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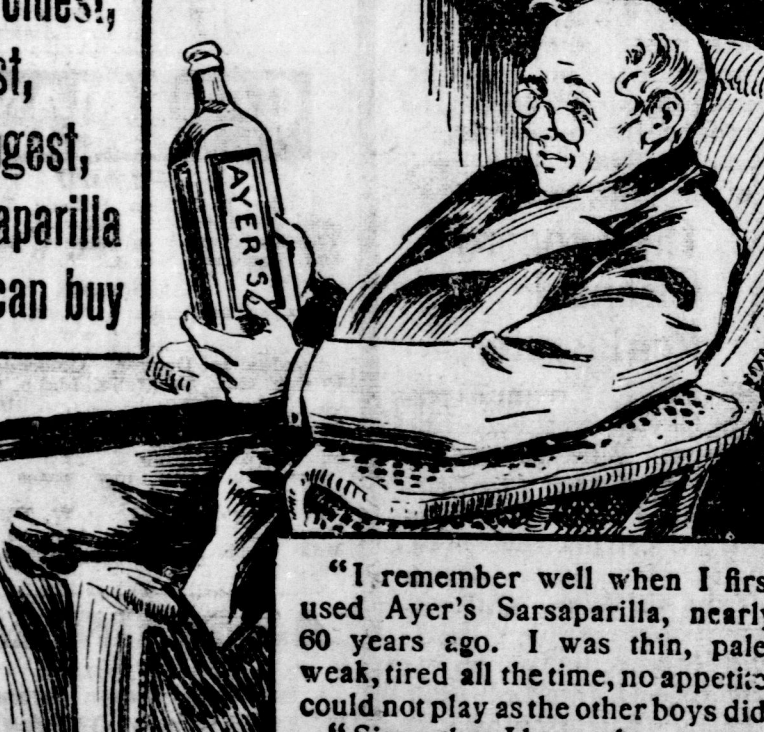
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MWANGA IS DEAD
Former King of Uganda Dies in Exile.

Port Victoria, Seychelles Islands, May 8.—Mwanga, the former King of Uganda, is dead. His death was caused by the rupture of an aneurism.
King Mwanga, a son of the celebrated King Mutesa, left Uganda secretly on July 6, 1897, to organize a rising at Budda against the government of the British protectorate, but the King's forces were defeated July 29, of the same year, by the troops commanded by the British deputy commissioner, Major Herman, and Mwanga escaped to German territory, and surrendered to the Germans, who eventually turned him over to the British. The King was then exiled to the Seychelles Islands. Mwanga's infant son, David Chwa, afterwards was proclaimed king (or Kabaka) of Uganda, with a native council of regency.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLean, of this city, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, of Petrolia.

—Mr. Henry Harris, an aged resident of St. Thomas, who died the other day, was 90 years old. He was a brother of Mrs. R. Kettlewell, of South London.

—The new brick-making plant on Adelaide street north, which was started in opposition to the old firm, began operations yesterday. The plant will not be worked to its full capacity for some days.

—Leave of absence for three months has been granted Rev. Dr. John Philip, of Kingston, formerly of this city, owing to the condition of his health. He will go to California for the greater part of the time.

—Dr. J. D. Balfour and Dr. B. F. Butler, of this city, read papers at the meeting of the Lambton Medical Association the other day, their subjects being "Pathological Labor" and "Eye Strain," respectively.

—Miss Alice M. L. Mills, daughter of Hon. David Mills, Ottawa, passed through the city this morning en route to Mapimi, Mexico, to visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Fraser. Mrs. Fraser and children will accompany Miss Mills on her return at the end of June.

—Among the students who took honors at the McGill College examinations recently was Mr. Chester H. Payne, a son of Mr. Lambert Payne, formerly of this city and now private secretary to Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, Ottawa.

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—Mr. Oliver Bainbridge, a noted traveler, who has visited almost every known country and is sometimes called the "King of Tramps," will deliver a lecture at the Collegiate Institute, describing his experiences and the interesting features of the many countries he has visited. The lecture is under the auspices of the Athletic Association of the Collegiate Institute.

—On Friday, May 8, after a lingering illness, extending over a period of nearly four years, the death of Mr. William Lamb occurred at his residence, 266 Dufferin street. He was for many years connected with the bridge department of the G. T. R. Besides his widow he leaves a family of eight children: James with Gordon, McKay & Co., Toronto; Ford of St. Louis; Fred, of the C. P. R.; Andrew, with the A. K. Melbourne Hardware Company, Hamilton; Charles, with the Bowman Hardware Company; Mrs. George Greenlee, of Woodstock; Mrs. H. M. Passmore, Toronto, and Mrs. Peter McDonald, London.

CLOSE NEXT FRIDAY.
The series of evangelistic services by Messrs. Crowsley and Hunter will conclude on Friday next. The attendance has been keeping up to anticipations and as a result of the meetings it is expected that the membership of the church will be considerably increased.

APRIL'S READING.
Up to the present 10,152 cards have been issued by the London Public Library Club. The circulation during the past month was: Fiction 3,596, Juveniles 1,027, miscellaneous 1,373, magazines 925, total, 6,921. The average circulation per day of the month was 226, of magazines 67, of fiction 113, and of miscellaneous 46. Cash receipts were \$77.74. The report embodying the above facts was presented at last night's meeting of the library board. It was decided that Librarian Blackwell should attend the annual meeting of the American Library Association, which takes place on June 22 at Niagara Falls.

SALVATIONISTS MARRY.
The marriage of Mrs. Carolina Harvey and Mr. John May, members of the Salvation Army, took place last night in the Citadel. Mr. May is the drummer in the band, and the couple are popular with their comrades in the army. There was, therefore, a large number of friends out to the hall-luh celebration. The ceremony took place at 8 o'clock, Brigadier McMillan officiating, assisted by Major Rawlings, Lieut. West was bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Sproule best man. The band also rendered assistance. Staff-Captain Goodwin and Sergeant-Major Adams made short addresses and Capt. Webber sang a solo. The marriage over, two hundred or more guests attended an excellent supper in Somerset Hall.

EDWARD ADDISON DIED
Victim of Accident on G. T. R. Succumbed to Injuries.

Edward Addison, who was so terribly injured in the Grand Trunk yards yesterday, succumbed to his injuries shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His parents were with him when he died.

The funeral will be held on Monday morning to St. Mary's Church.

J. W. JONES ON THE BOARD
He Succeeds R. Shaw-Wood on Western Fair Executive.

Lord Lyveden's Party Will Be Asked to Come to London.

Mr. J. W. Jones is the new member of the Western Fair Board. He was appointed to succeed the late Mr. R. Shaw-Wood by the board at the meeting of directors yesterday afternoon. Col. Gartshore presided, the following director being present: Ald. Becher, Matthews and Wyatt and Messrs. Allan Bogue, J. H. Brown, R. A. Carrothers, William Fleming, William Gammage, George McCormick, William



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New Member of the Western Fair Board.

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Badges will be printed in place of tickets for exhibitors in the live stock department. It was also decided to have some changes made in the buildings.

The board granted St. Andrew's Society the use of the grand stands in Queen's Park for July 1 on the usual terms. The society intend holding a demonstration on Dominion Day.

Mr. William Fleming was appointed chairman of the agricultural committee.

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.
The opinion prevailed that this year's fair would surpass all its predecessors. The committee reported that they were all exerting themselves and were being successful in their efforts. It was decided to invite the Lord Lyveden

party, consisting of British members of Parliament, to be present at the opening of the Western Fair. The party will be visiting Canada about the middle of the month, and there is a possibility of their accepting London's invitation.

GRADUATES OF MEDICAL SCHOOL GET THEIR DEGREES
Convocation at Auditorium Attended by Large Crowd.

Students Show That They Can Enjoy Themselves a Little.

Event Celebrated Attaining of School's Majority—Tine Addresses by Dr. Johnston and Others.

The class of eighteen students who recently passed their fourth year examination at the London Medical School had the degree of M. D. conferred upon them last night.

The convocation was held at the Auditorium, which has in the past been the scene of several such gatherings, and the building was filled to the doors with the students and their friends, of whom they apparently have many, particularly among the fair sex. The crush was so great that many were compelled to stand throughout the evening.

The students of the first, second and third years were seated in the only part of the house suitable to them on the occasion of a convocation—the gallery—and there were many many students during the hour and a half that they did not make themselves heard. Their voice appeared to be in good condition, judging by their opening number, an old and tried one, "Good Morning, Have You Used Pears' Soap?" and that they were not afflicted with pulmonary complaints was evidenced by the heartiness with which they blew horns and tin whistles. Approval of the remarks of the speakers was sometimes shown by the beating of the hands, and in many places a parcel of a medical school convocation, any many who make a practice of attending the gatherings year by year would be disappointed if the students did not indulge in more less of this. The dearth of the faculty, Dr. Moorhouse, undertook on one occasion to warn the students in the gallery that it might be the last public convocation, reminding them of their promise not to disturb the proceedings, made to the professors when the question of the convocation was under consideration.

The faculty did not overlook anything necessary to make the convocation equally as successful as the many held during the 21 years of the school. The platform was decorated nicely with ferns, and an orchestra furnished music for the evening. On the platform were the provost of the university, Dr. James, Principal Walker, Dr. Johnston and Archdeacon Davis, and the following members of the faculty: Drs. Moorhouse, Wishart, Williams, Waugh, Hoar, Eccles and English and Vice-Principal Dearness, of the Normal School.

During the forepart of the evening the graduating class occupied the front seats downstairs, and they were made the target for many "jabs" from their friends in the gallery. The upstart crowd created some stir at one point of the proceedings by dropping a dummy into the aisle below.

SURVIVED DISEASES OF YOUNG.
Provost James presided, and in opening the programme he made a few appropriate remarks, touching upon the history of the medical department of the university. He was sure, he said, that the school itself, the university and the city were to be congratulated upon the success of the last academic year, of which remark the students in the gallery showed their approval by a blast of horns—opening, as the year

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did, Provost James continued, with clouds and gloom, and a threatening prospect of diminished numbers, and with many forsaking the ranks of the university. Fortunately, the ranks were more than filled up, and the attendance was greater than ever before. The school was now celebrating in a quiet way a memorable occasion, for this was the year in which it attained its majority. Twenty-one years had rolled around since teaching operations were commenced. It had survived all the ailments of childhood, having lived through the measles, the mumps and the chicken pox. In the case of an educational institution, they take different forms, but the danger of such an institution was threatened by diseases of different kinds, principal of which was disparagement on the part of those connected with it, and jealousy on the part of those not taking part in the making of its success. The Medical School had survived them, and was now entering upon a period of robust manhood.

Dr. James referred to the small beginning of a number of leading educational institutions, among them being the University of Edinburgh, which was one of the first, Dalhousie, the most noted in Eastern Canada, which had a staff of one professor; McGill, which had only two professors, who for some time had the assistance of two other gentlemen. The Western University had a small beginning, and it could say that its progress had been more rapid than any of the institutions named. In 21 years there have graduated 216 or 218 students, scattered now all over this land and other lands. Wherever the graduates had gone they carried the name of the institution with them, and also the name of the city of which that institution is such a feature, and they did credit to both. "I will be glad to see the city realize how creditable it is to have an institution from which so many excellent graduates come," said Dr. James in conclusion.

THE GRADUATES' FAREWELL.
The valedictory address of the class was read by Dr. S. P. Abbott, who had the distinction of winning the silver medal. The valedictorian told of the way in which the graduates had for four long years attended the convocations and looked forward to the time when they would enjoy the honor of having the degree of M. D. conferred upon them, and he added that this was the last occasion on which some of them would join their voices in that stirring song, "Good morning, have you used Pears' Soap?" The graduates would be scattered broadcast, and before parting they made a few suggestions to the faculty, which they thought would advance the work of the school. The reading of the suggestions brought the remark, "Rub it in, from the gallery. As a representative of the class, Dr. Abbott extended the warmest wishes of the eighteen new M. D.s for the consideration they had at all times received from the faculty, and to the under-graduates he said they would ably fill the places being vacated. Then to the graduates he said, "Let us resolve that had from the time of its entrance to the school shown energy and ability in the acquiring of knowledge, both as to medicine and surgery. They were now entitled to receive the honorable title of doctor, and," he said, "be sure you

hold that title with honor, and, in the words of Dr. Samson, of Windsor, do not be known in your community as "Doc" among your friends. If the title is worth anything it is worthy of respect." It should be their aim to be conscientious practitioners, and remember that they still had to work, read and study just as closely, if not more so, than during their student days. "Aim to be thorough," said the doctor, "in your work, and let it be said of you that when a patient leaves your office, if you do not fully understand his condition, no other man can."

"As a faculty," said the doctor, "we are proud of the stand taken by the students spread over the continent from the Atlantic to the Pacific and in foreign lands. It is true that we do not have the largest number of students, but clever young men are flocking to its doors from all parts, showing that its reputation is wide. The facilities for clinical teaching are not what has been desired. The cutting off of one-half of the term at Victoria Hospital was not satisfactory to the school, but the efforts of the faculty in another quarter were successful, and during the next term commenced they would be able to give demonstration lessons in St. Joseph's Hospital."

The statement brought a vigorous roar from the students in the gallery, who were overjoyed at the prospect. "With St. Joseph's Hospital added," Dr. Johnston said, "there will be no college in the land able to give a more complete course than the Western." Dr. English also referred to the success of the Western students at the Ontario Council meeting, and said, having taken the lead on more than one occasion. They had reason, he said, to be proud of their alma mater.

A NOBLE PROFESSION.
The address of Rev. Dr. Johnston was by far the best of the evening, and throughout was listened to with the keenest attention. Not once did the speaker interrupt, even the students in the gallery setting aside their fun-making for the time being. Dr. Johnston said at the outset that there was no profession in the British Empire so high a position in the esteem of man as did the profession so strongly represented at the convocation. It was a noble profession, he said, and in asking for an explanation of that respect and love borne by humanity for the medical men, he would say that it might be found if they reviewed the progress in comfort and in all physical blessings that have come to humanity in a hundred years. All had been changed. What did it all mean? Did not man make men that had been engaged in this profession for more than the material return in it for them, that they have been engaged in it as a calling of God, and have made themselves the servants of all humanity in bringing about relief from suffering. Today it seemed to him that one of the crowning glories of the profession was found in the fact that the poorest man as well as the wealthiest can easily secure all the rich benefits resulting from the research and sacrifice of the profession.

"We should in our little sphere," said Dr. Johnston, "give that support and recognition to the profession in this city. We are not a great and wealthy city yet. We have not a Redpath or Macdonald, who can endow many chairs, but we have sufficient wealth to place the Medical School, and the Western University on a strong financial basis. I long for the day, as others do, when London will be a manufacturing center, but I look forward with equal interest to the day when the city will become a literary center."

To the graduates Dr. Johnston addressed a few words of a most appropriate nature. "As you look out and back over what has been accomplished," he said, "it might seem that most had been done of what was to be done. They thought of the marvelous progress in the last hundred years, and they might ask what was left for them to do. Yet the great ocean beyond, with its field of medical science, is greater than that which is left behind. The key-word is toil, for in toil lies the

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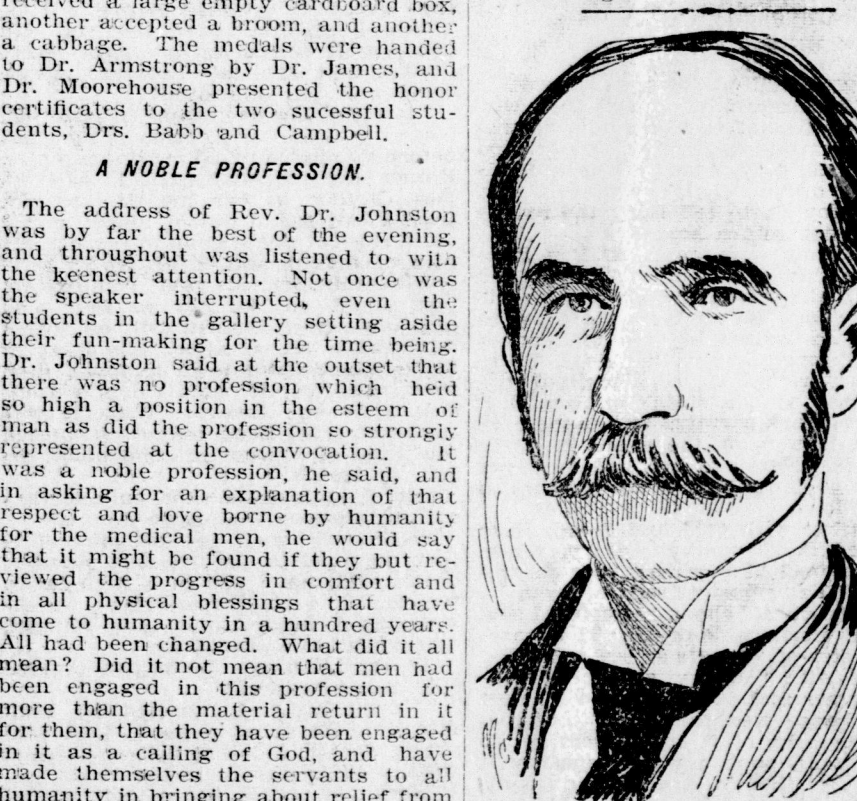
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OFFER A SPLENDID SCOPE.
Rev. Principal Walker, of the Western University, was the last speaker of the evening, and he spoke of some of the practices still pursued in health-lands for the healing of diseases. He called attention to the fact also, that we were the subjects of a very vast empire, and pointed out that the empire owed a debt of gratitude to the medical profession, noting as an instance the work of Livingstone. The opening up of countries like Africa and India, with its scarcity of medical men, offered a splendid scope for medical work, he said, a tremendous field for clinical teaching existing among the British possessions in India. There was no higher service in the world than the service of man, and the example of everybody was the perfect man.

INSPECTED THE CANAL

Sub-Committee of Canal Commission Visit Panama.

New York, May 8.—Rear Admiral J. G. Walker, U. S. A., Gen. P. C. Hains and Prof. Wm. A. Burr, the sub-committee of the Panama Canal commission, arrived here today from Colon. The commission went over the line of the canal and inspected the work. Rear Admiral Walker said his visit to the isthmus was for inspection only. They looked over the work that has been and is being done, he said, and everything appeared to be going on satisfactorily. When asked if all arrangements had been made with the Colombian Government in regard to the treaty between the United States and that country concerning the territory through which the canal will pass, Admiral Walker replied: "I did not come in contact with anyone who had anything to do with the treaty while I was away and know nothing about it." The commission sailed from this port about a month ago.



The Marquis of Lansdowne, whose statement regarding British interests in the Persian Gulf has just attracted so much attention, is the secretary of state for foreign affairs in the British cabinet, and was secretary for war from 1895 to 1900, during the thick of the great Anglo-Boer war. The marquis is one of England's greatest statesmen. He has been quite prominent in British politics since 1869, when he became lord of the treasury. He was Governor-General in Canada from 1883 to 1888.

"Soo" Canal Figures.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 8.—Traffic through the two canals here during April showed a decided falling off compared with the corresponding month last year, the figures being 1,651,839 tons, as against 2,333,224 in 1902. The decrease is due to large craft not going into commission this season until May.

The mayoress of Bournemouth, England, turned tram driver one day. In opening the four-mile system of corporation tram the wife of the first magistrate drove the first car, which is one specially designed for the use of the corporation.