### ANGLICAN CHURCHES REPORT PROSPERITY DURING YEAR

### Annual Vestry Meetings Indicate Growth Of Church Work and Givings In the Year Just Closed.

church development during the year just closed. Encouraging financial statements committee, the Daughters of the King, the lan Blair, J. Moul Jr. erable sums for new building and equip-

Although the financial report showed a loss of \$244, the Church of St. John the etery committee. Evangelist showed a flourishing state in \$3,240.05, with unpaid accounts aggre- contested, placed in the surrogate court.

The following church officers were elect-Auditors, H. B. Archer and C. H. re-elected people's warden. The other Beard; vestry clerk, Claude Brown; select vestry by the rector, B. S. Murray, H. E.

Gilmour, the organist, and the choir for the excellent cantata and Easter music provided by them.

### ALL SAINTS'

At the All Saints' Church vestry meeting held last night the following church officers were elected: Church CHURCH OF REDEEMER. warden, H. C. Slade; peoples' warden, W. A. Langford; third-year vestry

ing a balance on hand.

master and to the choir generally.

### CT. GEORGE'S.

St. George's Church vestry voted a T. Hodgins was reappointed rector's St. George's Church vestry voted a T. Hodgins was reappointed rector raise of \$100 in the salary of the rector, warden; George Geognegan re-elected Rey, Canon G. B. Sage. R. A. Y. Stinchpeople's warden, and T. H. Ashman, vescombe was elected rector's warden, and try clerk. The sidesmen are H. S. Windowski. vestry clerk. Delegates to the Anglican Synod will be J. K. H. Pope, and T. F. and George Geoghegan Jun.

Dexter. Substitutes appointed were T. R. The envelope committee for the ensuing Legislation Authorize

Howard, for the choir-seat kneeling ghegan, J. Thompson, T. Hodgins, Mrs. benches, which he donated. The audi-Osborne, Miss Hardy, Miss Brett, Mrs. tors, J. K. H. Pope and A. H. Jefferies Ashman and Mrs. Birch. ere re-elected. The rector, Rev. Mr. Ashby, was voted To The following are the ushers appointed: an increase in stipend of \$100. were re-elected.

Perkins, and T. Monteith.

church indebtedness to be \$4,000, as 101-Guild, \$3.09; sick and needy 1und (relews: Churchwarden's account, \$3.507.64; ceipts) \$24.57.

W. A. missionary, \$191.48; junior W. A. missionary, \$60.31; King's Daughters, dens, the choir, the organist, Miss Flory, and the various churc's organizations for the largest dense the very \$285.12; Bible class, \$70.85; church guild, their work during the year.

### ST. MATHEW'S

showed a substantial balance for the year. ed substitute. Donations to mission funds amounted to ST. MARK'S. about \$225, which is an increase of between \$40 and \$50 over last year. Fred Nicholas was elected as people's warden, and Thomas Fox for the rector.

The rectory committee will be James . Mahon, Harry Carson, and Fred Nicholas The Ladies' Guild and the A. Y. P. A. were asked to appoint members of the

Synod delegates will be: John Hitchins posed of the following: John Metcalf. John Moulton, Fred Butler and R. Deponte. Votes of thanks were tendered to Mrs. Ardiel for donation of alms basins. and to Mrs. Wyckoff, for donations of thancel linen. The attendance at the meeting was a large one.

### ST. JAMES'.

Preceding the annual vestry meeting at St. James' Church, South London, last Hodgins. night, a congregational meeting was held, at which Very Rev. Dean Davis presided. of the recent meeting of the synod was of the church. read by A. Nash. Messrs. Nash, Judd and for the year. Substitutes are J. A. Thompson, W. B. Pope and G. P. Colyer. At the meeting of the vestry which fol-

lowed an encouraging wardens' report was presented by Mr. Hunt. After meeting all expenses there was a balance of \$73.10. The following wardens for the year were appointed: W. B. Richardson, T. Maine. Auditors are Dr. Ross Thomas and J. E. Dawson. Select vestry, E. Manuel, C. Manser, J. Dyer, C. Hore, J. C. Judd, J. Hardy, Arthur White, John Weld, A. C. Hunt, J. E. Dawson, A. Nash and G. B

The question of forming an athletic club will be dealt with by the church warden and the select vestry. The total sum raised by the congrega-

### tion and the various societies was \$6,850.

ST. PAUL'S. All departments of the work of St. Paul's Cathedral were encouragingly reported contributions had seen made to St. upon at the annual vestry meeting held in Mark's Church, Alexandra Sanatorium,

Cronyn Hall last night. The rector, Rev. Huron College, and to many charitable Dr. L. Norman Tucker presided. ceipts for the year totalled \$17,526.54. leaving a substantial balance above the expenditure of \$892.52, exclusive of balances of \$4,252.16 on hand for organ improvements and \$411.02 on hand for Sunday school alterations. Very favorable reports were submitted on the work car- had partaken of Holy Communion. ried on by the church organizations, including the choir report presented by F.

Vestry meetings of the various Anglican G. Kilmaster, the Boy Scout report prechurches of the city, held last evening, insented by E. H. Raymond and H. B. Galdicate the growth that has been made in church development during the year just Junior Women's Auxiliary the fall visiting the product of the city of the city, held last evening, insented by E. H. Raymond and H. B. Galdicate the growth that has been made in church development during the year just Junior Women's Auxiliary the fall visiting the product of the city St. Paul's Cathedral branch W. A., the lan Blair, J. Moul Jr. St. Paul's A. Y. P. A. report by H. J. Loment for many of the congregations were the features of the yearly reports.

St. Paul's A. Y. P. A. report by H. J. Logan, the St. Paul's Sunday School by K. S. Matthews (superintendent), the report of the Girls' Friendly Society, the Church ways and means, and to report at a Workers' Society, and the Woodland Cem-

Subscriptions to date to the new organ TRINITY. all departments. The church debt was reduced by \$1,500 during the past year, and the remainder, \$21,000, has been subscribed. The Ladies' Guild raised \$700 timated at \$25,000, and acting on behalf and built a kitchen, etc. The total income of the church, Mr. Bayly has made appliwas \$3.692.69 and the expenditures cation to have the will, which has been Dr. W. H. Moorhouse was reappointed

rector's warden and J. Harley Brown was

church officers are: Vestry clerk, A. G. Smyth; auditor, R. Blandford; verger, L. Gates, C. B. Edwards, Oliver Ellwood, T. Pinell; sidesmen, A. W. Fraser, Gordon F. Kingsmill Jr. C. H. Beard; select Hunt, John M. Moore, J. H. Hiscocks, R. estry by the people, Judge Elliott, Stephen Blandford, Lieut.-Col. Hodgins, Dr. W. J. B. Archer, Colonel Fisher, J. Robinson, J. H. A. Beattie, G. Pearson, A. B. McKiflop and G. H. Davis. The ap- D. Holman, T. H. Carling, J. Labatt, Dr. pointment of the wardens was postponed C. T. Campbell, F. J. Hammond, W. J. Reid, W. T. Strong, Dr. Moorhouse, Frank A vote of thanks was extended to C. E. Reid, John S. Labatt, Hugh Labatt, E. Weld, C. B. Hunt, J. M. Slater, J. Harley Brown, T. H. Baker, Harvey Skey, T. G. Meredith, J. I. A. Hunt, W. McK. Millman, F. W. Raymond, Courtney Raymond, F. W. Farncomb, W. Chester Butler, James

A. Bayly

Colerick, J. N. Whitehead, A. M. Smart. R.

The Church of the Redeemer, Adelaide elerk, Eugene Risier; auditors, E. Ris-land Grosvenor streets, will decide either kind." elerk, Eugene Risler; auditors, E. Ris-tand Grosvenor streets, will decide either ler, J. Webster, W. Slade; select vest on the enlargement of the present church try-rector's choice, J. B. Jones, E. R. building or the erection of a new church Doughty, K. Webster, O. W. Connelly, at the adjourned vestry meeting Monday, and C. Hewitt; peoples' April 27. At the vestry meeting last night, and they include the best people of all the association was originally founded.

| Companyition | April 28 | Companyition | April 29 | Companyition | Companyit P. Chadwick and C. Hewitt; peoples and the rector, Rev. H. B. Ashby; the rector's communities. Aware of this popular opin-many years ago by Sir George Williams. e. R. Westby, W. Slade, W. Bow- many years ago by Sir George williams. W. Gibbens, Ald. J. Gwalchmai, warden, T. Hodgins, and the people's war- ion, the management of the local associa- Then it confined itself solely to local work; A. E. Wood; ushers, W. Connelly, W. den. George Geoghegan, were appointed a tion the more freely appeals to the citi-now its operations extends to the Orient zens of London for funds to enable it the and an estimate of the cost of the re- better to carry on its work here and take greatly broadened. It is for both the The financial reports demonstrate moval to the north and the enlargement a larger part in the efforts that are being home and foreign causes that next week's the church to be in a satisfactory con- of the present brick-veneer building to made for social, moral and religious betdition, each treasurer's report credit- provide additional Sunday school accommodation which is urgently needed. The A vote of thanks was tendered by question of erecting a new church and whole vestry to Miss Josie Mc- using the present building as a Sunday Bride for her admirable work at the school room and parish hall may be conorgan, to E. R. Doughty as choir- sidered as an alternative plan. The total receipts of the church for the year were \$1,134.98, leaving a balance on hand of

F. G. Turville re-elected for peoples' war-field, F. G. Hardy, J. H. Thompson, F. den. N. P. Pope was also re-elected as Thompson, H. Ashman and W. J. Thompson, H.

The envelope committee for the ensuing A vote of thanks was tendered T. R. year includes H. S. Winfield, George Geo-

North aisle, J. H. Hobbs, W. Hunt. W. Favorable balances on hand were re-North aisle, J. H. Hobbs, W. Hunt, W.: Landing Bending, L. Paul, H. Tolhurst, J. Bry-ported by all the church organizations, as Proposed Bill Would Put Black ant: south aisle, H. R. K. Tozer, W. R. follows: Women's Guild, \$327.40: Sunday Kennedy, F. Hodgins, R. Newcombe, Bert school, \$14.27; A. Y. P. A., \$64.17 (from erkins, and T. Monteith. receipts amounting to \$93.20); Girls' W. The financial statement shows the A. \$5.37; Junior W. A., 71 cents; Altar church indebtedness to be \$4,000, as fol- Guild, \$3.09; sick and needy fund (re-

At the annual congregational meeting, which preceded the vestry meeting. H. of Tillsonburg, and is now in the hands S. Winfield was elected lay delegate to of the provincial secretary, which, if Vestry reports of St. Mathew's Church the Synod, and J. H. Thompson was elect- accepted by the Legislature, will work

The annual vestry meeting of St. Mark's Church was held last evening in the Sunday school room with a large attendance of members. The incumbent Rev. A. L. Beverly was in the chair and opened the meeting with prayer.

committee. It reported that \$454.34 had been subscribed toward the new rectory during the year. The church wardens report showed a balance on hand as did other reports, but as none of the and E. Varson, the substitute delegates reports had been audited they will be appointed were John Moulton and Harry presented at an adjourned meeting to be held in two weeks.

John C. Richardson was appointed

rector's warden, and William Wills-elected people's warden, and Wallace Dunston vestry clerk. The sidesmen elected for the ensuing

year were as follows: Messrs. W. E. Dunston, John Whittaker, E. Tridge, F. Garrett, Knox Garrett, Albert Smith, Geo. Richardson, Murray Morrison. Auditors: Mark Garrett and Adam Votes of thanks were passed to the

organist, Miss C. Langford, Geo. Mar-In his opening remarks, Dean Davis paid tin, choir leader, and the members of a fitting tribute to the late George White, the choir, for their efficient services. Mrs. C. J. Fox and Mrs. Maine, the oldest and to E. Dunean Latham, for his work member of the congregation. A report lettering and painting the notice board ent at yesterday's meeting, and in the A vote of thanks was proposed, and

Davis were made delegates to the synod unanimously carried thanking the incumbent for his work, and the progress of the church during the past few months. At a meeting of the congregation

### William Wills was elected lay representative to the Synod. Meeting adjourned to meet in two weeks. CRONYN MEMORIAL.

At the Annual Vestry meeting of the ronyn Memorial Church, the reports from the rector and wardens showed the church to be in a most flourishing condition.

The financial statement showed that during the past year a revenue of \$8,897.414 had been received, and that after all liabilities had been met there for their work, and would thus give remained a surplus on hand of over \$1,000.00

The reports showed that contribuions through the envelope system had increased over \$1,800. During the year works.

Te Rector's report stated that during the year 34 baptisms had been made 18 marriage ceremonies performed, and 186 burials conducted; 56 had been presented by rector for confirmation, and on Easter Sunday 508 parishioners The Rector appointed as his Warden for the ensuing year William King-Promoted by F.

Promoted and maintained by the use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Sample of each free with 32-Address "Cuticura,"

J. Childs, and Ed. Gibson. The people elected as their members of the Select Vestry: Dr. E. Seaborne, Thos. Tre-

leaven, D. H. Howden, F. G. Jewell, Geo. T. Brown, T. A. Wright. As lay representatives to the Synod, F. P. Betts, K.C., M. D. Fraser, K.C., and H. M. Graydon were elected, with Frank Hayman, Dr. Black and C. H. Keene as alternatives. The usual votes of thanks were passed to the different church organizations, and to the clergy for their services during the year. Great credit being due to the rector, Rev. R. W. Norwood, and his assistant, Rev. S. R. Heakes, for the position the church now occupies and for the future being exceedingly bright.

The question of building a new parways and means, and to report at a special general meeting of the congre-

terment in foreign fields.

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smiths on Plane With

Professions.

Members of the Master Horseshoers

Association, of Ontario, are seeking to make their organization a close cor-

poration. A bill has been prepared by

the association's solicitor, L. C. Brown,

a drastic change in the business of

The bill proposes to put the horse-

shoers on a plane with the legal,

dental, medical and other professions,

insofar, as under its provisions, only

men bearing regularly-certified dip-

lomas and having certain qualifica-

tions, would be eligible to practice the

gentle art of tacking footwear on

equine feet. Yearly examinations would be conducted and each master

horseshoer that it to say, each man

having a shop of his own, would have

to pass the government tests and be-

come a member of the provincial as-

sociation, the whole procedure corres-

ponding to that provided for aspirants

to the medical profession. In addition

to a two and a half years' apprentice-

ship under a competent instructor, each

candidate for horseshoeing honors, would be required to put in three

months at the Ontario Veterinary Col-

al anatomy.

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ue, Peterboro.

lake, St. Thomas.

ege in acquiring a knowledge of hors-

Comes Up Next Session.

Though the bill was sent to the pro-

vincial secretary some time ago, and was dated to take effect in April 1915.

there is little likelihood of its being

formally presented to the house dur-

ing the present session. The associa-

tion's solicitor, Mr. Brown, was pres-

evening thoroughly explained the var-

lous clauses of the bill, pointing out

t would be necessary for every mem-

that in order to secure its acceptance,

ber of the association to "get next" to

his especial representative in the Leg-

Mr. Brown frankly admitted that it

was the idea of the association to

make of itself a close corporation. The

bill, it was pointed out, is aimed at

the cut-rate shoers and the men who

refuse to join the association and aid

in the general boosting of prices. There

were delegates who were free to admit

their doubts as to the possible approval of the bill by the Legislature.

The fact that the measure places res-

Recording and financial secretary—Walter Roberts, Hamilton.
Treasurer—John Gardner, Brantford.
Organizer—George Church, Hamil-

Board of managers-Pat. Wherry,

In the afternoon, the delegates were welcomed by the vice-president, F. D. King, who presided, and later listened

Hamilton; John Brothwick, ville, and G. P. Hicks, Paris.

horseshoeing in this province.

At the Easter vestry meeting in Trinity Church tonight the wardens presented a yearly report showing a gratifying increase in membership and general families are now included in the congre-

Owing to large obligations entailed by

Y. M. C. A. WORK'S SCOPE

Much information regarding the work realy and generous

dens were not able to show a credit bal-ance this year. Rev. Canon Ridley pre-sided. Messrs. J. H. Hancock, B. A., and William Baird were re-elected

ST. JOHN'S, LONDON TP.

Reports presented at the annual vestry meeting of St. John's Church, London Township, last night, showed the pas year to have been the most successful in the history of the church. The rector Venerable Archdeacon Richardson presided at the meeting, the attendance at which was unusually large. The reports of the wardens, the Sunday school, the rectory fund, the St. John's Guild, the A. Y. P. A., the cemetery account, and the W. A., showed an aggregate balance on hand of \$293.26.

Archdeacon Richardson nominated Bart Powell, rector's warden, and George Cary was elected people's warden. The other church officers for the ensuing year are: Joseph Docker and Charles Lecky, sidesmen, and George McComb, vestry clerk. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring wardens, S. Newcombe and W. Gra ham, who have been wardens for the past five years; to Mrs. Thomas McComb, who recently resigned as organist; to Miss May Newcombe, who has succeeded Mrs. Mc-Comb as organist; to the choir, the Guild, and other church organizations. The recprogress in parish affairs. Over 400 tor presented a report of his ininisterial work during the year. At the congregational meeting which followed the vestry meeting, R. A. Powell was elected lay erection of a \$10,000 parish hall and other delegate to the synod, with William Gradrafts on the substantial revenue, war- ham as substitute.

o an address by Mayor C. M. R. Gra-

ham. Of the 800 members of the assoc-

lation, nearly 200 were in attendance

A number of manufacturers of

horseshoers' supplies had exhibits of

goods on hand. In a toss-off, McLaren.

Among those present at the sessions

were: J. E. Devlin and H. Buckburough

(Tillsonburg), Fred. D. King (Aylmer),

. Steele (Jarvis), M. S. Donoghue (Peter-

boro), J. K. Smith (Belleville), John Jones

(Belleville), T. Bradshaw (St. Marys), T.

S. Keller (Campbellford), J. H. Mahoney,

T. K. Sherman (Smith's Falls). J. H.

Black (Ottawa), D. Fraser (London), C.

W. Pearce (St. Thomas), George Samp-

A. Bull (Woodstock), G. A. Cook (Toron-

Borthwick (Brockville), W. Prust (London), W. Reougth (London), N. R. Gra-

ham (London), T. L. Webb (Cookstown).

C. J. Clute (Cookstown), Lyon Kelly

(Kingston), W. C. Palmer (Chatham),

Fred Morris (Bracebridge), H. Chittick

(Kingsville), R. O. Bolt (St. Thomas), W.

J. Lashbrook (London), D. R. Macdonald

(Dixie), James N. Carroll (Newark, N. J.).

J. L. Morrow (Brighton), A. T. Crosby,

Robert B. Easton (Brockville), C. A.

**BURIAL TO BE AT THEDFORD** 

Forest, April 13.-Mr. and Mrs. Claude

Brown, of London, spent the holidays

Milton McCordic, of Sarnia public

school staff, spent the holidays here

Chas. Cole, of Toronto, spent the holi-

L. A. L. Watis, of the Bank of Com-

merce, is spending a few days at his

The remains of Miss Cora Downing

who died in Quill Lake, Sask., the 9th

inst., will arrive in Forest Wednesday.

The funeral services will be held at her

mother's residence, Jefferson street, af-

ter which the remains will be taken to

Thedford for interment in Pinehill Ceme-

tery. Mrs. Downing will accompany the

remains, having gone to Quill Lake on

receiving news of her daughter's illness,

he bought from S. Shepherd, on James

street. L Coleman moved to the Van

Valkenburg terrace, where Mr. Decker

left, and Mr. Pierson, the new electric

light engineer, will move into that part

of the Greenbough house, on Queen

street, that Mr. Coleman vacated.

Geo. Decker has moved to the house

days here with his grandmother, Mrs.

with his mother, Mrs. H. McCordic.

DIED IN SASKATCHEWAN,

Smith (Brigden) and others.

here with friends.

home in St. Catharines.

W. Sparling.

RATES Son, B. Lipsitt (Mount Bryeges), E. Gander (London), A. Lumley (Denfield),

of Toronto, won a blower donated by

at the convention.

a Buffalo concern.

HAS VASTLY CHANGED

Into Orient.

by the degree of its interest in its Young next, when most of the pulpits will be oc-

## Rice Company's Plant is Destroyed.

WHOLE BLOCK THREATENED

Presence of Gasoline Tanks Rendered Firemen's Task a Difficult One.

Fire, breaking out in the rear building of the plant of the Rice Cigar Box Company on Ridout street, about 11:45 last all the shavings and sawdust as it comes night, completely gutted the structure, endangering the lives of firemen and the safety of adjoining buildings, before it was finally extinguished after a stubborn fight, lasting almost two hours. A rough estimate of the damage was placed at

A passing pedestrian, noticing a red glow through one of the upper windows discernible from York street, rushed to Within a few minutes every piece of regular apparatus from the Central Station was on the scene of the blaze and even while the men sprang for hydrant Instead of Being Purely Local Institution Its Field Extends and hose the flames burst through the roof, while the interior was a mass of and hose the flames burst through the seething flames that shot through cracks and crannies between the eaves and the

The building is located in the midst of "You can test the modern community," | and aims of the Y. M. C. A. will be given said President Woodrow Wilson recently, London church congregations on Sunday which threatened to catch at any moment and thus give impetus to a con-Men's Christian Association-a common cupied by men right in the work; and flagration. The rear of Hendrick's garinvestment that yields a most beautiful when the canvassers begin their campaign usury to the common benefit of all man- on Tuesday next, to continue the two folage backs against part of the west wall of the structure and it was at this end

> It was known that huge tanks of gasoline were stored at the garage, but an investigation showed that they were on the west side of the building, and remote from the fire.

the firemen were able to lay lines of amy. hose to the spot. Narrow lanes, guarded feel confident that the response will be them down. Meanwhile the precious minutes sped, and the fire gained headway. Smoke belched in blinding clouds heavenwards, and huge pillars of flames curled and towered on high. Red tongues licked hungrily at the cemnt garage, but could not for the time make an impres-

Fighting stubbornly, Fire Chief John Aitken and his men laid several lines of hose through a lane to the east of the burning building, while two others were taken in through the garage to the rear. Meanwhile companies placed lines from King and Ridout streets. Within the shortest possible interval a dozen power ful streams were playing on the conflagration, but even this strong battling force failed to check the advance of the

son, B. Lipsitt (Mount Brydges), E. B. Fight In Darkness. M. V. Parker (Morpeth), A. Ritchie (Ridgetown), R. B. Doherty (St. Thomas). Groping their way recklessly over lumber piles and broken glass, the fire-George Ritchie fighters managed to drag several lines to severely when I tried to urinate. (Ridgetown), N. R. Pond (Jarvis), Thos. the rear of the building. Here ladders Rumball (Melbourne), L. Kneiger (Mon- were placed against the side of a lean-to Albert E. Johnson (London), R. Hislop swaying, smoking, hot perch they held me to try GIN PILLS, which I did-T. N. De Gar (Toronto), C. F. Schultz the front battered down the door and me entirely." (Clifford), M. J. Rallis (St. Thomas), W. played tons and tons of water through the aperture. to), A. J. T. Thorn (Springford), John

With thousands of gallons a minute from high-pressure hydrants deluging the interior, the fighters gradually were rewarded by getting the blaze confined to

the north end. Streak of Flame

When the first hose was carried through from York street, a sheet of flame was rising from the centre of the building. Other sections arrived and six lines of hose were quickly laid. Fire Chief Aitken turned out and led the fire fighters. Steadily they drove the blaze along the roof towards the brick wall at the south end, and it seemed as though they would have little trouble in getting the conflagration under control. Then it broke out again at the north end and the fight began over again. Smashing the windows, the firemen ran two lines of hose into the building, which was now a seething mass of flames.

Then a section of the roof fell. Heavy, black smoke drove the hardy firemen out again, and they sought once more to quench the blaze on the roof. It was nearly 2 o'clock before the fire was finally placed under control. The building was completely ruined, only the blackened walls and a few sections of the



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"The great loss, however, will be the nconvenience. I will open again at once," Mr. Rice declared, "for the orders are so heavy that I have had to keep the hands working overtime to keep up with them."

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## BY ST. THOMAS GIRL

Bert Molineaux, Former Ball Player. Appears in Hamilton Police

Court. Hamilton, April 13 .-- After having been sent for trial last Saturday on a charge of stealing an overcoat and \$60, Bert Molineaux, the well-known exballplayer, made a second appearance from the fire.

It was with the utmost difficulty that local girl, Pearl Ringer, 18, with big-

Molineaux is said to have married by locked and bolted gates, defied their wife No. 1 at Graham, N. C., on Sept. entrance. They were forced to batter 20, 1911. The Ringer girl claims she married him at St. Thomas, Ont., July 26. 1912. The case was laid over for a week to allow the authorities to in-

## Railroad Man Had to Lay Off

### Until He Took GIN PILLS Buffalo, N. Y.

"I have been a Pullman conductor on the C. P. R. and Michigan Central for the last three years. "About four years ago 1 was laid up with intense pain in the groin, a very sore back, and suffered most "I treated with my family physician for two months for Gravel in treal), William Cameron (Belleville), L. and on this flimsy platform, with no pro- the Bladder, but did not receive any M. Maunder (Toronto), Fred D. King tection from the deluge of water, played other railroad man who had been from the other side of the building and Laren (Toronto), Charles Summerhays with the fire scorching faces and hands similarly affected and who had been (Brantford), George McVittie (Hamilton), the men hung tenaciously to their posts.

E. T. Hreks (Paris), E. Buckborraugh Under cover of two streams of water two been given up by a prominent physi-(Brantford), Fred. Holt (Brantford), John of the Central crew were able to chop clan who treated him for Diabetes. He Gardner (Brantford). Edgar Grant away a window frame to permit the in- is now running on the road and is (Springfield), James Hallam (Hamilton), serting of the nozzle of a hose. On their perfectly cured. He strongly advised (Hamilton), T. P. S. Powers (Toronto), the advantage gained while comrades at with the results that the pains left

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Fleischmann's Yeast

### LOST THREE OF CREW

Lunenburg, N. S., April 13.—With her flag flying at half-mast the Lunenburg fishing schooner Associate. Capt. Albert Backman, arrived here today from the banks and reported the loss of three of her crew. They were all young Nova Scotians and they lost their lives while setting their yawls. The victims were two brothers, Cleveland, and a mar

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### Mrs. John Livingston is filling the position of organist in the Congregational Church in the absence of Miss Clara opportunity for fixing price schedules purely at the fancy of the association. Prout, who is visiting in the west. At the annual meeting of the Ladies s regarded as likely to defeat the bill. Guild of Christ Church, the following offi-The farmers who constitute the largest customers of the horseshoers, are cers were elected: President, Mrs. F. A. Walters; vice-president, Mrs. H. O. expected to be greatly opposed to the measure fathered by the association. The association selected Peterboro Lane; secretary, Mrs. D. Coffey; treas-urer, Miss Edith Jones. or next year's convention and elected for next year's convention and the the following officers: New Officers. President—T. R. Degeer, Toronto, First vice-president—Fred D. King, Most people would be benefited by the occa-Second vice-president-M. S. Donegsional use of Third vice-president-Frank West-

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### roof remaining. Owner Arrives. Gustave Rice, the owner of the factory, could give no explanation of the outbreak.