THE SUICIDAL MANIA.

GEORGE SWAN OF KINCARDINE SHOOTS HIMSELF.

Despondency the Apparent Cause—Being Tired of Life He Puts a Bullet in His Head—Although Still Living There Is No Hope—A Prominent Educationist and Business Man.

At 2.20 Saturday afternoon George Swan of Kincardine shot himself at the residence of Harry Hunt, 159 Harford-street.

For sometime past Mr. Swan has been suffering from nervous depression, and about six weeks ago he came to Toronto to visit his brother-in-law at the above address. The visit seemed to have benefited him, and it was the intention of himself and wife to return home Saturday afternoon. After his decision had been arrived at Mr. Swan was very nervous in his actions and appeared to be laboring under some inward excitement. After lunch he walked up and down the hallways of the house. His wife spoke to him and he asked to be left alone. He entered the bath room and a moment after the report of the shot was heard. He was found lying on the floor, with a small red scar on the frontal bone, from which blood was issuing.

Mr. Swan is one of the most prominent business men of Kincardine. He came there about 25 years ago as cutter for D. & W. G. Collins. He afterwards commenced business for himself and made a success of the venture. He became identified with many important questions in the interest of the town. He is a prominent member of the Methodist Church, and is estimated to be worth $20,000. He has four children, two girls and two boys.

Coroer Johnson issped a warrant for an inquest, thinking that Swan was dead. The warrant has been withdrawn.

Drs. Mennie, Cameron and Macheil held a consultation yesterday and concluded that Swan may have a possible chance of recovery, if signs of inflammation of the brain or pressure from internal herorrhage are not apparent to-night.

Thomas Swan of Detroit, and Mrs. Swan, brother and mother of the wounded man, arrived last night. They registered at the Queen's and drove immediately to the Harbord-street house.

Despondence the Undoubted Cause.

Kincardine, Ont., Feb. 29.—Mr. Swan about six months ago began to be low spirited. He had the year before completed and moved into his large fine residence on Princess-street, and owing to a falling off in business began to brood over what he considered a mistake in building too large a house and fancy everything going against him. For upwards of four months he had not gone near his place of business. He had acquired a competency in business and took a great interest in educational matters, for years occupying a seat at the Board of Education, of which for two years he was chairman. He was an enthusiastic Oddfellow and was highly respected. In early life he had met with an accident on a railway by which he lost one leg.

Madame Albani's Tour in Canada.

Seldom has a musical event created greater interest than the appearance again of Madame Albani, the Canadian prima donna, before a Canadian audience. Her concert in Massey Hall called out the very best class of citizens, and all are at one in referring in complimentary terms to this charming vocalist. In connection with the concert given in Toronto, as likewise those in Montreal, Ottawa and elsewhere, it is worthy of mention that this prima donna, of whom Canada is proud, did not find it necessary in the selection of a piano to be used at her concerts to go outside of the land of her birth. At all her engagements a Concert Grand Piano, bearing the name of Heintzman & Co., Toronto, is being used, and many are the compliments extended to these manufacturers that they have been able to produce an instrument of such magnificent character and equal to the requirements of a concert program, headed by so great a singer as Madame Albani.

Mrs. C. W. Storms, Dresden, Ont., says "I have been taking Miller's Compound Iron Pills for two months; have increased in weight 12 pounds and feel better than for years."

"Ice Age in Toronto."

Prof. A. P. Coleman, Ph.D., of the Toronto School of Science, will deliver his celebrated lecture, "The Ice Age at Toronto," this evening before the Epworth League of Sherbourne-street Methodist Church.

La grippe has a strong grip just now among the employes of the Grand Trunk freight sheds at Kingston.

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ON STAGE AND PLATFORM

Current and Coming Attractions at the Local Play Houses and Concert Halls.

A musical treat is offered at Massey Music Hall on Tuesday evening, March 10, when Mr. John Lund and his Symphony Orchestra of Buffalo, and the great pianist Rafael Joseffy will give a concert. Speaking of Joseffy, The Boston Globe says: "Of the artist's technique there is no need to write. It has always been of the most perfect, and it has grown in firmness and strength. Such a performance was refreshing in its freedom from even a suggestion of mere virtuosity and sickly sentimentality, and in its vigorous earnestness, its devotion to the composer and the abstention of the player in forcing the artist to the front at the expense of the music it was especially welcome. Mr. Joseffy wears his hair short, his movements are brisk instead of languid; he seems to be pleased and excited rather than bored when he is applauded, and he recognizes applause with unmistakable gratification instead of melancholy condescension. He is, however, none the less a master in his art on this account. Mr. Joseffy's reading and playing of this work can be described only in superlatives. Especially brilliant, musicianly and large was his performance of the exactingly trying finale, not only in the splendid technique that successfully coped with it, but in the exquisite taste, the grace of expression, and the sympathetic style that gave it a delightful and delighting distinction. The applause that rewarded the artist at the close of the concerto was overwhelming in its fervor and enthusiasm. He was recalled again and again until the audience fairly wore itself out. The concerto was accorded a perfect accompaniment by Mr. Paur, who was at his very best through the whole concert, and who gave a beautifully colored reading of the symphony and a glorious interpretation of the overture."

The sale of seats begins on Wednesday morning at Massey Hall.

"The Brownies" Coming.

Few local theatregoers, probably, have a proper conception of the magnitude of "The Brownies" as a dramatic production. It will be one of the heaviest ever put on the stage at the Grand Opera House. There are 32 elaborate scenes in the spectacle, and to handle the mammoth equipment of scenery, properties, mechanical and electrical devices, the managers will be obliged to have a force of twenty-five men on the stage. The most striking spectacular effects will include a storm and shipwreck at sea, an earthquake and a volcano, and the instant destruction of a magnificent palace, while among the novel specialties there will be a flying ballet, a dance of Oriental slave girls, a troupe of European acrobats, the burlesque of the German band, the unique musical act of Newhouse and Waffle, etc. Charles B. Jefferson, son of the distinguished actor, Joseph Jefferson, will have charge of the stage, and Palmer Cox will be present and personally supervise every performance.

Steve Brodie at the Toronto.

When Mr. R. N. Stephens, the brilliant young newspaper man and magazine writer, was seeking material for his drama of New York life, "On the Bowery," which opens a week's engagement at the Toronto Opera House tonight, he noted that Steve Brodie, the world's champion bridge jumper, was something of an actor behind his bar. He nightly came in contact with all sorts of people—with newspaper men, sports, politicians, detectives, sightseers, and a motley throng of all sorts—whom he entertained with a degree of diplomacy which showed that some of the blood of old Thespis flowed in his veins. If Brodie could only be induced to go on the stage, and could carry himself with the ease and assurance which characterized his conduct in his saloon, he would make a most interesting figure and a success. It was a long while before Brodie would consent, but, in the meantime, Stephens went ahead with his play with Brodie "in it," feeling confident that he would soon make up his mind to become an "actorine." Finally, after much discussion, and hearing the manuscript read, and making a thousand and one suggestions about the bridge jump, etc., some good, but for the most part bad or indifferent, Brodie made up his mind that he would try his hand at acting. The "big un," John L. Sullivan, and "Jim" Corbett and "Pete" Jackson had "got dere" and "the cud, too, see?" So "On the Bowery" was completed and Managers Thomas N. Davis and William T. Keogh launched it at great expense and it and Brodie and the bridge "has got dere, see?" How well, how overwhelmingly, he has "got dere," is best told in the words of The Boston Herald: "The box office is the best critic, is a remark frequently heard among theatrical managers, and if this be true, then Henry Irving, Sarah Bernhardt, E. S. Willard and Joseph Jefferson are simply 'not in it' with Steve Brodie, 'the King of the Bowery,' and as for Shakespeare and Sardou, they 'never happened,' for the dramatist of dramatists is R. N. Stephens, the author of 'On the Bowery,' 'Money talks,' and it told a pleasing story at the box office window at the Boston Theatre last evening, and repeated it until the ticket sellers grew weary of handling the "dough." John L. Sullivan and James J. Corbett never attracted such crowds, and President Cleveland and the Prince of Wales could not hope to gaze on such a gathering. It was good natured, noisy and wildly enthusiastic, and its hero was Steve Brodie."

The Crystal's New Departure.

In the five acts of "Master and Man," the stirring melodrama which the Crystal presents, at no advance in prices, this week, there are many opportunities for scenic effects, and they all have been taken advantage of. According to the American press, the present company is the best that has ever been seen in "Master and Man," and its continued successes this season has been another proof of its excellence. Mr. A. B. Gillam, who was prominent in the support of Salvini on his visit here; Miss Josie Mills, who has made a reputation for herself in emotional roles; Miss Jane Ashford Griffin, who was universally praised when she appeared here previously this season with the Jeffreys Lewis company; Miss Blanche Ripley, late of the Bernard Beere combination, and others of sterling merit are in the cast. The vaudeville show usually seen in the theatre will be given in the lecture hall. There will be only two performances of the play each day—one at 3.30 and the other at 8.30.

Massey Hall March 5th.

The Canadian Order of Foresters have been fortunate enough to secure Master Gordon Grote Copeland for their annual concert, to take place Thursday next. This boy possesses rare dramatic force and power. He will render Byron's masterpiece, "The Prisoner of Chillon," with limelight effects. This, with the artists already secured, should make this one of their best concerts. Plan opens this morning.

Defender of the Rails.

The Utica Herald, commenting editorially on the recently remarkable achievement of the New York Central in running a heavy train from New York to Buffalo, 436 1-2 miles, at the unprecedented rate of 64-26 miles per hour, for the entire distance, demonstrating conclusively the perfection, both of its roadbed and motive power, and coupling this wonderful run with the gratifying result of the International Yacht Races, says: "On land and sea the speed championship is with the United States; thanks to the defender of the rails—The New York Central, truely 'America's Greatest Railroad!'" [illegible] ed

A BUREAU OF STATISTICS

LIKELY TO BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE DOMINION.

At Present the Figures are Made Up by Five Different Departments—New Customs Rulings—Experimental Farm Work of Distributing Seed Grain—The Behring Sea Claims to Come Up for Arbitration.

Ottawa, March 1.—Collectors of customs have been notified that allowance may be made for packages, as follows, when same are made a separate charge on invoices: For boxing, finished or polished marble, 75c. per cubic foot; for boxing or crating slabs in the rough, 25c per cubic foot. Paper packages containing Lipton's Tea are to be valued for duty purposes as follows: 11-2 cents each for pound package; 1 cent each for half-pound package. The package to be rated for duty at 35 per cent. under item No. 120 of the tariff.

The Customs Department is informed that at some ports colored cotton blankets have been entered as rugs at 25 per cent., under item No. 441, whereas they are properly dutiable at 30 per cent. under item No. 403. All such importations are to be carefully examined and if the articles represented as rugs are found to be double, they should be entered as blankets, rugs being in all cases single.

A Valuable Suggestion.

Dr. Jones, medical superintendent of the William Head, B.C., quarantine station, forwards to the Department of Agriculture an interesting report on the operation of the station under his charge last year. Dr. Jones calls attention to the difference in the declarations of the bills of health given by British Consuls in China and Japan and by those of the United States. For instance, on August 11 last, the steamer Victoria arrived from Japan and two days later the Empress of Japan arrived. Both these vessels presented bills of health from British Consuls, reporting, "clean," from all ports of call in Japan, with the exception of Kobe. A day or two later certain U.S. vessels called at the quarantine station and Dr. Jones, in looking over the consular bills of health given by U.S. Consuls found cholera was reported at Yokohama, Hong Kong and Kobe, involving 203 cases and 175 deaths. Dr. Jones points out that the figures are furnished to the U.S. Consuls by qualified and responsible physicians and to that extent are more accurate, trustworthy and superior than those issued by British Consuls who, seemingly, act on their own responsibility. It is evident, he says, that British Consuls apparently only judge by hearsay, whereas the U.S. Consuls have a certificate of an official character of the condition of public health at the different ports in the East. Dr. Jones, therefore, suggests that the practice should be made uniform.

Statistician Johnson's Work.

The fourth volume of the census will shortly be published. It will contain an analysis of the manufacturing and mechanical establishments of the Dominion, the preparation of which has occupied the staff for two years and has produced valuable results. The establishments of the several provinces have been examined and separated into groups, according to output for the census of 1891, and for that of 1881, and, in addition, the establishments of the four provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, which provinces formed the Dominion in the census of 1871, have also been grouped. This work involved the compilation of 169,475 separate industries, their division into five groups and the sub-division of the group containing the smaller industries.

A Bureau of Statistics.

The Government is being strongly urged to establish a bureau of statistics to consolidate the general statistics of the country. At the present time officers of five different departments—Finance, Trade and Commerce, Agriculture, Customs and Inland Revenue—are engaged in this work, the result being a lack of uniformity of compilation, a triplicating or quadruplicating of work, consequent loss to the country and statistics scattered through the reports of these several departments. In the matter of statistics Canada lags behind many other countries, so says Bro. George Johnson. That excellent officer, moreover, is circumscribed in his work. Dr. Montague realizes it is about time the existing state of affairs was remedied, and if he returns to Canada with his health improved the country may expect to see a decided change in the system pursued in collecting and collating statistics, particularly as regards agriculture.

Experimental Farm Work.

Up to last evening the Experimental Farm staff here had, since January 4, sent out 12,413 samples in three pound packages, of choice red wheat, barley, oats, peas and corn to farmers in different parts of Canada. The distribution by provinces is as follows: Ontario 3609 samples, Quebec 4468, New Brunswick 1522, Nova Scotia 1348, Prince Edward Island 876, British Columbia 125, Manitoba 178, and the Northwest Territories 287. The small number of samples going to the western province is accounted for by the fact that direct distribution is also made from the branch farms at Brandon, Indian Head and Agassiz.

The Behring Sea Claims.

The report of Mr. R. N. Venning of the Fisheries Department on the Behring Sea question is one of the features of this year's report, and contains information that is made public for the first time. The first list of the claims on which the arbitration is shortly to sit, is given now for general information. The list of claims is as follows: In 1886, Carolena, $24,313.01; Thornton, $26,817.65; Onward, $23,269.71; Favorite, $7000; personal claims, $18,000; 1887, W. P. Sayward, $28,055; Grace, $38,142.57; Anna Beck, $27,863.04; Dolphin, $40,201.50; Ada, $26,518; Alfred Adams, $20,433; Triumph, $10,250; personal claims, $13,635; 1889, Juniata, $14,695; Pathfinder, $26,765; Triumph, $19,674; Black Diamond, $17,185; Lily, $17,176; Ariel, $9498; Minnie, $16,460; Kate, $11,216.

The total amount of claims as amended is given as $542,169. In addition to these claims there are three others filed.

Something is said, too, of the Russian claim in Behring Sea, and of the two seizures made by them during 1892. It is said that a mass of material has been forwarded to St. Petersburg by the Canadian Government to be used in the assessment of damages and the report concludes by saying that there is reason to hope that before long some definite official intimation of the settlement of these claims may reach Canada. The subject is still the reason of diplomatic correspondence.

The Case of Mrs. Fraley.

Editor World: In your issue of today you do an injustice to Mrs. Margaret Fraley under "The Police Court Yesterday." The fact is that Mrs. Fraley is the complainant in the case, and this is not conveyed in the word "implicated," but on the contrary, the inference is that she is in some way to blame. I have no doubt you will make the correction without further action on my part.

W. McC. ALLEN.

Toronto, Feb. 29.

J. Lewis Murphy, 39 Balmuta-street, was arrested on Saturday by the officers of No. 5 station, charged with being drunk and disorderly.

THE CIBOLA'S SUCCESSOR.

Another Batch of Names Suggested for the Niagara Navigation Company's New Boat.

Suggestions for the name of the Niagara Navigation Company's new steamboat continue to pour in. The preference is evidently for an Indian name. "J. C. B." writes protesting against the limitations set for the choice—that it shall have seven letters, three syllables, begin with "C" and end with "A." "J. C. B." is mistaken, however. The only limitations are that the word shal lconsist of three syllables, and contain not to exceed 20 letters.

Scioto, the name of a beautiful valley in Indiana, which is memorable as the scene of a bitter battle between Canadian and American Indians, is suggested. Pontiac or Tecumseh, two immortal chiefs, might be memorialized, thinks "J. C. B." or the pretty Indian titles of Chillicothe, Sahgema, Ogemah, or Aalgonquin, would any one of them, be picturesque. The names of the old French-Canadian heroes, Champlain, Charlevois, La Salle, Marquette, La Jeune, Lalement, Brebeuf, Roberval or Frontenac, also have a ringing sound and Stadacona, the name of the Indian village on which was founded the City of Quebec, is still another of his suggestions.

A. M. Bowman offers Camellia, Cantata, Cassie, Catawba, Cornucopia or Corolla, as suitable titles, but his special choice is Smithsonia, as a tribute to Sir Frank Smith.

Catawba, though it contains a bibulous suggestion, is also the choice of "Sea Gull."

From Cobourg come the suggestions of Corona or Czarina, both of which have a royal significance, while a correspondent at Niagara-on-the-Lake is botanical and scientific, choosing Cynara (the artichoke), Capella (a bright star), or Cypraea (a shell).

Mattawa, says a Galt subscriber, and Chilliwack, says a Phelpston one, would be appropriate.

No more felicitous or convenient title has yet been suggested than the Cayuga, whoch is once more sent in, this time by a Niagara reader.

Carpani, Cordova, Cremona, Cartona, Cervia, Carnolia, are other proposals, and Chautauqua also meets with favor.

A Woodstock reader proposes that the company pay a tribute to the finest of Canadian woman poets by calling the boat Pauline, after Miss E. Pauline Johnson, and chooses Tecumseh as an alternative. Tecumseh has another advocate from Toronto, who also likes Winona, Jaunita, Eskimaux, Eureka, Oneida, Kenozah, Wyandotte and Delaware.

It is also apparent that the public is fertile in suggestions, but does not like to be limited in its field of choice. It may be remarked, too, that it has some uncertainty about the spelling of its favorites.

BEATRICE AND BENEDICK.

An Overflowing Audience in Convocation Hall at Trinity.

On Saturday afternoon at 3.30 Convocation Hall of Trinity University was crowded to its utmost capacity by a fashionable assemblage, amongst whom were great numbers of ladies, to hear the Rev. Canon Sutherland of Hamilton deliver the second of his course of lectures on Shakespeare's heroines.

Rev. E. Ashurst Welch, Provost of Trinity, presided. Accompanying him on the platform were Revs. Professor Jones and Dean Rigby, Judge Osler, Mr. John Martland, Mr. L. H. Baldwin, etc.

Rev. Canon Sutherland took as his character for portrayal that of Beatrice in "Much Ado About Nothing." He pointed out how the whole interest of the play was concentrated in the fact that things offenceless are not what they seem. Beatrice appeared to Benedick and to casual onlookers as a heartless woman, indeed she has been described by one commentator as an "odious character," but she was nothing of the kind. Her repellant manner was assumed, her apparent carelessness and flippancy feigned, not real; her disregard for others' feelings was but the playfulness of a jesting woman. Benedick was in love with Beatrice, and the latter was determined that it should be patent to the world. She did not want a mere conventional marriage; she was not prepared to surrender her independence lightly—she wanted to be loved and valued before all else, and for the world to know that she was so valued and loved by the man whom she made her husband. Beatrice at first sight might appear to be a near relation of the "new woman," but she was nothing of the kind. She did not hate all men who had no advanced ideas on woman's dress, and her only wheel was a spinning one. In act IV., the dialogue between Beatrice and Benedick touching the accusations made against Hero, the betrothed of Claudio and cousin of Beatrice, was splendidly rendered by the lecturer. The audience listened in a silence that was almost painful by its intensity, and when the lecturer finished its recital, there was loud applause.

The closing scenes of the half comedy, half tragedy, where everything ends happily for all concerned, were aptly related, and the lecture, which lasted nearly 90 minutes, came to an end.

The Pavilion Meeting.

Yesterday afternoon the Gospel Temperance meeting of the Canadian Temperance League drew together another large audience. The singing, under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Willson, was of the choicest description, and Mrs. Caldwell, the soloist, received a most enthusiastic greeting, all enjoying the sacred songs so ably rendered. Mayor Fleming presided, and spoke on the influence exerted by the league meetings on the municipal and individual life of the city. The other speakers were Rev. W. F. Wilson and J. S. Duncan Clarke, president of the Toronto Christian Endeavor Union, each of whom delivered addresses full of encouragement to those who are working in the temperance reform. The latter gentlemen, especially, dwelt on the power and influence of a faithful minority, when backed by the power of God, and vouched for the help of the four thousand C.E. young people of Toronto in the great fight against drink, and all other enemies of good citizenship.

President J. S. Robertson announced a most attractive program for next Sunday, to be presided over by Postoffice Inspector Sweetnam. The speaker will be the well-known orator and leader of the good citizenship movement in the C. E. Union, Mr. John G. Woolley and Mr. W. E. Rundle, the favorite tenor, will render several selections.

A Baptist Union.

The Baptist Young People's Union will hold a masss meeting on Thursday evening next in the Jarvis-street Church, to protest against the Remedial Bill and to state the position of the Baptist Church on the subject. Most of the prominent Baptist clergymen of the city will be present.

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CURE HEADACHE.

AN EXPRESS COMPANY'S LIABILITY.

An Interesting Case Before the Supreme Court over a Missing Money Package.

Ottawa, Feb. 29.—The argument in Jeffrey v. Wilkie before the Supreme Court was concluded to-day and judgment reserved.

The case of the Northern Pacific Express Company v. Martin was next taken up, being an appeal from a decision of the Court of Queen's Bench in Manitoba, in an action for the loss of a package containing $2000 sent by Messrs. Martin & Mitchell, grain dealers at Winnipeg, to their buyer at Wawanesa. The package appears to have arrived safely at Wawanesa on a Saturday evening, and the evidence is in effect that, as the consignee was signing the receipt book, the express company's agent laid the package on a table near him. The consignee does not appear to have either seen or taken the package away with him, but called again for it on the following Monday morning, when the agent of the express company claimed to have made the delivery at the time the receipt was signed. Upon a careful search the package could not be found, and it was concluded that the package had been stolen by a couple of tramps who had been seen lurking about the station on the Saturday evening. The Court of Appeal in Manitoba affirmed the judgment given by Mr. Justice Bain against the express company, and that company now seeks to have both judgments reversed.

Mr. D'Alton McCarthy, Q.C., appears for the appellants and Mr. J. S. Ewart, Q.C., for the respondents. The argument was not concluded when the court rose for the day.

NEGROES WENT ON THE RAMPAGE.

They Played Havoc in the Cane Fields on St. Christopher Island.

New York, March 1.—A negro uprising is reported from the Island of St. Christopher or "St. Kitts." Beginning as a strike of watermen and porters at Basseterre against a reduction of wages, the trouble spread to all the sugar estates.

Cane fields throughout the island were set on fire. Plantation buildings were looted, and in most instances burned or otherwise destroyed. The British warship Cordelia turned up at a critical moment and, landing a force of marines, checked the disturbance, which was without head or organization. So far as is known here no life was lost, but the damage to property is extensive.

Items of a Municipal Nature.

The statistics of the various charitable institutions, compiled by City Clerk Blevins, show the cost of maintenance of each inmate per day as follows: House of Industry, 19 cents; House of Providence, 19 cents; the Haven, 17 1-4 cents; Industrial Refuge, 33 cents; Children's Aid Shelter, 9 2-3 cents; Infants' Home, 18 cents; Protestant Orphans' Home, 13 cents; Girls' Home, 14 3-5 cents; Hospital for Sick Children, 97 1-2 cents; St. John's Hospital, 84 1-4 cents.

Medical Health Officer Sheard has completed his supplementary estimates for the inspection of food and plumbing, which will be transferred to his department on April 1. He will ask for $2800; the apportionment is $1500 for plumbing and $1300 for food. This amalgamation effects a saving of $4384. So far Robert Awde is the only applicant for the position of food inspector.

Jethro Worden has taken out a building permit for the erection of a three-storey brick hotel at Adelaide and Johnson-streets, to cost $9000.

Sir Oliver Mowat will likely be asked to explain how it is that Ald. Preston, an employe of the Government, can spend so much of his time at the City Hall in the interests of the Aqueduct Company.

The total amount of building permits issued last month was $73,710.

The Board of Administration, now known as "The Mysterious Three," will meet this morning. It is rumored that they will recommend the dismissal of more officials.

The City Council will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Toronto Railway Night Car Service.

Yonge-street route—Leaves Yonge and King-street at 12.05, 12.45, 1.25, 2.05, 2.45 and 3.25 a.m. Leaves North Toronto at 12.21, 1.01, 1.41, 2. 21, and 3.01 a.m.

Belt Line (each way)—Leaves Yonge and King-street at 12.05, 12.45, 1.25, 2.05, 2.45 and 3.25 a.m.

Queen-street west route—G.T.R. crossing at 12.05, 1.05, 2.05 and 3.05 a.m. Leaves Yonge and King-streets at 12.04, 12.08, 12.12, 12.16, 12.20, 12.35, 1.35, 2.35, and 3.35 a.m. 12.08 car goes to Toronto Junction.

King-street east route—Leaves Yonge and King-streets at 12.35, 1.35, 2.35 a.m. Leaves Woodbine at 1.05, 2.05 and 3.05 a.m.

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