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DER DREADNOUGHT LAUNCHED me, May 13 .- The super dreadght Carracoolo was launched yesav in the presence of Admiral Del commander of the naval depart-the Bishop of Sorrento and sev-

HYDRO WILL NOT LONDON DOCTOR EVERY DUG SPEND MUCH SUES C.P.R. FOR MONEY IN LONDON \$2,000 DAMAGES

Action As Result of Injur-

ies Sustained in Accident.

A DAY FOR FATHER

The Poet Bill is a father, and

WHY NOT HAVE A DAY FOR FATHER?

Now Mothers' Day is past and gone, Amidst us for another year, Poor fathers appears to be all forlorn Why not have a day for him to cheer?

Don't we think he deserves it?
Working from morn till night,
Trying to lessen his labors a bit,
While some of the bosses sit tight.

He has to get out in the boiling sun

He says when he comes home

Then, when he arrives this time

year, When mother is housecleaning,

they want to take a trip

When we got a day up for mother.

ALEXANDER FRASER BURIED

of Well-Known

the city. A profusion of flowers covered the casket. The pallbearers were C. R. Somerville, A. S. MacGregor, David Ross, George Wood, James Mc-Millan and W. B. Walker.

OUT TO BREAK RECORD

ecord stands at around seven hours.

-BILL.

whiskey.

it for vourself:

Bill states that Dad is the chap

Few Minor Additions to the Dr. Herman Schaef Starts Transmission System.

Only a comparatively small amount on the \$17,000,000 appropriation for hydro the \$17,000,000 appropriation for hydro will be expended in the Niagara dis-trict. All that London is likely to see as a result of the expenditure is a few

ANNUAL MEETING.—On Tuesday t 6:30 o'clock the annual meeting of he Y. M. C. A. will be held, when a ew board of directors will be elected. and the financial statement and annual MEET TONIGHT.—Further discussion of plans for the making of a social survey of London will take place at a meeting of the London Social Service Council in the Y. M. C. A. building this evening. James Gray will preside.

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WHERE IS HE?—Secretary John Cunliffe, of the G. W. V. A., is seeking Pte. Sidney Theophile Fraenkel, regimental number 3105639, a former member of the Central Ontario Regiment, who served in France with the 31st Battalion. He wishes to return to him his Class A discharge certificate, No. 262488, which has been found. Class C badge No. 82848 is also at the club awaiting a claimant. club awaiting a claimant.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT.—London reports to Bradstreet's say that business in this city is steady, with most lines moving in satisfactory volume. Groceries are firm with advances noted in some lines of staple goods, while hardware also is tending to higher levels.

nardware also is tending to higher levels in many cases. Some lines of spring goods are a little quiet, but the general situation is satisfactory. Scarcity of houses is still making itself felt, and is likely to do so for some time. Industry is active and manufacturers are busy. Scarcity of many lines of both raw and manufactured materials is security in the second manufactured materials is second. nanufactured materials is causing siderable inconvenience and the situa-tion in textile goods is strong. Some business changes have been noted dur-ing the week. There is a scarcity of many kinds of labor and good farm-hands are obtaining high several hands are obtaining high wages. Collections are good.

CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT

Preparations Have Been Completed by Committee.

Preparations have been completed for the child welfare exhibit to be held next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the Technical and Art School. Some eminent, specialists will be in the city in connection with exhibit. Miss Powers, director of the provincial department of child welfare, Toronto, and Dr. Clar-ence Hincks and Miss Lillian Smith, also of Toronto, will give descriptive talks.

A nurse will be installed in the build-ing for the convenience of the mothers who may wish to view the illustrated

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

CHINESE LAD DIES. CHINESE LAD DIES.
Following an operation for an abscess in the throat, due to quinsy, the death occurred in Victoria Hospital of Sam Chin, an 8-year-old Chinese lad. His brother, aged 9, is also in the hospital with a similar attack, but today was reported to be making good progress towards recovery. The lad who died came to London from Stratford after the death of his mother, and had been residing with his uncle, Chin Ming.

GERMANY NOT TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO SPA

London, May 14.—The German cabinet, after a full discussion with the ministers of the federal states, decided unanimously that Germany should not send representatives either to the Spa or Brussels conference unless the French troops are entirely withdrawn from the main district by May 16, according to a Central News dispatch from Berlin today.

Will break the time this trip.

He stopped at Wenige's bicycle store and took some light refreshments before continuing the long grind to the Queen City.

Kipp covered the distance between Windsor and London in 3 hours and 30 minutes. Mr. Kipp recently won the condurance race from Fort Wayne, Ind., to Detroit, 448 miles, in 17 hours.

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'We Supply the Water, We Can't Be Responsible For Where It Goes," Answers E. V. Buchanan to Irate Citizen Who Complains.

minor additions to its transmission system. A sum of \$1,250,000 has been appropriated for use in the Niagara district.

A million dollars is a comparatively small amount to the hydro system, and the end is not in sight. Transmission of the power which will be available when the Chippewa development is completed will cost \$45,000,000 will be infilled by the purchasers of the power when they buy motors and other appliances.

Macpherson & Perrin, acting for Dr. Herman Schaef, have entered an acting for Dr. Herman Schaef, have Provision for quenching the thirst of the was drinking at the fountain the stray hounds who roam the city Dundas and Richmond streets.

one of the fountains in Victoria Park, it was declared to be a "hpysical impossibility." by E. V. Buchanan. Apparently this is not correct. An irate citizen telephoned the general manager that another canine offender had been caught. It fact at that your moment

Mr. Buchanan thinks that it would be impracticable to place guards around the fountains, as this, would prevent children from drinking. He suggested that water might be furnished in a receptacle at the base of the fountain where the dogs could drink without the trouble of standing up on their hind feet.

UNION EMPLOYEES Day." Bill states that Dad is the chap that is called upon to dig deep for the coin, and surely he is entitled to some recognition by the family tree. Mother may be content with a flower on the day dedicated to her, and suggests that a fitting gift for "the old man" would be a bottle of whiskey. However, here's Bill's effusion, Read it for yourself.

Commission Endeavored To Maintain a Partial Service Today — Many Applications Received, It Is Stated, For Positions-Meeting May Be Arranged Shortly To Discuss Demands of the Men.

And work with all his might,

Just like mother, his work is never Broken wires on the London and Port. Stanley Railway gave a joit to the commission's plan of giving the traveling public a partial service on that road this morning. It had been planned by the directors to run about one-half of the cars, but owing to a broken wire on the line south of the city the first car did not leave London until 1 o'clock this afternoon.

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All his things are here and there, And he, of course, starts complain A complete tieup resulted from the walkout of the men last night, and not a car was moving on the lines this If mother wants a hat or dress,
Annie and Mabel a pair of shoes,
You know it makes poor father guess
When these articles he tries to From a boat or railway station. He has to stand and bite his lip, For there is no time for hesitation.

The wires, which became broken some time-between midnight and this morning were not fixed until 11 o'clock. A great deal of difficulty was experienced in getting them sonnected, because all the linemen had joined the strikers.

That a car was able to leave the city. If he does not wish to plant a flower, As mother did, you see. Only for once, to spend a pleasant hour That a car was able to leave the city was accepted as a good omen by the was accepted as a good omen by the members of the commission. If no other accidents occur they believe they will be able to give some kind of a passenger service until the strike is settled. The cars which left the city at noon were operated by an official of the road, assisted by a clerk.

No attempts have been made by the Present him with a good bottle of

A nurse will be installed in the building for the convenience of the mothers who may wish to view the illustrated lectures.

Prizes for the best babies at the various clinics to be held in the schools will be presented on the last day of the exhibit. Miss Bertha Smith, Mrs. David Williams and J. I. A. Hunt are in charge of the work in connection with the clinics.

Funeral of Well-Known Londoner Largely Attended.

The funeral of Alexander Fraser was held this afternoon from his residence, 232 Central avenue at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. D. C. Macgregor conducted the services at the house and grave. Interment was made in Woodland Cemetery. The funeral was very largely attended by the men to stop the clerks or the officials held this afternoon from his residence, 1232 Central avenue at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. D. C. Macgregor conducted the services at the house and grave. Interment was made in Woodland Cemetery. The funeral of Alexander Fraser was held this afternoon from his residence, 1232 Central avenue at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. D. C. Macgregor conducted the services at two been made by the men to stop the clerks or the officials heave been stationed on the lines or at the shops up to the present time, If a legitimate means can be discovered to but a stop to the operation of the cars it will be resorted to by the union, according to the officials. In their opinion the cars are being operated by unskilled labor, and therefore the lives of the public are endangered.

Give Warning. Two constables were stationed on the L. and P. S. R. platform as the cars pulled out at noon. A warning was given, it was claimed, to two of the strikers that they must not loiter on the company's property.

Officials of the union stated that every man on the line in Port Stanley, St. Thomas and London, excepting the clerks and the officials, are striking. No word has been heard from the mem-Lond-Distance "Bike" Champion Stops in London for Short Period. Herb W. Kipp, long-distance cham-ion bicycle rider of Canada, rode into

St. Thomas and London, excepting the clerks and the officials, are striking. No word has been heard from the members of the commission in regards to a meeting for a settlement. The strikers claim they will hold fast until the directors give them a satisfactory increase. London at 1:12 o'clock this afternoon, having made the first lap in his attempt at the Windsor to Toronto record. The but with the roads in the shape they are, there is every chance that Kipp, who has ridden some splendid races, Crease.

Nothing to Say.

The directors of the road had nothing to give out this morning except that they will be able to give a partial passenger service. It is expected, however, that a meeting will be held as soon as Sir Adam Beck arrives in the city, which will probably be tonight.

According to the officials of the union, the break in the wire south of the city. will break the time this trip.

He stopped at Wenige's bicycle store and took some light refreshments before continuing the long grind to the the break in the wire south of the city was caused a little after midnight, as the last car was returning from St. Thomas. The panagraph on top of the car caught in the wires and broke them.

car caught in the wires and broke them. The conductor was unaware of the accident until the wires fell to the top of the car and started some fireworks. The wires were repaired by officials of the comments. the company.

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stanley Railway, except the office staff, went out on strike at midnight. About 100 men, including motormen, conductors, trackmen, linemen and freighthandlers in the employees' union, are affected. Although every crew on the road is off duty, the L. and P. S. commission expects to provide the traveling public with at least partial service. W. A. Martin, one of the directors, stated to the Advertiser.

Vote Unanimous.

When the last car was run into the barns at 12 o'clock, the strike was officially declared. By unanimous vote the men decided on Wednesday night to go on strike if their demands for a general increase of 25 cents an hour, or some satisfactory increase was not given them by the commission. The men were highly dissatisfied with the decision of the board of conciliation, which upheld the offer of the commission of an increase of four cents an hour to motormen and conductors.

Out of fairness to the public, it was felt by the men that a twelve-hour notice should be given. All day Thursday the employees waited to hear from the commission. No word was received up till midnight. Thus the men, complying with their instructions, took a holiday until the commission meets their demand, it was announced.

Attempt Settlement.

Mr. Martin believed that the commission would meet the men as soon as possible in an effort to reach a settlement. He said the directors were anxious to play the game squarely with their employees, and that they were willing to give as much as the road could possibly stand. The commission had made the offer of four cents an hour increase with full knowledge of the finances of the road and in the firm belief that it was the most the road could afford. It, however, the conciliation board had decided that a greater increase should be given to the men, it would have been given for a year without quibbling.

Thirty Days.

Several of the directors were of the opinion that the men would have only done what was fair if they had given a thirty-day notice of the impending strike. If the road had c

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"I was in a terribly rundown condition." he continued. "My stomach was out of order and whatever I ate would lie on my chest like a lump of lead. After my meals I always felt drowsy and yet at night could not sleep well for my rest would be disturbed by dreadful nightmares when I would jump up and start to yell. I got so weak at last that I used to dread going to work and it always seemed as if the da would never end. I had no energy and my work was like a martyrdom. I can assure you I lost all hope and my case was about desperate.

"If I had all the money I spent or nedicines trying to get relief during to today. And when I first read the statements in the papers about what Tanlac was doing I was very skeptical about it helping me, for my case was exceptionally bad. Still I decided to give it a trial, and I've been congratuating myself ever since that I did. Every dose I took seemed to bring me new relief. My appetite got keen, I began to enjoy my food and found out I could digest it perfectly. I got stronger every day, and now my friends are all amazed at the great change in my condition. I am full of energy and my daily work is just a cinch. I have now got some ambition in life and feel that there is some hope in the future. I shall always be grateful for what Tan-iac has done for me, and I am glad of this opportunity of recommending it."

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sion agrees to a conciliation board in the meantime. About 2,500 men are concerned in the dispute between the employees and the commission over wages and living conditions.

HAS LITTLE TO SAY. SMITHS FALLS, May 13. — Approached to night in regard to the hydro-electric employees' situation at Niagara, Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission,

had little to say.

"They were offered a substantial increase in pay about a week ago, and I don't think now they have any grievance," he said.

ance," he said.

A sked what the increase was, he the London and Port Stanley Railway on the board of conciliation appointed to adjust the wage differences, stated that he had tendered a minority report recommending a 15 per cent increase over the old rates. This report was not unanimous, as London dispatches out, and shows that the award was not unanimous as London dispatches not unanimous as London dispatches into.

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today by the appellate division of the supreme court, reversing a decision of Former Surrogate Robert Ludlow Fowler.

history the factory has been compelled to close owing to a lack of sugar.

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AT HAMILTON CLOSES DOWN

New York, May 14.—Mrs. Hetty Green had \$28,000,000 invested in the state of New York, and her estate must pay a transfer tax on that amount, according to an opinion handed down shortage. This is the first time in its

NURSES! THEATRE PARTY .- The

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CASTORIA



not unanimous as London dispatches

today said.

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