THE RAILWAY LINES

DR. JAMES MILLS ADDRESSES OTTAWA CANADIAN CLUB.

ms That Are Needed-Outline of Work of the Railway Commission-Difficulties Which Are Daily Met

Ottawa, Feb. 2.-Dr. James Mills, of the Railway Commission, gave an illuminative address before the Ottawa Canadian Club at luncheon Saturday on the consittution, jurisdiction, and work of the commission.

has been imposed in different propor-tions unon the railway company, the municipality or municipalities, and the

The immense amount of money saved to the people through the work of the commission in dealing with traffic rates, etc., was illustrated by the following concrete, examples of reductions in rates consequent upon orders of the commission.

consequent upon orders of the commission:
Fruit, reductions from a single station, St. Catharines, Ont., to Montreal, on bears, 845 per car; on stagle tender fruits, \$21 per car; on apples, pears, etc., to Winnipeg, \$54 per car; to Brandon. \$72 per can; and on pears and standard tender fruits to other points, east and west, in like proportion; plass bottles, Wallaceburg to Toronto, \$15 per car, and to Hamilton \$18 per car; cooperage stock, Chatham and Wallaceburg to Montreal (local and export) \$4 per car; sulti peas, Toronto to St. John, N. B. (export). \$9 per car; cattle, Windsor and Sarnia to Montreal, \$4.50 per car; metallic shingles, Toronto to Winnipeg, \$30 per car, and to Strathcona, Alberta, \$123 per car; grain, shipments between local points (reduced to same rate as flour), say, Thamesville, Ont., to Montreal, \$24 per car; grain for export, from Windsor to Montreal, \$6 per car, from Guelph \$9 per car, and from Toronto \$6 per car; beans, Chatham to St. John, \$16.50 per car; pears, and transcontinental traffic, eastern Canada to British Columbia terminals, \$15 per car; also a readjust. eastern Canada to British Columbia ter-minals, \$15 per car: also a readjust-ment of rates from distributing centres west of Montreal, so as to place them ment of rates from distributing centres west of Montreal, so as to place them on a fair basis, and a general overhauling of the rates from Ontario points eastbound, reducing and readjusting them so as to abolish the discrimination which has hitherto existed in favor of Detroit, Port Huron and other points in Michigan as compared with Windsor, Sarnia. Chatham and other points in western Ontario. The order providing for these far-reaching and very important readjustments has made extensive reductions in all rates from points in western Ontario to Montreal, Ottawa and other points east as far as St. John, Halifax, and Sydney; for example, Windsor to Montreal, \$26 per car; St. Catharines to Montreal, \$20 per car; St. Thomas to Quebee, \$54 per car; And so on. "I might go much further in this line," he concluded, "but I wish to refer in a word to another side of the question before I close. Speaking of the shipping of fruit, I am glad to be able to inform you that the considerable reduction in rates has resulted in a very large increase in the carload traffic of fruit. Take St. Catharines, the point in rates of fruit. When the reduction was made, three and a balf years ago, a little over ten cars of ruit was shipped from St. Catharines to Winnipeg and solving the second of the stipping of fruit, I was shipped from St. Catharines to Winnipeg and solving from St. Catharin

little over ten cars of ruit was shipped from St. Catharines to Winnipeg and other points west, and during the seaother points west, and during the sea-son just closed, a rather poor one for fruit, something over 100 cars of mixed fruits—that is, ten times as much—was shripped from the same station to the same destination."

FEARS YELLOW PERIL.

German Inspector-General Warns Workers Against Greek.

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Berlin, Feb. 2.—The danger of "the Yellow Peril" from the military and industrial viewpoints was the subject of a lecture on Friday right by Inspector-General Baron Von Der Goltz, who recalled the Mongolian armed inroads into Europe 860 years ago. He said that a new epoch had begun in the industrial world, and warned German workers against demanding overmuch, saying that otherwise they would be unable to withstand the competition of the yellow race.



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of This Prescription.

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The prescription is simple, and can be made up by anyone at home. The ingredients can be had at any good prescription pharmacy and all that is necessary is to shake them well in a bottle.

Here it is: Fluid extract dandelion,

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Here it is: Fluid extract dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; compound syrup of sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. A few doses is said to relieve almost any case of bladder trouble, frequent urination, pain and seedling, weakness and backache, pain above the kidneys, etc. It is now claimed to be the method of curing chronic rheumatism, because of its direct and positive action on the climinative tissues of the kidneys. It cleanses these sponge-like organs and gives them life and power to sift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood relieving the worst forms of Rheumatism and kidfiney and bladder troubles. The extract dandelion acts upon the stomach and liver and is used also extensively for relieving constipation and indigestion. Company as arganarille cleans and Canadian Club at luncheon Saturday on the constitution, jurisdiction, and work of the commission.

Dealing briefly with the scope of the commission's work, he noted that the board had in dealing with railways all the powers and privileges which are vested in a Superior Court. The findings of the board on questions of fact within its jurisdition were binding and conclusive; every decision or order of the board was final, and no order, decision or proceeding could be questioned or reviewed, restrained or removed by any other court. There was a right of appeal from the board to the Suprenc Court of Canada on questions of jurisdiction, and the board might allow appeals to the same court on questions of law, but the only body which of itself could rescind or vary any order, decision, rule or regulation of the board was the Governor in Council.

"The board, he said, "may review, change, alter, vary or rescind its own orders and decisions as often as it thinks proper. Doubtless the reason for giving such extensive powers to the commission was the hope that through it shippers and others having dealings with railway companies, express companies and telephone companies might have their disputes settled and get substantial justice without expensive litting and operating gates, building bridges or subways, etc., to secure protection would be an oppressive burden to the strongest railways and almost bankdupt the weaker ones.

"The problems demanded solution, yet it, was manifest that the cost of installing and operating gates, building bridges or subways, etc., to secure protection ordered, and providing for a fair and reasonable the ine-fixing the terms as to where, when and under what conditions crossings shall be made or protection ordered, and providing for a fair and reasonable distribution of the cost. Wheerver these questions have been dealt with in the United States the cost has been imposed in different proportions unon the railway company, the multiple of the provides of the cost. Wheerver these questions have be

Picton, Feb. 1.—The lives of nearly forty young boys, skating in Boulter's Arena, were endangered at noon to-day. A very hasty snowstorm had passed over the county, and about two hundred to be of the county. tons of snow weighed down the roof, which, with scarce a moment's warning, which, with scarce a moment's warning, caved in. No one was seriously injured, though Joseph Grooms had a particularly narrow escape, being caught and pinned under the falling roof. Mr. Grooms saw the collapse coming, and rushed out on the ice and warned the children off. The loss on the arena is placed at \$20,000.

duc at Hull.

through his heart. He died almost up-on the same spot where his daughter was killed by an eeletric car a short time erg.

TO CRUSH OUT MODERNISM.

Pope Determined it Shall Not Re-Main Within the Church.

Main Within the Church.

Rome, Feb. 2.— Hardly a day passes without some instance of the Pope's determination to crush out modernism among the clergy. In the course of a conversation with a cardinal who is noted for his liberal ideas and who, in mild terms, protest-ed that the severe repressive ideas of his Holiness, expressing the fear parenthically, that many clergymen will be forced to forsake the Church, the Pope is reported to have said in a De forced to forsake the Church, the Pope is reported to have said in a tone of anger unusual to a man of his mild character: "My Lord Cardinal, that is exactly what I wish. I am fully convinced that Modernism

According to the best authority, the trailing clouds of black smoke from mill and factory that hang over so many American cities, darkening the atmosphere and befouling the buildings, could be eliminated if the scientific methods of constructing chimneys and stoking furnaces that prevail in Germany were adopted here.

It is not every strapping laborer who

adopted here.

It is not every strapping laborer who can shovel coal that is permitted to stoke a boiler furnace in Germany. The stoker in that country must learn the theory and practice of economical scientific firing, whereby the coal is so distributed over the grate furnace as to secure the most perfect combustion.

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age of 65. They are the first of the local

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THAW'S CONSIGNMENT TO AN INSANE ASYLUM.

Closing Scene of the Trial When Jury Rendered Its Verdict.



guilty of the murder of Stanford White by reason of insanity at the time the fatal shots were fired, Harry Kendall Thaw to-day was held by the court to be a dangerous funatic, and was whirled away to the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane at Matteawan. It was a quick transition from the dingy little cell in the Tombs, which had been the teen months, to the white-bedded wards of the big asylum fifty miles above the city. The verdict came after twenty The Peculiar Death of Adelard Bol- five hours of waiting, and when every one connected with the case had aban Ottawa, Feb. 2.—Adelard Boldue, a foreman at the Ottawa Transportation Company, slipped and fell on the street in Hull on Saturday, and a pair of scissors in his pocket were driven through his heart. He died almost updriven ed the words "Not guilty," with the account uptesting that he was sane, was on his to Matteawan. A little after nightfall he had been received in the institution under commitment papers, which direct

due course of law."

Thaw Bitterly Disappointed.

The first thrill of the words of acquittal brought Thaw to his feet in the court room, and with that lack of grace of action which always has characterized his movements he wkwardly, almost hurriedly, bowed his acknowledgments to the twelve jurymen as they were discharged by the court. A smile played about his pallid features, and there was every reason to believe that he was entirely pleased with the outcome. It was after he had heard the words of Justice Dowling committing him to Matteawan on the ground that his release, in the opinion of the court, would endanger the public safety, and after the elation of the verdict had died away, that Thaw rebelled. He commanded his attorneys immediately to sue out a writ of habeas corpus to have his sauity tested before he was sent away to the up-State institutive subcase. he was sent away to the up-State insti-tution, where the insane of criminal tendencies are confined.

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Lunacy Commission to be Appointed.

Mrs. William Thaw, from her hotel, where she had received over the telephone the news of the trial's end, joined in the demand of her son. Martin W. Littleton, whose conduct of the case as chief counsel for the defence had won so much favorable comment, finally prevailed against the wishes of the mother, indicating to her that he believed it would be better for the present to obey the mandate of the court. Justice Dowling, it was said, had been consulted in the matter after he had signed his order of commitment, and informally had advised Thaw's counsel against making an immediate contest. The prisoner's consent was not won until after a lively scene with his counsel and bis wife, the latter pleading with him to more than an hour to be content for a time at least with what fate had given him.

Confident of Gaining Freedom.

Under promise that some action speedily would be taken looking to the appointment of a commission to inquire into his present sanity, or for his transfer to a private institution where his wife and other members of his family might reside with him, Thaw consented to go without further protest.

On his way to Matteawan Thaw dictated the following authon the advice of my counsel, who thought it had been consulted to go without further protest.

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New York, Feb. .-Adjudged not unwise to sue for a writ of habeas

unwise to sue for a writ of habeas corpus at this time. Counsel will proceed in the matter of my release just as soon as they can get together the proofs they will present that I am at present sane. I am confident that my stay at Matteawan will be for a short period of time only."

Mr. Littleon is understod to have talked very plainly to Thaw while the subject of suing out a writ of hebeas corpus was under dispussion, and is said to have told him there was such a thing as public sentiment in New York.

So far as lies within his power District Attorney Jerome will resist any effort to have Thaw liberated at any time in the near future. Neither will he willingly consent to his transfer to a sanitarium.

cral hundred persons as he was whirled away from the Tombs in his wife's automobile. If he heard he paid no heed. The machine was so filled with deputies and members of counsel that neither Thaw nor his wife was visible to the waiting through waiting throngs.

Proceedings Brief and Businesslike.

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From the moment that word came from the jury room at 12.40 p. m. that a report was about to be made the closing events of the famous case moved with almost cyclonic rapidity. For a day and a night there had been absolute silence on the part of the jury. Not a suggestion or request of any sort had come to the court, and when Justice Dowling came down to his chambers late in the morning he announced that he would not send for the jury until they sent for him.

just what they hoped for. District At-torney Jerome was almost as well pleas-ed himself. He has contended from the

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

MINING REQULATIONS.

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1\$ per acre. Not more than \$2,660 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

QUARTZ—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500 x 1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is \$5.
At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$250 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon haviother requirements, purchase complying with per acre.

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mmense Damage Done by Cyclone in Mississippi.

Mississippi.

Hazelhurst, Miss., Feb, 2.—More than a score of persons were killed and nearly twice that number were injured in Friday's tornado, according to latest reports. Relief parties were sent out to day. Among those hurt are Samuel Nichols and Robert Middleton, farmers. They were fatally hurt, and members of their families were also hurt. All streams are swollen, and the country roads are strewn with fallen trees.

A rough estimate of the property loss

A Ny even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 26 not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over it years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for homestead entry must be made in person, or certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an initending homesteader.

An application for entry or cancellation made personally at any Sub-agent's office may be wired to the Agent by the Sub-agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the land applied for is vacant on receipt of it entry has been granted it will be summarily cancelled.

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Orillia, Feb. 2.—H. Miller, of Milliken, near Unionville, agede 24, unmarried, a fireman on the southbound G. T. R. freight from Midland, was the victim of a fatal accident in the station yard here yesterday afternoon. He was standing on the tender of the engine pulling open the slide of a coal chute when he slipped and fell backward, striking his head with such violence that he died within an hour, shortly after regaining conan hour, shortly after regaining co sciousness. The coroner decided an i quest unnecessary, and the body will taken to Unionville this evening.

ANOTHER ADVERSE VERDICT. Jamaica Supreme Court Rules Against

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dith, of Toronto, sixteen years old, for
two weeks a bellboy at the Pontchartrain, is under arrest, charged with the
telf of a \$100 pair of cuff buttons and
other articles from two guests at the
big hotel.

the Cayuga murder case settled out of court.

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