See Page 10 for Simpson's Complete List of Offerings for Tuesday

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

HOW SHOULD A MAN PROPOSE?

There is no set form in which a man should propose marriage, and it is a good thing that there is not one, or else many a good chap who is now enjoying a happy home would still be making himself miserable in some obscure boarding house. When Paul Nicholson of "The Girl Question" company sought advice how to propose he did not anticipate that there would be such a wide divergence of opinions, but the contest just closed in The World has brought to light a number of excellent suggestions.

The form which in the opinion of the editor was the most acceptable, and for which a box of five seats for the Grand this evening was awarded, is the following:

Dear Sir,—The way to propose:
Mary, I love you! Will you be my wife? Roy Gregory.
1916 East Queen-street, City.

This was also considered worthy of a box to-night:

Regarding marriage proposals, my idea is for a man to approach the girl of his heart in a calm, sensible manner, without giving her the idea that she is superior to himself. Thus:

Dearest,—I can keep silence no longer. You must know how I love you and want you for mine own. Believe me, I shall be faithful! Speak now, dear heart. Will you accept my love and the devotion of a life?
Miss Mildred McCutcheon.
199 Roncesvalles-avenue, Toronto.

This was also awarded four seats:

The suitor should wait for an advantageous opportunity when alone with the girl, draw near to her, clasp her hand in his, and with sincerity and tenderness in his voice, proceed to plead his suit, telling in endearing words the fulness love that has been awakened in his heart for her, and how happy it will make him if his love is reciprocated. If her answer is "Yes," ask her father, and set the day.
E. Richards.
23 Cumberland-street, City.

This was awarded two seats:

Go straight to the girl of his choice and, after a little conversation, take her by the hand and look lovingly into her eyes and say: "You are the girl of my heart! Make my life one long ray of sunshine by becoming my sweet wife.
Miss Landsdown.
330 West Richmond-street, City.

If the above will call on the Contest Editor at The World to-day, they will receive the above awards.

Toronto World's Beauty Patterns

A Natty Little Suit.

bockers. Cut in sizes 3, 4, 5, 6 years. The 4-year size will require three yards of 36-inch material. Blue linen was used in the development of this jaunty little suit, but galatea, pique and serge may all be used in the making. Little knickerbockers are included in the pattern. They are shaped by the usual inside and outside seams, the fulness at the knee held in place by an elastic. A belt of leather or of the same material may be worn around the waist.

A pattern of this illustration will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver.

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In Society.

Mrs. S. H. Westman, 341 Bloor-street west, will receive each Friday during February.

Miss F. M. Martin, 432 Jarvis-street, will receive next Saturday, Feb. 6th.

Mrs. McGlashan, 545 Broadview-avenue, will receive to-morrow. Her sister, Mrs. Robinson, will receive with her.

Mrs. James Clark Adams (formerly Miss Wenonah Luke) will receive for the first time since her marriage with her mother, Mrs. W. P. Luke, 72 Major-street, on Wednesday afternoon and evening, and afterwards on the first Wednesday of each month.

Mrs. A. E. Hagerman, Elliott House Annex, will receive to-day and every first Monday during the season.

Mrs. M. C. Lang, 38 Prospect-street, will not receive to-day, but on Tuesday, and afterwards on the first and third Tuesdays during the season.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Suffrage Association will be held at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

The third annual Automobile Motor Boat and Sportsmen's Exhibition will be held in the St. Lawrence Arena from Feb. 18th to 25th.

Mrs. Street and Miss Ethel Street, 68 Roxborough-street west, are giving a tea for girls on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd.

Mrs. Lester Weaver has returned to Hespeler after a visit to Mrs. Frank Kennin, the Alexandra.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Lake of Rosedale left on Thursday for Denver, Col., and California, expecting to be away two or three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beardmore are in town from Montreal, the guests of Mr. Geo. Beardmore, at "Chudleigh."

Miss Mabel Hodgson of Montreal is staying with Mrs. Cochrane in Rosedale.

Mrs. G. J. Thompson has returned from Ottawa, where she was the guest of Miss Sparks, MacLaren-street.

Miss Gordon Mackenzie leaves for England on Feb. 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Grand Reed have taken an apartment at Sussex Court, their home in Sherbourne-street having been rented furnished until next May.

Mrs. George Milligan, 163 Crescent-road, will receive to-day for the last time this season. She leaves early this month for the Mediterranean.

Mrs. H. L. Thompson, 25 Linden-street, will receive on the first and second Mondays in February and March.

The Misses Calder of 337 Markham-street, will receive on the first Friday in February, and afterwards on the first Friday of each month.

The cadet corps of St. Andrew's College will hold their annual ball in the college on the evening of Feb. 19.

Mrs. Eastwood will give a couple of house dances for young folks on Wednesday and Friday next.

The Toronto Horticultural Association will hold a social evening on Tuesday, Feb.2nd., in St. George's Hall.

Wilson Lodge, A. F. and A. M., No. 86, G. R. C., will give an at-home on Feb. 17th.

Mrs. Edward G. Chapman, 557 Markham-street, will receive to-morrow and on the following first Tuesdays.

Mrs. A. E. Burgess, Dundonald-street, will not receive to-day, but will be at home the first Monday in March for the last time.

Mrs. John Douglas Wright and Miss Wright, Pelham-place, Rosedale, will receive to-day.

Mr. L. A. Hamilton and Miss Isabel Hamilton of Lorne Park, and Mrs. J. Leask of Collingwood, left for Jamaica via New York Friday.

Mrs. Harr Ransford of Boissevain, Manitoba, formerly Miss Grace Ponton of Belleville, is the guest of Mrs. Parkyn Murray, in Crescent-road.

Miss Julia Ponton is the guest of Mrs. Douglas Armour in Avenue-road.

The annual meeting of the Local Council of Women will be held on Feb. 3rd and 4th at 3 p.m., in the Canadian Institute, 198 College-street.

Miss Nanno Hughes and Miss Ida Hughes are spending the winter in town.

Miss Merritt, Park Hill, St. Catharines, has issued invitations to a tea at the Ladies' Club at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Miss Miller Lash will soon be leaving for a trip to Egypt.

Mrs. J. C. Swait and Miss Swait of Spruce-street, are visiting New York and Atlantic City.

Mrs. G. A. Robinson and Miss Amy Robinson of Sayville, L.I., are visiting Mrs. Titus Robinson in Bedford-road.

Mr. A. E. Elsemore has returned from New York, where he has been spending a fortnight. His daughter, Miss Fanny Elsemore, who accompanied him, will remain in New York for a month longer.

St. Paul's Catholic Association held their first annual at-home on Friday, which was a great success. President Aledman John O'Neil presented the prizes to the winners at euchre.

Mrs. R. Clark Steele, Dunbar-road, will receive the first Monday and Tuesday in February and not again this season.

Mrs. W. H. Thorne, 18 Charles-street, east, is visiting in New York for a few weeks and will not receive again until the end of March.

Mrs. and the Misses Macmurty, 276 Rusholme-road, will receive on Friday and afterwards on the first and third Fridays.

Mrs. Ed. Bee will receive the first Monday in each month at 31 Winchester-street.

Mrs. A. A. Cox, formerly of Peterboro, will receive at 50 Nanton-ave., Rosedale, to-day.

Mrs. Fred Keeler, 5 Roxborough-street east, will receive to-morrow for the last time this season.

Mrs. Watts, 1 Beaumont-road, will receive to-day.

Mrs. George Stevenson, 40 Chestnut-park, will receive to-morrow.

Miss Hilda Bouvier gave a tea Friday afternoon at her residence, in honor of her two guests, Miss Scrim and Miss Cram of Ottawa. Mrs. Bouvier received with her daughter and wore a blue embroidered broadcloth gown with some handsome diamonds. Miss Vouvier looked very dainty in a coral broadcloth directoire gown, while her two visitors were attractively attired. Miss Scrim wore a simple but effective little gown of blue and white Dresden silk, and Miss Cram wore black and white. The large library and tea room were decorated with roses, palms and narcissi. The polished table in the tea room was very pretty with its shaded candles and lace centre, on which stood a cut glass bowl filled with Killarney roses. The guests were attended by the Misses Foy, Brazill, Spanner and Clary. Miss Bouvier brought her charming tea to a delightful close by a little dance in the evening. Among those present were the Misses Curtis (London, Eng.), Miss Warner, Miss Florence Miss Ethel Williams, Miss Norma Ferry, Miss Brown (New York), Mrs. H. Nerlich, and Messrs. Jack Durness, Harold Smith, John Walsh, Charles Chadwick and Will Parkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Spottiswood celebrated their silver wedding at their home, 15 Augusta-avenue. After the wedding spread a very enjoyable evening was spent. The happy couple received many handsome presents from the large circle of friends they have won in the few years they have lived in Canada. Both are from Dundee, Scotland.

Misses Nina and Gladys Hickling entertained about 50 of their young friends at their home on Brunswick-avenue on Friday night. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Durham County Appreciation.

Approval of the effort made by the department of education towards raising the standing of public schools, and of the liberal grants, whereby trustees have been enabled to pay higher salaries to teachers than heretofore, was expressed at a public meeting at Bethany, Durham County, Friday.

A resolution to this effect, moved by W. H. McCarthy and Heber Preston, will be forwarded to the department. The meeting was addressed by J. J. Tilley, inspector of model schools.

Couldn't Get Bail.

No one could be found that would give bonds for the liberation of Reginald Ross and Patrick Connolly, two young men convicted of an assault on Mrs. Ruby Henson. As a result, when they appeared before Chief Justice Falconbridge at the assizes Saturday morning they were remanded till today for want of bondsmen. They may be then allowed out on their own bail.

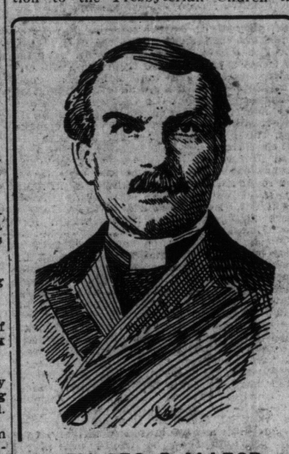
Provincial Appointments.

The following Ontario appointments are gazetted: Arthur Alexander of Barrie, Walter H. Gregory of Stratford, and Arthur A. Fraser of Cobalt, notary public. Archibald McKellar of Dutton, Elgin, bailiff, succeeding the late Malcolm C. Leitch.

PASTOR FOR DEER PARK EARNED HIS EDUCATION

How Rev. G. B. McLeod Worked His Way Thru College and University to Successful Labors.

Rev. Geo. B. McLeod of Truro, N.S., who has been invited to take the pastorate of Deer Park Presbyterian Church, until recently held by Rev. D. C. Hossack, will, it is expected, accept, providing his own presbytery will release him. He will be a strong addition to the Presbyterian Church in



REV. GEO. B. McLEOD.

Toronto, as his career shows, and Deer Park Church congregation are to be congratulated on their choice.

Mr. McLeod was born at Murray River, Prince Edward Island. As a boy he worked on a farm and at a trade and attended public school.

At an early age he determined to secure an education, but had no financial backing. A friend assisted him for one term in Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, where he secured a teacher's license. Thereafter he made his way thru college and university without any aid from others.

Having taught for two years he returned to Prince of Wales College for a part of a term and prepared for matriculation into Dalhousie University, Halifax. The late George Munro, publisher, New York, had just given several valuable exhibitions and bursaries to the university, and Mr. McLeod with $50 in his pocket started for the university hoping to win prize money sufficient to pay the expenses of an arts course. In this he was not disappointed, winning in open competition first junior exhibition, $400; first senior exhibition, $400; a cash prize of $120, and several smaller prizes.

He studied honor English literature under Dr. Alexander, now of Toronto University, and was graduated in 1888 as bachelor of arts, with first rank honors in English literature and history, and as winner of the De Mille gold medal.

The three years following were spent on the mission fields of the synod of the Maritime Provinces, and in the Theological Seminary of Princeton, New Jersey, where in addition to his theological studies he took the degree of M.A. in the study of philosophy under Drs. Patton and Ormond.

In 1891 he was ordained and inducted as pastor of a country congregation in Prince Edward Island, and was married the same year.

Three years later he returned to Princeton for post-graduate work, and in 1896 he was called to a small out exceedingly loyal congregation at Newcastle, Ontario.

The last six years he has been pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Truro, N.S.—probably the oldest Presbyterian congregation in the Dominion, dating from 1770. He ministers to large audiences, and his people are loyal and progressive.

A volume of his sermons, enlarged and carefully revised, was published in 1905 by William Briggs, Toronto, entitled, "Great Facts For Christian Living," with introduction by Rev. R. Douglas Fraser, M.A., editor of Presbyterian Sunday School Publications.

$10,000 FOR AIRSHIP RACE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—An airship race from this city to Albany, a pioneer event of its kind in the United States, has been arranged as one of the features of the Hudson-Fulton memorial next autumn.

The New York World will donate a prize of $10,000.

HALF MILLION FOR WAR BALLOONS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—By voting an appropriation of $500,000, the house of representatives made liberal provision for further experiments by the army with balloons and airships for use in warfare.

Save Money by Sunday Work.

Dr. Sheard thinks that the city could save $10,000 during the average winter by having men work on Sundays at cleaning the streets of snow, before allowing it to get hard.

Hypnotized Into Shoplifting.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Two young women who said they were formerly music teachers in Springfield, and that they had been hypnotized by a traveling salesman, who induced them to take up the profession of shoplifting, were arrested in a store here yesterday. They gave their names as Jane Relsey, aged 29, and Henretta Burtt, aged 20.

Loses Both Feet.

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—John Slater, a man with no fixed place of abode, but who is well known in this county, had both of his feet amputated at the hospital to-day.

Slater was found in a stable at Embro some few weeks ago. His feet had been frozen thru exposure.

Great Northern's Assistant.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 31.—It is announced at the Great Northern Railway that L. C. Gilman, formerly attorney for the Great Northern Railroad at Seattle, had been appointed assistant to President Lewis Hill of that road.

Some Items Condensed From Sunday World

LOCAL—

The suggestion is made that Anglicans get together and complete the building of St. Alban's Cathedral.

Harry Bissell, aged 22, was arrested while cashing an express order, part of the contents of a purse lost by Theas Lawton, actress.

W. H. Edwards, was re-elected president of the West York Conservative Association.

The G. T. R. will appeal against the award of $6000 to the widow of Fraser, killed at Bay-street crossing, contending that there is no proof he was killed on the crossing.

Seven hundred and fifty owners of elevators will be summoned for neglect to take out licenses.

Matthew Bennie lost the thumb and fingers of his right hand in a feed chopper.

J. B. Eager asks the courts to wind up the United Factories Ltd.

East and West York License Boards have one change in each.

A car service will be inaugurated on Lansdowne-avenue.

Sydney B. Sykes of Toronto has been appointed grand senior sojourner of the Royal Arch Masons.

CANADIAN—

Three persons were burned and one other was taken from the burning home of Philip Vansickle in Ancaster Township.

Hance Logan and Wm. Roche are likely to become senators from Nova Scotia; A. J. Copp and Alec. Johnstone will be cared for in some other way.

The Royal Bank will open a branch at Gowganda.

The Emerson, Man., fire of Friday night may have been incendiary.

Percy Bowerman, a Hamilton youth, was acquitted of holding up E. A. Robinson on the ground of being delirious after typhoid fever.

Two were hurt and one killed by a dynamite explosion on the G. T. P. near Port Arthur.

Four Montreal firemen were overcome by ammonia fumes at a fire in Gunn's cold storage warehouse; loss $2000.

Herr Lange of Wurtemburg has been appointed German legationist at Montreal; heretofore a consul has been the representative.

UNITED STATES—

Martha Finley, author of the "Elsie" books, is dead at Elkton, Md.; aged 81.

One thousand five hundred talesman have yielded only 9 jurors in the Cooper-Carmack case at Nashville, Tenn.

Only four of the Republic's cabin passengers journeyed by the Baltic Saturday.

New York was storm-bound on Saturday.

A trolley car plunged into a ravine at Cincinnati, killing the motorman, badly injuring Chief Detective Poppe, and injuring 20 passengers.

GENERAL—

The earthquake in Spain reported early Saturday was not serious, tho in several places the inhabitants became panic-stricken.

Victor Grayson, Socialist M. P., was lured away on an auto trip, and detained to prevent his addressing the British Labor Congress at Portsmouth.

The London Times says the waterways treaty was drafted by an official of the Canadian Government.

CAPETOWN OR PRETORIA

Which Will Be Capital of New Confederation?

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The two most important political questions before the congress on which there are differences concern the franchise and the status of the natives. Apart from these, however, there looms a rock of discord against which the union is most likely to be wrecked, if it is wrecked at all. That is the selection

KILLED IN SAWMILL

Clarke Rowell Victim of a Terrible Accident.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Clarke Rowell was instantly killed at a sawmill a few miles south of Tillsonburg yesterday by a saw catching his foot and passing nearly thru his body. He leaves three small children.

A conference was held this afternoon between the city street railway commissioners and the Southwestern Traction Co., the latter submitting an indefinite proposition for leasing the city system. No action was taken.

Loved the Wrong Woman.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—George Kahn, 37 years old, fatally shot himself in a Brooklyn hotel late yesterday, in the presence of Mrs. Johanna Von Hasselin, wife of the proprietor of Saengerbund Hall, of which Kahn had until recently been manager.

She said Kahn shot himself when she refused to elope with him.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE ... 25c.
is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

Public Amusements

"The Servant in the House" engagement at the Princess Theatre, beginning to-night, is for the entire week. This fact will be particularly pleasing to the many Toronto friends of Miss Edith Wynne Matthison, who, by her exceptionally artistic work with the Ben Green Company, became an established favorite here. It will be a pleasure to them to welcome her in her husband's superb play. As a member of the Henry Miller Associate Players, Miss Matthison has won new laurels in the United States. This organization is undoubtedly the foremost of its kind. Each member is a leading man or leading woman. It is seldom indeed that such names as Miss Matthison, Tyrone Power, Walter Hampden, Frank Mills, Arthur Lewis, Ben Field and Mabel Moore are found on the same program. Miss Matthison, Miss Moore, Mr. Power and Mr. Lewis and Mr. Field are English born and have London reputations. Mr. Hampden, tho of New York birth, never acted on this side of the Atlantic until last season. Mr. Mills' eminent career has been about equally divided between New York and London.

The New York Sun, said "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," a dramatization of the novel of the same name, by Anne Warner, its author, is one of the brightest, cleverest and most wholesome comedies we have been blessed with in years. May Robson will present this admirable comedy at the Royal Alexandra Theatre this week, with the same company. This will be her 68th continuous week. No comedy that has been produced in the last 10 years has met with such a unanimity of favorable criticisms. Miss Robson has consented to play here at popular prices, evenings 25c, 50c, 75c and $1, and matinees, on Thursday and Saturday, at 25c, 50c and 75c.

At a special matinee this afternoon at the Grand "The Girl Question" will be thoroly discussed by one of the brightest companies of musical comedy artists that have ever been seen on a Toronto stage, judging from Detroit, where extra performances had to be given in order to accommodate the large number of theatregoers. The company numbers some 65 people. A startling electric novelty is introduced in the third act, and is known as the phantom chimes. Twenty-four pretty girls seated at typewriters click off an accompaniment to the words of the song, "I Hate to Work on Monday." The chimes, by means of electrical attachments, are made to ring all over the house in unlooked for places. Regular matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday.

"The Rocky Mountain Express" is scheduled to arrive at the Majestic Theatre this afternoon at 2.15, and will have on board what is said to be the most exciting story of western railroad life that was ever presented on the stage. There are four big acts. The feature scenic effect represents a monstrous snowslide and is said to be one of the most astonishing stage contrivances ever thought out. A large company interpret the several characters. A matinee will be given every day.

Shea's will present another splendid bill this week, headed by Clara Belle Jerome, the comedienne, now in vaudeville, and presenting a smart little musical comedy entitled, "Joyland." Gordon Eldrid & Co. have a one-act comedy; the four Lukens are marvelous acrobats; Billy Van, the minstrel, will sing songs and tell stories; Josephine Davis is a comedienne; the three Reynards will be seen in an aerial novelty; Cunningham and Marion are acrobats, and then there is the kinetograph.

The Empire Show, with Roger Imhof at its head, is due to open at the Star to-day with a matinee and continue all the week with daily bargain matinees. Imhof is well known here and his character impersonations of Casey are about the finest and neatest of all Irish comedies. Besides Imhof will be found 20 pretty girls and an olio of five meritorious acts. Thursday night is chorus girls' contest night, while Friday the third prize waltz contest takes place.

Bob Manchester's famous "Cracker Jacks" will renew their acquaintance this week at the Gayety Theatre, with one of the brightest, best and up-to-date shows seen on any stage. This is the tenth season of the "Cracker Jacks." Mr. Manchester, the pioneer of this form of entertainment, was in the field of burlesque first. Hence his vast experience has taught him how to produce to a high standard. This season he promises one of the best shows ever seen, with a stronger cast, greater number of girls, more excellent specialties and two greater burlesques than yet presented any season.

James K. Hackett, the distinguished romantic actor, will play an engagement of two weeks at the Royal Alexandra Theatre, instead of one, as originally announced. The following will be the repertoire for the first week beginning Monday, Feb. 8: Monday, "The Prisoner of Zenda"; Tuesday, "John Glayde's Honor"; Wednesday night, "Don Caesar's Return"; Thursday matinee, "The Crisis"; Thursday night, "The Prisoner of Zenda"; Friday, "John Glayde's Honor"; Saturday matinee, "The Prisoner of Zenda"; Saturday night, "The Crisis."

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL

Fate of Friendless Man Who Had Been Imbibing.

ORILLIA, Jan. 30.—(Special.)—James Loudfoot, a man of about 54 or 55 years of age, died here this morning from the effects of drinking wood alcohol.

It is reported that he had been out of town and had been imbibing too freely and on his return had drunk the wood alcohol in mistake.

He had no friends or relatives here and boarded at the Robinson House.

Dredgemen's Officers.

CORNWALL, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—A large number of members attended the annual meeting and banquet of Local No. 22 of the International Brotherhood of Steam Shovel and Dredgemen.

The following officers were elected: President, H. A. Campbell, Cornwall; vice-president, William J. Whillams, Cornwall; secretary-treasurer, B. St. John, Montreal; trustees, Malcolm Stewart (Winnipeg), William Dwyer, James J. Purcell (Cornwall).

Presentation to Pastor.

GALT, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Rev. R. Pettigrew, M.A., pastor of Glenmorris Presbyterian Church, and one of the most gifted and popular clergymen in this district, celebrated the 25th anniversary of his induction yesterday. His congregation presented him with an elaborate illuminated address and album.

Brantford Conservatives.

BRANTFORD, Jan. 30.—The annual meeting of the Conservative Association for Brantford riding was held this afternoon. Robert E. Ryerson was elected president for the year.

H. D. WARREN ILL.

H. D. Warren was operated on for peritonitis Saturday morning at the General Hospital. The operation was successful. Mr. Warren is progressing favorably.

BISHOP'S DIET OF FISH THRICE A DAY, TWO YEARS

Bishop Reeve Describes Life in the Mackenzie River Country of the Far West.

Before an audience that nearly filled the theatre of the physics building, Bishop Reeve, in the third of the university Saturday lectures, told of the vast and marvelous country lying in the basin of the Mackenzie River. The bishop spoke with authority, for, as Principal Hutton pointed out, he had been 38 years in the region.

It was a vast district, covering upwards of half a million square miles. The climate was cold but not changeable. Snow lasted from October to May, and the ice about a month longer, tho Great Bear Lake was only free from ice about one month in the year.

The means of access to the region was by rail to Edmonton, thence by stage or freight wagon, or perhaps by Red River carts or ox-team to Athabasca Landing, which is now a flourishing incorporated village with three churches and a large hotel.

From this point it was possible to proceed by steamer, either to the west up the Athabasca and Lesser Slave Rivers or north by the steamer Midnight Sun, 120 miles down stream, to where navigation was impeded by the bad rapids of the Fort Smith portage.

The winter mode of travel by dog team was also touched on, and the great difficulties to be overcome in the way of rough ice on the lakes was plainly shown in the excellent slides with which the lecture was illustrated. The bishop thinks that if the north pole is to be reached it will not be by this mode of conveyance, but thru the air. On a 600 mile journey in winter he had averaged 33 miles a day.

Beyond Smith's Landing, the northern border of Alberta, there was little or no obstruction to navigation, and the traveler was furnished by the Hudson Bay Company with the luxury of new steamer, which had 16 or 18 staterooms, and electric lights. This ran to Fort Resolution, the place on Great Bear Lake where the Indians foregather in great numbers in the summer.

The bishop also told of the long and difficult journey when he first went to Fort Simpson in 1869, starting from St. Paul, Minn., by stage, wagon and steamer to Fort Garry (Winnipeg), then a village of less than 200 people. Thence the trip meant three months in an open boat, before Fort Simpson was reached.

The bishop spoke of the variety and beauty of the scenery and the vast mineral resources of the region. Up the Hay River were the two Alexandra Falls, together higher than Niagara. On the Lower Mackenzie, near Fort Good Hope, the river narrowed for several miles and flowed between sheer walls of rock, "the ramparts."

The dreary desolation of the Arctic Coast was spoken of and the habits of the Indian and Eskimo described.

Quite a time and many beautiful slides were devoted to the animal life of the region. Wolves were numerous, but did not roam in packs. The wolverine was the pest of the hunter, robbing his traps. The musk-ox of the barren lands, he declared with quiet humor, was not, as sometimes supposed, the animal that laid the musk-eg. Two interesting slides were shown of a herd of between 270,000 and 500,000 reindeer. Fish was very plentiful. Three persons had caught 105 grayling in Lake Athabasca in a morning, but a diet of fish three times a day for two years on end was apt to pall on one, tho this had been an actual experience of his own. Musquitoes were the worst pest of the country, and were worse the further north you went.

The lecture concluded with a fine picture of the mid-night sun.

A RAILWAY MERGER.

FRANKLIN, Pa., Jan. 31.—General Charles Miller has announced that at a meeting of the directors of the Franklin and Clearfield Railroad, Jamestown and Franklin Railroad, Central Trunk Railroad and the Jackson coal road in New York this week, it was voted to consolidate the four roads under the name of the Jamestown, Franklin and Clearfield Railroad. All are controlled by the New York Central.

RED HAT FOR FALCONIO.

ROME, Jan. 31.—It is expected that a consistory will be held in March, when Mgr. Falconio, the apostolic delegate to the United States, will be recalled and the appointment of Monsignor Aversa, apostolic delegate to Cuba, to take his place, will be announced.

Monsignor Falconio will be created a cardinal either immediately or shortly afterward.

WHEN YOU CAN'T SLEEP.

There is many a man and woman tossing night after night upon a sleepless bed. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Some constitutional disturbance, worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system, that it cannot be quieted.

Or again, you have, a sinking sensation, a feeling you are going to die; or perhaps, you wake in your sleep feeling as though you were about to choke or smother, and rest leaves you for the night. If you allow these conditions to continue for a short period even, you will begin to feel your health declining. It is the nerves and heart not acting rightly, and they can only be set right by the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. They soon induce healthful, refreshing sleep; not by deadening the nerves, but by restoring them to healthy action.

Mrs. E. Nutt, St. Mary's, Ont., writes:—"I can gladly recommend your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills as I was greatly troubled with my nerves. I was so bad I could not sleep at night without the lamp burning, but after taking four boxes of the pills I became all right again."

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Parents' Address.....
City or Town.....

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