

WORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS
LOVE REJECTED, HE SUICIDES

Victor Vokes of Ballantrae Ends
Life With Poison—Slander Case
is Brought to an End.

Stouffville, March 29.—A young man named Victor Vokes, living at Ballantrae, committed suicide to-day by taking strychnine. He came to Stouffville this morning and purchased the poison. He took the dose just before reaching home and died shortly after. It is said that unreciprocated love was the cause of his rash act.

Toronto Junction, March 29.—This morning Dr. A. A. Macnamara met with a serious accident while bicycling on St. Clair-avenue. He was riding on the sidewalk. The front wheel struck a broken plank. The wheel was broken as were also the forks, and the doctor was thrown over the handle-bars, alighting on his head. He sustained a dislocation of the neck, necessitating a number of stitches. Dr. Charlton of Weston and Dr. Clendenan attended him.

The marriage took place yesterday at Havelock of James Harcourt Davidson of the Junction to Miss Ethel E. Matheson of Havelock.

Rev. W. J. Pady will give an address in the Disciples' Church to-morrow night.

Slander Suit Settled.
The slander case in the assizes came to a rather sudden termination yesterday, when James McCullough counsel for Rev. Mr. Alkenhead, the defendant, agreed to divulge the name of the man who had conveyed information complained of by Dr. Sangster, plaintiff, would agree not to sue or annoy him.

This is the doctor thru Mr. Dewart, his counsel, agreed to do.

"The name is—" said Mr. Dewart, as his client leaned forward to catch the name.

"Mr. Spoford," answered Mr. McCullough.

"I dismiss the case, each side to pay their own costs," said Justice Anglin, who stated that he had advised that a settlement be arrived at, as it would only have meant a barren victory for either side. The falsehood of the statements had been admitted.

Stouffville, March 29.—Daniel Russell, retired farmer of Stouffville, left an estate of \$8800, including a 100-acre farm in concession, 9 Whitchurch, worth \$5000, and a house and three lots in Stouffville worth \$2000.

The late John Milton Andrews of Aurora, farmer, left his estate to his widow, Mary H. and daughter, Edna, in equal shares. It is valued at \$896.

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Kingston-road, from the Woodbine, is almost impassable. Owing to the amount of money being spent on sidewalk, the town council are unable to appropriate any funds to this purpose.

The athletic section of the Balmby Beach Club will meet in the assembly room to-morrow night.

A large deputation representing the licensed victuallers of the province will wait on the government next Wednesday at 11 a.m. They will gather at Victoria Hall and proceed to Queen's Park in a body.

On Tuesday a conference will be held to prepare the statement to be presented to the government.

TO COMMAND BISLEY TEAM.
Montreal, March 29.—(Special.)—Col. E. W. Wilson of the 3rd Victoria Rifles received a wire this evening from Sir Frederick Borden, informing him of his appointment as a commandant of the Canadian Bisley team.

Divorce Pro Tem.
Utica Daily Press: The State of Indiana has enacted a law which allows the granting of divorces for a limited time, the granting of which is presumably based, given time for sober thought, divorces will see the folly of their course and desire power into the hands of the court, giving it authority over the children and property of the persons, allowing it to remove from the property of the guilty person any right of participation in the property for a time, permitting it to authorize the sale of the property of either person, and giving general jurisdiction over their joint affairs. The decree may be granted for a limited time. It is to be in force for a limited time, and during that time it shall be a misdemeanor for the parties to live together, under a penalty of not exceeding \$50, to which may be added imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months.

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"Murad" (plain tips) Turkish Cigarettes are the latest and best achievement of Allan Ramsay, for sixteen years government expert of Turkey. During that period, Mr. Ramsay's cigarettes—his alone—were the accepted brands of the dignitaries of the Turkish court. 15 cents per box.

A SURE SIGN.
Spring is really here. The German band was out last night.

"You say he has grown whiskers since last you saw him?"
"Yes."
"How did you recognize him?"
"By my umbrella."—Milwaukee Sentinel.



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TRENT VALLEY CANAL.

Deputation of 400 Waits on the Dominion Government.

Ottawa, March 29.—(Special.)—A deputation, 400 strong, of representatives from all the municipalities thru which the Trent Valley Canal runs waited upon the government to-day, asking that the work of completing the canal be carried on, so that an excellent national waterway be provided between the Georgian Bay and Lake Ontario, and thus make an annual saving in coal freights along the route.

CLEVER LITTLE GIRL.
Frances Pritter, a little girl, lives in Ware, Hertfordshire, England. Twelve months ago the vicar of Ware, at a meeting of his parishioners, related an instance of the ingenuity and industry of a child trading with a penny.

She bought a pennyworth of paper. Out of this she made eight y of umbrellas and sold them at one penny each.

More paper was used for more umbrellas, and the girl has up to the present made a net profit of \$3 1-2d.

Premier Whitney and the Wolves.
The Freeholder (Cornwall): Premier Whitney reminds us of the old story of the Russian traveler, who, driving with his horses that he lightened the load and appease the wolves for a short time, one of the children was thrown out, and another, and another, till when he reached safely only his self was left.

Happy Ohio.
Pittsburg Gazette.—There is no longer any "Boss" Cox in Ohio.

A SENSATION IS SPRING
IN DIAMOND MURDER CASE

Woman Witness Forced to Admit
Suspicious Happening After
Mrs. Diamond's Funeral.

Belleville, March 29.—(Special.)—The Diamond murder trial to-day furnished plenty of excitement. The last crown witness called proved a bombshell to the prosecution.

E. Gus Foy, M.P., to-day first moved that the indictment be quashed on a technicality, that at the preliminary investigation before Magistrate Wood at Madoc the accused had not had the evidence read over to her, and that the magistrate had not signed the transcript of the evidence, but simply the committal of the prisoner. The judge overruled the objection.

Mrs. Margaret Reed was the sensational witness. She swore that she went to the Diamond residence the day of young Mrs. Diamond's funeral, and after the funeral she saw Harry Diamond take a package off the sideboard and burn it in the stove. The package would weigh about a pound. Ben Sager and Will Delyea were present at the time. She asked them what was in the package, and they stammered and finally said it was borax. This evidence came out in cross-examination. Mr. Meredith gave the witness a merciless re-examination, but she stuck to her story and said that the incident happened in February she had told no one of it until the next fall, when she told her husband. She admitted that before Magistrate Wood she had said nothing about this package, but because no one had asked her, nor had she told Detective Murray.

Court adjourned until Friday morning. Mr. Porter said he had known nothing about the suspicious package incident until some one had passed a note to him while Mrs. Reed was killing her evidence to Mr. Meredith.

VILLAGERS SAVE STOCK.
Cornwall, March 29.—(Special.)—The fine brick store, at Mille Roches, a few miles west of Cornwall, was totally destroyed by fire. It was leased by L. C. Hickey, who lost about \$300 or \$400 worth of clothing in the upper part of the building. Villagers rescued nearly all the stock. The fire spread to neighboring buildings.

DROPPED DE AD.
Edward Drohan, aged 62, dropped dead yesterday noon at the corner of Wellington-avenue and Bathurst-street. Death was due to heart failure. He resided at 45 Bathurst-street with his son.

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Black and tan in 1c and 2c. White, 1c, glass.

COMING TO TORONTO.
A Well-Known English Minister, Who Preached "When a Boy."

Canada is soon to have a brief visit from the Rev. Dinsdale T. Young, Wesleyan minister of London, and pastor of Great Queen-street, Hillborn. Mr. Young is coming to America as the representative of the Wesleyan Church to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, which meets early in the month of May.

any other of our cities, or prolong his visit beyond the few days, is not known definitely as yet.

Not Proven.
A Scotch ballie, recently advanced to the bench, had a criminal placed before him the law. Of course, the ballie knew the prisoner well. He heard the charge stated.

"John, man, I'm sorry to see you here. We'll just fine you half a crown."
"But the charge is not yet proved; we have not heard the evidence."
"Then the defendant is guilty."
"Ah, well, John, my man, as the charge is not proved we'll just fine you an eight-pence."
—Tt. Biz.

THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY, LIMITED
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Friday, March 30
STORE CLOSÉS DAILY AT 5.30

Spring Clothing and the Men's Store Now Have the Call



THE time has come to throw aside that crumpled winter overcoat. It is faded or saggy in the shoulders anyway. The time has come to exchange that greeny black Derby for a new, bright, black Fedora. For the sun shines as though he meant it. The snow is all gone, the beats are running, and new spring clothes are already in evidence in town.

Get in line with the season. Help along the good work. Come to the Men's Store and fit out for spring. New suits, new overcoats, new hats, new shirts, ties, boots—everything a man wants, here for him in the Men's Store.

115 only Men's Suits for early morning selling, they consist of new spring designs in English and Scotch tweeds, also some navy blue and black English clay 7.95

worsted, made up in single-breasted sack style, cut on the 1906 model, long, with vent in the back and slightly body fitting, well lined and perfect fitting, sizes 36 to 42, ranging from \$10.00 to \$16.50, to clear Saturday at.....

Men's Spring Weight Overcoats, made in the new topper style, 34 to 36 inches long, with military front and broad shoulders, the back conforming to the body and belled at the bottom with the side seams creased, making a very stylish, up-to-date garment. They come in green and fawn, also light fawn, with faint check and stripe effects of fine imported English covert cloths, with trimmings to match, perfect fitting, sizes 34 to 42, on sale Saturday 10.00

Men's Fine Black Imported Vicuna Cloth, 34 Length Chesterfield Dress Overcoats, fine smooth finish material, in fast color, made up with deep silk facings and fine Italian linings, beautifully tailored, sizes 36 to 44, Saturday 15.00

Men's Rain Coats, the fashionable paletteot style, made body fitting, with belled skirts, broad shoulders and close fitting collars, a very dressy top coat for spring wear in either fawn or wet weather, made up of a fine English covert cloth, in Oxford grey or medium fawn shades, sizes 35 to 44, Saturday 15.00

Youths' New Spring Long Pant Suits, English tweeds, in a handsome fancy dark stripe pattern, made up in the correct style of double-breasted sack style, good substantial linings and trimmings, and good fitting garments, pants cut medium width in legs, sizes 32-35, Saturday 6.00

Youths' Handsome Light Grey New Spring Suits, imported tweed, in a faint stripe pattern, coat cut in the correct length, with centre vent at back lined with good Italian cloth and good interlinings, size 33-35, Saturday 9.00

Boys' New Topper Overcoats, a rich dark olive covert cloth, made up in short tunic style, the correct weight for early spring, good fitting coats and very dressy. Sizes 24-28 4.00 Sizes 29-33 5.00

Boys' Fine Quality Imported English Covert Cloth Topper Overcoats, new spring goods, a light fawn shade, in fancy faint wide stripe, handsomely tailored, with good linings and trimmings and splendid fitting, Saturday: Size 24-28 6.00 Size 29-30 7.00 Size 31-33 7.50

Boys' Natty New Spring Buster Brown Suits, made from a dressy Donegal tweed, in a handsome light brown and fawn mixture, fancy plaits and gilt buttons in front, leather belt, linen collar and black bow tie, bloomer pants, sizes 2 to 5 years, Saturday 3.75

Men's 1.50 Shirts for 59c.
Men's Colored Neglige Shirts, detached cuffs, and cuffs attached, made from finest imported shirtings, in plain colors, fancy stripes, spots and figures, light, medium and dark shades, sizes 14 to 17, regular prices 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 each, Saturday 59

A manufacturer's clearance of Men's High-Grade Suspenders, made with white kid cut-out ends, elastic webs, neat patterns, all perfect goods, regular prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00, Saturday 33

The Spring Hats.
200 only Derby and Fedora Hats, good quality English and American fur felt, fashionable spring and summer styles, Saturday, special 89

Men's Stiff and Soft Hats, newest blocks for spring, 1906, imperial brand, special quality fur felt, special price 1.50

Christy's Famous English Make Derby and Fedora Hats, in all the correct models, for present season's wear, all the leading colors, extra good quality, bargain prices \$2.00 and 2.50

Men's 1.50 Kid Gloves, 98c.
Men's Real French Made Kid Gloves, soft and pliable, smooth even skins, in newest spring shade of tan, neat embroidered backs and gusset fingers, sizes 7 to 12, regular \$1.50, Saturday 98

Fancy Socks Underpriced.
Men's Cotton and Lisle 1-2 Hose, plain and neat, embroidered fronts, circular stripes, with drop stitch, extra fine qualities, double heel and toe, also some plain black cashmere, seamless and heavy ribbed, worsted, with extra spliced heel and toe, regular 95c, Saturday 19

Men's 3.50 and 4.00 Boots for 2.50.
A clearing lot of Men's Fine Boots, worth \$2.50 and \$4.00 per pair, sizes 6 to 10, in the shade of tan, neat embroidered backs and gusseted Kid and Black Kid leathers, every pair a genuine Goodyear welt, Saturday, special 2.50

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CARS IN COLLISION.

Another Bit of Excitement Provided by Bloor St. Trolley.

Something was wrong with the works of a Bloor and McCaul car coming down Spadina-avenue at 6.35 last night. It was one of those little cars with the unreliable brakes that are making the Bloor-street car line famous in the accident arena. A big Belt Line car had stopped at College-street ahead of it. The Bloor-street car bowed along, and O'Brien, the motorman, who is an "extra," and new at the business, tugged at the brake, but his car, No. 446, was stopped by the bump against the other car.

BERNARD SHAW ROASTED.

Difficult to Think With Patience of Him, Says William Winter.

"It is difficult," says William Winter, in one of his characteristic outbursts, "to think with patience or to write with tolerance of the plays of Mr. George Bernard Shaw—for, to a thoughtful mind, perceptive of their latent, and mischievous perversity, they are a source of mingled irritation and disgust.

"Mr. Shaw is a clever Irishman, and like most Irishmen, a shallow egotist, and happy in a grievance against society. His style is glib and profane, and his writings show some inventive skill, combined with a certain amount of force and originality. Most of his plays, however, do not rest on an unbalanced mind, a shallow egotism, unsound, wavering or wrong principle, prodigious variety and the mournful complacency of insensate conceit. Cursed with the desire to impress people as brilliant, this dramatist succeeds only in being ineffectually smart."

"Mr. Shaw's aim is to turn everything upside down and inside out; to exploit paradox; to shine in perit epigram. In this latter particular he is sometimes fortunate and sometimes not. A blind hog will trot up a good screw, a blind hog will trot up a good screw, a blind hog will trot up a good screw, a blind hog will trot up a good screw."

"Another of his plays, how current, 'Man and Superman' by name, is one long dialogue of jaundiced satire, flamboyant paradox and cheap cynicism.

"A recent deliverance of this author, as to parents and children, sufficiently indicates the fibre of his intellect and the quality of his moral nature. Nobody lives with children, he said, except people who are obliged to do so, and it won't be well that places of refuge should be provided so that children might be rescued from the demoralizing influence of home."

"In brief, Mr. Shaw's purpose is to attract attention, and this purpose he has, in a measure, accomplished, by paradox of speech and by a toposturary morality that seems to mean something to 'qualified old maids and disappointed widows'—and satisfied, discontented women in general."

"Ah, sweetheart," sighed a young man, kneeling at the feet of his dearest own, "don't thou know what all things is nearest my heart?"

"Really, I can't say. Oh, she sweetly replied, "but in this cold weather I should think it was a flannel shirt."
"She was too practical, and it broke the argument."—Chicago Tribune.

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