

## TURKEY CURBS THE MUTINEERS WIPES OUT ENTIRE COMPANY

Threatened Outbreak of Troops Stationed at the Sultan's Palace at Constantinople Stopped by Murderous Volley From Loyal Regiment.

Constantinople, Oct. 31.—A threatened outbreak of a company of Turkish troops attached to the garrison at Yildiz Kiosk was promptly put down this morning with a single volley from a loyal battalion. Thirty of the mutineers were killed and fifteen were wounded. The mutinous spirit man-

ifested itself when the company was assembled and threatened for a few moments to result in serious trouble. But a hurry order was issued, and a battalion from a regiment recently brought in from Saloniki was marched to the scene, and one volley sufficed to cow the mutineers.

## LONDON DEBENTURES SOARING \$85,000 WORTH SOLD AT 106 1/2

Finance Committee Were Agreeably Surprised—American Capital Is Looking for Investments in Canada—London Is Reaping the Benefit.

A record price for city bonds was received last night by No. 1 committee, when the tender of the Dominion Sureties Company, of Toronto, of \$88,969 for \$85,000 worth of 4 1/2 per cent debentures, was recommended to be accepted. This is \$5,469 above par, and makes the selling price of the bonds 106 1/2 per cent, with accrued interest. This price is considered by the municipal authorities to be phenomenal, and is the highest ever received for city debentures. In the spring 4 1/2 per cent, 30 years, were sold for 98, and 30-year 4 per cents brought only 91. The bonds sold yesterday included \$19,000 fire hall debentures, \$15,000

waterworks debentures, and \$49,500 public school debentures, all bearing interest at 4 1/2 per cent. The bidding was very keen. Fourteen firms from Toronto, Montreal and as far east as Halifax, had bids in, and all of them were over par. The lowest offer received was over 101. Of the tenders, no less than five were over \$88,000, which means about 106 for the issue. Wood, Gundry & Co., who offered \$89,000 for the debentures, but the firm did not live up to the conditions of the sale, failing to inclose a check for \$1,000. Continued on Page Eight.



REV. FATHER AYLRARD, Who Is To Be Appointed Separate School Representative on the Senate of the Western University.

## BULLET TAKEN FROM SKULL

Morgenthaler Now Has a Good Chance of Recovery.

CONDITION IS STILL CRITICAL

The Operation Performed Was a Very Delicate One—Patient Spent a Restful Night.

Sekfried Morgenthaler, the young Swiss tailor who shot himself through the head in the washroom at the City Hotel yesterday, still lies in a very serious condition at Victoria Hospital. Friday afternoon, Dr. Hogg cut away a part of the man's skull and succeeded in extracting the bullet, which was located in the morning by the aid of the new X-ray machine. The wound was a most peculiar one, Dr. Hogg states, and it is apparent from the burned condition of the skin surrounding it that the revolver was held quite close to the head.

The bullet is a large one, a 32-calibre, and took a peculiar course. Instead of going right through the skull and penetrating the brain, it shot along at an angle, and tore through the skull, making a hole fully half an inch in diameter. This fact seems to have saved Morgenthaler from instant death, as the force of the bullet was spent in cleaving through the skull bones, and instead of going into the brain, it flattened out and was found curled up against the inner side of the skull and quite close to the outer covering of the brain. In order to get it out it was necessary to cut away a portion of the skull.

Critical Operation. The operation was a critical one, and was most successfully accomplished.

Morgenthaler spent a restful night, but will not be out of danger for some days, as he is liable to develop meningitis or a hemorrhage. He has to be kept very still in order to avoid any hemorrhage.

It is likely that Morgenthaler will have to undergo the operation of trepanning, and will probably have to wear a gold or silver plate in his head for some time if he recovers.

The condition of Sekfried Morgenthaler was much the same this afternoon. Morgenthaler is resting quietly, and his condition shows little change.

In Hamilton. In regard to Morgenthaler, the Hamilton Herald says:

Inquiries at the above address brought to light the fact that Morgenthaler came out some time since from Switzerland. His aunt, Mrs. James Franks, says that he has been very depressed for some time on account of family troubles. Morgenthaler's wife died in Switzerland, leaving her husband with a little girl. He has brooded very much over the death of his wife, and also over the fact that the people he left in charge of his daughter have not written to him. He complained frequently to his aunt about pains in his head and melancholia. These, however, passed away, but he feared their return, and said that if they ever came back it would be all over with him. Mrs. Franks received word from London this morning, acquainting her with the fact that her nephew was very sick. It was the painful duty of the reporter to inform Mrs. Franks of the real nature of his injuries. Mrs. Franks left for London this afternoon.

Fire Department Statistics. During the month of October there were 12 alarms. Two were from boxes, and 10 by phone. One was a false alarm. The most serious blaze was that on Elias street, where a barn was destroyed, a horse burned, and a house damaged.

## SNOW, BEAUTIFUL SNOW!

King Winter this year has run ten days ahead of his last year's schedule. In 1907 there was no snow until the 10th of November. The "beautiful" began to come down early last evening, and it has been coming down with almost untiring regularity ever since, though much of it disappears when it strikes the ground. The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 44.5, and the lowest 35. This morning at 8 o'clock the thermometer registered 33.5 degrees. The month of October this year shows a falling off in rain, but 1.29 inches being recorded, against 2.93 a year ago. The month ending today has the distinction of having the hottest day in October in ten years, the thermometer having climbed to 81.5 on the 15th of the month. The lowest mark reached this year in October was 25 degrees, on the 13th.

## BACHELOR HABIT IS GROWING MARRIAGES ARE FALLING OFF

October Statistics Do Not Hold Out Hope for the Matrimonially Inclined—White Plague Caused Six Deaths During the Month—Stork Maintained a Fair Business.

There was a decided slump in matrimonially-inclined young persons during the month of October. According to the statistics compiled by City Clerk Baker, only 33 couples took the leap from single blessedness to the joys of matrimony. Compared with last year, this is a very bad showing, and is not a strong recommendation for the work of Dr. Cupid. In October, 1907, there were 66 couples willing to sign away their individual rights, just twice as many as during the glorious month of October, 1908. And, the weather so fine, too! The "grim reaper" was busier this October than during the same month last year, 65 answering the summons. This is an increase of 20 over 1907, when 45 deaths were recorded. The white plague was responsible for 6 deaths, or practically 10 per cent. In October, 1907, only 1 death from tuberculosis is reported, making an increase not at all encouraging. Practically 25 per cent of the deaths recorded were of people 70 years or over. To be explicit, 15 out of the 65 were over the allotted span. The oldest death recorded is that of Alex. Manns, who claimed that he was 113 years of age. Two were over 90 years of age. Twenty youngsters succumbed to the ravages of cholera infantum, and the many other ailments to which they are vulnerable. Typhoid claimed two, cancer was responsible for three deaths, while cerebral spinal meningitis caused two deaths. The stork was quite busy, just as busy as in October, 1907, when 97 births were recorded. That is considered a very good record indeed.

## Three Members From City Council Father Aylward From S. S. Board

Senate of the Western University Will Soon Be Completed.

The senate of the Western University will be completed very shortly, it is expected. A start will be made on Monday, when several representatives from different boards will be chosen. The city council will appoint three. The line-up is not known exactly, but it is expected that Ald. Armstrong, Ald. Stevenson and Mr. Arthur W. White, ex-president of the board of trade, will be selected. This slate is expected to go through without difficulty. The Separate School Board will appoint a representative on Monday night. Father Aylward will be the selection. His appointment will give general satisfaction. The board of education will nominate a man on Tuesday. Inspector Edwards will be the man named, it is thought. The county council will appoint a man at the December sessions.

## Constables May Sue the C. P. R. For Wages Incurred During Strike

Difference of a Dollar a Day in the Sum Said to Have Been Agreed Upon.

Developments in the case of the C. P. R. and the constables who guarded the company's property during the recent strike, have reached a climax, and it appears that several lawsuits are imminent. The company declares that the men were hired at \$2 a day, and the men allege that \$3 was the rate agreed upon. The manner in which the complication arose is rather interesting. Detective Robinson of the C. P. R. called upon High Constable Hughes, along with City Detective Egeiton, and asked the high constable to secure him some men for strike duty. According to the high constable's version, \$3 a day was agreed upon. Detective Robinson, however, reported to the company that \$2 a day had been agreed upon.

THE WEATHER.		
TOMORROW—MILDER.		
FORECASTS.		
Toronto, Oct. 31—8 a.m.		
Today—Northwest winds; fair and cold; local snow flurries.		
Sunday—Moderate winds; fair; stationary or a little higher temperature.		
TEMPERATURES.		
Today.	Yesterday.	Max.
London	34	35
Calgary	24	20
Winnipeg	24	24
Port Arthur	24	28
Perry Sound	28	32
Toronto	34	36
Ottawa	32	34
Montreal	34	36
Quebec	30	32
Father Point	32	34
Dawson	—13	—4
Atlin	9	14
Victoria	46	54
Vancouver	46	54
Kamloops	32	40
Battleford	20	28
Prince Albert	14	22
Qu'Appelle	12	20
St. John	38	46
Halifax	44	52

## OFFER TO SETTLE ON 55 PER CENT BASIS

The London and Port Stanley Amusement Company today issued a circular letter, offering to settle with their creditors on a basis of 55 cents on the dollar. A similar offer was made and was rejected some time ago. Since then Mr. J. C. Elliott, undertaker, of Dundas street, and sons, Kenneth and Sydney, are ill with typhoid fever. In the interim, D. H. Elliott, the junior partner of the firm, will look after the firm's interests.

## THREE YOUNG MEN KILLED FOLLOWING HALLOWE'EN DANCE

Walter Gilhula, of Buxton, and James and Francis Battersby, of Windsor, Run Down By an Electric Car at Pelton and Instantly Killed.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Windsor, Ont., Oct. 31.—As an ending to a night of Halloween celebration, Walter L. Gilhula, 20 years old, who lives in Buxton, and James and Francis Battersby, brothers, 22 and 17 years old respectively, were instantly killed while running down the street car tracks in Pelton, 6 miles south of here, just before midnight.

The three young men had been attending a Halloween dance given by William C. Donaldson. James Battersby, who was keeper of a tower at the point where the Pere Marquette Railway tracks and those of the Michigan Central Railway intersect, was trying to reach his tower in time to let down the gates for an approaching train. The rumble of the train drowned the noise of an electric car coming behind the men, and all three were struck. Gilhula was thrown far off into a field and instantly killed, while the two Battersby brothers were ground to death under the wheels.

## WM. M'CORMICK SENTENCED GIVEN 2 YEARS IN KINGSTON

Judge Macbeth Meted Out Severe Sentence to Man Who Stole From the Canadian Packing Company After the Fire.

William M'Cormick was today sentenced to serve two years in the Kingston Penitentiary by Judge Macbeth on a charge of theft. M'Cormick recently pleaded guilty to breaking into the storeroom of the Canadian Packing Company's plant at Pottersburg and stealing \$75 worth of brass. In passing sentence, Judge Macbeth gave the prisoner some excellent advice, and said that he was very sorry to see a young man under twenty years of age charged with so serious an offence. Judge Macbeth went on to say that he realized that drink and bad company had been responsible for M'Cormick's downfall, and that he hoped by the time he had served his term the gang he had associated with would have been broken up by the police. "I had intended to allow you to go on suspended sentence," said the judge, "to try and reform, but after due deliberation I have decided that you would be better off in jail learning an honest trade." M'Cormick's mother and father have been dead for some time, but he has a step-father residing in the city. Word was sent him to attend court today, but he failed to put in an appearance. M'Cormick had nothing to say when asked why sentence should not be passed.

## Postmaster Goes to England For Cheaper Cables for Empire

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Hon. Rudolph Lemieux, postmaster-general, leaves this afternoon for England to take part in an imperial conference which has been called to discuss with representatives of the various cable companies a proposition for reduced cable charges. The conference will be attended by representatives of the various colonies, and the Canadian Government, through Mr. Lemieux, will lend its support to the movement for reduced cable rates as an incentive to increased intercourse between the various parts of the Empire.

## Scarcity of Men at the Meetings Dr. Ross on Laymen's Movement

Thinks That at Least \$5 Per Head Should Be Received From Church Members.

Local pastors and laymen in general are greatly pleased with the results which they feel sure will attend the holding of the recent three days' convention in this city. All the meetings were well attended, although not so largely by the men as had been hoped. However, the committee are satisfied that the women present will place the matter before their husbands and brothers, who were not able to attend, and good results will follow. President German, of the laymen's missionary movement, in this city, when asked by The Advertiser for his views on the matter, said that he would rather not express himself at present.

Canon Dann—I think there is no question that the convention just closed has stimulated missionary zeal for missionary zeal and work in our own city as in far-off China, and no man who neglects the home work can be called a true Christian. Rev. A. J. Vining, of Talbot Street Baptist Church—I think that the results have been of the very best. All laymen will be stimulated to greater activity and greater work. Now, as never before, the work, if followed up, can be done.

Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's—I think there will be a deepening of missionary interest throughout the local churches. I hope there will be more money given. It is to be lamented that a larger representation from the men of the city churches was not present at the meetings. The spirit of every gathering was excellent, and much valuable information was obtained that should increase the general interest. Many people from the surrounding country attended the meetings, and beneficial results should come from that. We hope that a minimum of \$5 per church communicant will be realized this year, and a much greater amount next year. In order to meet the requirements of the city churches will have to give largely so as to make up for the amount that the country districts, where no meetings have been held, will fall short.

## Snowstorm Affects the Market

While the present snowfall is a boon for the coal and wood, shoe and rubber, and overcoat dealers, it has not boomed business on the market, which today is a veritable slush bed. Trade on the market today was rather slow, purchasers apparently being willing to pay a few cents more at the grocery stores to avoid having to face the elements by going to market. Potatoes were particularly plentiful, and sales were accordingly slower than usual. Despite this fact, though, prices remained fairly firm. 65 cents was the average price paid for potatoes by the load, while some went for as low as 60 cents and as high as 70 cents.

THE CANADIAN FLOATED. Detroit, Mich., Oct. 31.—The steamer Canadian, which was ashore near Detour, was released yesterday and is now on the way to the Soo. Where temporary repairs will be made. Most of the Canadian's mixed cargo had to be taken off by the lighter Reliance, as she was out three feet. Her forepeak and tanks No. 1 and 2 were full of water, and there is a bad leak under the boilers. The steamer is in bad shape and will not do any more business this season. The tug General has been sent to the steamer Midland King, which is aground abeam of Watson coal docks at Detour.

## Real Estaters Criticize Hospital Appoint Committee to Investigate

Cost Is Considered Excessive as Compared With Other Hospitals.

Matters pertaining to the management of Victoria Hospital occupied a large part of the time at a representative meeting of the Real Estate Owners' Association last night, and at the conclusion of the meeting it was unanimously decided to appoint a committee to investigate things there and report. The committee will be appointed in a few days, and will go to the hospital and try and find out why it is that there are continued deficits—\$6,000 last year and \$10,000 in 1906. There are a number of items that were brought before the meeting which will be investigated at the same time. One member brought in a book issued by a Toronto hospital concern, wherein it was shown that the hospitals there are conducted at one-sixth of the cost per head that Victoria Hospital is costing. Some Criticism. Several prominent physicians were present, and stated that on several occasions they had gone to the hospital late in the morning to see the superintendent, and he was not there. As they wanted to see him about patients who were dangerously ill there was a considerable delay. It was pointed out that this year Miss Stanley had been in Cincinnati, Toronto and Ottawa at the city's expense. That, it was thought, was unnecessary. A physician stated that he did not understand why Miss Stanley should have a large bill for laundry charged up to the city outside of the hospital when the citizens were maintaining an expensive laundry at which all work was supposed to be done. Another physician characterized the new "cage" provided by the trust for delirious patients as an outrage. He said it took four men to handle it and it would not be allowed in any other hospital in America. At the next meeting, which will be held on Friday evening, a number of matters in reference to the hospital management will be brought up and considered. In regard to the tuberculosis hospital the members were unanimously of the opinion that it should be built and also maintained by the Government.

## Will Stop Flirting of the Prisoners

Dr. W. Bruce Smith, inspector of asylums and jails, has made his quarterly report on the county jail. Dr. Smith found the jail management and discipline excellent, and with the exception of a few minor repairs, had no suggestions to offer. One of the improvements mentioned is a wire screen between a certain portion of the jail, where the male prisoners can now throw letters to the female prisoners employed in the jail laundry. The inspector found in the jail awaiting removal to Central Prison an aged vagrant named John MacDonald, whom Dr. Bruce thought should have been sent to the house of refuge. Instead, MacDonald was sentenced by Magistrate Love, and the Central Prison authorities have refused to admit him to that institution. The average cost of rations per day during the quarter was 7 1/2 cents, slightly more than for the previous quarter. This is explained by the fact that the average prisoner eats more during the fall months than in the summer.

## Prisoner Claims He's Persecuted

One of the most peculiar characters now confined in the county jail, is Lewis Kennedy, 67 years of age, who was recently arrested near Thorndale charged with vagrancy. Kennedy has been arrested before on a similar charge, and claims that he is being persecuted. When arrested on the previous occasion he is said to have had \$17 on his person. Most of this money went for costs of the case, which resulted in his being set free on condition that his friends take him in charge. On the last occasion of his arrest, Kennedy had \$50 in nickels and dimes on him, besides 260 post cards on religious subjects. Kennedy claims that he was selling these cards at the time of his arrest and that he is not a vagrant. The county constabulary, however, tell a different tale, alleging that Kennedy was caught begging and playing the part of a deaf and dumb man. Kennedy signs himself "Doctor of Divinity," but whether he is really an ex-minister or not is not known.

## Minstrel Bert Haverly Drops Dead

San Francisco, Oct. 31.—While his companions still laughed at his pleasantries, Bert Haverly, once well known all over the country as a minstrel and comedian, and a brother of Col. Jack Haverly, turned to leave a cafe and dropped dead. The funeral will be held under the direction of theatrical men of this city. Haverly came into prominence a quarter of a century ago. He was associated with Reed and Emerson and later appeared in Hoyt's comedies.