

ITALIAN SQUADRON SCARES TURKEY.

Orders for Vessels to Sail Countermanded.

Italy to Get Same Treatment as Other Nations

Postoffice Question the Cause of the Trouble.

Rome, April 20.—An Italian squadron, under command of Admiral F. Gronet, will set sail probably to-day for the purpose of making a demonstration in Turkish waters.

It has been decided, if it is deemed necessary, also to occupy a small island off that coast, but it is hoped here that Turkey may see the error of her way and give full satisfaction, so that more energetic measures may be avoided.

The difficulty between the two nations arises out of the refusal of the Turkish Government to permit Italian postoffices to be conducted in Turkish territory, while at the same time other foreign nations have established and are conducting postoffices there without interference.

Considerable irritation has been felt here also over the murder of an Italian missionary in Tripoli and the persecution by the Ottoman authorities of natives who have sold land to Italians, but the present action of the Italian Government is based primarily on the postoffice question.

Apparently Italy came to the conclusion that the Italian Government would never resort to extreme measures, in view of the fact that the Macedonian problem is pending, for the settlement of which the accord to the powers is indispensable and she went so far as to order detachments of troops to guard the Italian postoffices, and thus prevent the work from being carried on.

To this provocation the Italian Administration felt that it could only reply with coercive measures in order to protect the dignity of Italy and safeguard her rights.

Great satisfaction is felt here, and it is stated that all the powers have approved Italy's decision to take recourse to force, if necessary, to protect her interests, which is an indication that they believe Italy has no intention of permanent territorial occupation.

Italy Will Not Now Send Squadron to Turkish Waters.

London, April 20.—A despatch received here from Rome says orders have been issued countermanding the sending of an Italian squadron to Turkish waters for the purpose of coercing the Sultan into granting Italy certain privileges in Turkish territory.

The Turkish Ambassador to Rome, Monastapha Rechid, gave Foreign Minister Titttoni satisfactory assurances that Italy would be accorded the same treatment with regard to postoffices as that enjoyed by the other powers.

BRANTFORD RAILWAY MAY BE OPEN BY 24TH MAY.

Strike-Breaker Hit With a Stone and Hurt—Dead Horse in the Grand River.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, April 20.—Much thieving from the railways is reported in this city. At the Grand Trunk yards the trouble has been especially prevalent, the foreign element resident in that section working havoc on bonded box cars, and on lumber and fuel. The other night a whole wagon load of stuff was stolen. The thieves are bold in their operation, as the police protection has been insufficient. An officer makes one patrol at 11 o'clock at night, which is all the protection afforded. Commencing on May 1 another man will be added to the force.

LATE MGR. HEENAN.

Great Assemblage of Sorrowing People at Interment.

St. Augustine's Church was crowded this morning for the burial of the late Mgr. Heenan, vicar-general of the diocese. Pontifical requiem mass was conducted by his Lordship Bishop Dowling, D. D., assisted by a number of prominent clergy of the diocese.

CAN'T COME.

African Premiers Unable to be at Quebec Tercentenary.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, April 20.—The following cable has been received from the High Commissioner for South Africa by the Governor-General of Canada, Johannesburg, April 18, 1908.—Prime Ministers of Cape Colony, Transvaal, Orange River Colony, much regret, owing to pressure of public business, that it is impossible for them to visit Quebec for the forthcoming tercentenary celebration, and they have therefore nominated Sir Henry De Villiers, Chief Justice, Cape Colony, to represent them.

SIX DETECTIVES

Watch Rockefeller and Grandchildren on Way to Church.

New York, April 20.—The Herald says: In place of the one man who did like service on Sunday of last week, six private detectives acted as a bodyguard for John D. Rockefeller yesterday, when he walked with his two grandchildren, Fowler and Muriel McCormick, from his home to the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

The guard was maintained on the return home from church, the detectives walking a short distance behind Mr. Rockefeller and the children, who were in the care of a nurse.

In view of these extra precautions it was thought that the Black Hand threats against the children recently received by Mrs. Harold McCormick, their mother, together with demands for money, had been renewed, but no information on that point could be obtained.

NOT DISMISSED.

Whitney Says Sheriff Hope Voluntarily Resigned.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., April 20.—"Sheriff Hope was dismissed," said Hon. Mr. Whitney, referring to the despatch accusing the Government of removing that official in order to make a position for M. B. Morrison, M. P. P. Mr. Whitney continued: "Mr. Hope's resignation was brought to the Government and accepted in the ordinary course of events. No steps were taken to induce him to resign, and the arrival of his voluntary resignation was the first I heard of the matter."

SUMMER'S THEATRE.

Patrons of Summers' Theatre on the mountain will no doubt be pleased to learn that Mr. Summers contemplates making extensive changes in the theatre this spring. The seating arrangement will be changed, new seats being put in, and the lighting of the building will also be remodelled.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

THREE OF PREMIER ASQUITH'S MINISTERS.



RT. HON. JOHN BURNS, President of the Local Government Board.



RT. HON. R. B. HALDANE, Secretary for War.



RT. HON. WINSTON S. CHURCHILL, President of the Board of Trade.

HUNG TO A TREE.

Negro Charged With Serious Crime Probably Lynched.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 20.—A special to the Record from Atlanta, Texas, says: Jasper Douglas, a negro, was charged in a warrant sworn to Saturday with having criminally assaulted his stepister, a girl of 13 years. Yesterday morning his body was found hanging to the limb of a tree near this place.

FALSE DOCTRINE.

Toronto Editor Warns Young Men Against Science and Philosophy.

Chicago, April 20.—Those Christians, who are not strongly fortified against the insidious workings of doubt were adjured to give a wide berth to science and philosophy yesterday by J. A. Macdonald, managing editor of the Toronto Globe. Mr. Macdonald was speaking before a mass meeting of young men at the Young Men's Christian Association.

EDITOR WON.

Man Who Called Him Liar Had to Pay Damages.

Considerable interest was shown in the libel action of Albert Michell against Thomas Howden held at Cayuga last week. Mr. Michell is the editor of the Haldimand Banner, which is published at Caledonia, and some time ago Mr. Howden through the medium of the Grand River Sachem called Mr. Michell a liar and several other epithets of a similar nature, over an article that appeared in the Banner. Mr. Michell considered that his reputation was at stake, and went to court. Before Justice Britton at the Assizes in Cayuga Mr. Michell was given a verdict of \$25 and costs.

A Three-Cornered Deal.

Begg & Shannon have for some time been trying to secure more store space for their fast increasing trade, and during the past week a three-cornered deal has been put through, by which they have secured the store next door, 40 James street north, now occupied by E. A. Bartmann, and will shortly make these stores into one of the best stores for men in Canada. Mr. Bartmann, who also for the last year or so has felt the need of much larger premises, has secured from Mr. G. L. Forsythe a lease of 20 and 22 King street west, and will remodel it into an exclusive ladies' tailoring establishment, ready for July 1st.

Thick Black Twist Tobacco.

Genuine Irish black twist tobacco is sold in this city at peace's cigar store. Imported twist tobacco in the thick roll costs ten cents at 107 King street east.

Strike Settled

Cumberland, Md., April 20.—The street railway strike, inaugurated on Saturday morning upon the refusal of the company to reinstate two of the men discharged on account of gambling in the company's car barn, was amicably settled last night.

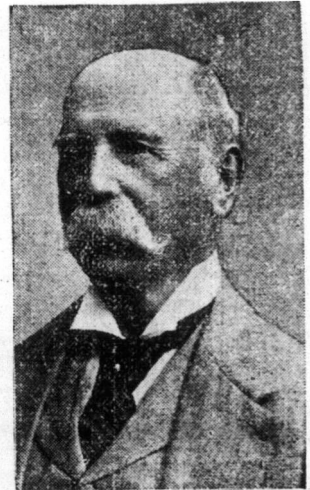
The company agreed to reinstate the men upon the condition that there would be no repetition of the abuses complained of, and that there would be hereafter a strict enforcement of the rules of the company against drinking, gambling, etc.

It was agreed that should there hereafter any disagreement or disagreements on the part of either the company or the men the company will settle with a committee of the railway men.

MR. MURRAY'S DEATH

Well Known and Beloved Citizen Died at Midnight.

The death of Mr. Alexander Murray, so well-known and so much beloved, both in social and commercial circles on both sides of the ocean, which occurred at his residence on Main street west at twelve o'clock on Sunday night, after an illness of only nine days, will be widely regretted, although he had reached the ripe old age of eighty-five. Mr. Murray was born in Perth, Scotland, on the 11th of January, 1823. He arrived in



THE LATE ALEXANDER MURRAY.

Hamilton between fifty and sixty years ago, and carried on an extensive business here for over forty years. He was a member and trustee of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and an ex-honorary president of the St. Andrew's Benevolent Society. No one in Hamilton was more respected than Mr. Murray, and his erect form, active to the last, will be much missed from our streets. The surviving members of his family are Mrs. Hendrie, of "The Holmstead"; Mrs. Charles J. Jones, of Bay street south, and Mr. Alexander Murray, of James street. The funeral will take place from "Arlo House," on Wednesday afternoon.

Felled by Brick

Ithaca, N. Y., April 20.—John F. Oates, of this city, died this morning as a result of a peculiar accident last night, in which five men were injured. The men were standing under the eaves of the four-story brick building on State street owned by Horace M. Hibbard, when suddenly tons of brick in the cornice fell to the pavement, crushing the men to the walk. They were dug out of the debris, and Oates, who was the most seriously injured, was removed to the city hospital, suffering from fracture at the base of the skull. Arthur Sincebaugh had two ribs broken and back injured. The other men escaped with severe bruises.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

A. A. Thompson was everybody's choice.

Go up and pick the winners at Thursday evening's meeting.

The Herald shows its independence by jabbing the Grits every time it gets a chance.

The Hydro Commission will not allow of competition. It's the whole hog or none with it.

Reid and Thompson, two of a kind.

Now they tell me that Mr. Gibson is a Cataract man.

A little treat on the side to the choir would be all right.

The ladies are determined that there shall be some spring house cleaning done down at No. 3.

Perhaps the Mayor can find out from Mr. Beck the earliest date we may expect the power turned on.

Then again, how long can the city afford to wait for these pumps? Six or twelve months or what?

Well, the money saved during Lent helps to pay the Easter bills.

Are you still sleeping with your window open?

Ham, Regan was never very good at fractions, and he would certainly feel obliged if somebody could solve the 3-5 puzzle for him.

Would Mr. Hendrie kindly tell us why he is hanging on so tightly to the patriotic fad?

Mr. Matheson is quite a hand at borrowing money. But how is he on the paying it back?

As R. A. Thompson truly says, we are a John Tamson's hair.

If you want a bona fide Liberal newspaper get the Times. It's straight goods every time. No pretence, no humbug. Says what it thinks and tells the truth every time. Now is the time to subscribe.

Like Mahomet's coffin the Jolley Cut sidewalk is hanging between heaven and earth, but there may be a landslide now any day.

Can a Black Hand man be caught red-handed?

If your name has not appeared in the Herald as a possible East Hamilton candidate you can understand that it was merely an oversight.

Gamey at Dundas sneered at the poverty of C. N. Smith. Gomey is now rich. But where did the money come from?

Yesterday was a very trying day for the Easter bonnet.

Whitney may spring the elections on us any day now. Don't be caught napping.

READY REVOLVER.

Young Man Shot by a Detective and Fatally Injured.

Buffalo, April 20.—Patrick McKeown, 29 years old, of this city, a switchman for the Lehigh Valley, was shot and fatally injured in the William street yards of the Lehigh early to-day by Dan Reardon, a Lehigh detective. It is claimed that McKeown was on his way to a restaurant for his lunch when Reardon fired at him. Immediately after the shooting Reardon made a statement in which he said he discovered McKeown and two other men pilfering from a car.

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ASK GOVERNMENT TO EXTEND SEWERS.

SHOOTING CRAP.

Police Have Book Full of Names For Police Court.

Constables Brown and Aikin carried out a good coup yesterday morning, when they took the names of a large bunch of crap shooters who were rolling the little bones at the foot of Emerald street, on the old Beach line of the G. T. R. If it had not been for William Tisdale, Niagara Falls, a G. T. R. detective, disappointing them, they would have made a raid on the spot, but they were unable to do so, as the game was on private property of the railway. For some weeks the police have known that every Sunday morning a crap game attracted about 200 young men to the spot, and the plans were carefully laid to surround them yesterday and arrest them all. A telegram came from Tisdale saying he was unable to be here, and the police were left to watch the game. Brown and Aikin were early on the job, and in some mysterious manner secured the names of nearly all the players, and to-day they showed a book full of them. The G. T. R. is likely to instigate a prosecution, and the cases will come up as soon as all the indictments are made out. There are a great many well-known young fellows in the group.

BAD MEN AROUND.

A Number of Assaults and Purse Snatchings.

The police received several reports yesterday of serious assaults and purse snatchings. Mrs. Petty, 202 Bay street south, reported that while she was going home a thief snatched her purse, which contained \$4.30, at the corner of MacNab and Duke streets. Mrs. Fryer, who claims to live in Toronto, came to town a few days ago, and claims that her purse was snatched on Friday night, and that it contained all her money, \$15. She slept in a shed on Saturday night, and at the police station last night, and the first official report she made of the purse snatching was this morning. Inspector McMahon was not greatly impressed with her story. A Warnke, of Nicholson & Warnke, tobacconists, reported that about Saturday midnight, while near his home at 156 Hess street south, he passed two men. One of the men struck him just as they passed, and they pointed on him, but he managed to get in a couple of yells, and the thieves ran away.

WARRANT ISSUED

For Alleged Assailant of Little Girl on Mountain.

A warrant was issued this morning for John Jones, Grant avenue, on the charge of attempted assault upon the seven-year-old daughter of David Winn, mountain top, on Good Friday afternoon. Constable Tuck investigated the case. Not liking the idea of the publicity it would mean, Mr. Winn at first did not want to prosecute, but the mountain residents insisted, as several women have been terrorized of late by men grabbing them, and Winn took out the warrant this morning.

SNOW STORM.

Looks Like Midwinter Between Oakville and Toronto.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., April 20.—A heavy snow storm is raging here, between Oakville and Toronto. It looks like midwinter. There is about two inches of snow.

SANG IN STRATFORD.

Mr. A. L. Gartwhite and Mr. W. O. Pettie, of this city, scored an emphatic success in Stratford on Good Friday, when they sang the leading parts in Stainer's "Crucifixion." The cantata was given in Central Methodist Church under the direction of Mr. Bridgman, the organist. The Stratford papers speak very highly of the excellent work done by these Hamilton gentlemen.

TWO LIBERAL MEETINGS TO BE HELD THIS WEEK.

Nominating Convention on Thursday Night and Mr. Turriff's Address on Saturday.

This week will be a lively one for the Liberals of Hamilton, who are assured of two good meetings. On Thursday night the nominating convention will be held in the large hall of the Liberal Club, Arcade building, when candidates will be selected for East and West Hamilton for the Ontario Legislature. It will be an open convention, at which any Liberal may nominate any one he thinks would make a fit and proper standard bearer. On Saturday night Mr. John G. Turriff, M. P. for East Assiniboia, and Mr. Adam Zimmerman, M. P. for West Ham-

Mr. Zimmerman Meets City Representatives.

Beck Will Meet Council To-morrow Night.

Another Bunch of Building Permits.

The aldermen of the Sewers and Harbor Committee met Adam Zimmerman, M. P. for West Hamilton, in City Engineer Barrow's Office this morning regarding the city's wants in connection with the re-ventment wall. The aldermen want the Government to extend the Catharine and Ferguson avenue sewers through the wall, to use the sand taken from in front of the wall for filling in behind it and to continue the wall around the city dock to John street. Mr. Zimmerman told them very frankly that he did not think the Government would consent to extending the sewers, although he promised to do the best he could on the city's behalf if the request was made. Ald. McLaren suggested that if the city built the sewers the Government would perhaps consent to continuing the wall to John street. Mr. Zimmerman said he felt confident that the city would have a good argument to get this done.

Ald. Jutten used the argument that the city had no money to extend the sewer and that if something was not done a nuisance would be created by reason of the re-ventment wall being there. Mr. Zimmerman pointed out that the wall was built at the city's urgent request on the ground that nearly all the waterfront was gone. The city should have made some provision at the time for the extension of the sewers. The Government was not to be blamed because the city did not have money enough to do its work.

Mr. Zimmerman took Mayor Stewart to task for a statement he made at a recent meeting of the Sewers Committee, intimating that Hamilton was not getting what was convenient for a Government. The Mayor explained that what he meant by this was that before the last two or three years Hamilton had hardly received anything. "Your members must have been a little backward in asking for it," said Mr. Zimmerman. These questions he thought should be taken up entirely apart from politics, and only with a view to the justice of each claim.

Mr. Zimmerman and the council arranged an appointment with the Minister for next week and notify the Mayor when it would be convenient for a deputation to go to Ottawa. In the meantime City Engineer Barrow will prepare plans showing what the city wants.

Mayor Stewart has called a special meeting of the City Council for to-morrow night, when Hon. Adam Beck, Hon. John S. Hendrie and Solicitor Lobb, of the Hydro-Electric Commission, will be here to enlighten the aldermen on the power question. The Mayor said to-day that while the contract as amended, if printed copies could be secured in time, might be gone over it would not be taken up to-morrow night with a view to closing the contract. The meeting is merely for the purpose of information, chiefly for the aldermen who have been bewildering their brains trying to figure out what Hamilton is going to reap any benefit by going into a blind thirty-year contract.

Chairman Wild of the Works Committee promised Ald. Jutten on Saturday last the Parks Board would begin at once to lay out three diamonds in north end park. Talking of baseball enthusiasts Ald. Jutten says the north enders get out and play with umbrellas when it rains.

Building Inspector Anderson says it is not true that he is going to have a by-law passed to prevent the wearing of "Merry Widow hats," in public buildings to prevent a panic in case of fire. He may move to have the doors made wider.

The following building permits were issued to-day: F. J. Rastriek & Son, brick house, Ray and Queen street, \$2,000.

George E. Mills, two brick houses, Fairview avenue, between King and Wilson, \$4,000.

George E. Mills, brick addition, corner Kent and Homewood avenue, for F. Backus, \$1,000.

T. Board of Works was prevented this morning from putting the cement gangs at work on account of the rain.

FATED TO LOVE HER

She was silent and patient; she tried to be brave, but unavailing she drooped. The old man looked returned, her cough lingered, although the weather was warm and fine.

"But it is just the detail that makes them so useful. They show us how the great principles may be carried out in every-day life."

"James calls them the much-ado-about-nothing library," said Cissy. "Ah! Gabrielle answered softly, 'but James often forgets that—'

"Little things, on little wings, Bear little souls to heaven." Her color mantled as she spoke. Cissy darted a sharp glance at Charlie, and somewhat to her vexation, caught his eyes.

"Half an hour later the boating party, among whom were Miss Featherstone and James, appeared in the croquet ground. The having decreed that the sun was too hot for boating."

"Oh, Charlie," were the first words which James heard; "do croquet that horrid blue away, and then come to me—I want your help so much!"

"'Afraid Gordon's something of a flirt. At any rate, he's behaving strangely. Making up now to Miss Featherstone. Every one says so. Observed it myself."

"No, by jove! he's!" he exclaimed, with a passionate stamp. Then, his face crimson, wrenching his arm away, he strode on at a furious pace; while poor Mr. Morris panted and puffed behind.

"The young man, brought suddenly to his senses, paused, and Mr. Morris puffed—'Pray forgive me,' began Charlie, full of compunction, Mr. Morris waved his hand."

"'Pray forgive me,' began Charlie, full of compunction, Mr. Morris waved his hand. 'Say no more. Say no more. Understand. Can you go now? We must take men as we find them, my dear Godfrey. He is young, he has much to learn. He may be acting from pique. Ah!—a heavy, groaning sigh—'Pique has broken many a heart ere now.'"

"'Well, I may be mistaken. I'll wait and see. I have vowed to protect her, and protect her I will,' murmured Charlie. He spoke less to Mr. Morris than to himself, but Mr. Morris heard."

"'How are you?' repeated James, and moved away; turned his back on the whole party. 'James, just come here a moment. I want to speak to you.' 'Well, Olivia?—' 'Can't you ask Mr. Godfrey to dinner, some day? He has seen so little of Gabrielle lately.'"

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Alphonse Champagne Killed by a Car in a Subway. Montreal, April 19.—Three bodies were taken to the morgue to-day. One was that of a guest of the St. James Hotel, who had been found dead in the darkness of a man who had been run over by a street car.

Country House Ballroom Parties and Conundrum Parties. London, April 19.—Two new society crazes are flourishing during these holiday days, country house ballroom parties and after-dinner conundrum parties.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST Homestead Regulations

ANY even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 4 and 36, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age.

Application for homestead entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or sub-agency. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at an Agency on certain conditions.

An application for entry or cancellation made personally at any sub-agency office may be wired to the Agent or Sub-agent, and supplied for it is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

An application for cancellation must be made in person. The applicant must be eligible for homestead entry, and only application for cancellation will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

Where an entry is cancelled subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for cancellation will be entitled to the right of entry.

A homesteader whose entry is not the subject of cancellation proceedings, may be subject to the approval of the department, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment.

DUTIES.—A settler is required to perform the duties under one of the following plans: (1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by filing on farming land, or on land with a claim not less than eighty acres in extent, in the vicinity of a homesteaded land, a vessel or ship in land will not meet the requirement.

(3) If the father or mother, if the father is deceased of a homesteaded land, or a homesteader entered for by him in entirety, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father or mother.

(4) The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of road allowances, between the residence of the homesteader and the land to be homesteaded.

(5) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

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 2,500 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 1,000 x 150 feet. The fee for recording a claim is \$5.

At least \$100 must be expended on the claim for recording a claim in the recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made at the agency of the Department of Mines and Fisheries, purchase the land at \$1 per acre.

The patent provides for the payment of a royalty of 25 per cent on the sales. "Placer" mining claims, not over 100 feet square; entrance fee, \$5; renewable yearly.

An applicant may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

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One afternoon the two girls, having escaped the respective wiles of a croquet party, a boating party and an archery party, were sitting together in the park. They had with them "Fouque's Seasons," and Gabrielle was trying to make Cissy recognize in the likeness of herself. But Cissy was in one of her maddest moods, and could not, if she would, be serious.

"Why, it is 'Charlie'!" cried Gabrielle, starting to her feet. "He said that name so often!"

"Oh, yes, there is the far-famed 'Charlie'!" mused Cissy, sitting composedly in her snug nook under the bush, and watching the greeting. "Why can't people have sense, I wonder? That face is worth ten of James'."

"Come and be introduced to Cissy," Gabrielle murmured, as she said, "I was already prejudiced in Cissy's favor; and very pretty and charming he thought her, as, rising, she bestowed on him a little piquante bow—like the majority of Cissy's movements, peculiarly her own."

"My dear Charlie! what an ominous tone of voice!" she exclaimed, laughing. But to him, who knew her so well, the laugh had an unusual sound.

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MARKETS and FINANCE

TORONTO MARKETS.

Farmers' Market. The only grain receipts to-day was a load of goose wheat, which sold at 85c a bushel. Other grains purely nominal.

SEVEN-WEEK BRIDE

Died After Operation—Sudden Death of Mrs. Midwinter. William Albert Gibb, the well-known commission merchant, died at his late residence, yesterday after a brief illness.

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Lively Operations of a Confidence Man at Sarnia. Sarnia, April 18.—A man who gave his name as James B. Young, and a Port Huron address, that is now found to be a vacant lot, is being searched for by the police of Sarnia for passing worthless cheques on the Bank of Commerce and the Bank of Toronto here.

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Winnipeg Wheat Market. Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures: Wheat, April \$1.04 bid. May \$1.05 bid. July \$1.07 3/4 bid.

Cheese Markets. At a meeting of the cheese board held here to-day, there were 269 white, 74 colored, offered at 119-15c bid for white, and 111-2c for colored; 25 white sold. Balance refused.

British Cattle Markets. London—London cables are steady at 12 to 13 1/2c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 1/4c per pound.

BRANTFORD NEWS.

Have evidence against some members of the local cock fighting fraternity for a main which was held on Thursday night on the "Cockshut" road. The case will come up this week before Mr. Andrews.

To the Grave. The funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas Burnley, who passed away here on Friday evening, took place this afternoon to Greenwood Cemetery. The deceased was a resident of Brantford for 33 years, and leaves to mourn her loss a husband, two sons, Messrs. Arthur and Samuel, and two daughters, Miss Amelia and Mrs. Geo. Shuttleworth.

Are Rerewed. Licenses have been granted to 16 hotels in this city. The commissioners, after receiving the reports of the various officers, expressed the opinion that hotel conditions in Brantford are better than they have ever been before.

Are Working. The Brantford & Hamilton Radial Co. are making a strenuous effort to have the entrance to this city completed and in operation by May 24th. A gang of 140 foreigners, mostly Italian, are at work grading the line from Mohawk Park west.

To Port Dover. It is regarded as quite unlikely that anything will be commenced this summer in the way of construction work on the proposed radial road to Port Dover. A score or more of surveys have been made during the past few years of such far as the Grand Valley Company is concerned, it is said that owing to the present condition of the financial market, the company will not be in a position to begin its work this summer, as was intended in that direction.

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CADETS SCORE WELL.

Instructor Syme had a good turnout of the Collegiate Cadets at the miniature ranges on Saturday, and some good shooting was done. The scores were: Hoehc ... 31 Almas ... 27 Medlen ... 25 Elliott ... 23 Thompson ... 22 Whitelock ... 22 Stephens ... 22 Midgely ... 21 Wilson ... 20 Smith ... 19 Baby ... 18 Merritt ... 17 Tansley ... 16 Fraser ... 16 Robbin ... 16

HEAVY SNOWFALL.

Interlaken, N. Y., April 20.—Three inches of snow fell here early to-day in a heavy storm which was accompanied by a drop in temperature to 30 degrees. The snowstorm followed a heavy rain, which continued throughout Easter Sunday.

THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1908.

MR. R. A. THOMPSON.

The Liberals of the County of Wentworth are fortunate in having no disturbing element in their midst and in having two men who have wisely and well represented them in the past in the Local House and who are able and ready to represent them in the future in the same capacity.

The other week the Liberals of South Wentworth unanimously renominated Mr. Daniel Reed as their standard bearer, and on Saturday last the North Wentworth Liberals had the pleasure and satisfaction of again unanimously adopting Mr. R. A. Thompson, their former member, as the candidate for the Ontario Legislature in the coming campaign.

While the Tories are divided and quarrelling among themselves, even the county organ refusing to endorse Mr. Thompson's political opponent, on the Liberal side all is harmony. There are no disgruntled or dissatisfied electors to be pacified. The records of Messrs. Thompson and Reed are before their constituents like an open book, so that he who runs may read. They are both men of their own class, who have lived and gone in and out among them for many years. They are known as neighbors, good neighbors, who by their honesty, industry and perseverance have been fairly successful in life, and been enabled to reach a position where they can be of benefit to the people among whom they live.

Both have been already successful at the polls. Both have beaten the men who are now their opponents, and the probability is that they will easily beat them again. Both have made their mark in the Legislature. Mr. Reed has done good service for his constituents in this session in the matter of the Beach and Saltfleet Local Option cases. Mr. Thompson, unfortunately, was laid aside by sickness during the closing weeks of the session. In fact, he was stricken down while preparing his speech on the budget. Although not pretending to be a financial critic, his annual speech on matters brought up in the budget has come to be looked forward to with considerable interest. He has a wide grasp of Ontario public questions, and his especially affect the farmers, and the Liberal side of the House always hear him with pleasure, while the Government dread his exposure of its bungling and mismanagement. He is a hard-working, painstaking representative, ever ready to further the interests of the farming class. Now that Toronto is to have double representation (this is one of Whitney's ways to swamp the farmer vote) men of Mr. Thompson's stamp are more than ever needed to look after the agricultural interests of the Province.

HOW THEY SQUIRM!

The situation created by the action of the South Wentworth Temperance Voters' League in presenting to Mr. Ham. Regan, the Tory candidate for the Legislature in that riding, a request that he pledge himself to vote for the repeal of the three-fifths clause in the Local Option Act, by which Whitney places the League at a disadvantage before the law, is causing the machine, its candidate and its organ, the Spectator, a good deal of anxiety. Mr. Regan appeals to the organ to help him to a way of escape, and the organ flounders about pitifully. Its course was at first directed toward abusing the League and challenging its right to put awkward questions to Mr. Regan. It charged the League as being "unreasonable," and alleged that its request was spider-like—that there was "a good deal of spider and fly" in it. Later it was brought to appreciate that it is really not so very unreasonable for those South Wentworth voters to object to legislation which makes them inferior before the law, declaring that it shall require three of their votes to be equal to two of other people's! "But, then," it urges, "why make a row, and cause Whitney and his candidate, Mr. Regan, annoyance about a little matter like that?" Its defence of Whitney is not in those very words, of course, but they express its meaning. There are other issues, it pleads; why not think of them, and not try to judge Whitney by his three-fifths vote legislation?

The Spectator's pleading is quite touching; but in addressing the men who present the case to Mr. Regan it speaks to a constituency that is dealing with a personal matter, and one by which Whitney's character, his good—or bad—faith in other regards may be judged. Whitney pledged a fair, honest, progressive administration of the license law. He was to lift it out of politics, free it from the taint of party, and give the temperance people a fair deal. He has proved untrue to every pledge. He has prostituted it to party ends, succumbed to the spoilsman, and deliberately loaded the dice against the temperance men, whose support he got by promising more than Ross would promise, by deliberately making a law declaring that three temperance votes should equal only two liquor votes. In other words, that two liquor men should have as much power in law as three temperance men. This was protested against in the Legislature in vain. Deputations of outraged electors pleaded for justice, without result. The Opposition moved to secure the repeal of the odious clause. But Whitney was obdurate; he would not admit that three local option votes should be as good as three votes of any other kind; and he rung up his majority to a man to vote down the amendment, and the organ, the machine in the county, and Mr. Regan approved. And every candidate of Whitney enters the contest as the supporter of this three-fifths iniquity.

Mr. Regan cannot rid himself of this load. The three-fifths clause and Whitney cannot be dissociated; they and their candidate are a trio. The Spectator may abuse, insult, whine or wheedle as it will, it cannot put the South Wentworth victims of Whitney's deceit and legislative outrage off the track. They know that this is their turn, and they know, too, that even if Regan promises to try to save his bacon, Whitney is not to be depended on as to any pledge he may be found to give. He has been tried and found wanting.

WATER ON THE MOUNTAIN.

The consideration of how best to supply water to the residents on the heights is causing a good deal of discussion. From Brookville, Ohio, comes the report of a small waterworks system, supplying about 1,200 inhabitants, a description of which may contain some suggestions. The equipment consists of two 25-h.p. New Era single cylinder gasoline engines, with 11 1/2 x 18 in. cylinders, operating four cycles, which are each belt-connected to an 8x10 in. triplex single-acting Smith-Valve pump having a capacity of 300 gal. per minute at 50 r. p. m. The water is distributed through approximately three miles of pipe, having at present 111 service connections. The distribution is by pneumatic pressure, maintained at 50 to 80 pounds on the mains, when the pumps are not in operation, by compressed air in two storage tanks 8 feet in diameter and 36 feet long. There have been no interruptions to the service, which has always been satisfactory, the engines giving good service and being readily started even when cold. The bill for gasoline has been \$125.26 a year.

THE LAW AND THE GRAFTER.

All in good time we have obtained a judicial definition of the newer meaning of the word "graft." The word may now be carried from the dictionaries of thieves' slang into the standard lexicons of our language with the dictum of no less an authority than that of the Supreme Court of Idaho to establish its meaning. The decision to which we have reference was rendered by the court in a case arising out of a suit for libel, brought by Governor Gooding against a newspaper, which was charged with saying that "grafting and graft have become so thoroughly known as synonymous terms, that the rank and file will have no more of it." It was contended, on behalf of the defence, that a reasonable construction must take into account that the word is capable of being read without a meaning which reflects in an actionable way upon the person to whom it is used, and that it is not part of the duty of the court to read into the language used as a sinister mean-

ing when another interpretation is naturally open to it. This plea, however, had no effect with the court, which declared that it was unable to find any definition or general use of the word "graft," which would indicate an innocent act or motive on the part of a person designated as a "grafter." It regarded the meaning of the word in the connection in which it was employed, as being sufficiently established by recent usage as to have no doubt of the intention of the writer, or the sense in which it would be accepted by the reader.

The original meaning of the word "graft" is well known in its relation to horticulture and surgery. When we pass out of those fields, however, the term carries with it a certain degree of odium, and the Idaho Supreme Court was very clear in expressing its opinion of its use, declaring, "To charge one with being a grafter has a tendency to impeach his honesty, integrity and reputation." The court was still more explicit, and ruled that "to graft" was "to steal or to swindle."

Minnesota Supreme Court has also given us a definition of the word, perhaps not quite so evil in its significance, but still leaning toward the view of the Idaho Court. Its words are: "Graft is commonly used to designate an advantage which one person, by reason of his position of superiority, influence, or trust, extracts from another." A contemporary has called attention to the fact that at some of the colleges and universities in England, to "graft" signifies to be especially studious, to work hard; but, however this may be, the verdict of the Americans, as well as the judgments of these State Supreme Courts, recognize the term to convey to people on this side of the pond, the idea of working some one else—and of doing so without being over-scrupulous as to whether or not the rules of meum and tuum are rigidly regarded in the process.

THE LATE MR. MURRAY.

In the death of Mr. Alexander Murray Hamilton loses a citizen who did a great deal to promote his city's business interests, and who ever had its highest social and moral welfare at heart. Mr. Murray was, indeed, a fine type of gentleman and one whom every citizen learned to honor and respect. He spent most of his long and useful life in Hamilton, and, even after his retirement from active business life, his familiar figure and kind face always brought pleasure to his hosts of admirers. His illness was brief, and in the fulness of well spent years he has gone to his well earned reward. The Times extends to his relatives heartfelt sympathy.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The people of Cobalt are not feeling very kindly toward the Ontario Government for bleeding the town and district of revenue while doing nothing by way of aiding it to secure fire protection, water service, and that sort of thing.

In 1897 our trade with Great Britain amounted to \$89,935,040, having increased about \$24,000,000 in 20 years. Last year it amounted to \$208,745,193, having increased \$110,000,000 in 10 years. That is a fairly good showing for Laurier's regime.

The discomforts of an ocean voyage will be greatly minimized if the pitching and rolling of vessels can be abolished or reduced, as is proposed to be done by the adoption of a steam-driven gyroscopic apparatus with which experiments have been made in Germany. In England, also, experiments are being made, and it seems probable that the principle involved in the very interesting toy may be made to accomplish wonders in the way of steadying vessels.

Those Tory organs who affect to regard the figures of revenue and expenditure as being out of proportion to the country's business, should cast their eye over the returns of the Canadian banks and railways. Bank discounts increased from \$226,960,482 in 1897 to \$639,970,696 last year. Railway traffic similarly increased nearly 300 per cent., while our total trade increased in the 10 years about \$400,000,000 as against an increase of \$9,000,000 in the 13 Tory years preceding!

The Ottawa Citizen seems to be rather envious of Mr. Archie McNece, of Windsor, who, it says, some years ago secured a franchise of fishing privileges in James Bay for payment of \$10 a year. Has it ever inquired how much Archie will take for the franchise? It was regarded, some years ago, as a pretty good joke. Our contemporary might get even by purchasing, for a good round figure, the right to shoot polar bears within a thousand metres of the North Pole.

The Vancouver Province finds the statement of Sir Hibbert Tupper's advocates that he "is the one man in the Conservative party, in Vancouver, who is capable of properly representing this city in the Federal Parliament," rather too much to swallow. It declares that the assertion is too sweeping, and casts discredit upon the party. It even denigrates that "he stands in a class by himself." One of these days there will be an execution in Vancouver for lese majeste.

The Victoria, B. C., Colonist, the Tory organ of the Pacific Province capital, rebukes the party for its bad tactics in antagonizing the Liberals in carrying out great works for the country, particularly the National Transcontinental Railway, and it promises to do what it can to put the Tories right in that matter. Our contemporary will fail;

the Tories will not be put right. The party still harps on the same string. Its leaders are given up to a policy of obstruction, fault-finding and abuse. It seeks power only by slander. What could one journal, even were it able and convinced, do with such a gang?

The Toronto Mail and Empire seeks to excuse the disgraceful lobbying of the session of the Legislature just closed, by saying that "it brings the reader's mind back reminiscently to the other times and other manners of the Ross regime in this province." That, of course, is a product of the Mail and Empire's imagination. There was one session in which lobbying did become a nuisance, a few years ago, when an effort was made by the Tories to purchase the control of the Legislature by buying up a number of members like cattle on the hoof for so much a head; cash in envelopes. Those with long memories probably have not forgotten that a prominent feature in the disclosures and legal proceedings which followed the handing over of these envelopes to the Speaker was the manager of a leading Tory paper in Toronto, of whom the Mail and Empire may prefer to say little in this connection.

OUR EXCHANGES

A Good Medium. (Belleville Intelligencer.) Somebody in Hamilton lost a cat, advertised in the Times and the cat came back. This undoubtedly proves that the Times is the best advertising medium in Canada.

Unfair Competition. (Montreal Gazette.) It has been deliberately resolved that the right to enter into government-aided and untaxed competition with electric power producers is within the list of municipal privileges and special sanction has been given to by-laws to secure an end.

The Gerrymander. (Hon. A. G. MacKay.) "There never was a more unfair, a more subtle gerrymander than the one of the Whitney Government. There never was a gerrymander which gives such an absolute lie to every statement made in its favor, I don't care what feature of the gerrymander you take up, you cannot find any principle laid down by Mr. Whitney that he has not deliberately and unnecessarily violated."

Lacked the Courage. (Goderich Signal.) Hugh Clark, M. P. for Centre Bruce, stayed away from the House when the vote was taken on the Preston amendment to make Toronto's representation six, instead of eight members as proposed by the Government. Mr. Clark had the courage to vote against the biggest army of the Opposition, the Government's proposal, of doubling the representation of Toronto.

Whitney Makes the Money Fly. (Toronto Star.) The total expenditure of the Province in 1903 was considerably less than \$5,000,000. The ordinary expenditure last year, as appears by page 4103 of the Public Account, was \$7,144,400. The appropriations for 1908 call for practically the even \$8,000,000. Thus the increase in outgo in the five years is roughly 60 per cent., as against an increase of 28 per cent. in the expenditure of the Dominion Government during the five years ending with 1907.

They Still Oppose It. (Victoria Colonist.) If the Conservatives join issue with the Liberals in regard to the promotion of great enterprises, they make these enterprises the issue of the campaign. That is why the Liberals achieved such a success at the last general elections for the Dominion. The Conservatives permitted themselves to be regarded as opposing the construction of a National Transcontinental Railway. So far as the Colonist is concerned, it does not propose to permit that the considerations involved in the latter shall be obscured by permitting the Liberals to represent the Conservatives as being opposed to the former.

MAYOR STEWART WARNED. To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—I wonder if Mr. Stewart, Mayor, understands what he is talking about on this Hydro power. He does not see Hamilton would have to pay for the land from Niagara to Hamilton, and all the expenses of poles and the keeping up of said line, as Toronto would only have to pay from Hamilton to Toronto, and any place from here to Toronto that would use any of the power it would help Toronto, not to mention the fact that we would be half a million in debt for a thing that we don't need at any price. Every ratepayer in the city should condemn the thing, and he would be giving Toronto a benefit that Hamilton would have to pay for. How Toronto take care before it's too late. How Toronto would laugh at the stupidity of it. No wonder they were offering Toronto cheaper than Hamilton. A word to the wise is sufficient. And then we have already a power that is second to none, and has done more for Hamilton than any other power company that has ever come into Hamilton, and you would see how Toronto would take away our manufacturers. That's what they are working for, so beware before you burden Hamilton with over half a million. Toronto is just waiting until Hamilton commits herself, and the idea of forty years' contract to burden the next generation. They would curse the Council for ages—they would ruin Hamilton. Beware! Beware! James Galloway, 238 Hunter street east.

JUVENILE TEMPLARS. There was a good attendance of members at the weekly meeting of the International Juvenile Temple, I. O. G. T., held in the C. O. O. F. Hall on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. D. B. Smith, S. J. W., who presided, was assisted by Nellie Morrison, C. T. pro tem. In the course of business, A. H. Lyle, Grand Treasurer of Canada, gave a short and much appreciated address. A short programme was also presented. Among those who took part in it were Mrs. F. W. Amrose and Lizzie Smith. Next Saturday's meeting, six o'clock, will see the election of officers.

Tuesday, April 21, 1908 SHEA'S ROYAL WORCESTER Most Perfect Corset At the Price in the World Just cleared the Customs an immense quantity of Muslins, Dimities, Cotton, Voiles, Chambrays, Fine Gingham Vesting, etc., etc., all marked at the most reasonable prices. Every yard thoroughly dependable and fashionable. New Organdie Muslins Very handsome stripe and floral designs and exceptionally fine qualities, all direct importations. No store can give you such values and few of them such large assortments. Per yard 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 29c, 35c and 50c. NEW COTTON VOILES in pretty striped and floral designs, all the good colors, most reasonably priced per yard 29c, 35c and 45c. NEW LINEN SUITINGS, natural shade, new tan, brown shades and Saxe blue shades, one of the season's most popular wash goods, per yard 25c, 29c and 35c. NEW PRINTS—A fresh lot of splendid English Prints, "Hard to Beat," Crum's and other good makes, all most reasonably priced, 12 1/2c and 14c. NEW YORK BLOUSES Just received from New York direct, a shipment of the newest things in Waists, made of fine mercerized gingham and crossbarred muslins, in the new tailor made styles, embroidered collar and neat pocket, very special at each, \$1.50. New Lawn Waists at \$1. This is the best value we have ever shown in White Waists, beautifully made and richly embroidered, all stylish, some worth \$1.50, others \$1.25, all one price, each \$1.00.

BINBROOK started seeding. The hard frost and dry, cold weather are very hard on the wheat and clover. Mrs. Robert Evans is still under the doctor's care. It is the intention of the Cemetery Committee to appoint a day in June to clean up and beautify the cemetery. All who wish are invited to take part. Building operations have already started in the village. Mr. George Buss is repairing his residence. Mr. William Dougherty, who has bought out Mr. Almer Johnson, has moved in, and intends to keep a meat shop this season. The contract was let on Monday evening last for leveling roads in S. S. No. 3. Mr. Geo. Whitwell and Mr. Sam McMurray secured the job. VAST ARMY SCHEME OF CHINA. Frenchman Hears She May Enroll 40,000,000 Men. A Frenchman, who has been making a study of the Chinese army, warns Europe that it is not inevitable that within ten years China may be able to oppose to the white nations of the world a thoroughly drilled and equipped force of 40,000,000 of soldiers. It is quite certain, he thinks, that it would have the biggest army in the world, at least 6,000,000 men ready to mobilize at short notice, and equal in courage, drill and equipment to any European troops. This 6,000,000 minimum is provided for by present plans. The increase to the maximum figure means nothing but a little more effort, a draft on the wealth of population which is trivial when spread out thin over so vast an empire. The writer fears that, stimulated by their own remarkable performances in arms making up to date, the Chinese soldiers, which the Chinese soldiers, Ma was an able organizer, and the sort of soldiers that were produced under his management were revealed to Occidentals in 1900, when the capture of the Taku forts took place. Eight Chinese soldiers previous to that encounter had been little better than massacres; but the defenders of the Taku forts and those of Tientsin and of Chain Hai Kuan, armed with modern rifles and having, Armstrong and Krupp ammunition, fought not only with desperate bravery, but with discipline. They gave pretty nearly as good an account of themselves as an equal number of European troops would have done. When China caught her breath in 1900 she realized that these were the only sort of troops worth having. Rejecting the plan submitted by her British adviser, Sir Robert Hart, for the creation of a miniature army of four divisions to be developed in the course of ten years, she boldly adopted a scheme of evolution which would seem startling in any country. It contemplated the creation of twenty army corps of two divisions each, each division comprising three brigades of one of cavalry, a battalion of engineers and a battalion of supply train. Each brigade was to be composed of four regiments of three battalions of 300 men each. A scheme of local recruiting was adopted, with a period of active service of nine years, to be followed by seven years of reserve with a month's drill each year. The creation of twenty-five schools of cadets with a capacity to furnish 4,000 officers in the first three years and an annual contingent of 1,500 thereafter was also decreed, and a primary levy of 500,000 men was made. The viceroys of the various provinces were further ordered to include in their budgets a sufficient tax for the support of this force. No exact estimate of the revenue needed was to be made, however, until the Government had 800,000 men in active service and 4,000,000 reserves. It used to be the way that things ended with talk in China, but times appear to be changed. There are actually at the present time, according to the French authority, 420,000 men, armed and drilled in modern style, organized into fifteen army corps with capable officers. There are no more red umbrellas and no more banners inscribed with threats before which the enemy is supposed to run away. Every soldier has for the time being a Mauser rifle and plenty of ammunition, which he is taught to burn to good effect. But the Chinese have devised a magazine rifle of their own which they consider much better than any now in use in Europe, and which is the only rifle in the world the mechanism of which is an absolute secret. Six arsenals have been established with proper machinery for making

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They are working night and day, and it is said that they can turn out 3,000 guns a week. A very important detail is that the new army is regularly paid. A serviceable uniform has been adopted for the troops. Zouave trousers are tucked into half boots. The soldier on parade wears a neat tunic with a belt, but on active service he is clad in a flannel shirt, over which he wears cross belts to carry his knapsack and cartridge case. The men are of fine physique and the health in the army is said to be excellent. They are as easily fed as the Japanese. They are completely disciplined, and with the Chinese indifference to death, which has been displayed under the most disastrous conditions, it seems as if they might man for man prove equal to the best European troops. There is a fair supply of field and mountain artillery, and the supply of Krupp siege guns is steadily increasing. There are 7,000 cadets at present in the military schools, and 900 pupil officers, as they are called, are receiving higher instruction in ordnance, strategy and tactics at four superior schools. A military academy which is to occupy somewhat the position of our own war college, is being organized at Peking. The Frenchman estimates that the expense of an army on the basis of a million active and seven million reserve soldiers will not involve an increased burden of more than five cents a head on the population of China. Even so poor a people, he thinks, can stand this, and the Government and people have grown so proud of the army that he sees no hope of any slackening in its development. "This is the real yellow peril," is the conclusion that he draws. GAY WINTER LIFE IN NORWAY. Lads and Lassies Outdoors by Day and Night. A writer for a German paper who has been stopping in Christiania gives a surprising account of the liberty accorded to the young people of Norway, especially the girls. After receiving the rite of confirmation the girls receive what he calls Schusselfreiheit, or key freedom; their parents literally hand over to them a night key and complete liberty to come and go as they please day and night. Though the period of schusselfreiheit comes in the early teens, the beneficiaries have no scruple about enjoying it to the fullest extent. With or without male companions they go off winter and summer on long country trips, week end parties usually, which start on Saturday afternoon, when the half day sessions of the schools are over and the offices close up and last until Monday morning. All through the country for the length of a day's journey from the capital there are ski huts, in which the pleasure parties take refuge over night. Some families own their own ski huts, rich men, and others rent them for a few shillings; but the greater number are owned by farmers, who rent them out at the rate of from \$1.60 to \$2.60 a month. Just outside of Christiania is the Holmenkollen, which is to that city something like what Bronx Park is to New York, only more so. It is a great hill about 3,250 feet high, so near to Christiania

"President Roosevelt is about to close the mails to anarchistic literature. He is right." And the anarchist will indulge in something as nearly like a laugh as he can, and buy a few envelopes.

EASTER IN THE CHURCHES.

Impressive Message by Bishop in Christ's Church.

Large Reception Service in First Methodist.

Dr. Miller, of Ridley, at the Church of Ascension.

Christ's Church Cathedral was filled to the limit with the largest congregation of the year yesterday morning, to hear His Lordship Bishop DuMoulin deliver the annual Easter sermon.

The Easter services in Emerald Street Methodist Church yesterday were very interesting and profitable. In the morning the pastor preached an Easter sermon from the words, "If Christ be not risen, then is your faith vain."

TOUCHING WORDS

Spoken by Father Teehey of Late Mgr. Heenan.

Dundas, April 20.—The usual Easter services were held in the churches here yesterday, and were largely attended. In St. Augustine's Rev. Father Teehey, an old college mate and lifelong friend of the late Rev. Mgr. Heenan, made very feeling references to his life and work.

Seventy New Members.

At the close of the sermon at the morning service in First Methodist Church yesterday the pastor, Rev. K. J. Treleven, extended the right hand of fellowship to a large number of new members.

G.T.R. PROMOTIONS.

J. E. Dalrymple Joins G. T. P. at Winnipeg.

Montreal, April 20.—Important changes of officials are announced on the Grand Trunk System, to go into effect on May 1.

OLD TEACHER DEAD.

James Millar Passed Away at Beamsville, on Saturday.

The death occurred in Beamsville on Saturday of James Millar, who up to a couple of years ago was mathematical master in the Parkdale Collegiate Institute.

SUIT OVER JAMAICA PROPERTY

Ivanhoe Joseph Mordecai, of Marant Bay Jamaica, has instituted an action against the Imperial Loan and Investment Co., John H. Tilden and Thomas E. Rolph, the West Indies Plantations, Limited, James Langmuir, E. G. West, Dr. J. E. Black, J. W. Redfern, George Pierhellen and Alfred T. Blackwell, claiming \$20,000 damages for alleged conspiracy to sell certain property in Jamaica, and deprive him of the purchase price.

A ROYAL VISIT.

London, April 20.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra left London this morning for a visit to Copenhagen, Stockholm and Christiania, where they will be the guests of the royal families at these capitals.

THE TRAGEDY AT LONDON.

Still Searching For the Man Who Shot Lloyd.

Further Particulars of the Murder At Wolsley Barracks.

Description of Moir and Officers in Pursuit of Him.

London, April 20.—The shooting of Color-Sergeant Lloyd, of the 28th Regiment, Stratford, by Private Moir about midnight Friday at Wolsley Barracks, seems to have been a most cold-blooded affair.

It appears that Moir was not addicted to the drug habit in any form, and while he may have been slightly under the influence of liquor, he has always been known to have a quick and hasty temper, and was, from reports, of a quarrelsome disposition.

For a long time no clue as to the hunted man was found until Police- man Downs and Sergeant Gilmore, of the R. C. I., picked up about forty rounds of ammunition in the commons, which showed that Moir had fired through the eastern gate and dropped part of his ammunition when he ran. All through the night the search was continued, but the most promising lead on the entire barracks was greatly relieved when it was learned that the desperate man was in the open country instead of skulking in or around the barracks with two fire arms and plenty of ammunition in his possession.

Was With Moir.

Sergt. Carter, who accompanied Moir down town and back on Friday night, when interviewed, had very little to offer in reference to the crime. "Moir and I went down town Friday night," he said, "and we had a few drinks."

"About 11:30 we caught a car at the corner of Dundas and Richmond street, and came back to the barracks. "I left Moir at the guard room and went across to my quarters, where I partially undressed, and heard a shot fired."

"I was Moir intoxicated," was asked. "Well, in military life a man must be either sober or drunk," was the non-committal reply.

"I would not care to say whether Moir was drunk, but I can say that he was not entirely sober."

Who Moir Was.

The following is a description of the slayer of Sgt. Harry Lloyd: Nationality, Scotch; age, about 25 years; height, five feet eight and one-half inches; muscular build. The color of the hair and eyes is black. Right ear slightly disfigured, and small scar on right side of face. His first finger on left hand is missing about one inch. His facial expression is that of a man of cunning, and showed an excitable temperament, and a pointed remark would always fetch a display of anger.

It is claimed that Moir has been vowing threats of vengeance on some of his companions, and always imagined he had a grievance.

It is just a few weeks ago that he pointed a gun at a comrade who crossed his temper when he was intoxicated. The comrade at whom he pointed the gun made a dash for refuge, and hid behind the large chimney on the square.

The officers on duty were shocked by the terrible deed of Moir, except that he was drunk, and his ungovernable temper gave way, with the tragic result.

It was probably that Lloyd's good nature and accommodating manner to render a service to a comrade that lost him his life. Instead of being on duty Friday night, Sergt. Youngman should have been there, but the sergeant had asked Lloyd to trade guards with him, as he wanted to spend the evening at his home at South London. Lloyd willingly accepted the comrade's request, which ended so tragically last night.

In Beer War. Moir is an old soldier, so it is said, and was a private in the old Gordon Highlanders. He fought with the regiment through the Boer war. He has also seen service on the frontier.

He always carried firearms, and it is said, would shoot on provocation. The revolver he carried was an army revolver. Moir also had another revolver which he borrowed from one of the other soldiers.

Out of His Mind.

The deed was evidently that of a man crazed with liquor or drugs. The latter is the more probable cause, come of his comrades claiming that he is addicted to the use of "cordite."

A story told to-day by Charles Legg, who lives near the barracks, leads to the belief that the man was out of his mind through the use of some drug. In company with John Bell, who lives on East Oxford street, a few doors from the home of Mr. Legg, he was walking home on Friday night, about 11:25, when they heard a shot and a bullet whizzed past Legg's head. He wheeled around and peered into the darkness with his companion, but could discern nothing, and dismissing the subject from their minds with a little comment, the young men went to their homes.

Legg entered his home and walked into the pantry with a light to get something to eat. He had scarcely been in the room, the window of which is discernible from the road, when he heard two shots, evidently close to the house. The first shot was followed by the other at an interval of perhaps forty seconds, and as the second shot was fired a bullet crashed into the sash around the pantry window.

In Pursuit.

Thorncliffe, Ont., April 19.—With five police officers from London, not on his trail, and all the authorities of the surrounding country in possession of his exact personal description, Private Moir, the slayer of Color-Sergeant Lloyd

at Wolsley Barracks, has little chance of much further evading the vigilance of the law.

It is well known that Moir carries two loaded army revolvers, and it is feared he is prepared to fight and die, if used by before attempting to arrest.

The officers, however, realize the desperate character of the human game they are after, and are determined to capture their quarry, if possible, alive.

The hunted man's steps have been minutely traced from the time he fled from the scene of his crime.

Leaving the barracks he went through the western gate, and taking a route through the fields, thus avoiding the highways, he continued in a northeasterly direction towards the Grove post office, which is three miles from London.

Here, it has been ascertained, he slept in a barn all day, blissfully ignoring the fact that the entire countryside was virtually in his pursuit.

About half-past six on Saturday evening he approached Postmaster Robinson of the Grove and asked for something to eat.

As the postmaster had not, up to that time, been informed of the barracks tragedy, he gave the soldier some food and the latter departed on his way, cutting across the fields toward Wyton, a little before the post office.

Here the pursued man approached the house of Albert Martin, directly opposite the village post-office, and again asked for something to eat, and also a change of clothes. This was about 8:30 last night.

As the family of Mr. Martin had been ill, the larder was empty and the request for clothes had to be refused, as no clothing could be found to fit the fellow.

Moir was next seen by Simon Blake, the postmaster at Wyton. Here the pursued man also made the request for food and clothes, but the postmaster, becoming suspicious of the man, refused both.

The escaping soldier turned abruptly on his way over the road and in passing the home of Robert Bryden, a little further down, he was seen by Mr. Bryden's two little daughters walking quietly along at the same time casting furtive glances behind him as if expecting some one to overtake him.

To-night at 9 o'clock rumors reached here that a man, answering Moir's description, was on his way to St. Mary's, following the Grand Trunk tracks.

Detectives Nickle and Egerton, Police Sergeant Downs and Green and Color-Sergeant Gilmore immediately obtained the use of a railroad handcar here and started along the tracks after the escaping prisoner.

EASTER EXAMS.

Results in Many Schools in This Vicinity.

Following are the results of the Easter examinations at Trolley Street School. The figures show the percentages taken:

Senior fourth—Grace Hewish 88, Willie Tyrrell 71, Harold Freeburn 69, Ferguson Allan 66, Bobbie Gage 61, George Awey 58, Albert Moore 55, Constance Morris 52, Helena Owen 48, Mabel McIntosh 46, Janie Tomlinson 41.

Junior fourth—Bessie Dunn 70, May Bousfield 54, Jean Allan 53, Harold Hendry 46, Clarence Bousfield 46, Harold Calhick 43.

Senior third—Douglas Tyrrell 63, Fred Morgan 62, Bruce Awey 57, Dorothy Pratt 54, Douglas Allan 45, Hazel Johnson 45, Tom Herbert 42, Frank Henderson 40.

Junior third—Fletcher Waldron 89, Bertha Schwenger 87, Mabel Freeburn 79, Maimie Boyd 73, Grace Gage 67, Elmer Johnson 64, Alda VanNere 62, John Beattie 56, Tommy Hyland 53, William Killely 53, Clifford Herbert 51, Marjorie Luman 51, Ralph Johnson 49, Maudie Randle 48.

Second book—Bennie Budgeon 87, Dorothy Allan 85, Winnie Pratt 85, Dorothy Lewington 82, Arthur Bousfield 79, Mary Austin 66, Ernest Dunn 66, Harvey Butt 63, Marjorie Hewish 60, Sheldon Hyland 60, Alice Tomson 59, Oswald Gage 55, Clara McKean 55, Hazel Cope 51, Grace Hagel 50, Millie Webb 45.

Senior part second—Elsie Cope 88, Arthur Pratt 85, Ray Henderson 78, John Dunn 77, Henry Dyer 73, Rene Jennings 72, Ross Henderson 67, Victor Webb 63, Walter Wilson 48.

Part second—Harry Rogers, Albert Leather, Harold Cote, Hazel Robins, Clarence Lewis, Norman Robertson, Roy Hudson, Marquis Fisher, Wilfrid Townsend, Charlie Newberry, John Gibbins, Keith Waldron, Ota Kerr, Wilhelmine Simpson, Pearl Ruggles, Ruly Lottridge, Marjorie Allan, Francis Budgeon, Doris Silson, Daisy Dadswell, Clayton Johnston, Edna Hyland. Absent—Alfred Barr, May Kelley, Edith Lesperance, Edgar Mortimer, Joy Matthews.

Part first—Belle Henderson, Gertrude Cote, Robbie Webb, Stella Cope, Kathleen Jennings, Arthur Pascoe, Arleigh Randall, Polly Boyd, Burness Cope, Cyril Bellback, Russell Wray, Arthur Wray, Grace Lewis, Willie Ruggles, Maggie McKean, Georgina Lesperance.

Part first—Frank Newberry, Clara Hagie, Charlie Hunt, Roy Hope, Fred Fuller. Absent—Percy Mortimer, Marian VanMeer, Murray Lottridge, Frank Dadswell. Absent—Marie Fleet.

EAST FLAMBORO' NO. 4.

The following is the result of the Easter promotion examinations held in school section No. 4, East Flamboro; names are in order of merit:

Walker, Herbie Goodes, Susie Poole, Freddie Syer, Cecil Syer. Pearl and Herman Beare not present for all examinations.

SALTLEET NO. 9.

To senior fourth—Agnus Cunningham, Ira Lee, Roger H. Ptolemy, Mary Reid, Annie Beaton.

To junior fourth—Mary Patterson, Orpha Lee, Wilk Fortman, Albert Krick. To senior third—Pearl Krick, Fred Fortman, Annie Fortman.

EAST FLAMBORO' NO. 7.

Senior fourth, maximum 800—Florence Gavin, 629; Jessie Alger, 529; Muriel McNeven, 524; Joyce Freed, 504; Nellie Scott, 451; Mary Scott, 443.

To junior fourth, maximum, 800—Annie Bayfield, 513; Aretta Beaton, 480; Winnie Mitchell, 464; James Wetherell, 450; James Beaton, 438; Ella Carlson, 425; Edie Alger, 291.

To senior third, maximum, 600—Alvin Bates, 415; Winnie Gavin, 347; Teenie McCarthy, 320; Bartie Sullivan, 309, Fred McCarthy, 302; Lawrence Gray, 300; Delmar Smith, 300; Mary Sutton, 284; Clarence Hocking, 271.

SALTLEET NO. 5.

The following pupils have passed their Easter promotion examinations: Senior fourth—Evelyn Arnold, Albert Woodman, Charley Pickering, Gordon Street.

Junior fourth—Willie O'Brien, Violet Elliott, Ella Nugent, Norman Spiera. Senior third—Laura Fagan, Stanley Street, Irwin Jones, Martin Kelly, Ella Spira, Lillian Dixon.

Junior third—Edith Utter, Glenn Reinke, Lucy Lang, Alfred Fagan, Tom O'Brien, Reggy Elliott, Willie Dixon, Agnes Arnold.

Second—Mamie Hannigan, Andy Pettit, Nellie Thain. Part two—May Whitmore, Marie Swazey, Annie Nugent, Carmen Spira, Arthur Nugent, Katie Thain.

BARTON NO. 5.

Names in order of merit: To senior fourth—Emma Oakes, Jack Harper, Arthur Wood, Richard Burke, Willie Almos, Edna Flemming, Rowena Clutton.

To junior fourth—Hazel Darke, Maggie Almos. To senior third—Earl House, Hilda Rymal, Victoria Clutton, Louie Skewes. To junior third—Harry Flemming, Francis Wood, Russell McGeorge, Vena Blain, David Rymal.

To senior second—Marjorie Darke. To junior second—Stinson Watt. To senior first—Helen Elliott, Charlie Clutton.

ANCASTER NO. 13.

The following are the results of the uniform promotion examinations in S. S. No. 13, Ancaster, names in order of merit:

Senior fourth standing—Ross Dymert, Cecil Herriman. To senior fourth—Ella Paterson, Frank Boyd, Calvin Dymert, Robert Howard, Lulu Dymert, Maitland Rous, Clara Johnston.

To junior fourth—Eva Dymert, recommended—Leslie Bristol, Frank Howard. To junior third—George Dymert, Fred Boyd, Naomi Rous.

M. E. Cliff, teacher.

SPORTING NEWS

(Continued from page 2.)

onto, to-morrow and will last two or three days. It will be held under the auspices of the Ontario Checker Association, and Frank Woodcock, the secretary, has already received ten entries for the event, as follows:

Walter Dillane, of Tottingham. John Featherstone and Alexander Lorrin, of Markham. Judge McGibbon, Brampton. J. M. Small, Arthur. J. Garry, of Toronto. J. England, Hamilton. J. Barrett, G. Dixon and J. Dissette, Toronto.

The annual business meeting and banquet of the association will be held during the tournament.

SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near.

Stratford, April 19.—Daniel Cavley, local long distance runner, who finished among the winners in the St. Mary's-Stratford road race last Labor Day, was sentenced yesterday afternoon to two months in jail for assaulting his landlady. He was thought to be temporarily deranged.

Sir Thomas Lipton's new racing yacht Shamrock IV, was launched yesterday at Fife's yard at Fairlie. She will be raced in the regattas in home waters this year.

London Globe.—In a case at East Hamilton in which a billiard-marker was committed for trial on a charge of stealing motor coats, it was stated that motor coats sold to the trade in England for £3 8s 6d, and retailed at £4 10s, were sent to Paris and sold to Englishmen visiting there for £10.

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Cleaning Helpers

At the Drug Department: Ammonia, in powder 10c box. Household Ammonia 10c bottle. Sapoline 10c. Chamois Skins, for polishing windows, mirrors, etc. 25c. Borax, for softening water 5c. Fairbanks' Gold Dust, for cleaning floors and woodwork 10c. Pumice Stone 10c cake. Glycerol, for softening the hands, prevents chapping 15c.

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All the correct styles in Suits and Coats will be found here. Every day has seen arrivals, adding to this large display awaiting your critical inspection for spring clothing.

COVERT COATS—These coats have been very popular this season. Showing in plain, stripe or check covers in light to dark fawn shades. Styles are in every approved 1908 conception, including many novelty ideas. Many are self-trimmed, which add greatly to their appearance. Prices range from \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.00 to \$13.00.

SILK COATS—Handsome Imported Silk Coats and Wraps are showing for spring and summer wear. In black taffeta, peau de soie and silk applique. Long or short styles. Some with the new Butterfly sleeve, while others are plain, loose styles. An exclusive showing of these coats at \$16.50, \$18.00, \$21.00 to \$48.50.

TAILORED SUITS—Variety of styles in these suits abound here. Cloths in Venetians, Panamas, Vlieses, Serges and two-toned worsteds in the season's latest shades. Coats are in tight-fitting, Prince Chap and semi-fitting styles, while skirts are full pleated and 13-gored. A most complete showing at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, to \$37.00.

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Bleached Irish Linen Damask Napkins, hemstitched, 15 inches square, in small floral designs, special at 15c each. Plain Bleached Linen Tray Cloths, in size 18 x 27 inches, hemstitched with two rows of Japanese drawn work, at each 85c. Irish Bleached Linen Pillow Cases, in sizes 20 x 36 inches, with hemstitched frill, all round, regular \$1.25, for 75c, and \$1.00 for 59c. Bleached English Pillow Cotton, 44 inches wide, soft, heavy make, regular 20c, on sale at 15c yard. Bleached Irish Linen Huck Towels, in sizes 20 x 14 inches, red, red on self-hemmed ends, soft, absorbent make, regular 25c, on sale at 18c. Red Check Linen Glass Toweling, 18 inches wide, soft, heavy make, worth 30c, on sale at 6½c yard.

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It tones up the system in a natural way, keeps the stomach clean and the bowels active, and gives the needed nourishment for growing boys and girls.

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At all grocers, 13c a carton, 2 for 25c.

Mr. James Hamilton, a prominent business man of Lindsay, is dead.

R. A. THOMPSON FOR WENTWORTH

Stirring Meeting of Liberals In Dundas on Saturday, and Good Addresses.

Do-Nothing Record of Whitney Government Laid Bare Before the Electors.

The Liberals of North Wentworth met in convention on Saturday afternoon in the Town Hall, Dundas, and it was an enthusiastic meeting. Owing to the inclement weather, the number present was not as large as was anticipated, but what they lacked in numbers they easily made up in enthusiasm. Mr. Robert McQueen, the president of the North Wentworth Liberal Association, was in the chair, and Mr. J. W. Lawson, the secretary, occupied a seat on the platform.

Mr. McQueen asked for an expression of opinion from the members present as to what should be done. Hon. Thomas Bain, ex-Speaker of the Dominion Parliament, said that no doubt the inclement weather had kept many of the members of the association away, and thought it was a question that should be decided at once whether the convention should adjourn for a fortnight. He was of the opinion that the candidate, whoever he might be, should be in the field at once, as the time was getting short for the canvassing of the county. It was essential that the work should be commenced at once.

Mr. Dan Reed, M. P. P. for South Wentworth, wished to impress upon the minds of the Liberals in North Wentworth the necessity of getting into the campaign early. It is possible that the elections will be in the first or second week in June, and the association should be in first class shape to give the usual good fight. The Central Conservative Association has given instructions to its candidates to get out and work, and it is up to the Liberals to do the same and to win.

Dr. James McQueen thought the time had arrived to get together and do business. He thought that two weeks would be too short a time for to canvass the whole constituency, and advised going on with the nomination of a candidate at once.

Every day counted and it would be better to decide on the candidate than wait for two weeks for the purpose of getting an expression of opinion from the whole riding. There was a large enough representation present to warrant the association going on with the work.

R. L. Biggs, of Beverly, thought it was well to wait and get a better representation from his township and some of the other townships that were not well represented.

Warden Emery could see no reason why the convention should not go on. Mayor Moss, of Dundas, and Warden Emery then moved that the business of the convention be proceeded with.

Whitney Has Done Nothing.

Archibald Hislop, M. P. P. for East Huron, addressed the meeting before the regular business was commenced. He said it was, indeed, unfortunate that the weather had kept so many members of the association away. He was of the opinion, however, that the Liberals of the north riding were willing and ready to get down to business, and he was personally glad that the convention had decided to go on rather than wait for the fortnight. He expressed his regret that he was not able to see Mr. R. A. Thompson, M. P. P., at the meeting. Mr. Thompson was a monument of integrity, and always loyal to the constituency which he represented. Mr. Hislop felt that whoever the convention nominated for the Provincial House this year, the riding would give him its heartiest support.

In speaking of the Whitney Cabinet, Mr. Hislop said it had done nothing during the time it has been in power to justify its re-election for the next four years. The financial standing of the province is no better than it was at the time that the Ross Government went out of power, and in fact it is a great deal worse. For the length of time the Government has been in office, there has never been a government in power for years back that has broken its pledges to the people in the manner the Whitney Government has. Everything that the Government has done or intended to do has been bungled into such a shape that it is hardly recognizable, even to the Government officials themselves. He took as an instance the Hydro-Electric scheme. When Premier Whitney was in the opposition, he was forever harping on the necessity of having free power. Niagara Falls power was what the municipalities wanted. But it was a different matter when he came into office, and after three years of administration there is nothing to show for the amount of talking he did. In the opinion of Mr. Hislop, he was sure that if the Whitney Government were elected for a second term, the matter will be dropped and forgotten, and the municipalities left to fight out their own salvation.

Officers Elected.

The election of officers for the association for this year resulted in the following being elected:

Robert McQueen, Hon. President.
Dr. James McQueen, President.
W. Robertson, First Vice-President.
W. A. Emery, Second Vice-President.
J. W. Lawson, Secretary.

Executive Committee—Composed of the chairman of each of the polling divisions, together with the officers of the Associations.

Unanimous for Thompson.

Then followed the nomination of R. A. Thompson for North Wentworth, by Mayor Moss, of Dundas, seconded by W. A. Emery, Warden of the county. Mr. Moss said that it gave him a great deal of pleasure to be the mover of such a resolution, and he fully endorsed the recommendation given Mr. Thompson by Mr. Hislop. Mr. Thompson has distinguished himself during the last sitting of the Legislature, and his important speech on agriculture had the effect of bringing before the Government the paramount interests of the people throughout the country and Province. Mr. Moss regretted that Mr. Thompson was unable to be present at the convention, owing to his recent illness, and he hoped he would soon be able to be among his constituents. Mr. Thompson



MR. R. A. THOMPSON, Liberal Candidate for North Wentworth.

the Government business in a proper manner.

Hon. Thomas Bain gave a few hearty words of encouragement to the members of the association. He adjured them above all things to be true to the Liberal cause. By returning Mr. Thompson to the House it would be ample proof to Mr. Whitney that the Liberal administration was better than the present Government.

W. O. Sealey said he regretted the disagreeableness of the day, but it had apparently become characteristic of Liberal meetings in Dundas to be favored with rain; however, whether in season or out of season, rain or shine, he always tried to be on deck, and particularly as Mr. Thompson's unfortunate illness prevented his being present in person, although his heart and thought was with them. He was glad to be reassured that his recovery continues to be rapid and permanent. At best he would not have strength to take charge of the campaign for a time, and this imposed a greater responsibility on the officers of the association, and individual voters generally, so it became the duty of the officers to begin the campaign tomorrow morning, and pursue it vigorously until the last vote was polled on election day, with, of course, the counsel and advice of Mr. Thompson. Mr. Sealey said his time and energy were at the disposal of the association and he would be glad to do anything he could to help the cause.

Mr. Reed was confident that the Liberals all over the country were in great fighting shape. He thought that many who had voted the other way at the last election were sorry for what they had done. He was sure that the candidates throughout the province would make a great showing at the coming elections.

"The Liberals throughout Ontario feel that they have a natural leader in the Hon. R. A. Thompson," declared Mr. Reed, "and they are more than pleased with his work. His position is second to no man in the House to-day. There is no doubt in my mind that he has made a great impression on the minds of many. Organization is the keynote of success in the coming campaign, and upon it will depend the success of the men who are running."

Mr. Reed went after the Man from Mantoulin without gloves. Such an attack as he made on Mr. C. N. Smith was entirely without foundation and should not be considered for a moment. Mr. Gage had said that the Government had cheapened the school books. That was true, but he did not give the whole facts of the matter. At the time the books were cheapened, the old contract had expired and the firms declined to let the present issue run out, which it would do in the course of a year. At the end of that time a new series will be put out, and in all likelihood the price will be raised again. Mr. Gage had no reference to the income tax on artisans who lived in Dundas and who worked in Hamilton, and had said that if the people voted for Wilson, they would not have to pay the tax. He need not have told the public that for the matter has been finished, and no question will be placed on the men who work in the city.

Mr. Reed went after the Government very vigorously for the manner in which it has railroaded bills through the House in the dying hours of the Legislature, that even its own members have bucked against, and refused to vote on them. The most of this work had been forced through by its own brute majority. It had guaranteed the bonds of railroads for two and a half millions, when it had distinctly promised never to do such a thing.

Look at that grant to the La Rose Mining Company," said Mr. Reed. "It has now turned out that Mr. Dunlop, to whom the money was given, is a brother of the Minister of Mines. This would make it seem to be a suspicious deal, and the only thing one can think of is that it is to be used for campaign purposes."

The educational policy of the Government was such as would not bear an investigation. The Government was going wide open all the model schools in carrying out its business," said Mr. Reed, "and there has been no effort to carry over the University; amounting to nearly \$400,000. While the Government was doing that, the public schools, or nearly 95 per cent. of the education policy of the Province, were being neglected.

It has not done much for the schools other than the \$200,000 for the Toronto University, which was given at the first of the year. Now half the succession duties of the Province were handed over to the University, amounting to nearly \$400,000. While the Government was doing that, the public schools, or nearly 95 per cent. of the education policy of the Province, were being neglected.

Then he took up the expenditure of the Government during its term of office. The per capita tax has been increased from \$1.50 to \$3.50 in three years.

"The license situation in Toronto, is just another example of the unsatisfactory manner, in which the Government is carrying out its business," said Mr. Reed, "and there has been no effort to carry over the business in a non-partisan manner. A significant fact is that the Government has appointed a commission to investigate the affairs of the license situation, and its report has not been received, and will probably not be heard of either. He knew of a great number of Conservatives who feel that the Whitney Government has a larger majority than it should have for the running of

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NEGROES FOR THE WEST.

Party of Seven Well-to-Do Families Pass Through Edmont.

Edmonton, April 19.—At immigration hall there was recently a party of negroes who have come up from Oklahoma to settle in this country. Three of the seven families will go to Lobstick Lake district, and the other four families have already parted farms of from 100 to 300 acres. Five carloads of household effects and horses have arrived or are to arrive, and as soon as they do these people will begin seeding. Every one of them is fairly well to do, and two of them have as many as forty horses between them.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

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At the Savoy This Week. As the special Easter Monday attraction the Savoy to-night, in addition to its regular bill, will feature a big number of local talent under the direction of John Hackett.

A sensation entirely new and novel is said to be the climax of the third act in P. H. Sullivan's latest four act comedy, 'The Cowboy and the Squaw.'

Edmund Carroll Coming. 'We Are King,' with Edmund Carroll portraying a double role, is rich with delightful comedy, interspersed with strong dramatic situations.

'Parsifal' at the Grand. The religious drama, 'Parsifal,' adapted by William Lynch Roberts, was presented at the Grand on Saturday afternoon and evening.

The genius of Richard Wagner made a masterpiece of this theme, but one less than a genius may make it very ordinary. In the composition and arrangement of his drama, Mr. Roberts claims only to have drawn from the same sources from which Wagner largely drew.

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Klaw & Erlanger's most recent importation from Europe, Madam Monty Baldini, has been 'loaned' to the Dunscombe Opera Company to sing the role of Rosina in 'The Barber of Seville,' which will be presented at the Grand next week.

Opera Singer's Tragedy. London, April 18.—'Parsifal, Parsifal, your mother is dead.' At the Grand Opera House last night, Miss Keating, in the role of Kundry in 'Parsifal' was compelled to repeat the above lines three times. There was real tragedy behind her words.

SHUN IMPURITY.

Stirring Address to Men by Rev. Dr. Marsh.

Dr. F. E. Marsh delivered a very strong and forcible address to men only, yesterday afternoon, in Gospel Tabernacle. His subject was 'The Sin of Impurity.' The speaker said there were four malignant forces working much evil in our midst, and should be classified as intolerance, atheism, spiritual declension and impurity.

RIFLE FACTORY MAY START.

Plans of Quebec Battlefields Commission. Ottawa, April 19.—Even since the proposal of his Excellency Earl Grey for the conversion into a park of the more important parts of the battlefields of the Plains of Abraham and of Ste. Foy at Quebec has been launched, whether the plan in contemplation would or would not involve the removal of the Ross rifle factory, from what are known as the Cove Fields, just beyond the city walls of Quebec.

HARCOURT RETIRES.

Member For Monck Announces His Retirement From Politics. Welland, April 18.—Hon. Richard Harcourt, for 30 years member of the legislature for the riding of Monck, has written the officers of the Reform Association in the county advising them of his retirement from active political life.

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The Right House HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE. A great sale of carpets and curtains this week. Sheetings and pillow cottons: A sale. All sheetings will be hemmed free during this sale--Order early.

THE BULWARK OF THE NATION

To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—It is one of the pleasures of my life to raise either hand or voice in whatever will help our country. It is mainly to love one's country. It fills me with pride to think I am a Canadian, and I am proud of the country in which I live.

NEW JAP CONSUL.

Official From Chicago Will Succeed Mr. Nosse at Ottawa. Ottawa, April 19.—It is understood that Mr. S. Shimizu, Japanese Consul-General at Chicago for the past five years, has been appointed Consul-General for Canada, at Ottawa.

STORK VISITED TRAIN.

Addition to Passenger List of Express Near St. Thomas. St. Thomas, Ont., April 19.—A young woman en route for Decatur, Ill., to her home in Buffalo, was visited by 'the stork' on the Continental Limited.

FEAR SKULL IS FRACTURED.

Aylmer Barrister Fainted in Procession at London. St. Thomas, Ont., April 19.—W. E. Stevens, the well known barrister, of Aylmer, Past Deputy District Grand Master of the I. O. O. F., accompanied the delegation of the order to London.

The Daily Fashion Hint.



A smart suit of serge and linen for the store, with pearl buttons.

MULLAH'S TROOPS MASSACRE WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Rome, April 19.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs has received a telegram from the Italian Consul at Aden stating that the son of the Sultan reported a battle with the adherents of the Mullah an hour and a half's journey from Obbia.

IRISH PRELATES ON THE OCEAN.

Primate of All Ireland on Way to Visit New York. Dublin, April 19.—Michael Cardinal Logue, Archbishop of Armagh, and Primate of All Ireland, and the Most Rev. Robert Brown, Bishop of Cloyne, are passengers on the steamer 'Lucania.' They are going to America to take part in the celebration of the centenary of the foundation of the Diocese of New York.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You've Always Bought. James Waugh, ex-immigration agent at Chatham, has been arrested for alleged false pretences.



HARRY CORSON CLARKE. Who is appearing at the Savoy this week.

JEWELLED GALLEYS.

WILL BE RAISED FROM BOTTOM OF LAKE NEMI.

The Vessels Caligula Built Almost Intact—Built of Cedar and Adorned With Jewels—Have Lain in the Lake for Eighteen Centuries.

Rome, April 19.—After many years of discussion and delay one of the most wonderful and precious relics of antiquity is about to be restored to the Romans, and incidentally to the whole world.

All who are interested in antiquities identified with the Eternal City have heard of the two galleys of Caligula, but none but a diver has ever seen them, as they are still submerged in the waters of the picturesque Lake of Nemi in the Alban Hills, near Rome.

The historian Suetonius tells us that the Emperor Caligula squandered in less than a year almost 3,000,000,000 sesterces, or about \$150,000,000 that had been left him by Tiberius.

Among other things, he constructed galleys of cedar and adorned them with jewelled prows and sails of purple silk, with reception rooms and bath rooms, and even miniature vineyards and orchards.

The discovery of the two sunken galleys in Lake Nemi not only proved the veracity of Suetonius' record, but is now about to present us with the most precious archaeological treasures, inasmuch as these are the only hitherto discovered specimens of Roman nautical construction.

In the fifteenth century Cardinal Prospero Colonna, then the owner of Lake Nemi, employed Battista Alberti, the greatest architect of the period, to try to recover the two galleys, which tradition said were sunk in the lake.

His attempts to raise the vessels failed. Marchi of Bologna also tried to recover the galleys. By the help of a diving bell he descended to the bottom of the lake and measured the galleys, but that was all accomplished.

In 1858 Signor Borghesi, the learned antiquarian, obtained permission to make another attempt. He brought up several objects, among them wonderful heads of animals holding rings for anchoring in their mouths.

In Borghesi's report it is stated that the two galleys are in the northwest part of the lake, one at twenty-two yards' distance from the bank and the other fifty yards farther off.

With the exception of the injuries caused by the various attempts to recover them, the two great ships are entire, and will probably bear the strain of being raised on cradles worked along an inclined plane to the shore.

Therefore the Italian Government has now decided to make a serious effort to restore them as far as possible to their ancient splendor.

A BOY'S HOLIDAYS.

The ardent controversy which has been waging in England and America concerning the best way to dispose of school boys in the long summer vacation has prompted the Grand Trunk Railway system to issue a publication giving suggestions and practical hints to parents as to what to do with the public and preparatory school boys during the months of July and August.

The publication entitled "What Shall a Boy Do With His Vacation?" thoroughly covers the ground and solves the problem of the best way for a schoolboy to enjoy his holidays.

WOMEN SURGEONS.

Question Arises of Their Admission to Royal College.

New York, April 19.—The Sun has received the following cable despatch from London.—The much-debated question of the admission of women to the Royal College of Surgeons will be decided by a ballot among the members.

A circular has been issued by the council requesting a reply to the following questions.—"Is it desirable that women be admitted by examination as members of the college? Is it desirable that, after admission, women be admitted by examination to be fellows of the college?"

It is said that there is a general feeling among the members in favor of women's admission. But some prejudices still exist, and a certain society within the college has issued an unofficial circular urging the members to disregard the question.

CRESOLENE ANTISEPTIC TABLETS.

SORE THROATS AND COUGHS. They combine the germicidal value of Cresolene with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice. Your druggist or from us, 156 St. Mary Street, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

ROMAN CATHOLIC MARRIAGES.

Decree issued by the Pope Takes Effect To-day.

London, April 20.—The decree issued by the Pope respecting Roman Catholic marriages takes effect in England to-day. In future all Catholics must be married before a parish priest, and except for good reason the ceremony must take place in the parish in which the bride lives.

To cure a cold in one night—use Vapo-Cresolene. It has been used extensively during more than twenty-four years. All druggists.

NINE MEN KILLED.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION ON THE NATIONAL TRANSCONTINENTAL.

Fearful Tragedy at Armagh, Bellechasse County, Quebec—Most of the Victims Are French-Canadians—One Englishman and One Nova Scotian.

Quebec, April 19.—By the premature explosion of a dynamite mine in a rock cut on the Transcontinental Railway at Armagh, in the county of Bellechasse, about twenty miles below Quebec, on the south shore, yesterday afternoon, nine men were instantly killed and three badly injured.

Armagh lies back some twenty miles from St. Valier station, on the Intercolonial Railway, and only meagre details of the catastrophe have so far been received.

The names of the killed are as follows: Angus Campbell, of Iron Mines, N.S.; A. Pinkstone, a native of England; A. Bernard, of France; Aléard Morrisette, Wilfred Noel, Edouard Langlois, Onesime Gagnon, Emile Charette, all natives of Armagh, and Jos. Roy of St. Philemon, county of Bellechasse.

Many of the bodies of the unfortunate men were badly mutilated, some of their limbs being torn off. A coroner's inquest will be held to-morrow.

Information concerning the accident reached Quebec late on Saturday afternoon from St. Valier, but particulars were hard to obtain. Of the six French-Canadians who met death in the explosion, one, Emile Charette, was married. A widow and large family survive him. Campbell was foreman of the party. His remains will be sent to New Brunswick, of the three injured two are not seriously and one has a broken leg.

RHEUMATISM.

Is Yours Acute or Chronic?

In either case cure is possible, for both forms yield to the magical pain subduing power of Nerviline which has five times the pain destroying value of any other remedy.

LASH FOR WELSH CRIMINALS.

Effect of Its Adoption Has Been Most Effectual.

London, April 19.—There was an epidemic of crimes of violence in Wales during the late winter, with the result that, at the recent Assizes, severe sentences of imprisonment were coupled with orders for the infliction of from a dozen to twenty-five blows from the cat.

NEW B. C. INDUSTRY.

Grape Culture in Kootenay by a Colony of Experts.

Nelson, B. C., April 19.—Joseph Edinger, representing the British Columbia Colonization Agency, has purchased 345 acres on the arm of Kootenay Lake west of Nelson, and will settle a colony there of Germans and other foreigners, all used to grape culture and brought here from European vineyards.

Cow vs. Milkman.

A Philadelphia lawyer maintains an admirable stock farm on the outskirts of the Quaker city.

Extremes.

"Pardon me," said the dowager, with the mole on her chin, "but there is hardly room for two of us here if you are going to keep that thing on your head."

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U.S.A.

Shaving Supplies.

Every shaver should know that Gerrie's drug store, 32 James street north, carries, besides a wholesale stock of barbers, the most complete retail stock of shaving requirements in Ontario.

Laxa-Food

At fifteen cents is the cheapest food on the market, cheaper than oatmeal, because it guards against disease by regulating the stomach and bowels.

Cut His Own Throat.

Winnipeg, April 19.—Pierson Gunthan, a young man, of 565 Pacific avenue, was found in his rooms yesterday morning with his throat cut from ear to ear, but still alive.

The Conservatives of the riding of South Wellington will hold a nominating convention in the City Hall, Guelph, on Saturday, May 2.



A PLAIN BLOUSE.

No. 5629.—A pretty mode for the soft fabrics is here shown in white nainsook. The closing is in the back, and the plain front affords an opportunity for a bit of hand embroidery.

The pattern includes a belt and peplum, thus doing away with all unnecessary fulness about the waist. Most of the season's materials are adaptable such as taffeta, pongee, linen, China silk and voile.

The medium size will require 2-1/8 yards of 36-inch material. Ladies' Plain Blouse, No. 5629. Sizes for 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure.

The pattern here illustrated will be mailed to any address on receipt of ten cents. Address, "Pattern Department," Times Office, Hamilton. It will take several days before you can get pattern.

Fun for Times Readers

The Old Melodrama.

The hay-haired heroine swayed on the swinging bridge. "The storm," she screamed, peering into the blackness of the night, "I can hear the teeth of the gale."

Sans Everything.

Prosperous Clubman.—When I first arrived in this town, forty years ago, I hadn't a shirt to my back.

Another Backset for Reform.

The editor looked over the manuscript and handed it back. "I don't like your dialect," he said.

Modernized Version.

Pythias had returned, just in time to save the life of Damon. "Ge!" exclaimed Dionysius. Boys, when that story is worked into a play it will make a great hit.

Dark and Dank.

"Well, I 'know," doubtfully said Farmer Hornbeak, relative to the proposal of his nephew, a recent graduate from an agricultural college.

The Literary Editor's Lament.

"Of making many books there is no end." A truer word the preacher never penned. But if the books came thick in those days, how!

Same Old Story.

Tourist—I suppose the peach crop is killed again, as usual. Absent Minded Horticulturist—Yes, sir; long ago. We're making arrangements now to have next year's crop killed.

Brittle and Easy to Break.

"Yes, the count is a snap," confided the pretty heiress. "I got him for two million."

DEPORTED AS "UNDESIRABLE."

Essex County Girl is Sent Back From Detroit. Windsor, Ont., April 19.—Ella Fraiche, aged 15 years, whose home is in Tupperville, Ont., was deported from Detroit yesterday by United States immigration officials and sent to Tupperville on the grounds that she was an undesirable alien.

An Encouraging Reply.

Prudent Swain—"If I were to steal a kites would it scare you so that you would scream?"

The Rub.

"You can't imagine," said the musical young woman, "how distressing it is when a singer realizes that she has lost her voice."

TERRORIST PLOT FAILED.

Intended to Blow Up Russian Imperial Family. Paris, April 19.—A despatch from St. Petersburg to the Matin says the police have arrested a Terrorist with documents in his possession which show that there was a carefully laid plot to blow up the Imperial family and court during the marriage of the Grand Duchess Pavlova and Prince Charles of Sweden.

Unknown Englishman Killed.

London, Ont., April 19.—An unknown Englishman, apparently about 35 years old, was struck by a westbound freight train on the main line of the Grand Trunk, near the Cove bridge, just west of the city, last night about 11.30, and sustained injuries from which he died shortly after midnight.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARRH CURE

Is sent direct to the diseased young woman, "how distressing it is when a singer realizes that she has lost her voice."

Architect—Did you send for me? Poor Jones—Yes. My wife's upstairs with a lot of plans and wants you to draw a design for her Easter bonnet.



AN URGENT CALL.

QUEBEC PROGRAMME

PRINCE OF WALES TO ARRIVE ON JULY 23.

Will Be Received by the British Atlantic Fleet—Brilliant Staff Will Accompany Him—The Fetes at the Ancient City.

London, April 20.—Arrangements have been completed for the visit of the Prince of Wales to Quebec in July to attend the tercentenary celebrations and inaugurate the monument on the Plains of Abraham to Wolfe and Montcalm and the men who fought under them for possession of what is now the Dominion of Canada.

The British Atlantic fleet will go overboard to take part in the celebration and give a fitting welcome to the heir to the throne.

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MARINE DISASTER.

Wreckage Points to Ship's Loss Off Vancouver Island. Victoria, B. C., April 19.—A vessel, as yet unidentified, has apparently met disaster off the coast of Vancouver Island.

A message to that effect was received here to-day from the lighthouse keeper at Carmanah Point. He reports that wreckage in great quantities is coming ashore. Whether any lives are lost is not known.

An investigation made to-day by a patrol showed portions of a ship's hull scattered along the beach to the west of Carmanah. Some further wreckage is also coming ashore to the eastward.

Among the flotsam was a cabin door of mahogany, with maple ventilating panels, and a lot of empty whiskey casks, which alone of all the wreckage littering the shore near Carmanah, has come ashore. The whiskey casks are marked "Mackay & White."

BAKER A TARGET.

A Rain of Bullets Covered the Retreat of Burglars. Wheatley, Ont., April 19.—Two burglaries occurred on Saturday shortly after midnight, and the hardware store of James Bobbin and the bakery of James Reynolds were entered.

Two men, one short and thick set, one tall and dark, both well dressed, fired on Reynolds with revolvers previously taken from the hardware store, when Reynolds came to the head of the stairs, hearing a noise. Five shots were fired, all by the short man. None took effect.

The tall man jumped out through a front plate glass window, the other through the back door. These men had been about town for three days, and were regarded as suspicious characters.

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WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORT.

OLYMPIC TEAM ARRANGEMENTS.

How the Various Canadian Committees Are Framed Up.

An Added Starter Defeated Jack Atkin at New York—Yesterday's Baseball Games.

Toronto, April 20.—A meeting of the C. A. A. U. was held at the King Edward Hotel, Saturday afternoon, with the following representatives: President Stark, Second Vice-President Merrick, Secretary Crowe, Controller Ward, P. J. Mulqueen, D. Forsyth, T. J. Brownlee, J. Stevenson, President Lithgow, of the Maritime A. A. U.; Rev. Father Fortier, Ottawa; Capt. World, Sergt. Nichols and Sinkins.

The following clubs made application for membership and were accepted: 20th Century Athletic Club, Hamilton, and West End Recreation Club, West Toronto.

The secretary reported that the Central Y. M. C. A. had held successful wrestling and fencing championships. The accounts have not yet been settled, and the association's percentage of the gate receipts will be taken up later.

The record made by Con Walsh at the recent indoor meet at the St. Lawrence Arena, was adopted as a record.

Peter Christopher asked for a sanction for a Marathon, but the association decided to grant no sanctions till after June 8th, but recommended the secretary to file his own judgment.

Ottawa College asked that their baseball team be allowed to compete with professional teams touring through Ottawa, a privilege accorded American colleges. This request was turned down.

The registration committee reported that they had suspended Tommy Sutton, the British United boxer, for taking at the amateur bouts Friday night, and further enquiry will be made as to whether or not he should be expelled.

Mr. Lithgow was elected First Vice-President to fill Mr. Grierson's place.

It was decided to send President Stark to the Olympic games, at the association's expense, and the feeling of the meeting was that Mr. Crocker should go as winner.

The committee decided to hold the Olympic trials at Rosedale on May 23 and the forenoon of May 25, 28 and closing on May 15, as follows:

- 100 metres flat (109.3 yards).
- 200 metres flat (218.6 yards).
- 800 metres flat (874.4 yards).
- 110 metres hurdle (120.2 yards).
- 3,200 metres steeplechase (3,497.6 yards).
- 3 miles run (8 kilometres).
- Standing broad jump.
- Standing high jump.
- Running broad jump.
- Pole jump.
- Throwing the hammer.
- Putting the weight.
- Three-mile team race (4.8 kilometres).
- Five to run, three to count.
- 3,500 metres walk (3,825 yards).
- Javelin, 1, free style; 2, with the javelin held in the middle.
- Relay race, 1,600 metres (1,749.8 yards).
- Team of four, with four receivers 2 at 200 metres (218.72 yards).
- 1 at 400 metres (437.452 yards), 1 at 800 metres (874.904 yards).
- May 25.
- 400 metres flat (437.2 yards).
- 400 metres hurdle (437.2 yards).
- 1,500 metres flat (1,629.9 yards).
- Discus, 1, free style; 2, as at Athens.
- Running high jump.
- Hop, step and jump.
- 10 miles walk (16 kilometres).
- Marathon race, 25 miles (40 kilometres).
- Tug-of-war (teams of eight).

CANADIAN COMMITTEE.

Ottawa, April 19.—The General Canadian Olympic Committee has been completed, and Col. Hanbury-Williams gave it out yesterday.

The representatives of the various bodies are as follows: British Olympic Council—Col. Hanbury-Williams (Chairman), H. D. Ross and R. Bruce MacDonald.

C. A. A. U.—Wm. Stark, Toronto; J. W. Merrick, Toronto; Controller J. J. Ward, Toronto, and C. C. Holland, Montreal.

Amateur Athletic Federation—Lieut. Col. Whitehead, Leslie Boyd and Thos. McConnell, of Montreal, and Aid. Foran, Ottawa.

Canadian Association Amateur Organizers—T. P. Galt, Toronto; A. C. Macdonell, M. P., Toronto.

Amateur Skating Association of Canada—W. G. Ross and James Taylor, Montreal.

Representing Canadian Golf Association—Dr. Rutlan, McGill University, Montreal; A. W. Austin and C. C. James, Toronto.

Intercollegiate Football Union—Geo. Ballard, Hamilton; H. B. McEiverson, Ottawa.

Canadian tennis—Capt. J. F. Foulkes, Ottawa.

National Amateur Athletic Association—E. C. St. Pierre and J. A. Mercier, Montreal.

Y. M. C. A. Athletic League—N. J. Stevenson and Ernest Wilkins, Toronto.

Canadian Wheelmen's Association—J. E. L. Willows, Toronto.

Manitoba interests—George F. Galt, Winnipeg.

British Columbia interests—J. H. Senkler, K. C., Vancouver.

Golf—Dr. Rutlan, Gymnastics—Messrs. C. C. Holland, Montreal; Col. Taylor, Kingston; J. G. Weir, Toronto; Dr. Harvey, McGill; Lacrosse—Messrs. W. Foran and Thos. O'Connell, Montreal; Francis Nelson and N. T. Lambert, Toronto.

TENNIS—Capt. J. F. Foulkes, Ottawa.

EVEN MONEY ON PETCH.

Boston, Mass., April 20.—The chances are that when the winners stagger into the finish of the big twenty-five mile Marathon to-day a Canadian runner, if not the winner, will be well up to the front. He is Charles Petch, of Toronto, and last night the betting was even that he will win. Another Canadian runner is also entered. He is Emile Gote, of Montreal, and while he comes here with considerable fame, no one seems to consider him as a runner of any special ability compared with others who are entered.

The race is scheduled to start promptly at noon at Ashland, twenty-five miles from Boston. It rained slightly yesterday, just enough to put the roads in first class condition. The wise ones were betting last night that the winner will run the course in less than 2 hours and 25 minutes. Petch will find his hardest man in Robert Fowler, the Cambridgeport runner, who is said to be in marvellous trim. Petch, however, is not at all behind him in that respect. To-night the Canadian runner said that to-morrow he would run the best race of his life.

"And if I don't take the race to-morrow it will be because there are better men entered than I am, or ever will be."

SMITH WAS EASY.

Tommy Burns Won Paris Bout In 4 Rounds.

Paris, April 20.—The meeting of Burns and Smith on Saturday was the biggest affair of the kind ever held in Paris, where something of a craze for boxing exists at present. It was witnessed by a big crowd, who paid high prices for their seats. Smith was a beaten man from the start, although he scored several heavy body blows in the first and second rounds. The Canadian showed

much more skill than his opponent, and, after playing light with him, floored Smith with a left-hand blow in the third round. In the fourth round Burns had matters all his own way. Smith was knocked down twice, but managed to get to his feet before the count ended. In the fifth he rallied gamely, after taking a severe punishment, but he could not succeed in reaching the agile Burns, who ended the one-sided match with a terrific right to the jaw, which put Smith to the floor and out. Almost a panic was caused at the end of the third round, when a photographic apparatus exploded, setting fire to the flags and decorations. Scores of spectators leaped to their feet, but they were prevailed upon to remain in their places, and the fire was speedily extinguished.

CHESS TOURNEY.

The first annual tournament for the Canadian chess championship will commence at the Grand Union Hotel, Toronto, (Continued on page 5.)

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

If Mr. Peter Christopher, who has donated three handsome cups for a Marathon race from Brantford to Hamilton, follows the advice of some friends who have the foot racing game at heart, he will abide by the decision of the C. A. A. U. and have nothing to do with the Federation. A race under the auspices of the eastern association would not be a success from a Canadian point of view, as the starters would consist largely of runners from the United States.

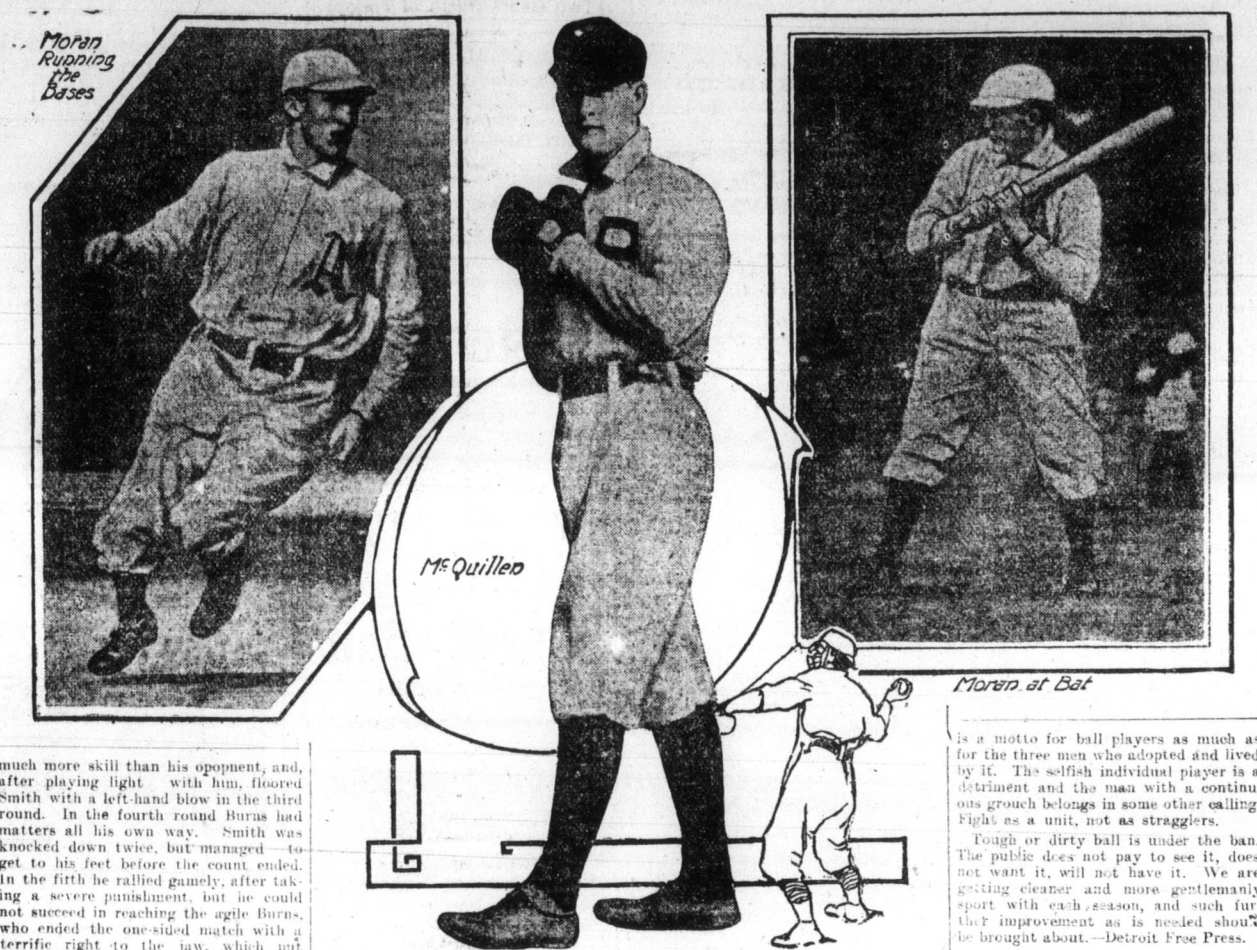
Mr. Christopher should postpone his race till Labor Day.

The mat artists are graduating into the ranks of high finance, just like the scrappers. Until the recent Hackenschmidt-Gotch match such purses as \$10,000, were never dreamed of for a wrestling match. Recently an English syndicate offered \$10,000 for a return match to take place in New York in June. The foxy Tom knows what he is doing, and it is probable that if the match received as much free advertising as the last one the pair would draw twice that sum at one of the big show places of the metropolis, and it would not have to be at fancy prices, either. It's a cinch that Gotch will jump at the offer, but Hack probably couldn't be induced to come over to this side for half of Manhattan Island. He got enough of America and American ways of wrestling in the last match, as was shown by the wails he put up about unfair tactics, gouging, oiled bodies and the like. Hackenschmidt would like another chance at the American in London with everything in his favor. And it is not unlikely that he will get it. Gotch will go abroad shortly and it would appeal to his desire for glory to take the big foreigner on right in his own territory.

Among the horses entered for the Canadian Derby, to be run at Fort Erie on July 27, are: Johnnie Blake, Laurence P. Daley, Throckmorton, Jubilee, Protagonist, Clell Turney, Black Rod, Kid Ruth, Gold Heart, Inspector Purvis, Moquette, Dennis Stafford, Keep Moving, Uncle Toby, Courtown II, Uncle Meelick, Raleigh, Pinkola, Milford, Shindy, Colonel Bob, Dr. Matthews.

It is not necessary for Tommy Burns to add Jack Johnson's scalp to his belt to make him the best boxing champion the world has ever seen. Squires, Australian; O'Brien and Hart, Americans; Jack

TWO PHILADELPHIA BASEBALL STARS IN ACTION.



Moran Ripping the Bases

McQuilleo

Moran at Bat

HAGERSVILLE RIFLE CLUB DEFEATED HERE.

The Hagersville Rifle Club sent an eleven men team to this city on Saturday for a return match with the Hamilton King Edward Rifle Club, and the recognized 100 yard champion team of this district were defeated by 28 points. The local club had a strong team out and the boys shot well. James Freeborn made 60—one short of a possible. The match took place at the Red Hill Ranges. The teams and scores were:

Hagersville R. C.—	62
Capt. Alms	62
Jas. Freeborn	62
J. M. Jones	63
W. H. Nichol	62
W. Depew	64
E. Anderson	68
Total	715
King Edward R. C.—	90
Capt. English	87
S. J. Higgins	62
W. E. Glover	62
A. Parmenter	65
Total	683

Hamilton Whisters Third at Toronto.

The Canadian Whist Congress closed on Saturday night with a double session for the Hav Trophy. The contestants were qualified from the series of progressive games held previous to this match, and although many good whisters failed to get over the line to qualify, a splendid contest resulted from the fourteen pairs who elected to enter the struggle. The result was decided by the aggregate of two sessions, afternoon and evening. The winners were Hodgins and Rydler, of London, with plus 8.43; Beharriell and Connolly, of Toronto, plus 8.26; G. Levy and Logan, of Hamilton, plus 8.14; Connor and Wilcox, of London, plus 7.29; Biggar and Shaw, of Toronto, plus 2.29, and Coleman and Dr. Clark, of Toronto, plus 0.71.

In point of attendance the congress was not as successful as previous ones, as many remained at home presumably to enjoy their bridge. It is to be regretted that there was no contest for the Amstern Trophy, donated for club fours outside of Toronto, Hamilton and London. Collingwood sent a four and the trophy will adorn their clubroom for a year. The results of Saturday's play are as follows:

Progressive pairs: Morning—North and South—Biggar and Connolly, 9 1/2; Frost and Crawford, 3 1/2; Hanrahan and Costello, 1 1/2; Connolly and Wilcox, 1 1/2; Ball and Ball, 1 1/2; Goodwin and Munro, 1 1/2.

East and West—Connor and Higgins, 5 1/2; Doyle and McGuire, 4 6.

1-2: Beeton and Hall 4 1/2; Beharriell and Casselman, 2 1/2; Allan and Westcott, 1 1/2; Smith and Southcott, 1 1/2.

Afternoon: Section A—Potter and McQueen, 8; Benson and Wyckoff, 5; Cox and Beeton, 5; Cole and Patterson, 5.

Section B—Soers and Kidd, 6; Galloway and Mrs. Sinclair, 5; Goodwin and Munro, 3; Ball and Ball, 2; Allan and Westcott, 1.

Evening—Coles and Patterson, 6; Ball and Ball, 5; Cox and Mrs. Arthur, 4; Galloway and Proudfoot, 4; Goodwin and Munro, 3; Verrall and Mrs. Burgess, 1.

Ladies' pairs—Mrs. Irwin and Mrs. Arthur (Collingwood), plus 5; Mrs. Wilcox, plus 2; Biggar and Shaw, plus 1.

Gentlemen—Biggar, 52; Shaw, 38; Hodgins, 35; Rydler, 34; Connor, 27; Connor, 25; Wilcox, 25.

Ladies—Mrs. N. A. Sinclair, 21; Mrs. Arthur, 12; Mrs. Irwin, 10; Mrs. Casselman, 8.

To get plus tricks the figures given below must be divided by seven.

Beharriell and Connolly, plus 66; Levy and Logan, plus 49; Connor and Wilcox, plus 21; Biggar and Shaw, plus 16; Coleman and Dr. Clark, plus 16.

Hav Trophy, evening session—Hodgins and Rydler, plus 66; Connor and Wilcox, plus 30; Levy and Logan, plus 24; Sinclair and Casselman, plus 8; Costello and Mrs. Casselman, plus 8.

Serious Views of Baseball Phases

Now the big leagues are under way in the pennant races and every team starts with a determination to win. Only two will realize this ambition, but those in the rear will have as keen an ambition to land as near as may be to the winners.

In this is one of the great beauties and the chief attractive power of the national game. It is not run by the betting ring or manipulated in crooked ways by those in management. Luck is a factor, if accident, sickness or getting out of form from any cause is luck, but

AN ADDED ENTRY

Defeated Jack Atkin at Aqueduct on Saturday.

New York, April 20.—James R. Keene's Restigouche, an added starter, and quoted at 6 to 1, won the Freeport Handicap, 7 furlongs, at Aqueduct, Saturday, defeating the Carter Handicap winner, Jack Atkin, by three lengths. Jack Atkin, on his good race in the Carter, was heavily played, being backed down from a high quotation at 3 to 2 to close at 4 to 5. Restigouche, although he had worked well, and was well supported, went back in the betting. The start was good. Restigouche was slow to break, but was rushed into the lead. He opened up a big gap on the turn, but in the stretch Jack Atkin caught him, and then began to stop, while Restigouche responded gamely to the whip and won ridden out by three lengths.

Thistle dale at 2 to 5, won the Winfield Steeplechase by 25 lengths.

LADY BERKELEY DEAD.

The brood mares Lady Berkeley and Galena are dead at the Brookdale Farm at Barrie. Galena was an imported mare by Limestone—Madriena, by Blair Athol, and was the dam of Lady Berkeley and Flying Bess. Lady Berkeley was the dam of Courtown II, the Dymal reliance for this year's Plate. This colt has done very well through the winter, and now weighs about 1,160 pounds in hard condition. Lady Berkeley was also the dam of a two-year-old filly by Fort Hunter.

The horses in training are all doing very well, and the mile track at the farm is so dry that it has become deep and slow.

COULDN'T STAMPEDE THEM.

New York, April 20.—A letter was made public here Saturday by Senator Hughes, who brought Governor Hughes' anti-racing into the Senate, from Congressman Cook, who sends President Roosevelt's district at Washington. In the letter Representative Cook said that, though repeated requests had been made to the President to enlist his influence in the matter, he had declined to do so. The same was the case with a number of other matters coming before the New York Legislature. The President refused to have anything to do, one way or another, with any of these matters.

SADDLE AND SULKY.

Speaking at Rochester yesterday William J. Bryan touched on the subject of gambling, and said that what went on at the racetracks was utterly insignificant compared with the matter of speculation in stocks.

CHADWICK DYING.

New York, April 20.—Henry Chadwick, known throughout the United States as the "father of baseball," is reported dying from pneumonia and heart trouble at his residence in Brooklyn. He is 83 years of age, and was born in England. He has written many articles on baseball and other popular pastimes. He was an authority on the rules of his favorite game.

"Father of Baseball" Is Nearing "Home" at Brooklyn.

Mr. Chadwick first became associated with the national game when he played shortstop on an amateur team in what is now a part of Hoboken, N. J., in the fifties.

In an interview Mr. Chadwick once explained how he first thought of making baseball a national game for Americans as a racket in England.

"It was while passing through fields on my return from a cricket match," he said, "that I chanced to see a game of baseball between the Gotham and Eagle clubs. I became convinced then that this was a good game which would be a general favor to make the people of America take a keener interest in outdoor sports and healthful exercises."

"From that period I first became an ardent admirer of the game. I have devoted my efforts to the improvement of the game and to fostering it in every way."

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

Sunday games: Cincinnati—Errors gave Pittsburgh an early start in the game. Later in the contest Cincinnati bunched hits on Camnitz and won. Wagner appeared with the visitors, and won applause. Score: Cincinnati 10, Pittsburgh 9.

Batteries—Ewing and McLean; Camnitz and Gibson. Umpire Rigger. St. Louis 10, Chicago 7.

Saturday games: New York 4, Brooklyn 4. Boston 2, Philadelphia 3. St. Louis 3, Chicago 2.

Sunday games: At Chicago—R. H. E. Chicago 10, St. Louis 9. At St. Louis—White and Sullivan; Howell and Spencer. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Egan.

Saturday games: Philadelphia 4, Boston 2. New York 6, Washington 5 (11 innings). St. Louis 0, Chicago 3.

POUL TIPS. Rochester and Trenton played a 5 to 3 time game Saturday, rain stopping it in the eighth inning.

As the result of a newspaper voting contest at Montreal, the name of the Royals will be changed to Beavers.

Casey's Montreal bunch got going Saturday at Lawrence, Mass., and beat the New England League team of that city 7 to 0.

The New York American team defeated Jersey City, of the Eastern League, in an exhibition game at Hoboken yesterday by a score of 6 to 1.

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"HACK." IS STILL SORE.

London, April 19.—His face still furrowed by the scars from the injuries he suffered in his recent encounter with Frank Gotch, "Russian Lion" Hackenschmidt arrived from New York yesterday, looking with indignation at the treatment he received in the ring at Chicago.

Against Gotch he seems to bear no special ill-will, but of Referee Smith he speaks in terms of the greatest bitterness. He is emphatic in his declaration that he would never wrestle again in America. "Gotch was so oily and so unfair," he said, "that I was afraid to tackle him. Nor would Smith listen to any complaints. He was absolutely unfair."

"Gotch's tactics wouldn't have been permitted an instant in England. He was slippery from head to foot and I couldn't grip him without losing my balance. I hoped they would give us a decent referee from New York, but the Chicagoans wouldn't permit it."

Two boys in Prince Edward County were assaulted and forced to drink liquor until medical aid was necessary.

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STOLEN STUFF IN THE BAY.

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The way of the transgressor is hard, if that A. H. Brown accuses W. Walter and George Alford of it is true. A week ago last Friday a story was published in the papers that two men had been spotted out of a boat near Carroll's Point, and when they were turned out a number of books, a bookcase and some cut glass globes went down with them. They were rescued by Charles Smith and Fred Reese. Mr. Brown, 403 King street west, saw this and figured out that the goods mentioned as being spilled from the boat were from the old Carroll homestead. Constable Sayers was put on the case and soon had the names of the two men who were spilled. They pleaded not guilty, through A. M. Lewis, this morning to stealing the goods, and declined to elect. Mr. Brown said that he owned the Carroll Point house, and that he had nailed it up some time ago and put the usual signs up as warnings against trespassers. He said he found two books from the house in the water on the shore and that they had likely drifted there when the boat upset, two weeks ago to-morrow.

Charles Smith said that on the date mentioned a small sign told him there were two men in the water. He was at his boat house on the Dundas Canal at the time and he and another man took boats out and secured the wrecked men. A scow was floating in the water upside down, and a walnut bookcase was floating beside it. In the case were four cut glass globes and some books. The men told Smith he could keep the case, and he towed it to his boat house with a rope. It was identified there as the one stolen from Carroll's Point. He identified the defendants as the men he helped to rescue.

Fred Reese corroborated this story. George Hunter said he lived near the old Carroll property, and he saw the two men in the house on several occasions.

Mr. Lewis' clients declined to testify, and were committed to trial. Bail was fixed in the sum of \$200 each, and was immediately forthcoming.

Saturday night Constable Cameron arrested John Johnston, on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. When Johnston was searched he was found to be in possession of a case of books stolen from Charles Mills' clothes in a King street west hotel a few days ago, and he was charged with the theft this morning. He pleaded guilty and elected to be tried by the Magistrate. He was remanded till to-morrow for sentence.

Ed. Allan, who was remanded till Wednesday on a charge of vagrancy, was brought up this morning for trial. Chief Smith asked for three days' extension of the remand, but Allan strongly objected. He said he was arrested at the instigation of Charles Forrest of Toronto, for nothing at all. He claimed he was not guilty of any offence.

Chief Smith said the prisoner was wanted for stealing a \$40 lady's coat from a wagon in Toronto. He was seen with a parcel supposed to contain the coat when he left Toronto, but he dropped it somewhere. When asked where it was, Allan refused to answer. "Do you think I am going to incriminate myself?" he asked the Chief, in an injured tone of voice. "I guess you had better stay in jail till Wednesday, after that," said Magistrate Jelfs.

John Bulox and Lewis Sages, Greek peanut vendors, were charged with loitering around the Terminal Station. The former was given a chance to stay away and as the latter did not answer his summons he was assessed \$10.

Samuel Easter, 36 Alanson street, got Easter greetings from his neighbor. He keeps chickens, and lets them wander all over the street. As they failed to leave any Easter eggs in the neighbors' yards they got sore and had Easter summoned. He pleaded guilty to allowing the chickens to run at large and was fined \$2.

Fred Thornton got his greetings in the form of a ride in the patrol. Charles Hart boards in the same house with Thornton, at 153 King William street. He announced that he wished to withdraw the charge of aggravated assault he had preferred as he saw he was to blame. He said he had a glass of water from an upstairs window and it soaked the prisoner who went to his room and dealt him a blow in the face that split his lip from ear to ear. The case was dropped.

Lizzie Wynn, Macaulay street east, admitted through A. M. Lewis that she used indecent language towards Sarah Jamieson. She was given a chance to quit swearing.

Tim Murphy asked for a few weeks in jail and was obliged with two months. He said he was unable to get work.

Frank Davis and Charles Jones, the first from Mt. Allison and the second from Toronto, were charged with being drunk and disorderly. Davis paid \$3 and as Jones failed to appear, his \$5 bail was exonerated.

John Patterson asked for a month in jail and was obliged by the Magistrate.

Mary Ann Hodg wanted to be sent down last night, but one night in the cells made her change her mind and she was allowed to go.

William O'Connor pleaded not guilty and declined to elect when he was charged with snatching the hand satchel of Mary Vozdick. M. J. O'Reilly, K. C., appeared for him. The evidence was the same as the story published in the Times on Thursday that the prisoner grabbed the satchel and was caught after a chase by a cyclist. The defendant did not wish to give any testimony, and was committed for trial.

Mary Vozdick was then charged with the theft of \$25 of the money she had stolen from her, from her boarding house, Felix Szejka. She pleaded not guilty, and elected for summary trial, through Mr. O'Reilly. The evidence was not strong that she took the money or that there was any money for her to take. She was discharged.

When the complainant and his wife met Mary outside the door there were dogs. Mary is alleged to have called Szejka's wife a bad name and threatened to do her up with a revolver. The police had taken away from her when she was arrested. The Szejkas ran to

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Mr. Ridley Wiley spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. B. P. Dewar, of Ottawa, and Mr. Kenneth Dewar were in the city yesterday.

Remember Miss Irene Bastedo's recital in Association Hall at 8.15 to-night. Excellent programme.

Mr. A. Gillespie, secretary of the Canada Life Assurance Company, was in the city for Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Bruce, wife of Major Bruce, has returned home from a two-months' visit to Vancouver.

Mr. Hope Gibson and Everett Bristol, of the Royal Military College, Kingston, are visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomson, of Elora, are guests over Easter holidays of their daughter, Mrs. T. M. Williamson, 16 Wellington Park.

At the Easter services in St. John Presbyterian Church last evening, Mr. Alex. Riach, of London, sang a solo, "Hosanna" (Jules Grenier) with much feeling and expression.

Colonel James Updell, well known in military circles, and an old Hamilton boy, will be among the speakers at the annual banquet to be given Tuesday evening by Centenary Fireside Club.

St. Luke's Church was filled to overflowing Friday evening to hear Rev. E. N. R. Burns discourse on the "Tissot's Crucifixion," illustrated by W. George Peat, Toronto.

Although Easter Monday is supposed to be a holiday in the City Hall some of the officials and clerks were at the desks to-day. The tax office was open too. It might as well have been closed for all the business that was done.

The Hamilton Cab & Bus Company has made a claim for \$187 against the Children's Hospital fund for cab hire. The claim will be sent to the trustees and the City Council will be asked to authorize payment.

Frank Dewey, Vice-President, and A. J. Somerville, Recording Secretary, of the Painters' Union, 205, are in Toronto attending the funeral of the International Officer, Second Vice-President Charles Marsh.

Mr. C. H. Darrall, of the Canadian Westinghouse Company, will give an address on "Reduction of Ores by the Thermo Electric Process," before the Hamilton Scientific Association in the museum on Thursday evening.

The will of the late Mrs. Charles Mills was entered for probate on Saturday by Lewis & Arroll, solicitors for the executors. The estate is valued at \$14,000, and the will provides that it be divided equally between her four children.

The final carnival of the present roller skating season will be given to-night at the Britannia Rink. There are six valuable prizes for competition, and all former contestants have promised to attend in costume to make it a success. The balcony admission is only ten cents.

The proper thing in underwear for this season, light weight natural wool underwear seventy-five cents a garment, at Waugh's; medium weight merino finish underwear fifty cents a garment; special in halibone underwear seventy-five cents a suit, Waugh's post office opposite.

St. George's Society will celebrate St. George's day, April 23, by holding a smoker in the Arcade hall on Thursday night. The annual church service will be held in Christ's Church (Cathedral), on Sunday evening, April 26th. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Canon Cody, of Toronto. Members will meet in the schoolroom at 6.30 o'clock sharp.

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From "the word of God" what is spiritualism? At Workmen's Hall, MacNab street south, Tuesday, April 21, 8 p. m., by Mrs. C. E. Allyn, Silver collection.

MARKETS AND FINANCE. Cobalt stocks, reported by A. E. Carpenter, 102 King street east:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Asked, Bid. Includes Buffalo, Cobalt Lake, Coniagos, Crown Reserve, Foster, Hudson Bay, Kerr Lake, Nipissing, Nova Scotia, Peterson Lake, Red Rock, Silver Leaf, Silver Bar, Silver Queen, Temiskaming, Trethewey, University, Watts.

There was a big demand for Saturday's Times, all the extra copies printed being sold out at 10 o'clock this morning. There were a number of interesting features about the paper among which was a sermon by Dr. Marsh on Spiritualism, preached in the Gospel Tabernacle. As many more requests have been made for copies, the sermon will be reproduced in the Semi Weekly Times, this evening.

A Change For the Better. Our fish shop staff has been reorganized. Two capable and experienced fish-mongers from Scotland have replaced the former clerks. James Denon, the head clerk, will prove immensely popular, and our patrons will find both men energetic, obliging and attentive to their every want. Everything pertaining to the fish shop will be kept scrupulously clean. Peebles, Hobson & Co., Limited.

LIVE CHICKS. To-morrow will be the last day to see the little live chicks at Stanley Mills & Co.'s. These tiny little "balls of fluff" were raised right in the big store in one of the Hamilton Incubator Co.'s famous incubators. The chicks are thoroughbred white, buff and barred rocks, and no doubt will develop into prize birds. The eggs from which the chicks were hatched were secured from Mr. A. T. Beemer, Hamilton P. O., and anyone interested in fine stock should communicate with

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Northwest to north winds, fresh to strong during the day; fine to-day and on Tuesday.

Pressure is low from the lower lakes to the Atlantic, also in the western provinces. Rain fell heavily in Nova Scotia during yesterday, and early this morning snow occurred over in the lake region.

Washington, April 20.—Forecasts: Eastern States and Northern New York: Fair to-night and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday; fresh to brisk west to north west winds.

Western New York: Fair to-night; Tuesday, fair; warmer.

THIS DATE LAST YEAR. Fresh westerly and northwesterly winds; fine.

LATE SPORTING NEWS

This morning a number of baseball matches were played in the Eastern States by big league teams. Some of the results were:

At Worcester (exhibition game)—Jersey City (Eastern) 9, Worcester (New England) 3.

At Lynn, Mass.—Providence (Eastern) 2, Lynn (Northeastern) 2. Game called at end of ninth to allow visitors to catch a train.

At Philadelphia (American League)—Boston 8, Philadelphia 1.

Fred Paige, manager of the Hamilton baseball team, is spending Easter Monday with his family at Penn Yan, N. Y.

W. J. Jackson's "Merry Widow" won first prize in the limit class for parti color cockers at the Ontario Kennel Club show in Toronto, last week, although it was omitted from some of the published lists of winners. Billy McDonald scored several wins in Boston and Mr. J. Manders made a clean up in the English bull dog classes.

WILL BE KNIGHTS.

Hamilton Young Men Being Initiated at Peterboro.

For a long time efforts have been made by prominent young Catholics in the Hamilton and London dioceses to get permission from their respective Bishops to organize lodges of the Knights of Columbus. So far Bishop Dowling has refused to sanction the establishing of any new fraternal or insurance societies in his diocese on the ground that he should not do anything that might tend to weaken the existing societies—the C. M. B. A., the A. O. H., and the L. C. B. U.

A number of Hamilton men left this morning for Peterboro, and will be initiated into the Knights of Columbus lodge there this evening. The K. of C. in the United States has in its ranks many of the most prominent Catholics, and in Canada, east of Toronto, it has grown at a rapid rate. The eastern Ontario and Quebec Bishops permitted lodges to be organized.

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