

# TRIKERS, RAILWAYS

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s—All Roads at  
ers and Mails  
mobiles, Wagons

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firemen accomplished and  
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today when a considerable  
of this state was compelled to  
in automobiles for passenger  
express service, and when  
transportation of such necessities  
s food dropped back to the  
of a former degree of civiliza-  
nely, the wagons and even  
mailed.

severe freeze alone did not  
the situation. It was the com-  
which the railroads served  
every wheel of the sys-  
tem the past three days; not  
only these communities, but  
on who are said to have fight-  
ed in their veins, who came  
and announced that negro  
should not be given seniority  
the firemen. From some hid-  
den source of public opinion these  
men to now, made good this radi-  
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## TER OF WAR OUNG TURKS' FOE

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a as Menace to Its  
Very Existence

ANTINOPLE, May 25.—The  
cabinet having decided to  
note of confidence from parlia-  
ment giving a discharge for the  
to the Ottoman Railway Com-  
pany, the Bulgarian  
legation, declared to me today  
that the committee, drawing  
waste any more time. He will  
leave all responsibility for  
the complications regarding the  
of the indemnity to the Turk-  
men and the committee.

Scheffer Pacha, having had  
disagreement with the Young  
Turks, had decided to leave  
his post as minister of the  
Turkish army in Europe.  
However, to the intervention  
Minister of War and conces-  
sion of the committee, Scheffer  
Pacha will remain  
in his post longer.

It is certain that the principal  
cause of the dissonance is the  
committee acts, drawing  
floors into politics against the  
of their chiefs, who desire to  
clear of this.

In this version, the  
desires to prevent the com-  
the army from falling into the  
of Saleh Pacha, formerly com-  
mander of the Adrianople army corps  
and now Minister of War, whose  
is considered to be a menace  
of the committee.

ident gives fresh proof that  
policy of the committee is  
to persist in their past errors,  
re little calculated to bring  
anquility in the country or al-  
any serious work of regenera-  
tion.

AGS GETS SIX MONTHS

EROTON, May 25.—In the  
court this morning Frank Wil-  
son, alias Harrison, alias McLean,  
fenced to six months in the  
all here for theft which he  
at Windsor Hall, Wilson  
acknowledged to Deputy Sheriff  
at the jail that he had  
who stole \$50 from the Clif-  
fe, St. John, and that he now  
suspended sentence of six  
for that break. At the con-  
fession of his term here, Wilson  
was taken to St. John to serve  
his term.

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ISHES

at Toronto, Ontario

## SEASON IS LATEST IN 20 YEARS

Ontario Crop Report  
Made.

### FALL WHEAT

Reports Concerning Prospects  
Vary—Spring Sowing  
—Fruit Trees

TORONTO, Ont., May 25.—The fol-  
lowing information regarding agricul-  
tural conditions in the province about  
the middle of May has been issued by  
the Ontario department of agriculture:  
Vegetation.—In the opinion of many  
correspondents the growing season of  
1909 is the latest for a least a score of  
years, it being placed at from one to  
two weeks later than the average.  
The exceedingly wet and cool weather  
prevailing during April and the early  
part of May is the cause.

Fall wheat—Reports concerning the  
prospects of fall wheat vary greatly,  
even in the same localities some de-  
scribing the crop as looking well,  
though late, while others state that  
the fields are not only backward in  
growth, but are thin and much "spot-  
ted." Owing to the dry, jerky pre-  
flood of the spring, the wheat is  
done, much of the new fall wheat did  
not start until the rains of late Sep-  
tember came, and the young plants  
entered the winter with very little  
top.

Winter rye—The sowing of this crop  
is comparatively small, it being raised  
chiefly for pasturing, selling, or for  
plowing under. It has done better  
than fall wheat and is looking very  
well.

Clover—Old meadows poor, new mea-  
dows promising, is a fair summary of  
the returns received regarding this  
crop.

### SPRING SOWING

Spring sowing—The small portion of  
the spring crop that was sown in  
early April an excellent seed-bed, but  
heavy rains immediately followed and  
the land got too soft to work on, mak-  
ing further sowing almost impossi-  
ble for weeks, except in a few cases  
where, to use the expressive language  
of some correspondents, the seed was  
"suddled" in. While those on high,  
light or well drained lands made fair  
headway with their spring sowing,  
the bulk of farmers were not more  
than half way through with that work  
in the second week of May, a most  
unusual record for Ontario.

Fruit trees—All classes of orchard  
trees have come through the winter in  
good condition so far as injury from  
the weather or ice is concerned, al-  
though bark splitting is reported in  
some northern localities. Unfortunately  
there are a number of references to  
the presence of San Jose scale and the  
oystershell bark louse, and it is very  
evident that a steady warfare must  
be waged against these and other in-  
sect pests. If our fruit trees are to  
thrive, while leading and blossoming  
were about a week or two backward,  
reports were to the effect that bar-  
ring late frosts and heavy rains at the  
time of bloom, a good yield of fruit may  
be looked for. Peaches, especially, are  
looked to for a large yield, as the buds  
were but little injured by the winter.

Podder supplies—But for the com-  
parative mildness of the winter there  
would have been much scarcity of pod-  
der before live stock got upon the late  
grass. As it is, many farmers have  
had to feed most economically, and  
some farms are rather bare of sup-  
plies.

Live stock—The general condition of  
live stock may be briefly described as  
thin but thrifty. No disease of a seri-  
ous or epidemic has appeared, the  
mild form of distemper reported in  
several parts of the province being of  
a local nature. Horses are said to be  
in good health, although not looking  
so plump or sleek as in some years  
owing to close feeding. The same may  
be said of both beef and dairy cattle.

## FOUR MEN DROWNED IN A QUEBEC RIVER

QUEBEC, May 25.—News has reached  
here from Matane, County Rimouski,  
of a terrible drowning accident  
which occurred on the Matane river on  
Saturday last. Having completed the  
floating of logs for Price Bros. & Com-  
pany, four men, Jacques and Meri  
Breest Forbes, brothers, and Rosario  
and Hongnole Michael, also brothers,  
embarked on a raft in order to  
shorten the distance to their homes.  
Nothing more was seen of them. Their  
raft having been found near Ma-  
tane it is believed all four men have  
been drowned. Search for the bodies  
so far has been fruitless.

### HON. WILLIAM CHISHOLM

HALIFAX, May 25.—Hon. William  
Chisholm, member of the Legislative  
Council, died today. The deceased has  
been a prominent resident of Halifax,  
and for some years carried on business  
as a merchant and lumber manu-  
facturer. He was born April 21, 1832,  
at Antigonish, and was therefore 77 years  
of age. He was appointed to the Legisla-  
tive Council on Jan. 10, 1901. Mr.  
Chisholm was one of the best known  
Liberals in Nova Scotia and was also  
a prominent member of the Roman  
Catholic Church.

### CASTORIA

Beare the  
Signature of  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
of Castoria

## GIVE WOMEN VOTE, SOLVE DIVORCE EVIL

Auxiliary Bishop of Cleveland  
Declares They Would Lessen  
Their Influence

CLEVELAND, May 25.—"The grant-  
ing of equal suffrage to women would  
do away with the worst divorce evil,"  
were the words with which the Right  
Rev. M. Koudelek, auxiliary bishop of  
Cleveland, started the suffragette  
movement in Kalamazoo, Mich., Wed-  
nesday.

Bishop Koudelek went to Kalamazoo  
to organize a Polish Catholic mission.  
"The great divorce evil is a cancer  
to American citizenship and it must  
be removed," said Bishop Koudelek.  
"The granting of the ballot to women  
would solve the problem. They would  
lend their influence to accomplish this  
problem. The mere fact that they  
would be put on a plane equal with  
men, politically, would also do much  
to make men strong enough to help  
stem the tide of divorce."

"Divorce is clearly on the increase,  
and is little better than wholesale pros-  
titution. Children are disgraced and  
made homeless and the lives of many  
women are ruined for all time. It is a  
great blot upon America. Possibly di-  
vorce laws similar to those in operation  
in Canada will be enacted."

## YOU ARE AILING

Find the Cause for the Weakness  
and Nervous Break that Over-  
shadows Your Life

You can't keep up forever.  
Sooner or later Nature will rebel  
against the strain that is imposed on  
your overworked system. So far, you  
will power and nerve may have held you  
over, but the end is probably near at  
hand.

Today the common complaint with  
weak men and women is lack of kid-  
ney vitality. Here you have the cause  
of your ill-health.  
Wouldn't it be wise to use a time-  
tested remedy like Dr. F. F. Fowler's  
Pills? They cure that "ailing" feeling  
in one night. Next morning you feel  
like new—bright, fresh, and happy.  
Appetite improves, dull, yellow color  
grows ruddy and clear, proving that  
great good is being done by this sci-  
entific medicine.

Thus writes Mrs. D. F. Fowler,  
from Yarmouth: "I used to feel  
drowsy and heavy, my color was  
sallow, and there was usually a bad  
taste in my mouth. I had vague  
pains all through my limbs, and an  
annoying headache as well.  
"After one dose of Dr. Hamill-  
ton's Pills there was a marked im-  
provement. I felt better, my appetite  
increased, and that exhaustion  
and depression gradually left me.  
I felt as if I had been through a  
life of suffering and I was happy  
after I used Dr. Hamilton's Pills.  
I strongly recommend such a  
good medicine."

Mrs. Fowler's letter is a message to  
you and all others in poor health.  
You can't do better than follow her  
advice. Dr. Hamilton's Pills: you  
certainly need; then why not get them  
now and enjoy the abundant good  
health they are sure to bring you?  
Price 25c per box, or five boxes for  
\$1.00. At all druggists, or by mail from  
N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn.,  
U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

## NEW JERSEY JUSTICE MAKES JOHNSON BALK

Champion, Says He Would  
Rather Meet Any Man  
in Ring

(Philadelphia North American.)  
"I would rather meet any man in the  
ring than to be tangled up with Jer-  
sey justice," said Jack Johnson, heavy-  
weight champion of the world, just be-  
fore he left Camden for New York in  
an automobile yesterday afternoon.

It was just after he settled a suit of  
Mrs. Clara Kerr, who asserted that he  
owed her \$400 for the care of Charles  
Johnson, a blind brother of the pugil-  
ist.

The fighter was the star figure before  
Judge Joline, on a motion to dismiss a  
writ of attachment issued out of the  
Camden District Court at the instance  
of Lawyer Chas. A. Cogan, acting in  
behalf of Lawyer C. I. D. Young, of  
Philadelphia, who represents Mrs. Kerr.

Johnson made affidavit that the auto-  
mobile seized by the sergeant-at-arms  
of the district court was owned by Geo.  
T. Little, his manager. Upon this ad-  
vantage Lawyer Wm. Earley, represent-  
ing the pugilist, made a motion to dis-  
miss the writ on statutory grounds, de-  
claring that the affidavit upon which  
the attachment was issued had been  
subscribed, but not sworn to, as was  
alleged.

After a talk with his manager and  
his attorney, Johnson decided to settle  
the case, and he later left in his new  
machine for New York.

TORONTO, May 25.—Dr. Mason,  
Conservative, was elected by a large  
majority in East Victoria in the  
provincial bye-election today over "Con-  
servative." The riding has been  
Conservative for a long time.

## "PLEASE DON'T HANG THE MAN WHO KILLED PAPA," PLEAD CHILDREN



JOHN O'NEILL, Confessed Murderer. MARGARET MACKENNEY, With Her Youngest Sister. ROBERT MACKENNEY, Dead Policeman.

CHICAGO, May 25.—Please don't  
hang the man who killed our father,"  
This is, in effect, the petition sent  
to the state authorities by the seven  
children of Patrolman Robert Macken-  
ney, whom Jas. O'Neill, now confined at  
Joliet for burglary, has confessed he  
killed.

The killing occurred two years ago,  
when burglars broke into the house of  
Jas. Walsh, on Indiana avenue. Walsh  
was shot dead as he tried to stop the  
housebreakers, and Mackenney, passing  
the house, met the same fate as he  
rushed to the rescue.

The double killing has always been  
a mystery. The best Chicago detec-  
tives have worked on it. Recently  
Capt. O'Brien got evidence to connect  
O'Neill, then on a 14-year sentence on  
another charge, with it. He went to the  
penitentiary, wrestled O'Neill, and ob-  
tained a confession.

When Mackenney died, he left seven  
bright children alone in the world, with  
only the police pension to live on. The  
older children went to work. Now that  
the case is being brought up again,  
they don't want to see any one else  
die on account of it.

"There has been so much suffering  
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You won't dread Wash Days after your husband  
buys a  
**"Puritan"**  
Reacting Washing Machine  
It runs so easily—does the washing so quickly—that you  
will marvel how you ever put up with the back-breaking  
rub of the tub.  
One of the children can easily do the washing  
with the "Puritan"—the only washing machine  
in Canada with improved roller gear.  
Write us for booklet; if your dealer can't show you the  
"Puritan."  
DAVID MAXWELL & SONS, St. Mary's, Ont. 3

## PROVINCIAL NEWS

WOODSTOCK, N. B., May 25.—The  
following is the summary of the sports  
yesterday:

Morning at 10 a. m., ball game be-  
tween Pirates and Maple Leafs, for-  
mer won, 16 to 10. Batteries: Davis, De-  
vlin and Faulkner; Connolly and Cox. P.  
Nevins, umpire. At Island Park in  
charge of base ball association.  
Afternoon at 2 p. m., at trotting park  
under the auspices of band, ball game,  
Alerts and Bullets, former won 6 to  
3. Batteries: Alerts, Slipp and McKin-  
ley; Bullets, Ryan and Brewer. Eldon  
Davis, umpire.

The horse races were in the nature  
of try-outs for local horses. In the  
race between Dixie, Lady Belle and  
Kate Willard, the two latter won a  
heat. Coles Duggan's horse proved to  
be a little too speedy for Andy Wil-  
liams' horse and the latter was owned  
by W. B. Belyea, T. J. Boyer and Fred  
McLean put up some fast heats.

Fan Nicholson, Ken McLean and  
Douglas Tompkins finished in that or-  
der in the 100 yards dash, and War-  
ren Flemming won from Douglas  
Tompkins in the half mile race. The  
Woodstock Band furnished delightful  
music during the afternoon. The ball  
by the band in the new theatre was  
continued until the early hours this  
morning. There was a large attend-  
ance. Richardson's orchestra furnished  
music.

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., May 25.—A  
drowning accident happened at Syd-  
ney Mines on Sunday afternoon when  
a little German boy aged six years,  
named Peter Pizallo, lost his life. The  
boy was at play on a raft in a pond  
near his home. The raft was blown  
adrift. A boat was launched from the  
shore, but before it could reach the  
boy he got frightened and jumped  
over in an endeavor to reach shore. He  
sank and never rose again.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., May 25.—A  
pocket pedlar was before Magistrate  
Bibb this morning on information  
of Scott Act Inspector Lindsay. He

## BRAZILIANS CLASH ON NEW PRESIDENT

Nomination of General Fon-  
seca, War Minister, Causes  
Strong Protest

RIO JANEIRO, via Galveston, Tex.,  
May 25.—The convention of the repub-  
lican party, at which nineteen states  
were represented, has nominated the  
minister of war, General H. Rodrigues  
da Fonseca, for president, and Senator  
Wenceslao Brann as vice president.  
Para and Ceara were not represented.  
Senator Ruy Barbosa has resolved to  
resign the presidency of the chamber  
as a sign of protest against the nomi-  
nation of General Fonseca. He has just  
published a letter, strongly attacking  
the nomination. He says General Fon-  
seca is not a politician, never played  
any part in the political life of the  
country and is exclusively a soldier.  
His election, he asserts, would amount  
to the imposition of the military el-  
ement and Brazil would thus sink to  
the level of certain republics of Cen-  
tral America. He recalls that Presi-  
dent Prudente was a soldier, which  
was not a happy departure and con-  
cludes by recommending Baron do Rio  
Branco as being a true statesman.

## KAISER INTERESTED IN THE MANOEUVRES

DOEBERTZ, Germany, May 25.—  
The Gross and the Parvaseal airships  
commanded by officers of the German  
army, took part in the field manoeuvres  
of the foot guards in the presence  
of the emperor. His majesty arrived  
at the grounds at 10 o'clock this morning  
and awaited the coming of the airships.  
They had started at the head quarters  
nine miles away. Strong winds made  
the evolutions difficult, especially in  
the higher altitudes, where the wind  
was blowing at the rate of 38 miles an  
hour. But in the low levels the pilots  
executed difficult manoeuvres with  
great skill. Both ships then came  
down in front of the emperor, who in-  
spected them thoroughly and displayed  
the greatest interest in the perfor-  
mance. The contrary winds probably  
will make it impossible for the balloons  
to return to their starting point today.

### A CURIOSITY OF AGE

One of the most curious instances  
of longevity is found in Miss Louisa  
Curtney's "Notes of an Octogenarian."  
A witness in a will case in which  
Bellenkender Kent, the great English con-  
viction, was engaged, was asked if he  
had any brothers or sisters. He replied  
that he had one brother, who died  
100 years ago. The court expressed in-  
credulity, and documentary evidence  
was produced in support of the state-  
ment. This showed that the witness  
father, who married first at the age of  
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