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# DINEEN

140 YONGE ST.

### CURIOS MIX-UP

In Which an Auto, a Hack and a Street Car Figured.

Two vehicles were dabled in a peculiar smash up at King and Simcoe-streets last night. A cab from Townsend's livery, conveying a party to the Royal Alexandra, was struck by a Belt-Line car, and the pole of the cab smashed.

An auto was coming down Simcoe-street at the same time. In order to escape crashing into the cab, the chauffeur ran his machine into the sidewalk. When the wheel struck the curb it broke.

The hack was able to complete its trip, after borrowing a pole from Verma's. Traffic was impeded for some time.

### THROWS HIMSELF UNDER TRAIN.

SMITH'S FALLS. April 5.—Wm. Alex. Nicol, a Scotchman, aged 24, deliberately threw himself in front of a fast train at Glen Roy, and was instantly killed.

He had recently been discharged from the Angus car shops.

### THEIR EXCELLENcies AT LONDON.

LONDON, April 5.—Earl and Lady Grey with Lady Sybil Grey and Lady Alben Roberts were London's guests to-day, and his excellency officiated at the opening ceremonies of the new tubercular sanitarium erected by the London Health Association, and at the opening of the "Made in London" exhibition, gotten up by the women of London in aid of the sanitarium.

### College Directors Dismissed.

MONTREAL, April 5.—The authorities of Mariville College, who a year ago, had removed to St. John, P. Q., against the wish of Mr. Bernard, bishop of St. Hyacinthe, in which diocese was situated the Mariville College, have lost their appeal to the Holy See. Canon J. A. Lemieux, director of the college, is dismissed. It is doubtful if the college will ever resume.

### Aviator Nearly Drowned.

ALAMEDA, Cal., April 5.—Plunging from a height of 80 feet into the waters of San Francisco Bay, Frank Johnson, an aviator, riding his Curtiss bi-plane, was nearly drowned a mile off shore. His mother and wife, who witnessed the accident, fainted.

## York County and Suburbs

### TOWN WILL CONSIDER \$32,000 WATER RAJINE

Stibbard Property Meets With Approval of Council—County Matters in Brief.

NORTH TORONTO, April 5.—(Special.)—A night's meeting of the town council wrestled long and earnestly with the question of improving the water supply of the town, with the result that a definite policy may be said to have been decided.

The matter was brought to a crisis by the formal offer of some eleven and one-half acres of ravine land belonging to John Stibbard, lying to the east of the town and which the town fathers are relying upon for their increased water supply.

It is known that North Toronto's vital question at the present time is increased water supply, and until this is assured from some source no effort will be made to deal with the question of sewage.

At to-night's meeting all the members, with the exception of Councillor D. D. Reed, were favorable to the acquisition of the Stibbard ravine.

"It will tide us over the next three or four years anyway," said Chairman Munro, and anyway the ravine lands will be valuable.

"I want something definite in the shape of a report from the engineer, before I consent to it," said D. D. Reed.

"I am satisfied there is water enough there to help us out," said Councillor Pears. But the \$32,000 looked big to the council, and Mr. Stibbard will be offered another sum, but not the amount stated. Following this if no arrangement can be arrived at, expropriation proceedings will be in order.

William Mulock, Jr., representing the McCreck property, stated the plan for the opening up of the McCreck property. The matter will be submitted to the engineer.

A proposal submitted by Engineer James for the building of an office, for which he is willing to pay \$3 a month, the office to be located immediately to the north of the town hall, was favorably received. The cost will be between \$20 and \$30, and the project will likely go thru.

The Rosedale Church, on applying for an extension of the water services, were informed that the town will guarantee them only enough water to use.

A petition was presented for a 4 foot sidewalk on the north side of Glencairn-terrace, between water mains on the Lawrence estate.

A big bunch of routine business was put thru, and council adjourned shortly before midnight.

William Little of Albert-street and the crewlike editor of "The North Toronto Times," the first issue of which will, it is said, appear to-night.

Chief Collins and his party today scoured the country to the north and west of the town in aid of Miss Connor. There is no definite trace of the missing lady since Saturday night, when she entered a house on the 3rd concession or West York, and was given a meal. Tomorrow the chief will take place from 25 Oester-avenue on Wednesday to Prospect Cemetery at 10 a.m.

A very pretty wedding took place during the week, when Miss Ethel Genevieve Harris was united in marriage to Mr. Charles W. Cooper of Stuyvesant, N. Y. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. P. Brock in the presence of the immediate friends and relatives. The rare and beautiful presents and showers show how highly the bride and groom are being valued. A choice dower, including a house, was the happy pair left for their future home.

### Ewart Training Home.

Graduating exercises and designatory services of those who studied in the Ewart Training Home were held in the Central Presbyterian Church last night. Those who took part in the services were: Dr. John Somerville, Rev. G. R. Fasken, moderator of the presbytery; Prof. J. Ballantyne, Dr. J. Stenhouse, and Principal King of the Indore College, India.

### Arthur Ray Dead.

BRANTFORD, April 5.—(Special.)—Arthur Ray, bank clerk, aged 26, connected with the Bank of British North America, and formerly an officer of the Dufferin Rifles, died to-day from typhoid fever. His parents reside in England.

### Andes Tunnel Opened.

SANTIAGO, Chile, April 5.—The trans-Andean railway tunnel was formally opened to-day. The tunnel is 1200 feet above sea level, is five miles long, and affords direct communication between Valparaiso and Baños Ayres.

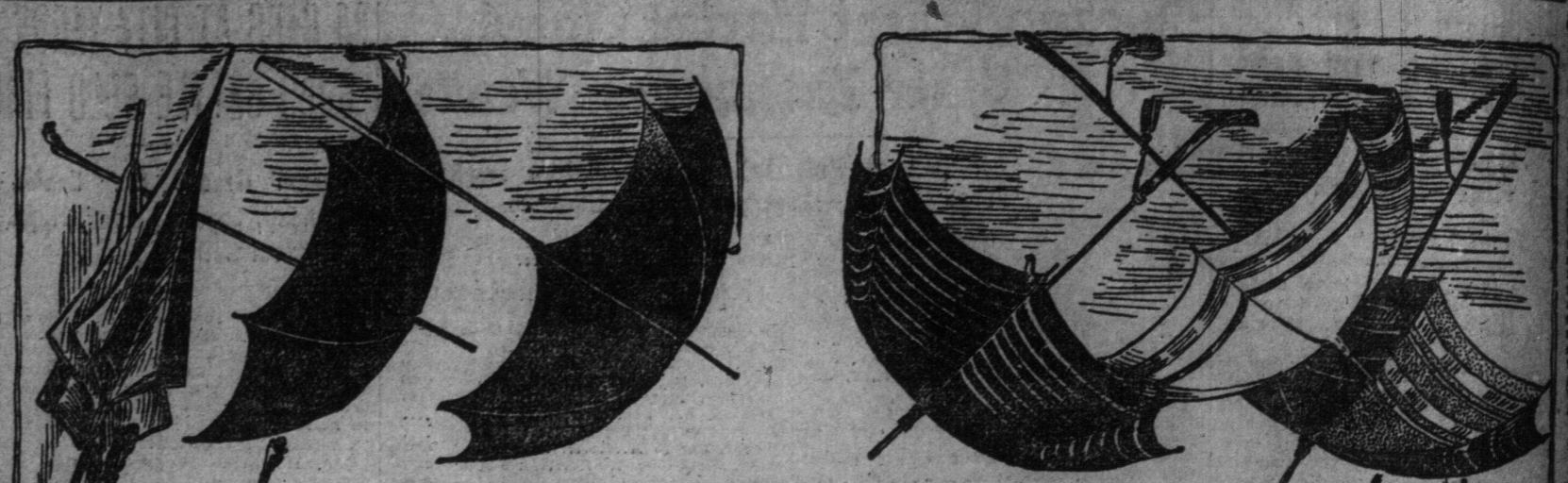
### New Saskatchewan Judge.

OTTAWA, April 5.—J. T. Brown of Moosomin, Sask., has been appointed a judge of the court of appeal in that province, replacing Judge Prendergast, who has been removed to Winnipeg.

### Robert Wright Dead.

MONTREAL, April 5.—(Special.)—Robert Wright, who retired from the treasurership of the Grand Trunk Railway in 1898, after thirty years of service, died here to-day. He was born in 1842.

# THE SIMPSON COMPANY LIMITED



## The Sale of April Shower Sheddors

WE ADVISE everyone to own his or her own Umbrella. An Umbrella is not any expensive luxury the way we sell them this week. Possessing one, you rank as an Independent. Nobody could fairly suspect you as a "borrower."

Seriously speaking, however, on a serious subject, April must be an Umbrella month this year—March was so rainless. Manufacturers of Umbrellas have to do double selling this month. There you have a reason for this sale.

- \$5.00 Umbrellas for \$2.48  
110 Ladies' High Class Umbrellas, best silk covers, all cased, the very best close rolling frames; every handle is a beauty, being 10 karat gold or sterling silver mounted, on pearl, ivory, fancy and natural horns and gunmetal. Regular price \$2.75 to \$5.00 each. Thursday \$2.48.
- \$3.00 Umbrellas for \$1.68  
90 only Men's Close Rolling Silk and Wool Covered Umbrellas, cased, beautiful handles of natural woods, with gold and silver trimmings. Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00 each. Thursday \$1.68.

## Now's the Time to Paper Walls

DON'T put off selecting the new wall papers for your house from day to day. Life is short and spring is fleeting. Decide to come right down to the store to-morrow and choose while the new assortment stands at its best. No doubt you will be glad to get your wall papering over—everybody is—but that is a poor reason for hesitating about commencing. Act now—it will be a pleasure then instead of a deferred disturbance you "view with alarm."

We have a tit-bit for the early birds Thursday—a clearing lot of imported papers at less than half price.

- 1,600 rolls Parlors and Dining Rooms, good colors, imported. Regular to 65c. Thursday 31c.
- 2,400 rolls Dining Room and Sitting Room Papers. Regular to 35c. Thursday 17c.
- 3,000 rolls for Living or Sleeping Rooms. Regular to 25c. Thursday 11c.

## The Sale of Socks Goes Merrily

NO man who lives in the present day ever seems to be able to acquire sufficient socks. Just as sure as he relaxes his vigilance for a day or two, something goes wrong. He goes to the drawer in the bureau confident and unsuspecting, and what does he find? His socks are not darned yet! Or, they are not home from the laundry! Or, they were all worn out and he'll have to buy himself some more! So often it happens like that.

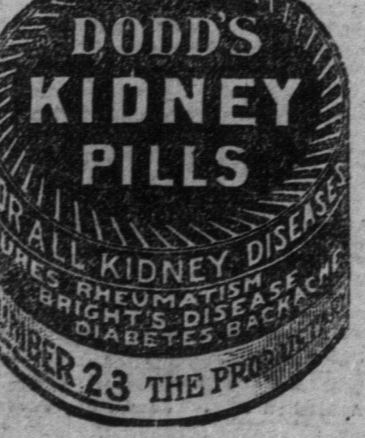
Well now, here's a February Hosiery Sale for men postponed until April. Spring and summer socks in plenty at sale prices.

- 10c—Men's fine quality Plain Lisle and Fancy Lisle Thread Half Hose, spots and stripes and plain colors, spliced heel and toe. 2c value. Sock sale 10c.
- 35c—Men's Finest Weight Fancy Lisle Thread Half Hose, close, even thread; this season's newest design; all colors; spliced heel and toe. 50c value. Sock sale 35c.
- 25c—Men's Plain and Lisle Cotton Half Hose, medium and gauge weights, embroidered fronts, clocks, stripes, checks and fine; spliced heel and toe. 35c value. Sock sale 25c.
- 12 1/2c—Men's Fancy "German" Made Cotton Half Hose, fine thread, drop stitch, circular black leg, with white mace sole, best dye, double heel and toe. 17c value. Sock sale 12 1/2c.
- 40c—Men's Lisle Half Hose, two color effect, grey, tan, green and black, with red, white and blue silk embroidery, shot silk, double heel and toe. 65c value. Sock sale 40c.
- 25c—Men's Plain and Ribbed Black English Half Hose, seamless, fine and close, sample purchase, linen and without, spliced heel and toe; extra good value. Sock sale 25c.
- A Women's, Boys and Girls' 2-4 Ribbed Black English, Cashmere Stockings, seamless, soft elastic yarn, double heel, sole and toe; all have double heel and toe; 6 to 10. Extra special price 19c.
- Women's Plain Black Cotton Hose, fashioned, close, fine thread, imported stock, best stainless dye, double heel, sole and toe. Extra special price 19c.
- Women's Plain Black Cashmere Hose, medium weight, good quality of yarn, neat silk embroidered design on front, spliced heel and toe. Extra special price 25c.
- Men's Stiff Hats in Christy, King and Batterby's, correct spring and summer, 1910, shapes; our display in these lines includes all the newest colors, and in black. Thursday \$2.00.
- Men's Pedoras, Telescope and Negligee styles; colors slate grey, olive, moose, fawn, green, sage, prune, electric, brown and black; fine fur felt. Thursday \$2.00.

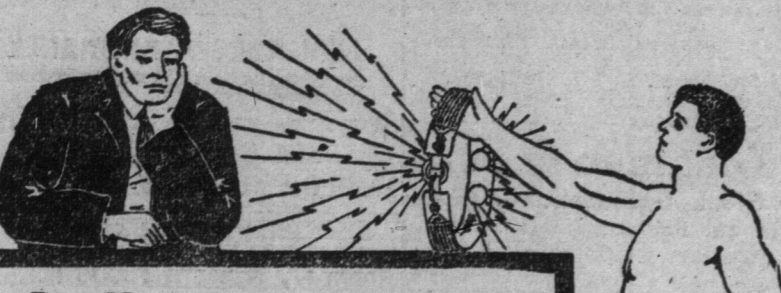
## DRAMATIC AMATEURS STRIVE FOR THE PALM

Peterboro Operatic Company and Dickens Fellowship Players the Contestants.

A large and appreciative audience greeted the presentation of "The Geisha" by the Peterboro Operatic Company at the Royal Alexandra last night. The story of "The Geisha" is, of course, well-known to Toronto theatregoers, but it is a musical "hit-bid" which loses nothing in the re-presentation. Last night all the familiar catchy refrains were appreciated to the full by the audience, who were exceedingly generous in their applause. The costumes were good and the scenery appropriate to the theme of the production. Particularly well drilled—staged—was the chorus, which was seen at its best in the opening scene. But undoubtedly the most popular number was that old favorite, "Jack's 'le boy for work," which went with a swing and rhythm which many a professional company might have envied. The story, as told last night, presented the chief feature of the well-known Japanese musical play, and while not staged entire, or divided in the full quota of acts, the interest of the audience was not allowed to flag. It might be said that several of the artists showed exceptional ability, tho, as the contest is still in progress, it would be unfair to particularize. Following this production, Charles Dickens' story of "The Cricket on the Hearth," dramatized by Albert Smith, was presented by the Dickens Fellowship Company of Players, Toronto. Pathetic and humorous in turns—this gem of the famous novelist gives plenty of scope for histrionic ability, and the efforts of the Players met with unstinted applause. Those taking part in the solo competitions were: A. Singer, piano; Miss Copeland, violin; and Miss Buchanan and J. Charles, vocal. Their Excellencies the Earl and Countess Grey arrived at 8.45. A large and distinguished company were present.



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DR. M. O. McLAUGHLIN, 112 Yonge Street, Toronto, Can. Dear Sir,—Please forward me one of your Belts, as a liver test. Sincerely yours, M. O. McLaughlin.



## TAXICABS MAIN 6921.

Westward, Ho! A special C.P.R. train of ten coaches, carrying about 250 home-seekers, left for the west yesterday at 2 p.m. Another special train, carrying about the same number, left at 10.20 p.m. Turbine Battleships for France. PARIS, April 5.—The senate to-day voted \$32,000,000 for the immediate construction of two 23,500-ton battleships. One is to be fitted with turbines.