to Sir Alfred Milner one of the chief reasons for rejecting the peace terms. It is expected that the Boers will impute Sir Alfred Milner's absence to political motives.

Operations Begun.

A despatch to The Times, from Middelburg, Transvaal, says: "Operations in the Eastern Transvaal have been begun. There is no doubt that Acting President Schalkburger, Gen. Botha, Mr. Steyn and Gen. Dewet had a meeting at Ermelo, but their subsequent movements are obscure. Raids on the railway have become less frequent."

Forty Boers Re-Elected Steyn.

London, April 16.—A special despatch from Cape Town, under to-day's date, says 40 Boers recently met at Boshof and solemnly re-elected Mr. Steyn President of the Orange Free State.

Her Brother-in-Law, Joe.

Denouncing the South African war at a meeting held in Canning Town last night, Mrs. Richard Chamberlain made a lively attack on the Colonial Secretary, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain.

"It is all very well," she said, "for men like my brother-in-law, Joe, to say that farm-burning is all right, but how can he know about farms or farming? Who was his father? He was a little screw-maker, a very respectable profession, but it does not teach much about farms. It is no good sending out screw-makers or anything of that sort. The war was not made for England, but for Johannesburg capitalists, who could not speak English."

MORGAN COMING INTO CANADA WITH MIGHTY STEEL COMBINE

Has a $500,000 Option on Ore Lands, and Deal is Expected to Be Closed in a Few Days—Clergue Syndicate the Only Competitor.

New York, April 16.—The Commercial has this special from Duluth: The American Mining Co., a part of the United States Steel Corporation, has a $500,000 option on ore lands in Canada, which is expected to be closed next week. This is regarded here as an entering wedge towards the introduction of foreign ores free of duty.

There are no important opened mines in Canada that could compete with the United States corporation except those of the Clergue Syndicate at Sault Ste. Marie, and their ores will be largely consumed in their own works for the manufacture of steel for export to Europe.

50,000 STRIKERS THREATEN STEEL TRUST

McKeesport, Pa., April 16.—Within two days more than 50,000 men employed in the different mills controlled by the United States Steel Corporation will be called out on a strike unless the American Sheet Steel Company, operating the W. Dewees Wood Mills here, consents to reinstate a number of its employes who were discharged a week ago because they organized a union and joined the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Plate Workers.

Not a wheel was turned in the Wood mills here to-day by skilled labor. About 25 laborers were working about the mill, but all the departments are held up. Efforts were made at 8 and 4 o'clock to start, but not enough men could be secured to operate a single sheet mill.

Manager Samuel Cooper said to-night: "You can say most emphatically that this company will never recognize the Amalgamated Association."

He didn't deny that the employes were discharged because they joined the union.

At a meeting of strikers this afternoon Theodore Shaffer, president of the Amalgamated Association, said it was a fight to the finish between the United States Steel Corporation and the association.

The local union increased its membership to-day about 100. About one-half of the thousand men who are out are striking in sympathy with union men.

DR. "ZINC" LYMAN LEGALLY FREED AND READY TO FACE ALL COMERS

Returns to New York After a European Trip for Liver Trouble.

New York, April 16.—Dr. John Grant Lyman of International Zinc vicissitudes, has come back to town from Europe. He said yesterday:

"I went abroad and came right back again. I arrived by the Deutschland on Thursday last. I am surprised that the newspapers have not found out before that I was here. I was downtown on Saturday and all day to-day. The reason I left was to get some rest. The reporters were at me, 30 or 40 a day; my business was ruined, and my physician advised me to get some rest. When I got to the other side I found out that it had been said that I had run away. I came right back, and am here to stay. I shall not dodge, and shall meet all actions brought against me."

With his lawyer, John J. Vause, Dr. Lyman went to the sheriff's office last Saturday, and gave bail in the suit of Charles F. Stewart, to recover losses in International Zinc stock.

"It is outrageous," said Mr. Vause, "the way Dr. Lyman has been singled out for attack, and equally outrageous were the statements that he had run away. The trouble began in January, and he challenged everybody who had charges to make against him to bring their actions and settle them in the courts. He waited until the last of March, and no such actions were begun. Meantime he had been so much harassed by the newspapers and by falsehoods circulated about him that he could not sleep. He has liver trouble anyway, and his doctors advised him to go to Europe for a month, to get anywhere where he would not hear about the International Zinc. He went, leaving his affairs open, his wife here, and all his money on deposit in bank. Had he intended to run away it is presumable that he would not have left his money behind for creditors to seize, isn't it? Well, he did not run away, but as soon as he was gone actions were begun, and by my advice he was cabled to come back, and he responded instantly. He was gone barely three weeks."

Dr. John Grant Lyman has many friends and acquaintances in Toronto, who will hear of his latest appearance with interest, at least.

THE PENSIONS TO BE PAID

Minister of Militia Gives Notice of Resolution Containing the Scale Proposed.

OFFICERS TO BE TAXED 5 PER CENT.

To Help Make Up the Pension Fund—Widows and Children Will Get Allowances.

Ottawa, April 16.—(Special.)—The Minister of Militia has given notice of a resolution containing the scale of pensions to be paid to the officers and men of the permanent corps. It is as follows:

Resolved, that it is expedient to provide that pensions or gratuities may be granted to staff officers and officers and men of the permanent militia force, and to the widows and children of such officers, as follows:

To an officer compulsorily retired for any cause other than misconduct or inefficiency, after 20 years' service, or retiring voluntarily after 35 years' service, a pension not exceeding 1-50th of the pay and allowance of his rank, or appointment at the time of his retirement, for each year's service, service beyond 35 years not being reckoned.

To an officer who retires voluntarily after 25 but less than 35 years' service, a pension not exceeding 1-40th of such pay and allowance for each year of service, service beyond 35 years not being reckoned.

Towards making good the said pensions 5 per cent. shall be deducted from the pay of officers.

To an officer retiring on account of infirmity or retired to promote efficiency or economy in the service, a gratuity not exceeding one month's pay for each year's service; if retired on account of injury received in the discharge of his duties, a gratuity not exceeding three months' pay for every two years' service.

To a non-commissioned officer or militia man, if he has served 15 but less than 21 years, a pension equal to 1-50th of his annual pay for every year of service; for 21 and less than 25 years' service, 20-50ths, and in addition 2-50ths for every year over 20; for 25 years, 30-50ths and in addition 1-50th for every year over 25, not exceeding, however, 2-3rds of his annual pay, exclusive of extra pay or allowance during the three years preceding his retirement.

To the widow and children of an officer who served 20 years and was at the time of his death or full pay, or in receipt of a pension, the following pensions or allowances:

In the case of a colonel $500 to the widow and $80 to each child.

Lieut.-Colonel, $450 to the widow and a yearly allowance of $80 to each child.

Major, $350 to widow and $70 to each child.

Captain, $250 to widow, $65 to each child.

Lieutenant or second lieutenant, $200 to widow, $50 to each child.

The amount to children to be doubled if they are motherless and in need.

No allowance to a son aged 18 or a daughter aged 21.

The total amount granted to the family of an officer in one year not to exceed the amount of the pension attached to his rank.

ABSOLUTELY NO TRUTH.

In Story From Winnipeg About Shuffle on C.P.R. Staff.

Montreal, April 16.—(Special.)—"There is absolutely no truth in the story from Winnipeg regarding changes," was the answer given to-day by President Shaughnessy of the C.P.R., and Mr. McNicoll also denied that he would be first vice-president. Mr. Whyte said they were here to have their annual talk with the executive.

Turkish Baths at Pember's, 75c.

Summer in the Air.

Yesterday was an ideal spring day, and the ladies turned out in numbers to enjoy it. The men one met all seemed to have smiling faces. A great run was made at all the clubs and saloons on Radnor Water, plain and with whiskey. Radnor makes the best mixer in the spring and at all times.

Cook's Turkish Baths, 204 King W.

GERMANS SPOILING FOR A FIGHT WILL GO AFTER CHINESE HORDES

The Kaiser's Forces Are Being Sent in Different Directions to Guard Passes and Provoke a Fight if Possible—Indemnity Demands Modified by Powers.

New York, April 16.—The Herald prints the following from its special correspondent in Pekin:

The war rumors in circulation during the last ten days have been reduced to a few concrete facts. These facts all go to demonstrate anew what everybody knows, viz., that the Germans are spoiling for a fight.

Five hundred German cavalry, with interminable ammunition, left for Nankow Pass this morning. There they are to await the much heralded Mongolian hordes commanded by Prince Tuan and Gen. Tung Fu Siang.

A German brigade of 4000 men at Pao Ting Fu leaves that place to-morrow for the west. The purpose of the expedition is not announced, but it is probably intended to take possession of other passes leading into Shan Si Province and to provoke battle with the Chinese if possible.

MODIFYING THEIR CLAIMS.

France Has Knocked Off $9,000,000 in Her Indemnity Demand.

Washington, April 16.—Notwithstanding the reports from Pekin of the slow progress of the negotiations there on the subject of indemnity, the officials here are not without hope that a way may be found out of the present complications. Later figures are coming in respecting the indemnity claims, which slightly modify the amounts reported from other sources. For instance, the French claim is now given as $56,000,000, instead of $65,000,000, as reported. The Russian claim is about $87,000,000. The claim of Great Britain is only about $21,000,000. The Japanese claim has been cut down to less than $20,000,000. The German claim is elastic, ranging from $60,000,000 to $70,000,000.

The little powers, those that furnished no troops at all, or an insignificant number, loom up with big bills. Belgium wants $6,000,000, and similar claims are preferred by Holland and Spain.

Liu Defies the Allies.

London, April 16.—A despatch to the Reuter Telegraph Company from Pekin, dated April 16, says that Gen. Von Gyle, in command of 5000 German and 3000 French troops, is heading an expedition to attack Liu Hsuang (Liu Kuang Ting), who is within 120 miles of Pao Ting Fu. Liu's position is inside the territory defined by Field Marshal Von Waldersee as the sphere of operations of the allies. Liu has 10,000 men, and has refused to retire, saying if the allies wished him to retire they had better come out and compel him to do so.

MISS ANGLIN MAKES "GOOD"

As "Dora" in the Empire Theatre Production of "Diplomacy" She Scores a Success.

THE CRITICS PRAISE HER ACTING.

"Margaret Anglin's Dora Was a Triumph for That Young But Laurel-Crowned Actress."

At the Empire Theatre, New York, a production de luxe of "Diplomacy" is being presented. Miss Margaret Anglin of Toronto is one of the most talented players. Press criticisms of her work are of interest:

The World: Margaret Anglin's Dora was a triumph for that young but laurel-crowned actress. Her love passages were tender and true, her confusion and terror at the suspicion of the crime and her despair and mental collapse at the open accusation of her husband were splendid moments. There was a real thrill in her dash to the balcony and impulse to suicide. The equilibrium of her characterization was perfectly true thruout.

The Tribune. Miss Anglin has not learned either to use her voice or so to control her feeling that she can communicate feeling to others. A suffering woman who flounces up and down, screeching or squealing, may cause solicitude, but cannot excite sympathy. Dora was weak and trivial.

The Journal: The Dora of Miss Margaret Anglin was worth seeing, altho Miss Anglin indulged in a whole series of affectations. She was sophisticated non-sophistication. She was so very artless in such a very stagey way. Yet she missed no points and made several that were not in the "prompt book." Still, she was so very aggressively gyurlish! She kissed dear mommer so ferociously! She threw herself at Julian in such a Love-Letters-of-an-Englishwoman-by manner! Dora is a part that is rarely successful, I have been told. I can't see why. Probably it is due to the fact that real reluctant girlhood is seldom natural—on the stage.

The Sun: Those who recalled the wondrous beauty of Maude Granger, while looking at Margaret Anglin's lack of it, or bethought themselves of the comeliness of Annie Robe, had to wait for Miss Anglin's voice to convince them that the new Dora was as adorable, as well worth the ado of attack and defence in the play, as either of the earlier ones had been. The pathos of this Empire actress is beyond analysis. Nobody tries to resist it, or could succeed if he did. All the plaintiveness of Dora's sad plight was conveyed acutely.

LOCOMOTIVE TRUST MOOTED.

Morgan Interests Said to Be Planning Another Combine.

New York, April 16.—It is current rumor here that the locomotive plants of this country are to be combined with the Cook Locomotive Works at Paterson, N.J., as the nucleus. The scheme is being engineered, it is said, by the Morgan-Rockefeller people in the interest of the steel trust, which it is presumed would supply the locomotive works with raw material.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Cooke's Church, meeting of congregation, re choice of pastor, 8 p.m.

A.O.U.W. Masters' banquet, Webb's, 8 p.m.

Grand Opera House, "The Duke's Jester," 2 and 8 p.m.

Toronto Opera House, West's Minstrels, 8 p.m.

Princess Theatre, "Woman Against Woman," 8 p.m.

Shea's Theatre, vaudeville, 2 and 8 p.m.

Morgan Interests Now Control.

Pittsburg, April 16.—The reorganization of the Carnegie Corporations was effected today at a meeting of the stockholders, and the Morgan Syndicate interests assumed control.

This is flower time, and you will find a glorious collection of all the fragrant spring flowers at Dunlop's, 5 King-street West and 445 Yonge-street.

TO CURE THE GRIP IN TWO DAYS. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause

Turkish Baths at Pember's, 75c

NOT A GAINSBOROUGH.

Henri Pene Du Bois Says the Agnew Portrait is an Unknown Likeness.

New York, April 16.—Henri Pene du Bois writes The Journal from London: Agnew's long lost treasure is not a work of Gainsborough that anybody knows. It is not a portrait of a Duchess of Devonshire that anybody knew. It was the property in 1841 of a Miss Annie Maginnis, who had always said it was a portrait of one of her relatives. It was a full length portrait, but she cut off the legs, in order that the canvas with its frame might be fitted over a mantelpiece.

WILL AID CAPT. BERNIER.

Dominion Government to Provide Ship and Instruments for Polar Expedition.

Ottawa, April 16.—It is understood that the Government has decided to aid Capt. Bernier's proposed polar expedition to the extent of furnishing him with a vessel and the necessary scientific instruments. It is expected that the requisite funds for paying the crew and equipping the vessel will be forthcoming from the general public. It is conceded that Capt. Bernier is the right man to lead the expedition. The various scientific societies doubtless will aid him financially.

Cure a Cold in a Few Hours.
Dr. Evans' Laxative Grip Capsules; no buzzing, no griping; money refunded if they fail. 25c. Bingham's Pharmacy. 135

NAVIGATION MEN.

Capt. Anthony Malone.

Richlieu and Ontario Navigation Co. Freight Agent at Yonge-Street Wharf.

FINNEGAN'S HORRIBLE FATE

Life Crushed Out by a Grand Trunk Yard Engine Near Strachan-Avenue.

THE BODY WAS BADLY MUTILATED.

Unfortunate Man Worked at Loading Cars in the Western Cattle Market.

The dead body of James Finnegan, better known as "Puck," was found last night on the G.T.R. tracks, a little west of Strachan-avenue crossing, by Fred Shoemaker, a switchman, who lives at 6 Brant-place. Nobody saw Finnegan meet his death, but it was apparent that he had been struck by an engine about 100 yards east of the point where the remains were discovered.

It is believed he was pushed along under the engine, for his body was terribly mutilated. One side of his face was badly lacerated by the rough ground, and by coming in contact with the ties upon which the tracks are laid. One leg was completely severed from the body, and death is believed to have been instantaneous.

Was Loading Cattle Cars.

Finnegan was last seen alive when he was engaged with some others in assisting to load cattle on a train at the Western Cattle Market. When all the cars were loaded those employed on the work separated, Finnegan remaining on the platform. When the discovery was made at about 8.30 o'clock by Shoemaker, the body was still warm.

The unfortunate man is thought to have attempted to board a yard engine after the cattle cars were loaded, and to have fallen down in front of the train.

An Inquest Called.

Police Constable Sifton, who was summoned to the scene of the accident, had the remains removed to W. K. Murphy's undertaking establishment, and prepared for burial. Coroner Johnson was notified of the facts surrounding the death, and issued a warrant for an inquest to be held at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

James Finnegan, the deceased, was 35 years of age. He was a gilder by trade, but during the past few years had been working for cattle dealers. His father, with whom he lived on Markham-street, died about a year ago, and since that time he had no particular place of abode. He is survived by two brothers and a sister. The arrangements for the funeral will be made after Coroner Johnson concludes his investigation.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants, offices Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

CORONATION OF KING EDWARD

Will Take Place in Westminster Abbey the End of June, 1902—Royal House in Ireland.

London, April 16.—The coronation of King Edward will take place at the end of June, 1902. Westminster Abbey, according to Truth, will be entirely closed to the public for four months prior to the event, and all services will be suspended in order to prepare the interior for the ceremony.

Royal Residence in Ireland.

According to Onlooker, a society paper, a site of 145 acres has been acquired in Ireland for the erection of a royal residence, the plans for the building have been approved and work will commence shortly.

BACK ON THE FARM.

The ghosts of leaves that died last year
are fluttering here and there;
The yearling rubs against the fence and
leaves a tuft of hair;
Upon the slope the plowman and his patient horses cast
Their slanting shadows on the turf, and
reach the fence, at last,
To rest awhile, and then to turn and
leave one furrow more—
And far away, beyond the woods, I hear
the cry of "Fore!"

The robin on the mossy rail, beyond the
briars, sees
The stumps down in the pasture sit in
lazy reveries;
A murmur like the cooing of a babe comes
from the stream
Beyond the knoll on which the first brave
dandelions gleam—
Dame Nature, dear old gossip, tells her
fairy tale once more,
And, echoing out across the hills, I hear
the cry of "Fore!"

Cook's Turkish & steam baths, 204 King w., cures colds, coughs and rheumatism

A Change of President.

Montreal, April 16.—(Special.)—Mr. William Strachan has resigned the presidency of the Montreal & London Company, which owns the Dufferin mine in Nova Scotia, and will be succeeded by Mr. Charles Percy, late cashier of the G.T.R.

Patents. Fetherstonhaugh & Co., King-street West, Toronto, also Montreal, Ottawa and Washington.

NOT KNOWN IN ST. THOMAS.

Pittsburg Murderers May Be Children of a Biddle Family Long Gone.

St. Thomas, April 16.—Diligent enquiries have been made to locate here any family by the name of Biddle, following the despatch from Pittsburg of the murder in that city. This afternoon Charles Roe, on being seen, said that a family by the name of Biddle rented a store from him in the Montreal block (corner Talbot and Metcalfe-street), early in fifties. They came here from Chatham and conducted a "Cheap John" shop. After remaining in St. Thomas about six months they left the town. It may be that the prisoners are children of the Biddle family. A man named George Biddle was employed in the M. C. R. yards as switchman some 18 years ago. He came here from Amherstburg.

REV. J. D. FULTON DEAD.

Baptist Preacher, Well-Known in Toronto, Died of Paralysis.

Somerville, Mass., April 16.—Rev. Justin D. Fulton, D.D., a Baptist clergyman and formerly pastor of Tremont Temple, died at his home to-day of paralysis. From the dignity of a brilliant preacher and revivalist he gained notoriety during recent years by his crusade against the Roman Catholic Church.

"BOB" HENRY GOES TO DETROIT.

Brantford, April 16.—The Expositor states that Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry and family are about to leave Brantford and reside permanently in Detroit. He has acquired an interest in the Michigan Soap Company, and becomes its vice-president and general manager.

Mr. Henry is well and widely known thruout Canada in politics, and many other walks of life.

THE FIRST GRASSHOPPER.

The first grasshopper of the century was seen on Yonge-street yesterday. It was a mite, less than half an inch long. It springs.

Death of Mr. James Way.

Mr. James Way, a well-known resident of the West End, and large real estate owner, passed away last night at his residence, 248 Bathurst-street, after a lengthy illness.

Governor of Bank of England.

London, April 17.—Mr. August Prevost, Deputy Governor of the Bank of England, has been appointed Governor of the Bank of England for the ensuing year, succeeding Mr. Samuel Stewart Gladstone.

TWO MORE DIPHTHERIA CASES.

Loose Methods as to Quarantine Seem to Prevail in the Todmorden District.

Two more cases of diphtheria have developed in the Todmorden district. They are at Doncaster, and there are now three cases in the one family, the latest victims being a mother and her infant. Two other families are afflicted. Loose methods as to isolation seem to prevail in the district, and it is stated that children living in a house where the disease exists are daily playing with other children of the vicinity on the banks of the Don. So far there have been 11 cases of diphtheria in the locality this year, and many more are expected by the residents, unless the authorities wake up to the necessity of quarantining the afflicted, and those who have come in contact with them. Two deaths have so far resulted.

BODY CUT TO PIECES.

Sad Fate of Sectionman Whittaker of Newtonville.

Port Hope, April 16.—George Whittaker, one of the section men of the G.T.R. at Newtonville, while on his way home Monday night, was run over and killed, his body when found being literally cut to pieces. Dr. Aldrich, coroner for the united Counties of Northumberland and Durham, was notified and certified that the deceased was evidently under the influence of liquor at the time and had lain down to sleep. The liquor was obtained in or near Newtonville.

Twenty-Six Natives Killed.

Johannesburg, Transvaal, April 16.—A cage filled with natives fell down a deep shaft of the Geldenhuis Mine. Twenty-six of the natives were killed.

MARRIAGES.

KERNAHAN—HANRAHAN—On Tuesday, April 16, 1901, at St. Basil's Church, Mary Hanrahan, daughter of John Hanrahan of Maitland-street, to W. T. Kernahan, son of the late J. Kernahan.

DEATHS.

GATES—On April 13, at 32 Mercer-street, Octavia M. Gates, daughter of Charles and Hattie Gates, aged 2 years.
Funeral Wednesday, April 17, to St. James' Cemetery, at 3 p.m.

KEYS—At Weston, on Monday, April 15, Henry Keys, in his 48th year.
Funeral from his late residence at 2 p.m. on Wednesday to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

NOURSE—On Monday morning, April 15, 1901, at her late residence, 72 Macpherson-avenue, Agnes B. Galbraith, beloved wife of C. E. Nourse.
Funeral Wednesday at 3 p.m. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

WAY—On Tuesday, April 16, at his late residence, 248 Bathurst-street, James Way.
Funeral notice later

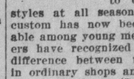
RESCUED 194 MEN.

Sealing Steamer Greenland Saved Crew of the Hope.

St. John's, Nfld., April 16.—The sealing steamer Greenland arrived here this morning, having rescued 194 members of the crew of the sealing steamer Hope, which was wrecked on Bryon Island, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. All are well. The Hope was broken up by the furious gales, but her cargo of 5000 seals was saved.

Fearful weather was encountered by the Greenland.

All in the Style.



It is known generally throughout the fashionable world that the custom among most ladies is to discuss the new hat styles at all seasons of the year. This custom has now become just as fashionable among young men, and the good dressers have recognized that there is a vast difference between the hat styles shown in ordinary shops and those shown in the W. & D. Dineen Company, corner Yonge and Temperance-streets. The latter have a smart looking up-to-date appearance, and they cost us more than the common sort. Those shown by Dineen at one dollar and seventy-five cents are special favorites.

Unsettled Weather.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, April 16.—(8 p.m.)—The weather has cleared in the Northwest. Elsewhere it has remained fine, and for the most part very mild. A moderate depression now covering the Missouri Valley promises some rain for the lake region, which is likely to extend to Eastern Ontario and Quebec on Thursday.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 36—56; Kamloops, 28—64; Calgary, 16—46; Qu'Appelle, 2—20; Winnipeg, 22—26; Port Arthur, 30—38; Parry Sound, 30—62; Toronto, 42—62; Ottawa, 38—64; Montreal, 38—60; Quebec, 34—50; Halifax, 34—50.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds, becoming unsettled and showery.

Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds, becoming unsettled and showery.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair and continued very mild to-day, becoming showery by Thursday.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fine and mild.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly easterly; not much change in temper