47th YEAR, NO. 20255

KEYMAN" ENTERS HOUSES MANY HOMES WERE RIFLED The Increase for Fiscal Year in

Local Police Are on Hunt F. B. HIGGINBOTTOM for a Slick Thief.

ENGLISH STREET HOME ROBBED

Other Residences Entered in the Most Daring Fashion.

Local detectives are on the trail

London for some time, and is one of the most dangerous and slippery of the many types of bur-

Up to the present time, the detectives have learned of three places where he entered, and in two of these where he entered, and in two of these he made good hauls, and was probably only prevented in the third in-stance by the timely arrival of the of the house.

Entered English Street House.

The first house entered was that of Mrs. Austin, of 443 English street. Testerday afternoon Mrs. Austin and ner daughter went out for a short e, and a few minutes after they had left the house a neighbor saw a man walk up to the front door and WINS IN HEAT POT take a key from his pocket, and calmwalk in.

The affair was so cool and deliberate that the party at the time never thought of such a daring broad dayight robbery.

The man went into the house, and ransacked the place thoroughly, and before he left succeeded in accumulating a lady's gold watch, carved with This in a sentence, sums up the stars, 2 gold pieces, one a five-dollar spectacular career on the Chicago Kruger South African coin, and the Board of Trade of Arthur Cutten, the other a rare American five-dollar piece latest Napoleon of the wheat pit, who with the wings upturned, a small diamond ring, a wedding ring, a lady's in May wheat. He is a native of Lonmond ring, a wedding ring, a lady's gold watch enamelled in red, and a locket and chain, set with white locket and chain, white locket and

A Professional.

man is apparently a profesfrom his saim amounced to Stam
ford White, his endoyer here, that h sional, and of the most skillful kind, was going to as his work in going the gh the for him., and I is house was of a clever variety. H million. went through everything where there was a chance of finding valuables, dozen years as it

After leaving Mrs. Austin's house he ent on up the street to the home of frs. Ward, at 485 Fredtch example. Mrs. Ward, at 485 English street. He entered the place by the front door, and after a thorough search of the ouse left, taking with him a lady's gold watch.

He then went to the house of Mrs

frwin, next door, at number 483.

Found Man in House.

Mrs. Irwin happened to be upstairs, and she heard the key, which was on the inside of the front door, fall to the floor. She at once went down. and was surprised to find a man in the house. She asked him what he Jewell Are Preparing a Echeme and he apologized for oming in, but said he was looking for Mrs. Bell, and thought it was her house. He left at once. The robberies vere not discovered until some time

HUGE JUMP IN CUSTOMS

London Is Shown To Be \$78,586.03

GOES TO TORONTO MARCH A RECORD MONTH

Biggest Since July of 1907—The Figures for the Past Twelve

	The	Figures			
		1910.		1909.	
April		.\$76,033	30	\$62,822	
		81.807	75	66,860	
		82,951	90	71,220	
aly		85.054	67	74,688	
lugust		91,210	63	80,946	
September .			40	80,978	
October		76,510	14	74,469	
Sovember		78,210	60	78,036	
December		72.086	18	79,569	
enuary			20	82.384	
ebruary			36	80,754	
March			98	95,900	
Total	. \$	1.007.216	61	\$928,630	

MAKES MILLION

Chicago Dispatch Tells of the

Success of Arthur

Cutten.

Millionaire Is Said to Have Bee

Ago in the Windy City.

Chicago, March 31 .- Five years ag

EXPLAINS POSSION

Old Boys Must Run Affairs

on Strict Business

Lines.

Jewell Are Preparing a Scheme for the Handling of All the

Accounts.

Worth Only \$3,000 Five Years

Dr. Harry G. Abbott will accept the presidency of the home guard of the Old Boys Association, provided the celebration is conducted along busi-

500 ACRES OF LAND NECESSARY MAYOR DISCUSSES CHARGES

Major Beattie, M. P., Stated Last Night to the Board of Trade That the Government Will Not Buy Land This Year in Either London or Goderich.

The militia department will not purchase a permanent camp site this goar either at London or Goderich.

Notification Expected. This announcement was made by

It is understood that the city wil

Major Beattle, M. P., to members of be notified shortly as to what the dethe board of trade at their meeting partment really requires in the way las' night.

City Ticket Agent For the Canadian Northern. Mr. Fred B. Higginbottom, assistant ticket agent at the G. T. R. up-town office, is leaving for Toronto tomorrow to become city passenger and ticket agent at the main office of the Canadian Northern Railway. This is the first time the figures have exceeded the million-dollar mark, and they show that business has been daily increasing, as, with the exception of December, every month of the year previous. The returns for the official stream, when they show that business has been congratulating him upon obtaining it. He is well qualified for his work, as for ten years he has been connected with the Grand Trunk in London, having been at both the depot of proposition is an important one, and Mr. Higginbottoms lost of friends here are congratulating him upon obtaining it. He is well qualified for his work, as for ten years he has been connected with the Grand Trunk in London, having been at both the depot of given and ticket agent at the main office of the camp this year. That matter will come up for settlement very soon, but the question of permanent grounds will not be dispersionally as to what the department really requires in the way of camp grounds, and the claims of this city will be considered. We are not going to allow the manoeuvers forming have the figures have exceeded the million-dollar mark, and they show that business has been connected with the Grand Trunk in London, having been at both the depot office and the strength of the proposal control of the camp of the annual drill. The Government has not yet decidence and the manoeuvers forming the least 500 acres of the annual drill. The Government has not yet decidence and the manoeuvers forming to the intention of the annual drill. The Government has not yet decidence and the proposal control OF IMMORALITY IN SCHOOLS CONGREGATION ASK RECTOR TO RESIGN

Explains the Remarks Made Before the Ministerial Association Statement Issued to the Press - Says There Have Been Shocking Discoveries Made in London.

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Mr. Bell and City Auditor Jevell business like. The conditions, and the children will follow parely and that notting should be paid out without a common, and work with unusual form the case of Mrs. Ward he had no trouble getting in, as the front door key hung on a nail just by the door.

"At Mrs. Irwin's he apparently used a pair of nippers to turn the key apair of nippers to turn the key around and force it clear so that it would fall out. I cannot warn people too strongly about having proper locks on their doors. The ordinary old locks are absolutely useless.

A Safe Lock.

Important Changes.

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MADE BY MRS. MAY THORNL



RECTOR TO RESIGN

After a Meeting Held Last Night.

REV. MR. HILL BLAMED

publication yet. He declined to intimate what course he would take in regard to the request for his resignation.

The Members.

Those who attended the gathering last evening were: Col. C. E. Fisher, C. B. Edwards, James B. McKillop, Henry Macklin, Oliver Ellwood, C. H. Beard, George H. Davis, Frank Barnard, M. Lynch, Joseph T. McDoug-li, Thomas H. Kingsmill, James C. Butler, Harry S. Blackburn, H. B. Archer, G. Teobald, David C. Wilson, Thomas H. Baker, William Bous, George Bowman, Samuel Harding, Claude Brown, Claude A. Blewett, J. E. Johnson. Ed Chalcraft, Ross C. Clark, Frank Sharman, W. A. Young, A. E. Feric, Harold Ellis, William Ells, S. Loughrey, Robert Mercer, R. (Continued on Page Six.)

PRESSURE 107 POUNDS

AT HORTON ST. STATION

Wells Showed On Friday What

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They Can Do On Short

Charges brought against our schools.
do not think such criticism is deserved
in any particular, and it should be refuted. Such advertising is not at all
conductive to the benefit of the city. Orders.

The success of the Horton street wells day during the first and Mattress Company when, on a few minutes' notice, the pressure at the station on Horn street was run up to 107 pounds.

The guage also showed a high pressure during the fire at Reck's Rox Factory, but the mark reached yesterday was the highest in the history of the city, and is considered sufficient to bring the underwriters to point where they will tab business.

When the engineers at the city light and water station were notified of the and water station were notified of the course of the poard, and a suitable resolution will be passed at the meeting on Tuesday afternoon. I have not worked out day afternoon. I have not worked out day afternoon.

Says They Should Be Proved Or an Apology Tendered.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

VARIOUS DENIALS

School Authorities Say the Allegations Are Unfounded.

"It is up to Mrs. Thornley to either prove her charges or apologize."—Mayor Beattle.
"At the next meeting of the board of education on Tuesday a resolution will be passed refuting all the charges made, declaring them to be calumnies and reprobating the calumniator."—G. N. Weekee, chairman of the board of education.

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"Such statements as made by Mrs. Thornley are simply outrage-ous. They have no foundation in fact."—Inspector Edwards.

"It is absolutely untrue of the Separate schools, and I do not believe it of the public schools."—Monsigner Aylward, rector of St. Peter's Cathedral.

"I have never heard of any such things existing as stated by Mrs. Thornley. I have been very careful and so have the teachers, and I do not think any charges against the morality of the Collegists Institute could exist."—Principal McCutcheon.

the same of the Dismissal of Rev.

Prof. Jeakins Some Time
Ago.

At a meeting of the members of the congregation of the Church of St.
John the Evangelist, held in the lodge rooms above McKenzle's grocery store, at the corner of Piccadilly and Colborne streets, last night, a resolution was sent to Mr. Hill to resign.

The resolution was sent to Mr. Hill this morning by mail, and a copy was also sent to Bishop Williams.

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Mgr. Aylward's Opinion.
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The WEATHLR.

Tomorrow—Fine and Cold.
Toronto, April J. Sam.
Moderate to fresh northwest to north finds; fine and cold today and on Sunary.

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"I have been connected with the board of fucuation for many years, and this is the first time I ever heard anything of this nature," said Mr. W. W. Gammage, a former chargeman of the board. "I have made a thorough inquiry—I have sought for evidence wherever I could possibly obtain it, and I must say that after as close an observation as I could make, there is not a word of truth in the stories circulated."

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"I will venture to say that not & single charge can be proved," said Truant Officer Weir. "I have been around the schools a lot. I deal with the truants and the worst of the scholars, and I must say that such statements as were made about the schools are untrue in every particular. lischools are untrue in every particular. Lit is simply outrageous to hear—such

things."
"What is the use of spending things."
"What is the use of spending to of money to circulate 2,000 booklets advertising the city of London," said an adderman. "Why not engage Mrs. Thornley? She has given us some advertising that we would rather be without. I never heard of such things. I have had children going to the schools for years, and they are certainly no discredit. Some