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## BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO TAKE AWAY 30,000 BARS

License Reduction on an Enormous Scale is Provided for in the Government's New Bill in Great Britain.

LONDON, Mar. 3—Rt. Hon. Mr. Asquith, chancellor of the exchequer, has introduced in the house of commons the government's long-looked-for licensing bill. Its sweeping provisions will, if enacted, reduce the number of licensed houses in England and Wales by one-third, doing England and Wales by one-third, doing away with about 30,000 bars at which

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### **WOMEN SMOKE ON WAY TO THE OPERA**

New York Women Discovered Puffing Cigarettes When Electric Light Beams Into Their Carriage.

### SUFFRAGETTES' BILL PASSES FIRST READING subscribed for the erection of an Ang

### **PRUSSIAN SUICIDES.**

Statistics Made Up Show Ver Significant Figures

BERLIN, Mar. 3-Statistics relative suicide in Prussia during 1906 are ju NEW YORK, Mar. 2—Two women going to the opera in a carriage Saturday night caused mingled amusement and surprise to a crowd at forty-second street and Broadway when their vehicle was stopped in the electric light and it was seen they were smoking cigarettes. Two men in evening dress were the other occuppants of the carriage. They also smoked. They were visibly annoyed when the carriage was stopped so long that almost every one on the sidewalk saw the women and the cigarettes. The remarks passed by persons along the curb apparently disquieted the women as well as their escorts.

The carriage approached Broadway from the east and the coachman was about to turn south in Broadway toward the Metropolitan Opera House when a stream of traffic in Broadway held him and other drivers in Forty-second street.

Several minutes elapsed before one of the men in the carriage thought of drawing the curtains. One of the windows was lowered a trifle from the top and a thin trail of cigarette smoke filtered through the aperture.

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## NATIONAL THEATR BERLIN, March 3-Capital has b

PASSES FIRST READING

wining Point Scored by London
Women Who Want to VoteThey Cheer.

LONDON, March 2—The women's enfranchisement bill passed its first reading
in the House of Commons by a vote of
271 to 92 and as soon as the news reached Westminster palace yard the witing
crowds of excited women suffragists who
had assembled there broke out in cheers.
The measure is identical with a bill which
was defeated March 8, 1907.

Herbert Gladstone, the home secretary,
who spoke in behalf of the government,
said he left the decision of the House to
the views of its individual members. Personally, he favored the principles of the
bill, but he thought that the great mass
of public opinion would have to be moved
before any effect could be given it. Mr.
Gladstone added that it had not been demonstrated that women as a whole desired to secure the privilege of voting. The
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to the vote of the house being taken and
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to its reference to a committee of the
whole house the bill is effectually shelved
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# FOR OPPOSITION TICKETS THROUGH WHOLE PROVINCE

Maxwell, Wilson, Hatheway and McInerney Elected in St. John by Large Majorty---Four Opposition Members Returned from York Co. --- Looks Like Victory in Albert and Kings--- BURNED TO DEATH There Is No Reason to Doubt that the Provincial Government is Defeated.

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NON-RESIDENTS. 

# St. John County Returns from St. John county: St. Martins and Musquash parishes are as follolm, No. 1, Lower Norton, Hampton and

Clean Sweep in York

In Albert Four polls out of ten in Albert County

**Victory in Kent** Kent County has elected the entire op-

# UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN FOR WORLD PEACE

Notable Addresses Delivered at Veterans Dinner in Boston Last Night---Ambassador Bryce One of the Speakers

BOSTON, March 3—British Ambassador James Bryce, Governor Curtis Guild Jr., and Bishop Wm. Lawrence were the principal speakers at the 15th annual dinner of the Society of Colonial Wars of Massachusetts, at the Somerset Hotel last night. Mr. Bryce said that the differences and the hard feelings of the war of 1812 between Great Britain and the United States had entirely passed away, and the time had come when England and the

## **WARMING A DOLL**

Four-Year-Old Girl Loses Life While Her Baby Sisters Laugh at Her Agony.

NEW YORK, March 3—Seeking to give warmth to the little rag doll with which she was playing yesterday morning, Annonie Toretsky, four years old, got too near the kitchen range in the home of her father, Louis Toretsky, No. 21 North Centre street, Orange, and was burned to death. The child was locked in the apartments of the family on the second floor of the building with two sisters, Mary Rose, three years old, and Lena, nine months, the companies of clock, when Mrs. Torets the form nine of clock, when Mrs. Torets are considered to the little rag doll with which she was playing yesterday morning, Annone was playing yesterday morning was playing yesterday morning was playing yesterday morning and yesterday was playing yesterda

three blocks away.

While the older children were playing Annie went to the stove and her clothing was soon ablaze. The little sufferer made scarcely any outcry and her baby sister cried in glee as the little one ran about the room affame. Dropping unconscious under a table. Annie slowly burned to death. A neighbor wishing to see Mrs. Toretsky tried the door of the apartment, and, smelling smoke, peeped through a keyhole. The sight sent her screaming to the street and the discovery of the tragedy followed.

TORONTO, March, 3. (Special)—It now appears that it is because of the claims of two "widows" of the late Dr. Acland Oronhyatekha, that the I. O. F. have withheld payment on his policies for \$2,000 and \$3,000. A South Dakota divorce provides the complications.

BILL URGED BY CLERGY

BARS COMMUNION WINE

They Discover Hidden Meaning in

## STRENUOUS HOCKEY

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BANQUET TO WHITNEY

Two Hundred of Them Are Held in Vancouver Pending Decision on the Natal Act.

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**DEPORTATION** 

Clause in Local Option Measure and Now Work for an Amend-

was the scene of a desperate struggle between hockey teams representing the two well known business firms of W. Malcolm Mackay and Wm. Thomson & Co. The struggle was fierce throughout in spite of the five goals scored by the Mackay team to their opponents' frenzied efforts to find the net. Many old veterans of the game were on the ice as will be seen from the line up, but Ledingham of Thomson's, hitherto an "unknown" in hockey was beyond doubt the star performer, although it must be confessed some of his tactics were evidently intended to excite the sympathy of the fair spectators of whom there was a large and representative number.

H. Clawson refereed the game in a very satisfactory manner.

The line-up:—
Thomsons

Goal.

Coomins

Goal.

Coomins

Goal.

Coomins

Mackays

Goal.

Coomins

Left Wing.

TRENTON, N. J., March 2—Although clergymen in all parts of the state have been urging the passage of the local option bill now pending in the legislature, several prominent churchmen have discovered a provision which, if the bill were passed, would interfere with a custom in half of the churches in the state.

This provision makes it a misdemeanor to serve communion wine in any district that may be voted "dry" under the provisions of the bill. A clergyman guilty of serving communion wine in the anti-saloon district where the voters at a special election had decided that no liquor be sold would be liable for the first offence to a fine of not less than \$50 or more than \$250, and if a second offence were committed the place where it occurred would have to be abated as a nuisance or the clergyman compelled to give a bond of \$1,000 not to further violate the law.

The measure expressly provides that no person, either personally or through an agent, shall either sell, furnish or give away any intoxicating liquor.

The sole exceptions made to this provision several a provision which, if the bill were passage of the local option bill now red a provision which, if the churches in the state.

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The sole exceptions made to this provision are in the cases of brewers and druggists, who may have their business places in "dry" districts. Brewers may sel their wares at wholesale to persons the control of the case of t

tell by prescription.

Clergymen are now anxious that the bill be amended so as to permit the serving of

BANQUET TO WHITNEY

TORONTO, Mar. 2—(Special)—R. L.
Borden, the Toronto members and the Ontario cabinet ministers attended onservative banquet to J. P. Whitney, premier, in King Edward Hotel tonight. It was a big affair.

The choir of Main street Baptist church were entertained last night by Dr. and Mrs. McIntyre, who are members. A pleasant evening was spent with vocal and instrumental music. Chairman W. H. White, of the choir committee, thanked the hosts of the evening.

## CHICAGO'S POLICE CHIEF A VERY NERVY OFFICIAL

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