

THE NEWS OF THE DAY

The Leader's Usual Telegraphic Service Condensed to Meet the Exigencies of the Hour

Bridge Trust Invades Canada.

SOO, Ont., Feb. 12.—The bridge trust will invade Canada at this point and establish a fixed standard of time for the Algoma Bridge Co. The plant will employ a hundred hands at the start.

Ottawa Defeats Quebec.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—The Ottawa defeated Quebec last night in a game that was full of interest from start to finish, and extra time had to be played to decide the game, as the score was four to four at full time. Ottawa scored the deciding goal in two minutes.

Chinook Does Much Good.

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 10.—The chinook wind of the past three days is doing a great amount of good. Railroads are being opened and fuel and ore shipments are on the increase. A partial shut down has been in force for some time due to the fuel shortage and loss in profits has resulted.

Dead Miners Taken Out.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 10.—Six of the seven men entombed last night in No. 19 colliery of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company at Waukegan, were taken out dead today. They had not been touched by the fire, but had evidently been suffocated by the dense smoke. Many distressing scenes were witnessed at the mouth of the mine during the night.

Netherlands Cabinet Resigns.

THE HAGUE, Feb. 12.—At the opening of the sitting of the second chamber of the Netherlands Parliament today, Dr. J. M. Thunissen, the acting Premier and Minister of Finance, announced that the Ministers had tendered their resignations to the Queen, owing to the rejection of the army estimates. The chamber then adjourned.

Two Killed in Wreck.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 10.—A limited passenger train on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad from Kansas City, Mo., to Birmingham, Ala., was wrecked at a point eight miles west of here, and with the exception of the rear sleeper the entire train was wrecked. Two employees were killed and six others seriously hurt. Several passengers were slightly hurt.

Bonspliff Goes Merrily On.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—Most of the contests at the Bonspliff this morning were won by the contestants. Several close double games resulted. Birtle and Carman had to go 13 ends to decide the winner. Flavell and Braden won again, and the latter is the only undefeated player of the bonspliff. The mild weather makes the ice rather soft, but it is expected that we will have a cold spell again tomorrow, so that the curlers need not worry on this part.

Howard Progressing.

HEWARD, Sask., Feb. 11.—The beautiful weather of the past week has revived the spirits of the people somewhat. Coal is still very scarce. Last week a car came and was loaded out as usual, as it lasted. Yet dozens of people had to go away empty. The mill is assuming definite proportions. In a few months the machinery should be in operation. The school trustees are preparing to issue debentures of \$12,000 for the purpose of building a new four-room school building. The Presbyterian congregation is asking for tenders for the erection of a church in this village. One of Heward's citizens was discovered in the Moose Mountain hardware store the other night on his knees, begging for mercy. He had been charged with the murder of a woman, but as yet the court has not decided the case.

Many Passengers Drown.

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., Feb. 12.—At least fourteen lives were lost and it is feared that many others either were drowned or frozen to death as a result of the Joy Line steamer Larchmont sinking in Block Island Sound today, after a collision with the three-masted schooner Harry Knowlton. Several boats came ashore from the scene of the wreck during the forenoon, and many bodies were washed ashore on the north-west side of Block Island. The Larchmont sailed from Providence for New York last night with about 150 passengers aboard and a crew of about 30. Captain George McVey, of the steamer Larchmont, had on board between 150 and 200 passengers when the collision occurred and only eight of them escaped with their lives. At the time he made the statement 18 bodies had been washed ashore, making only 26 out of the total passenger list accounted for. The passengers met their death in various ways. Some of them attempted to jump life boats and were blown to death on the decks of the steamer. Others were drowned in the attempt to escape before the vessel went down, and still others who were successful in launching a life boat were frozen to death before the small craft reached the shore.

Manitoba House Prorogues.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—Premier Roblin announced this morning that the Legislature would prorogue tomorrow.

Friendless Man Freezes.

NAPINKA, Feb. 12.—Jas. Walton, a supposed railway contractor, was supposed to death on the prairie near Medora last week. He has no relatives or relatives in this part of the country.

W. L. Archibald Dead.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—William Lewis Archibald, a cousin of the first Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, and one of the men who were imprisoned at Fort Garry, was buried here yesterday. The pall bearers were all old friends from Manitoba.

Important Bills Assented To.

EDMONTON, Feb. 12.—Three of the most important bills dealt with at the present session of the Legislature received the royal assent of Lieutenant-Gov. Bulyea yesterday. They were the Controverted Elections Act, the Supreme Court Act, and the District Courts Act. These bills go into force at once.

King Opens Parliament.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The second session of the second Parliament of the present reign, which promises to be full of interest, and importance as a consequence of the projected Liberal attack on the House of Lords and the introduction of an Instrument of Home Rule for Ireland, was opened by King Edward this afternoon with all the ceremony which attended these functions since his accession.

Turgeon's Chances Good.

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Feb. 12.—Mr. Turgeon, the Liberal candidate for Prince Albert district in the Provincial by-election, has been continuing his canvass of the electors and with gratifying success. He has met with a very cordial reception and is widely optimistic feeling among the Liberals in every part of the riding that their candidate is going to win. He will start for Regina tomorrow, and will attempt to make Tramping Lake, where the snow is reported to be very deep, and on this account, difficult to get through. Commissioner Speers, of Battleford, will start out on a like mission tomorrow from the latter town.

\$200,000 Fire at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—A fire on St. Paul street in the centre of the wholesale district early this morning caused damage to the extent of \$200,000. The firms burned out are Swift, Copeland & Co., wholesale furriers, \$125,000; J. H. Waldman & Co., wholesale cloak manufacturers, etc., \$50,000, and the Hotel Bellevue, St. Paul, and McGill streets, \$30,000.

Jealousy and Not Insanity.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The fact that today was Lincoln's birthday anniversary and a legal holiday had no effect on the Thaw trial, which went ahead as usual here this morning. District Attorney Jerome's effort to counteract the effect of Evelyn Thaw's testimony will involve, it is believed, surprising testimony. The prosecution, it is pointed out, will have to prove that Thaw was mentally sound at the time of the shooting, and that he knew the nature and quality of the act which he committed. In order to do this it is necessary to show that Evelyn Thaw intended the jealousy of her husband at every opportunity, and that she practically goaded him to committing murder.

McGregor-King.

A recent issue of The Guide-Advocate, of Watford, Ont., has the following account of an interesting scene in which a prominent resident of Regina played a leading part. The home of James King, Esq., was the scene of an event of much interest on Tuesday afternoon, when his daughter, Eliza, was united in marriage to Mr. Archibald W. McGregor, contractor of Regina, Saskatchewan. The ceremony was performed at two o'clock by Rev. S. V. Muxworthy and was witnessed by the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride, who was given away by her father, was becomingly attired in white satin, with chiffon trimming and carried a bouquet of cream roses. Her sister, Miss Mary, acted as bridesmaid and was prettily gowned in navy lustrine with blue trimming, carrying a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. Thomas W. Hanford, of Regina, supported the groom after the ceremony was concluded and the usual congratulations received, the wedding party sat down to partake of a sumptuous repast. Mr. and Mrs. McGregor left on the evening train for their future home in Regina followed by the best wishes of their numerous friends.

Big Aggregate of Capital.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—The Ontario Gazette last week announced that eighteen new mining companies with an aggregate capital of fifteen million dollars have been incorporated.

Cabinet Considered Tariff.

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—The Cabinet had the tariff under consideration Saturday. With the exception of a few items that were opposed and some that had hold over for amendment, Parliament had already adopted the new tariff. It was items that were standing over that were discussed. All of them were passed. There will be about forty changes in all. None of them, however, are of a radical character. One of the most important changes is the tariff further reducing the customs tax upon the Western farmers.

Hill in a Quandary.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—James J. Hill says it is an open question whether he will rebuild the Great Northern or build a new road. The first step in the application of Mr. Hill's plan is the acquisition of the Great Northern will doubtless be a new line to connect St. Paul with the main line of the Great Northern in the western end of North Dakota. A line from Fargo to Minot would not only relieve the congestion, but also open up a new country. It will surprise most people to know that J. J. Hill and the roads which he dominates have under construction or projected today not less than 3,000 miles of new railroad in various parts of the country between the Mississippi River and the Pacific Coast. Of this the most important item is, of course, the new transcontinental road building in Canada.

Investigate Stories of Freezing.

SASKATOON, Feb. 11.—Immigration Office Bureau, of Saskatoon, will set out tomorrow morning on an expedition of investigation under the supervision of Mr. J. J. Hill, to investigate the stories of freezing which have been reported from the interior of the province. The expedition will consist of a party of about a dozen men, and will start for the interior of the province tomorrow morning. The expedition will consist of a party of about a dozen men, and will start for the interior of the province tomorrow morning.

Revolution Pending in Persia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.—A despatch received here from Teheran says that the revolution in Persia is spreading at Teheran, Tabriz, Bazar and Resht, where local leagues known as Medjem have been formed. The latter do not acknowledge the authority of Parliament or of the Shah. In the case of Teheran the government of the province has been suspended, while Governor Marandji of Tabriz has been arrested and banished by order of the Medjem of that place, supported by the army, which have been crossing the frontier from the Caucasus. Counter leagues called Fedan are being organized and are adding to defend Parliament, which, though not in sympathy with the revolution, are movements, are chased and the latter do not acknowledge the authority of Parliament or of the Shah. In the case of Teheran the government of the province has been suspended, while Governor Marandji of Tabriz has been arrested and banished by order of the Medjem of that place, supported by the army, which have been crossing the frontier from the Caucasus.

Curtailing Power of Lords.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The reassembling of Parliament Feb. 12 arouses intense interest here, as the Government intends immediately to inaugurate measures to check the powers of the House of Lords and to make it subordinate to the will of the people as represented by the House of Commons. This is nothing less than a revolution in the present constitutional methods and foreshadows a bitter contest between the two Houses, with the Government already prepared for dissolution and an appeal to the people upon the necessity of curtailing the power representing the aristocracy in the interests of democracy. The action of the Government is expected to begin with a resolution laying down the alienable rights of the House of Commons. A similar resolution was adopted in the seventeenth century on the control of money matters.

Explosion at Woolwich.

WOOLWICH, Eng., Feb. 11.—A bomb hole in the ground is all that marks the site of the chemical research department of the Woolwich Arsenal and cordite magazine, which exploded early this morning with such terrific force that the concussion was felt in towns forty miles away in England. The explosion was the result of a violent earthquake had occurred. There was no loss of life, but buildings were destroyed and property to the value of \$1,000,000 was wrecked to greater or less degree by the explosion. Yesterday being Sunday there was no night shift working, and the absence of casualties. The cause of the disaster is not known.

Big Loan Falls Due.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 11.—On Thursday the three months' loan of \$1,200,000 from the Bank of Scotland to the city will fall due. It is understood that the Board of Control has decided to renew the loan for three months longer, as it has the option of so doing, according to the agreement.

Trammen Arrested.

OSHSING, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Four men were arrested yesterday in connection with the wreck on the New York Central Railway, which occurred last night. The arrests were made by order of two coroners, and those arrested are the conductor, engineer, fireman and helper of the freight train, which is said to have caused the accident.

Liberal Leader Banqueted.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—Edwin Brown, Leader of the Provincial Liberals, was tendered a most magnificent banquet by his supporters at the Royal Alexandra Hotel this evening. Every seat in the magnificent banquet hall was taken and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed. The speakers included many of the most prominent men in Provincial politics.

C. P. E. Improvements.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 11.—It was stated by officials last night of the C. P. E. today that the improvements to the local shops of the company would be very much larger and more important than had been anticipated. The amount to be expended will be double the highest estimate that has been previously made and instead of a quarter of a million the expenditure to be made on shops alone will exceed half a million.

Their Excellencies Grateful.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—The following statement was made by the House: "Their Excellencies would like the people of Canada to be deeply touched by the sympathy which has been shown for them by the kind expressions of sympathy which have reached them from all parts of the Dominion. The feeling shown for their Excellencies has heightened for them a sorrow the burden of which is shared by many of their many friends."

Messages of Condolence.

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—Telegrams and cables of condolence to Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Grey have been received from all parts of the United States and other countries, including messages from the King and Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Princess Louise.

Faces Serious Charge.

ST. CATHERINES, Feb. 11.—Ottawa La Chance, who was circulating a petition for an asphalt pavement on certain streets in the city says she was approached by one of the aldermen who said that there was a three hundred dollar fine levied on her for circulating a petition to vitrified brick, and that he would divide the amount. The story will be investigated.

Boers Will Have Majority.

JOHANNESBURG, Transvaal, Feb. 11.—The first elections to Parliament under the new Transvaal constitution will be held on Feb. 29, and it is expected that the Boers obtaining a working majority. Nominations for the sixty-nine constituencies were held on Feb. 9, and today held in Dutch party, were declared elected unopposed. The campaign has been a straight fight between the progressive Dutch party and the Helvetic. Sir Richard Solomon, former Lieut-Governor of the Transvaal, will likely be the first Premier.

Women Barred From Trial.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The opening of the fourth week of the Thaw trial today brought a new order of things in the court room and all women other than the half dozen newspaper writers who have followed the case since the beginning were barred by order of Justice Fitzgerald. During the two days of last week when Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was in the witness stand, many women crowded the court room, having in some manner solved the problem of getting past the barrier at the door. This morning the women stormed the portals again, but in vain.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL ANNUAL MEETING.

Small Number Turn Out to Hear Reports of Year's Work—New Directors Elected

The eighth annual meeting of the Victoria Hospital in the City Chamber last evening failed to draw a very large number of citizens, only some fifteen persons being present. In the absence of the president, Mr. J. M. Young, the chair was occupied by the vice-president, Mr. C. E. D. Wood, who also read the president's address. Apart from the reading of the reports and financial statement the evening was chiefly taken up with the discussion of the principles of a hospital, which, however, in view of the action taken by the City Council at its last meeting was of a certain kind of travelling over old ground. Votes of thanks were moved and carried to the Alexandra Club, the Ladies Aid, the president and vice-president and directors for their work in connection with the hospital. The following gentlemen were unanimously elected directors in place of those retiring: Messrs. Dr. J. M. Young, F. M. M. M. P. J. Robinson and C. E. D. Wood. The work of the year as set forth in the reports showed a large amount of good work done and received the hearty endorsement of the meeting. An analysis of the patients received during the year showed them as falling into seventy-three different points, 179 out of the total number claiming Regina as their place of residence, while the remainder of the distant points as Kensington, P.E.I., Sidney, C.B., Buffalo, N.Y., and Halifax, N.S., as their place of residence. The number of patients treated brings out the surprising fact that apart from the 112 typhoid patients, due to the epidemic of typhoid, appendix heads the list with 21 patients, abscesses of various descriptions come next with 19, followed by...

President's Report.

Ladies and Gentlemen: While your Directors' report and financial statement refer to the condition of affairs fully, they desire that I should express their appreciation of the loyal support given to the directors by our City Council, the Ladies Aid and the Alexandra Club. We cannot but be grateful to the city if it would have been impossible to maintain the Emergency Hospital during the typhoid fever epidemic last fall, and when you take into consideration the fact that two thirds of the patients treated came from outside the borders of the city, we say it speaks well for the generosity of our citizens—it proves to the stranger coming to our fair Province that while Regina enjoys the distinction of being the busiest centre she is generous and willing to lend a helping hand to those coming among us.

Report of the Directors.

The Directors herewith submit the Eighth Annual Report of Regina Victoria Hospital: The number of patients treated was 347, an increase of 51 over last year. The number of hospital days was 8,346, an increase of 1,410, the average length of treatment per patient 24 days. The cost of maintenance per patient per day was \$1.28, as compared with \$1.25 for 1905, \$1.08 for 1904, and \$1.40 for 1903. The total indebtedness at the end of the year was \$4,277, as against \$6,129.80 at the end of 1905. The number of non-paying patients was 40 per cent of the total number treated. The Provincial Government grants were \$5,957.75. This is the largest grant received as yet, accounted for by the fact that the Provincial Government grants now 50 cents per patient per day, instead of 25 cents as formerly. The municipality granted us \$2,000. The donations deserving of special mention are: Messrs. J. F. and G. G. G. \$100; Robert Zetting, \$100; Lieut-Gov. Forster, from sale of flowers, \$46.90; The Leader-Times Co., \$52.65; Regina Lodge I. O. F., \$31.80, besides a number of smaller donations from school districts, churches and fraternal societies in the vicinity of Regina. During the year the Board has rented a house at the hospital for use as a nurses' home, and the staff is in much more comfortable quarters than formerly. Mr. and Mrs. Superintendent of Victoria Order of Nurses, visited us in August and expressed herself as pleased with the accommodation provided for the staff.

Financial Statement.

Receipts for 1906: Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1905, \$24.25; Patients' fees, 6,336.01; Donations, 1,744.50; Saskatchewan Government Grants, 5,052.75; Municipal Grant, 2,000.00; Trust account utilized, 461.53; Sale of Produce, 2.00; Refund on tent fixtures (per Dr. Lazler), 6.90; Proceeds of notes, 5,832.40. Total Receipts, \$20,862.34. Disbursements: Salaries, \$3,685.20; Accounts, 9,148.36; Interest, 230.38; Bills payable, 6,000.30; Light (City of Regina), 408.38; Cash on hand, 1,392.72. Total Disbursements, \$20,862.34. Indebtedness: Owing on notes, \$6,185.05; Owing on accounts, 284.67. Total Indebtedness, \$6,469.72. Assets: Real estate, \$30,000.00; Building, 3,000.00; Furnishings, 2,000.00; Collectable notes and accounts, 2,000.00; Municipal grant to Isolation, 800.00; Total Assets, \$47,168.36. Liabilities: Canadian Bank of Commerce, \$6,185.05; Smith & Ferguson, 284.67; Freight, 408.38. Total Liabilities, \$6,469.72.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 11.—A girl baby weighing only one pound and eight ounces has been born to Mrs. Charles McCoy, of Cassville. The infant was well formed and will live. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 11.—Three men were shot during a brawl on board the United States armored cruiser Tennessee at League Island. One of the men may die. SPARKFISH, S. A. Feb. 11.—Miss Jessie McFarlane, aged 17, daughter of lover and affianced husband, Edwin Jenkins, at the marriage altar to elope with his father, Charles Jenkins. She is 28 and good-looking. LONDON, Feb. 12.—James Bryce, the new British ambassador to the United States, was hailed at a farewell dinner given him by the Pilgrim Club as the joint agent of Great Britain and America in the promotion of the peace of the world. BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Emperor William was accidentally hit in the face by a snowball while driving through the Brandenburger Tor gate on Sunday. It was aimed at a passing automobile. The emperor, the Kaiser Zetting says, shook his finger at a group of boys from which the snowball came, who thereupon scampered away. OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—There will be no war. I would wager my whole fortune—if I had one—that there will be none between the United States and Japan," said Tazze Gore Nones, Japan's Consul General to Canada, after reading press dispatches suggesting the possibility of such contingency over the San Francisco school question. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12.—The returns so far received show the election of 1,408 peasant and urban land owners as electors out of a total of 6,072 for the provinces of European Russia. Of these 271 are Monarchists, 151 Octoberists, 201 Moderate Progressives, 229 Constitutional Democrats, 249 Radicals, including 22 Socialists and 13 Social Revolutionists, and 209 unclassified electors. CALCUTTA, Feb. 11.—Sven Hedin, a Swedish traveller, who last year started on his expedition to Tibet, has sent word that he has explored 840 miles of unknown country. He hopes to reach the monastic city of Shigatse, 130 miles from Lhasa, at the end of February. The explorer has lost his whole caravan of animals, but not a single man. All the maps and sections were saved. Hedon travelled eighty-four days without seeing a single Tibetan. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 11.—This to mine in the Ferguson district of Nevada, said to be worth many millions, has been won by Joseph de Seawell. RICHMOND, Ind., Feb. 11.—The two-year-old son of Smith Hagan fell into an open fireplace and was burned to death. The child was half-conscious. MADISON, Wis., Feb. 11.—The introduction in the assembly of a joint resolution memorializing congress to shut out immigrants who caused a flutter, as it is construed as a slap at the Japanese. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—A cablegram received at the War Department from Chief Engineer Stevens says: "We took out 166,710 casks from Cuba and in January about twice the past monthly record made by the French since the inception of De Lesseps." CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Elmer Sage, one of the nephews of the late Russell Sage, has just come into the possession of \$50,000 left him by his multi-millionaire uncle. He has spent his life as a poor tenant farmer, giving half his crop to a grasping landlord and trying to make ends meet on the other half. ADRIAN, Mich., Feb. 11.—An Italian passenger on the Wabash train, crashed last night, was killed in a belt around his waist, jumped from the train while it was running at full speed an hour after leaving Chicago. The train was stopped and the Italian found beside the track badly bruised. HAMILTON, Ohio, Feb. 11.—The oldest person in Ohio, and probably in the United States, died here, when "Aunt Jane" Lewis, 103 years of age, succumbed to old age. She was 119 years of age. She was blind for the last ten years, but her mind was not impaired. Aunt Jane was born a slave in Petersburg, Va., and was married four times. MARION, Ohio, Feb. 11.—The first quarrel of young married folk cannot be considered grounds for a divorce, says Judge Duncan, of Findlay, occupying the Common Pleas bench here. He expressed his belief in refusing to grant W. C. Keny, contractor, a divorce. Married only a month, Keny and his wife quarreled and separated. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—It is extremely doubtful if the Senate will pass any session any resolutions memorializing the support of the Senate in advance to any steps President Roosevelt may take to interfere for the benefit of the unfortunate inhabitants of the Congo Free State. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Feb. 11.—By partial payment in pennies, nickels and dimes and partially on credit John Dewey, a married man, both colored, of this city, secured a marriage license and was married on credit by a colored minister. They were 50 cents shy on the amount needed to pay for the license and negotiated a loan from County Treasurer Isaac G. Phipps. LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—It is doubtful if any one member of the legislature has done more along the line of anti-race suicide than has Representative C. L. France, of Syracuse, who has fifteen children. In recognition of this the legislature already has a tax on marriages and thanks to Mr. and Mrs. France, and these resolutions have been sent to Gov. Sheldon and President Roosevelt. BUCHAREST, Feb. 11.—A disgraceful scene occurred in the Lyric theatre during a performance at which Mamie Clark and claims to live in Dayton, Ohio, is being held by the police pending an investigation. She stopped an officer and inquired if he could help her find the kind of husband she wanted. She said she wanted a hero, and preferred either a policeman, a fireman or a conductor, as their duties led them into constant danger. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Corsets for corpulent men, waistcoat buttons costing from \$5 to \$50 apiece for those who wish to put up a swell front, the long soft roll effect in lapels and straight box coats, whether or not they are friendly to your physical conformation, are a few of the rules which were laid down for the well-dressed man of 1907 by the Merchant Tailors' National Protective Association of America at its meeting in the Arlington Hotel. INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 11.—Three high school girls—Hazel Reiser, Bertha Hoffmann and Lillian Kern—were injured so badly while being initiated into the Alpha Gamma sorority that two of them will be marked for life. Physicants were called to attend them and the facts became known. At the initiation, which took place a few nights ago, the girls were compelled to wear bracelets which had been dipped in acid. The acid burned into the flesh and they suffered so severely that, after keeping their injuries secret for some time, they were compelled to call in doctors. Miss Reiser and Miss Kern were injured most severely.