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## A MINISTERIAL MAJORITY OF 57 INCLUDING THURSDAY'S FULL RETURNS

**Out of Forty-Seven Seats Contested Yesterday the Unionists Made a Gain of Nine Without Any Losses---The State of the Parties at 3 p. m. Today Being: Liberals 150, Nationalists 58, Laborites 31, Unionists 182.**

### RIOTS AT THE BELFAST POLLING DEFEATED UNIONISTS ENRAGED

(Associated Press Cable, 3 p.m.)

London, Jan. 21.—Full returns have been received from the 47 constituencies which voted Thursday. The seats are proportioned as follows:

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| Unionists | 22 |
| Liberals | 17 |
| Laborites | 5 |
| Nationalists | 3 |
| Total | 47 |

This is a Unionist gain of nine seats, with no losses.

The known standing of the parties this afternoon is:

Government Coalition—Liberals, 150; Irish Nationalists,58; Laborites, 31; total, 239.

Opposition—Unionists, 182.

Government majority, 57.

In addition six Nationalists and one Unionists were elected yesterday by acclamation.

LIBERAL WHIP DEFEATED.

London, Jan. 21.—The results learned today parallel closely those of yesterday in giving a succession of Unionist gains, further augmenting the chances of the Unionists putting the Government in a position where it will be dependent absolutely upon the Irish Nationalist vote to carry legislation.

Joseph Albert Pease, the chief Liberal Whip, joined the prominent Government official who have been swept off their feet in the English counties, the Saffron Walden Division of Essex giving a majority of 272 for his Unionist opponent, Col. D. J. Proby. Upon the announcement in the street of these figures this afternoon a waiting crowd became wild with excitement and tried to mob Pease, who had to be escorted home by a strong force of police.

SHANE LESLIE LOST.

London, Jan. 21.—Another notable Conservative victory was the gain of the Scottish seat for Perthshire by Marquis Tullibardine, who turned the previous Liberal advantage of 803 into a Unionist majority of 298.

In Londonderry city Shane Leslie lost to Marquis Hamilton, Unionist, by 57. Leslie is the son of Colonel Leslie, who is a staunch Conservative. When young Leslie turned Nationalist he rechristened himself Shane as more Celtic than the name which his parents had given him. Col. Leslie promptly disowned his son.

GRAYSON DEFEATED.

Albert Victor Grayson, a Socialist of the firebrand type, lost his seat for the Colne Valley division of Yorkshire, west riding, to the Liberal candidate, C. Leach.

FREE TRADE YORKSHIRE.

Yorkshire returns continue to favor free trade candidates by large majorities, Joseph Walton, and W. Holland carrying Barnsley and Rotherham divisions, respectively, by huge majorities in the neighborhood of 7,000.

In Ireland, J. Devlin, Nationalist, has greatly improved his position, Belfast West increasing his earlier majority to 587. At Belfast South, T. H. Sloan, an independent Unionist, and a strong temperance advocate, has been turned out by J. Chambers, a straight Unionist and tariff reformer.

ENRAGED UNIONISTS.

Exciting scenes followed the declaration of the poll at Buckingham, where the Liberal candidate, F. W. Verney, son of Lord Verney, won by a narrow majority. The enraged Unionists chased several Liberals, who took refuge in the near-by houses.

There was rioting at Belfast, where 54 persons were arrested for impersonating. According to the English law, all persons whose names appear on the registers may vote. One woman and two 14-year-old boys who were thus registered, voted.

Numbers of American citizens residing in London, were notified that their names were on the registers, and they voted

The Right Hon. Herbert Louis Samuel, under secretary of the home office, was returned in Yorkshire, north riding, Cleveland division. The Right Hon. A. Ure, attorney-general, who has been the most severely attacked candidate in the campaign, was indorsed by his Linlithgowshire constituents by a strong vote.

Leif Jones, Liberal leader of the extreme temperance party and largely responsible for the recent licensing bill, was defeated in the Appleby division in Westmorland.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

London, Jan. 21.—Yesterday's returns are incomplete at this writing, but it is now possible to review Wednesday's results, in which the counties figured for the first time.

Included in the counties are many of the smaller industrial centres, but rural England, embracing thousands of villages as well as the country proper, is a deterring factor. Here the peers fought literally on their own ground, and the power of landlordism was arrayed against the Ministerial party.

WEDNESDAY'S POLLING.

Of the 78 contested seats on Wednesday, excluding Ireland, the Unionists won 38, the Liberals 34, and the Laborites 6—a Ministerial majority of 2 seats. The Unionists gained 18 and the Liberals 1, a net Unionist gain of 17 for the day.

Including all Wednesday's returns, the Unionists had a net gain of 58 seats on the four days' polling. They would have to gain 168 seats outright to have a majority of one over the Liberals, Laborites and Nationalists combined. Only the fringe of Scotland and Wales has voted so far, and the most sanguine Unionists have given up hope of anything but a situation which would place the Government in the power of the Nationalists. It is too early to prophecy upon this point.

### SUMMARY OF RESULTS

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| Seats in Commons | 670 |
| Seats decided | 420 |

Unopposed Yesterday and Today.

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| Unionists | 1 |
| Nationalists | 6 |

Contested Elections Yesterday.

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| Liberals | 17 |
| Laborites | 5 |
| Unionists | 22 |
| Nationalists | 3 |

Gains Yesterday.

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|---|---|
| Liberals | 0 |
| Unionists | 9 |
| Laborites | 0 |

Total Standing.

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|---|---|
| Liberals | 150 |
| Laborites | 31 |
| Nationalists | 58 |
| Unionists | 181 |

### ELECTION ECHOES

Up to Wednesday night, the Liberals and Laborites had polled 115,000 more votes that the Unionists.

It looks as though the Laborites will have about the same representation in the next House as in the last.

The liquor trade succeeded in defeating the temperance leader, Leif Jones, in Westmorland, by 467 majority. Leif's majority in 1906 was only three.

Five of the Unionist gains, in Woolwich, Devonport, and Portsmouth, were due to the expectation of larger expenditures on naval armaments. Five have been due to three-cornered contests.

Scotland, Lancashire and Yorkshire, the great industrial north, stand almost solidly by the Government. The Unionist gains are in the Midlands and the south, where aristocratic and landlord influence is greater.

Mr. Henniker Heaton, Unionist, has been returned in Canterbury by a narrow majority, an Independent Conservative dividing the Unionist vote. He is known througnout the empire as the pioneer of penny postage and other postal reforms.

The Unionist victory in Denbigh, Wales, is thought to have been the fault of the Liberal candidate, Clem Edwards. He assailed Lloyd-George in Parliament, and accused him of shelving the question of Welsh disestablishment.

There will be a stiff fight in South Tyrone, and Irish Unionists are putting forth their best efforts to oust Mr. T. W. Russell, himself at one time a prominent member of a Unionist Government, but now a Liberal, and a convert to home rule.

The Lord Advocate of Scotland, Rt. Hon. A. Ure, K.C., had a unique triumph in Linlithgowshire. The poll stood: Ure, 6,451; Smith, 3,536—a majority for Ure of 2,915, compared with 2,521 in 1906. A concerted effort was made to defeat Mr. Ure, who had roused Mr. Balfour's wrath and been accused of a "frigid calculated lie." Ure's reply to Balfour was a parliamentary classic.

The House stood at dissolution:

| | |
|---|---|
| Liberals | 385 |
| Labor | 34 |
| Nationalists | 83 |
| Unionists | 168 |
| | 670 |

If the speaker be omitted, the majority of Liberals, Labor party, and Nationalists is 335, and the Unionists must, in order to gain a majority of one, gain 168 seats outright.

The complete London returns give the Unionists 33 and the Liberals 28. The victories in London have been both less numerous and less signal than the Unionist party anticipated, as its organizers confidently reckoned on securing two-thirds of the total representation, and also on obtaining sweeping majorities in many divisions where Unionists barely scraped in, and in some where they actually encountered defeat.

The successful Unionist candidate in Westminster is Mr. Burdett-Coutts, widower of the late Baroness Burdett-Coutts, renowned alike for her wealth and her benefactions. Mr. Burdett-Coutts himself came prominently before the public at the time of the South African war, when he denounced the administration of the army hospitals in no measured terms, and his denunciation led to radical changes in the Army Medical Service.

The Unionist gain of Denbigh district, Wales, was a surprise. The tremendous popularity of Lloyd-George was expected to repeat the miracle of 1906 and form up Wales unanimous against tariff reform. The Liberal loss of Monmouth district is no index to Welsh opinion, as Monmouth is recognized as an English constituency. Denbigh can be described as Welsh geographically, but is not so in sentiment. The real Wales in its cities, villages and farming districts is strong for Lloyd-George, and Unionist gains in the principality will be few and far between.

### MISS ELLIOTT DEAD.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 21. — Miss Annie F. Elliott, daughter of the late Major Elliott, who was collector of customs in Windsor for forty years, is dead at Lakewood, N. J., aged 70 years. She leaves relatives in Windsor and Ottawa.

## THE COMPLETE RETURNS OF WEDNESDAY'S POLLING

### The Fourth Days Voting Was: Unionists 38, Liberals 34, Nationalists 18, Laborites 6.

London, Jan. 20.—The complete returns of Wednesday's polling in the general elections, including acclamations, were as follows:

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|---|---|
| Unionists | 38 |
| Liberals | 34 |
| Laborites | 6 |
| Nationalists | 18 |

Of the 96 constituencies voting, the Unionists gained 18 and the Liberals 1.

The Unionist gains were Trowbridge, Chippenham, Kirkcudbright, Appelby, Sudbury, Dorset North, Westmoreland South, Somerset East, Henley, Radnorshire, Eadisbury, Mid-Norfolk, Hackney, Nottingham East, Glasgow (Camlachie), Denbigh, Berkshire North.

The Liberal gain was the Truderlin division of Glasgow.

A feature of the day's polling was the capture of two seats in Wales by the Unonists.

Keir Hardie, the noted Labor leader, was elected in Merthyr-Tydvil, increasing his majority from 10,187 to 13,841.

### STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20.—Arrived: Haverford, from Liverpool.

Southampton—Arrived: Adriatic, New York.

Havre—Arrived: La Savoie, New York.

Naples—Arrived: Cedric, New York.

Halifax—Arrived: Pennsylvania, Copenhagen; Amanda, Jamaica.

Cape Race, Nfld., Jan. 21.—Steamer Celtic, Liverpool and Queenstown, for New York, 1,220 miles east of Sandy Hook at 11:30 p.m. yesterday. Dock about 8:30 a.m. Monday.

### Manufacturers' Committee.

The manufacturers' committee will meet this afternoon at four o'clock. Routine business is all on the calendar.

## ACCIDENTALLY KILLED SHOOTING SPARROWS

### An Ellice Township Young Man Meets With a Tragic Death.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stratford, Jan. 21.—Roy Shore, aged 21, who resides in Ellice Township, met with a tragic death yesterday morning. He was found dead in a barn of his father's, with whom he resided, with terrible gunshot wounds in his head. He had been shooting sparrows around the barnyard, and it is thought the gun was accidentally discharged.

Coroner Devlin will hold an inquest this afternoon.

## GRAND TRUNK IS STILL BUYING LAND

### Company Is Preparing For Track Elevation This Year.

The Grand Trunk Railway is getting ready for track elevation this year.

The company is already negotiating for several parcels of property along its line in the East End, and it is expected the deals will go through in a few days.

## POLITICAL PARSON SINGS TE DEUM

### Calls Thanksgiving Service for Unionist Victory.

London, Jan. 21.—(Toronto Globe Special.)—In rural England the "Wild Peers" found their most effective ally in the church, some of the clergy going to strange lengths to show their detestation of anything that savors of reform. The Rev. L. D. Thomas, vicar of St. John's Church, Plumstead, has sent out cards announcing a special thanksgiving service and Te Deum on Sunday for the timely deliverance of Woolwich, where Will Crooks was defeated, and Plumstead, from the hands of Socialists and Sabbath day breakers.

## LEVEL TRACKS AGAIN TO FORE G. T. R. WILL INSIST ON THEM

### Company Cannot Carry Business of Important Shippers If All Lines Are Elevated in London—Where the Negotiations Will Probably Split Again.

With the rapid approach of the session of the Dominion railway commission in London to consider track elevation, some of the aldermen are giving their attention to the problem.

One of the important features of the negotiations will be the consideration of the shunting problem.

The Grand Trunk, when negotiations were being conducted some years ago, agreed to elevate all through tracks, but they insisted upon keeping a number of switches on the level in order to accommodate shippers on their line.

**What Company Wants.**

From information received, the company will make the same claim when the question is opened up again, and there will be the crux of the difficulty.

The Grand Trunk insist that elevated tracks would make it impossible for them to handle the freight from such places as Leonard's, Hunt's and others, and would necessitate the erection of elevators and other appliances that would add considerably to the cost of handling, and place the company at some disadvantage, as compared with other railways.

They insist that there will be little or no danger from shunting for this sort of work, and it will enable them to save many thousands of dollars on construction.

**Enlarge the Yards.**

Some of the aldermen consider that the company should enlarge their yards east of Egerton street, and confine all their shunting and switching in that district, far from any danger to the citizens.

"There is plenty of room there, and that should be the place for shunting, not across city streets," said Ald. Rose, in reference to the matter.

The special committee to deal with the company, in case negotiations are opened up directly with the company has not been named. Mayor Beattie will name the aldermen to form this committee when the time comes. He has made no announcement as yet.

**May Not Deal Direct.**

There is beginning to be some doubt that the company will deal directly with the city in this matter. Some time ago it was thought that the two interested parties would get together and deal directly, but the concensus of opinion is that the commission will have to settle the whole question.

The erection of a union station is certain to form one of the problems to be settled, and at the present time it looks as if this will form another hard nut to crack.

However, neither side is showing their hand at the present time, and the railway commission will have to bring the question to a focus.

## DREDGING THE RIVER IS POPULAR STREAM IS TO BE BEAUTIFIED

### Mayor and Aldermen Interviewed State That the Thames Can Be Made a Big Attraction for London—Boating Will Be Given a Big Boom.

The proposition to dredge the river is meeting with much favor throughout the city.

As a matter of fact practically every person met with is of the opinion that something should be done to beautify the stream.

The scheme proposed is the nearest approach to permanent improvement to the river yet made.

A sand sucker will be installed by Mr. Baham at a cost of about $7,000. The stream will be dredged for a distance of half a mile from the Forks to the Cove, 30 feet wide, and 7 feet deep. That will mean four feet deeper than high water. This will give plenty of room for almost any sort of river craft to reach Springbank without danger of injury to their vessels.

**Impetus to Boating.**

A decided impetus will then be given to motor-boating. Last summer there were 43 boats of this type on the river, and there are about a dozen more under construction. A number of people have contemplated buying a boat of this sort, but the danger of sailing on account of low water has deterred them from purchasing motor boats.

Some of the aldermen are in favor of spending more than $1,000 on the Thames.

A plan for a drive along the north branch of the river has been considered for some time, but the lack of funds for that purpose has resulted in little or nothing doing.

**Some Opinions.**

"The expenditure of money on the river would be a good investment," said Ald. Morgan in discussing the question.

"If some American cities had such a stream, they would spend, not $1,000, but $50,000, in making it worth while," said Ald. Saunders. "We should make Springbank so attractive to our citizens that excursions out of town would cease. It can be done."

"I know some of the disadvantages of sailing on the river," said Mayor Beattie. "I agree with the Boat Club members that it is difficult and dangerous. If we can do so, we ought to assist them. The ride down the river is a very pretty trip, one of the prettiest to be found anywhere."

"I am in favor of doing what we can for the river," said Ald. Pocock. "It is worth all that can be expended upon it."

"When we help the Boat Club, we help the citizens generally," said Ald. Rose. "The river is much improved as compared with what it has been by the judicious expenditure of a little money."

"The improvements suggested will be permanent, I am certain of that," said Mr. Jack Collison. "They are much better than those talked of last year, and once we get them the river will be a fine pleasure spot. We are not alive in London to the beauties of our own city."

Mayor Beattie and Ald. Tancock will see City Solicitor Meredith within a few days as to the legal aspect of the case, and will report.

## HUCKSTER WAS FINED AT LAST MARKET CLERK HAS SHARP EYE

### John Ward Caught in the Act and Brought Into Court—Said He Did Not Know He Was Doing Anything Wrong —The Evidence Submitted Today.

Magistrate Love made it very plain at the police court this morning that he intends to protect the citizens of London from any class of huckstering when he fined John Ward, a young man employed by Joseph Hewitt, of the Gore of London, $2 and $3 35 costs for selling potatoes on Saturday last which he had bought for 60 cents and resold at 65 cents a bag.

The charge was laid by Market Clerk Maker, and the court handed out some interesting views in regard to the rights of farmers to buy and sell on the market.

**Market Clerk Testifies.**

Market Clerk Maker in the box stated that on Saturday last Mr. Ward bought some potatoes from Mr. Bowler on the square. Witness went to him and asked him if he knew he was not allowed to do this. Ward asked him what it had to do with him. Mr. Maker then got Mr. Bowler, and taking him to Ward asked if Ward had bought potatoes from him, and was told by Mr. Bowler that four bags were bought at 60 cents a bag.

Ward resold them a few minutes after to a Mr. Corbin, a grocer, for 65 cents a bag.

Mr. Alfred Johnston, grocer, stated that he had witnessed the transaction and gave similar evidence. Mr. Ward he said, stated that it was after 10 o'clock and he could buy if he wanted to.

Mr. Charles Corbin, buyer for a grocery firm, stated that he had purchased two bags of potatoes from Mr. Ward on Saturday last at 65 cents per bag.

**The Defendant.**

John Ward stated that he lives on the Gore of London Township, and works for Mr. Hewitt. Some days he keeps a stand on the market for Mr. Hewitt. Witness admitted selling stuff but denied buying it. He also denied buying for Mr. Hewitt, and stated that Mr. Hewitt buys the goods himself. Mr. Hewitt paid for the potatoes in question in the afternoon.

Witness was there when they were delivered. Witness sold the potatoes. Mr. Bowler came along and said to witness previously, "Do you want any potatoes?" and witness had told him to put them down. Mr. Hewitt was not there at the time, but he (the witness), understood he (Bowler) had ordered them.

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## THE MINERS ELECT

### Thomas Lewis Again Selected to Head United Mine Workers.

Indianapolis, Jan. 21.—Thomas L. Lewis, of Ohio, was re-elected president of the United Mine Workers of America, over William Green, of Ohio, his only opponent, by 23,597 majority. Frank J. Hayes, of Illinois, was elected vice-president by a majority of 33,237, to succeed E. S. McCullough, of Michigan.

Edwin Perry was chosen secretary-treasurer without opposition.

### Church Meeting.

There will be a special meeting of the congregation of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, followed by a vestry meeting in the schoolhouse on Friday evening, Jan. 28 inst.

## RAILWAYMEN ARE WORKED UP OVER THE INCREASE IN WAGES

### A Boost of From 10 to 20 Per Cent Is Being Asked by G.T.R. Employees.

### ALLEGED EVILS TO BE REMEDIED

### Men Enumerate Some of Their Grievances—Hoping for a Peaceful Settlement.

The demand of the Grand Trunk conductors and brakemen for an increase in wages is causing a great deal of discussion locally, and not a few of the men prominent in the brotherhood state that a strike will be called if the demand is not met.

Two London men, Mr. W. Darkin, representing the conductors, and Mr. W. Cripps, representing the brakemen, are now in Montreal with the committee presenting the petition for the increase, but as the proper authorities have been touring the road for the past few days, a decision is not expected for about a week.

The officials passed through St. Thomas on their return trip to Montreal yesterday afternoon.

**The Advance Asked.**

Although the men are very reticent, it is said that the advance asked for runs from 10 to 20 per cent. They also ask that several alleged evils in the allotment of work to crews of different stations be remedied.

The matter rests entirely with the head officials at Montreal, and local officials claim to know nothing but hear-say of the demands.

When asked what action the brotherhood would take if arrangements satisfactory to men were not made, one of the members of the organization stated that a strike will be called.

"Railroaders all through the west were given a magnificent increase recently, and there is no reason why we should not be given the same treatment," he said. "We are not asking anything unreasonable, and we trust that the company will look at the matter in a proper light. We want the passenger and way freight mileage increased, and are also asking for 'pick-up' charges."

The men ask for something for the trouble of stopping at stations along the line to take on extra cars. These are the pick-up rates.

Several conductors spoken to stated that the work is not divided up evenly. That is, they say, crews of Stratford will be given trains out of Fort Erie, while Fort Erie men are idle, or the like.

**The Grievances.**

The following letter published in yesterday's Toronto World enumerates the trainmen's grievances, and is being distributed to many local men today:

Editor World: In answer to the statements of the railway companies, and some of our daily papers, as to the large salaries of railway men, I would like to show you the actual conditions at the present time. As a freight brakeman I worked in the month of December, 31 days, ten hours a day, or thirty-one hundred miles. For this the rate of pay is $1 90 per hundred miles, or 19 cents per hour, amounting to $58 90 for the month—truly a "large" salary for 31 days at ten hours a day at an occupation that cripples and kills so many of our men. With a small family to keep, we find, after paying our living expenses for the month—groceries and meat $21 25, rent $18, life insurance, railroad company and brotherhood $2 43, light and heat $9 65, and milk, $2, in all $54 33—that we have a surplus of $4 57 out of our large salary, and still have clothes and shoes to buy. Since we must have sufficient clothes and shoes to work and live, it follows that we must do without a percentage of our heat, light and food in order to pay for what we wear. Of course we cannot allow anything for possible sickness or injury, and when we know that each year one in eight of our trainmen is permanently injured and one in every 128 is killed, we should have something to put away to provide for ourselves or families when such a contingency arrives. We have also car fare and other small expenses to pay, and all this must come out of our $4 57 surplus, and we must pay our debts, for if by chance our creditors should garnishee our pay a second time we are discharged.

For any of the petty mistakes we make—and no man is without them—we are suspended from work for ten, fifteen, or perhaps thirty days, and such suspensions are reported against us. When such a case occurs, our large monthly surplus is wiped out, and we have a deficit to make up out of our salary of the next month. Dare any man other than a railway official say that our salaries are large or our occupation safe and easy? If so, let him ask any railway brakeman to show him his wagebook for the past months and the hours he worked to get his large salary, and he will find that the above conditions are correct in every way. Is there another class of men in Canada that are required by the laws of the land and their employers to walk so straight to the line when off as well as on duty and take the risks of the railway brakeman for 19 cents an hour? We are now asking for an increase of about seven cents an hour and pay for the hours we work in getting our trains ready and for which we now get nothing. The railway companies say the demand is outrageous, but are they? Should we get the raise?

## NO UNION DEPOT SAYS GRAND TRUNK

### Company Is Buying Land for "Extension Purposes."

A dispatch to The Advertiser from Montreal states that Grand Trunk officials, when interviewed regarding the recent purchase of the Southam property, stated that it is to be used for "extension purposes," and not for a new union station. The company, so the officials stated, wished to secure possession of the whole block.

## VERY SUDDEN DEATH OF NOTED CONTRACTOR

### Randolph MacDonald, Builder of Railroads, Dead After a Few Days' Illness.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 21.—Randolph MacDonald, the well-known railway contractor, of Toronto, died suddenly at 8 o'clock this morning at his home in Rusholme road. He had been ailing for some days. Litigation against the directors of the Sovereign Bank, of whom he was one, had worried him considerably.

Randolph MacDonald was educated at the Dr. Tasch grammar school in Galt and at Hellmuth College, London. His connection with railways began early. His introduction was as superintendent and clerk in the construction of the Cleveland and Mahoning Railroad at Cleveland, Ohio. Then he was associated with his father and brother in a railroad contract on the Jamestown and Franklin Railway in Pennsylvania, this work lasting three years. In 1870 he became a partner with his brother under the firm name of W. E. MacDonald & Co. They built sections of the intercolonial, sections 1 and 2 of the Lachine Canal and the Welland basin, near Montreal, and the Fenelon Falls part of the Trent Valley Canal.

## MAYOR BEATTIE WILL APPOINT THE ASSESSORS

### And Will Leave the Appointing of Clerks to the Council.

Mayor Beattie will appoint the assessors in the assessment department and the council will name the clerks.

For some time past it has been the custom of the mayor and assessment commissioner to fill all offices, including the clerkships His worship will depart from that custom this year and the council will have to name the clerks.

According to the municipal act, the assessors must be appointed by the mayor and commissioner, and to this Mayor Beattie must conform.

He will probably follow Mr. Grant's suggestion and name two assessors for six months to take the place of Mr. O'Sullivan, a permanent assessor, who is made chief assistant.

Mr. Grant is of the opinion that more men are necessary in the field during certain seasons, and that is the reason for his suggesting two men.

There will be three clerks named, as usual. The personnel of the appointees could not be learned, and it is not known who they will be.

The council will also deal with the recommendation of Mr. Grant, that a junior clerk be appointed permanently to the staff.

## MR. YOUNG WILL HAVE FULL APOLOGY

### Is Not as Yet Prepared to Say Whether or Not He Is Satisfied With Ald. Rose's Denial.

No statement could be obtained today from Mr. R. J. Young, of R. J. Young & Co., as to whether or not the explanation of Ald. Rose regarding the manufacture of firemen's uniforms, as published yesterday, was satisfactory. No writ or anything of the nature has as yet been filed, however.

"I have not seen both papers," said Mr. Young. "Until I do so, I will make no statement as to whether I am satisfied or not. I have demanded a full retraction of the charges made in the council, that the firemen's clothes were made outside the city, or were not according to specifications, and at the present time I am not prepared to say that I am satisfied."

Ald. Rose has heard nothing further on the subject.

## THE WEATHER

### TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, Jan. 21—8 a.m.

Today—Strong winds and gales, shifting to west and northwest; turning colder this evening and tonight, with some local snow.

Saturday—Fair and cold.

TEMPERATURES.

| Stations. | 8 a.m. | Min. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Victoria | 46 | 36 | Rain |
| Calgary | 34 | 12 | Cloudy |
| Winnipeg | 18 | —10 | Clear |
| Port Arthur | 34 | 6 | Cloudy |
| Parry Sound | 40 | 32 | Cloudy |
| Toronto | 42 | 36 | Rain |
| Ottawa | 32 | 22 | Cloudy |
| Montreal | 32 | 20 | Cloudy |
| Quebec | 26 | 20 | Cloudy |
| Father Point | 28 | 16 | Cloudy |

Minus (—) means below zero.

Today—Strong winds and gales, shifting

WEATHER NOTES.

Depressions exist this morning over the lake region, the middle Atlantic States and in Alberta, pressure being highest in the Southwest States.

Rain is falling over the lower lake region and snow on the upper lakes.

Storm signals are displayed at ocean ports.

WOODS' FAIR **J. M. THOMSON** WOODS' FAIR

## BIG ANNUAL GRANITEWARE SALE COMMENCING SATURDAY, JAN. 22

**Almost All First Quality.**

35c Granite Lip Saucepans, Saturday price ..... **25¢**
Small Granite Tea Kettles for base-burners. Regular 75c, Saturday price ..... **49¢**
Oval Pudding Pans ..... **5¢**
9-inch Pie Plates .....**4 for 25¢**
No. 9 Tin Tea Kettles. Saturday price **35¢**

**Some Less Than Wholesale Price.**

Large Berlin Kettles, with covers. Regular 65c, Saturday price .....**35¢**
Granite Slop Jars, with covers and bale handles. Regular $1.25, Saturday price .....**69¢**
Granite Mixing Bowls, white or gray. Regular 20c, Saturday price.....**15¢**

SATURDAY CANDY SPECIAL—**300** Lbs. of Peanut Taffy at.....**2** Lbs. for **15¢**

## TEMPTING OFFER OF LACE CURTAINS SATURDAY

Lace Curtains, 1 yard wide, 3 yards in length, assorted patterns. Saturday price.....**50¢**
Lace Curtains, 1¼ yards wide, 3 yards long, exceptional value. Saturday price.....**75¢**
Lace Curtains, 50 inches wide, 3½ yards in length. Saturday price **$1.00.** Worth more.
With every Curtain at 50c on Saturday we will give an Extension Rod, or at 75c and $1.00 a Curtain Pole complete, free of charge. Call and see them.

## LADIES' COTTON CHALLIS WAISTS $1.00

24 only Ladies' Cotton Challis Waists, light and dark fancy striped effect, made in the Gibson style, with white laundered collar. Sizes 36 to 40. Saturday special..**$1.00**

**Ladies' Black Sateen Underskirts Regular $1.00 for 75c**

Black Sateen Underskirts, full gored, with a 15-inch flounce, trimmed with two small frills and two rows of shirring. Sizes 38 to 42. Regular $1.00, Saturday price ..... **75¢**

**LADIES' COTTON VESTS 19c**

Thirty dozen Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Undervests, in gray only, shaped waist, taped neck and lace finished. full size. Special Saturday.....**19¢**

**OUR NEW TORCHON LACES ARE IN STOCK, AND READY FOR SATURDAY'S SALE**

1,000 yards on Saturday at .....**2 for 5¢ and 5¢ Yard**
2,000 yards New Embroidery and Insertion, exceptional value. Price, per yard ..... **2 for 5¢, 5¢, 8¢ and 10¢**
Splendid line of BLOUSE FRONTS. Special on Saturday at, per yard...**50¢ and 60¢**

**WALL PAPER SALE STILL GOING ON**

Saturday—12½c Papers **8¢** 10c Papers **6¢** 8c Papers **5¢**
Slightly soiled WINDOW SHADES AT CLEARING PRICES.

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**London Picture Postcards**
REAL PHOTOGAPHS.
Something Entirely New.

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## RYCKMAN---WINTER

**Pretty Wedding at Home of Bride's Parents, Gore of Westminster.**

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winter, Gore of Westminster, on Jan 19, their only daughter, Ethel Maud, became the wife of Ewart Eli Ryckman, merchant, of Christina. At six o'clock to the strains of the Bridal Chorus, played by Mrs. James Dale, sister of the groom, the bride, who was daintily gowned in ivory silk mull over silk, trimmed with embroidered panel and Valenciennes lace, and insertion, entered the parlor, leaning on the arm of her father. She carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses, and wore a wreath of lilies of the valley in her hair, and took her place by the side of the groom, under a beautiful arch of evergreens.

The groom was attended by Mr Stanley Winter, brother of the bride. The bridesmaid was Miss Ethel Ryckman, sister of the groom, and was attired in point d'esprit over silk, trimmed with Cluny lace, with gloves to match, and carried a beautiful bouquet of pink carnations. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Jewitt, of Lambeth.

After the usual congratulations the young couple led the way into the dining-room, where the party, numbering about 60, did ample justice to the many good things provided.

The groom's gift to the bride was a mink muff, to the bridesmaid a pearl bowpin, and to the groomsman a watch fob.

The bride's going-away gown was navy blue satin cashmere, fur-lined coat, with mink trimmings, muff to match, and black hat.

The happy couple left the bride's home about 10 o'clock, amid showers of rice, confetti, and with the best wish of their many friends, for Detroit and Flint, Mich.

The presents were many and valuable. Guests were present from London, West Lorne, Detroit, Flint and other points.


## *Do You Suffer From Headaches ?*

There are few people who have never experienced a headache from one cause or another. It effects all ages and both sexes alike, but the female sex is naturally the more effected through the higher nervous development and more delicate organization of the system. Those also of a nervous temperament and studious or sedentary occupation are subject to it.

The presence of headache nearly always tells us that there is another disease which, although we may not be aware of it, is still exerting its baneful influence, and perhaps awaiting an opportunity to assert itself plainly.

Burdock Blood Bitters has, for years, been curing all kinds of headaches, and if you will only give it a trial we are sure it will do for you what it has done for thousands of others.

**Headache and Constipation Cured.**

Mrs. John Connors, Burlington, N.S., writes: "I have been troubled with headache and constipation for a long time. After trying different doctors' medicine a friend asked me to try Burdock Blood Bitters. I find I am completely cured after having taken three bottles. I can safely recommend it to all."

For sale by all dealers. Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.


## ST. MARYS TRUSTEES INAUGURAL MEETING

### Chairman and Secretary Were Reappointed—Other Officials Chosen.

St. Marys, Jan. 19. — The inaugural meeting of the public school board was held this (Wednesday) evening.

Trustee Dr. J. R. Stanley was voted a second term as chairman for 1910. Secretary A. Carman was reappointed at a salary of $75 per year. The treasurer, Miss M. E. Long, was reappointed at a salary of $20 per year. S. K. Martin was appointed representative of the public school board to the public library board for the years 1910, 1911, and 1912. Dr. F. S. Smith was appointed representative of the public school board on Collegiate Institute board for 1910.

The rules and regulations of 1909 were adopted for 1910.

Miss Webster was appointed representative of the public school at the entrance examinations of 1910.

The chairman and secretary were authorized to issue orders for water rates quarterly. For teachers, on the last day of each month, and in full payment on the last day of June. For secretary and treasurer, quarterly. For caretaker and scavenger, monthly.

Mrs. R. Smith was reappointed caretaker of west ward school for 1910 at a salary of $100. Additional duties were added to caretakers of Central and Dormer schools, to lawn mowing once a week, or twice a week if necessary, the grounds extending from the sidewalks on the east and west sides, during the season, subject to the approval of the property committee.

Finance report of expenditures: C. Wright, repairs, $38 87; Canadian Office and School Furniture Company, $200; W. G. Kenny, $36 43.

The supply committee was instructed to ask for tenders for school supplies, to be opened at the next meeting.

Charles Smith was appointed scavenger for all the public schools, at a salary of $5 50 a month for ten months.

When supply teachers are required, the chairman and principal were authorized to have the vacancies filled temporarily.

The following standing committees were struck, the first-named in each as chairman:

Finance—Trustees W. H. May, T. B. Bennett, J. Ready, R. J. Teskey.

Fuel—Trustees W. H. Tovell, W. H. May, Thomas Gordon and T. B. Bennett.

Supplies—Trustees W. W. Haines, R. J. Teskey, T. B. Bennett.

Repairs—Trustees T. B. Bennett, W. W. Haines, W. H. May and R. J. Teskey.

Printing—Trustees R. J. Teskey, Thomas Gordon, J. Ready, W. H. Tovell.

Classification—Trustees J. Ready, Thomas Gordon, W. W. Haines, W. H. Tovell.

General and Property — Trustees Thomas Gordon, W. H. Tovell, W. W. Haines, W. H. May.

The printing committee was instructed to have 25 committee cards printed.

The supplies committee was instructed to purchase two dozen brooms for use in public schools.

Dan Ross was appointed caretaker for the following schools: Central, 4 rooms; Dormer, 1 room; James street, 1 room; Willard, 1 room, and to perform extra duties re lawn mowing the ground of Central and Dormer schools, at a salary of $325 per year.

Auditors' report of expenditures for 1909, $6,387 73.

Moved by Trustees T. B. Bennett and J. Ready, that this board express their regret at the withdrawal as trustee of Mr. J. G. Longthorne, and also to express their appreciation of his regular attendance and the faithfulness with which he performed all duties that were assigned him. Also his uniformly courteous manner and efficient discharge of his duties, and that the secretary forward a copy of this resolution to him. Carried unanimously.

On motion of Trustees W. H. May and J. Ready, that tenders be asked for storm windows on the east side of Central school, tenders to be opened and dealt with by the repairs committee. Carried.

As the board adjourned, Trustee Dr. J. R. Stanley arose and expressed his thanks to the board in their voting him to the chairmanship for a second term.

Secretary A. Carman also expressed his thanks to the board for his reappointment to office.

## DEATH OF MRS. MARY KEEFE

**Aged Resident of iBddulph Died Yesterday.**

Mrs. Mary Keefe, relict of the late Robert Keefe, one of the best-known farmers of Biddulph, died at her home in Biddulph Township yesterday morning after a very brief illness. Mrs. Keefe was 90 years old, and came to Canada from Ireland when a young girl. She had lived in Biddulph for more than half a century. She is survived by four daughters and three sons, Mrs. M. Quigley, of Mill street; Mrs. Flannery, of West London; Misses Rose and Elizabeth Keefe, at home, and Messrs. James, Robert and Michael Keefe, also at home. Mr. Patrick Ryan, of this city, is a brother, and Mrs. Carey, of Iowa, Mich., is a sister. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning to St. Patrick's Church, Biddulph.

## ASK NEW SENATOR FOR FRENCH-CANADIANS

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 20. — A resolution asking the Government to appoint another French-Canadian senator for Ontario, was passed at this morning's session of the French-Canadian Educational Congress of Ontario. Rev. Father Beausoleil, vice-president, urged that the French-Canadians be more national in spirit and less closely attached to any one political party. More French-Canadian judges for Ontario were also urged.

## MOYER AGAINST HEARST

**Says the "Yellow" Journalist Has Injured Miners of the Northwest.**

Indianapolis, Jan. 20. — A unified and aggressive organization of the metal and coal miners of North America is the design of the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners and of the United Mine Workers of North America, in this city today, and unanimously approved.

Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, heading a party of representatives of his organization, today assailed the judicial system of the country, basing his attack on personal experiences in what he called the "labor war" of Colorado. He also asked the convention to take a stand against William Randolph Hearst, whom he charged with having been influential in "locking out" organized miners in the Northwest.

### CONVICT CHARGES SWINDLE.

Kingston, Jan. 20.—H. Cronk, a convict, who was sent down from Belleville about a year ago, to serve three years for theft, claims to have been swindled by a former supposed friend, James Rose, out of his bank roll of $500. Cronk alleges that, after his conviction, he gave Rose a signed blank check, with the understanding that Rose was to fill in the amount required to pay Cronk's legal expenses and pay the lawyer. Recently Cronk was billed for $20 by his lawyers, and subsequent investigation revealed that Cronk's whole bank deposit had been withdrawn and the lawyer still left unpaid. Cronk claims that Rose is the villain. The case was called today, but was adjourned until Saturday.

### PATRICK STILL FIGHTING.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 20. — Relatives of Albert T. Patrick, the New York lawyer, who is confined in Sing Sing prison for the murder of Millionaire William Marsh Rice, have secured a promise from Charles F. Jones, Rice's former valet, that he will go back to New York and give evidence that it is believed may open a way for Patrick's release.

Missing three years and several times reported dead, Jones appeared here a few days ago, and instead of going to the home of his parents, went to the house of a friend, whom he told he was tired of being chased around the world. He declared that he had returned for the purpose of making a clean breast of it and settling the whole affair.

The testimony of Jones at the trial went a long way toward securing Patrick's conviction.

## BOARD OF WORKS WOULD DREDGE RIVER

### Recommended to Council That Offer of B. V. Baham Be Accepted.

### $1,000 AND THE GRAVEL

**Taken Out Will Be the Cost—Deputation From Boat Club Waited on the Aldermen Last Night.**

At a meeting of the board of works held last evening it was recommended to accept the offer of Mr. B. V. Baham to dredge the river for $1,000 and gravel, provided there were no legal difficulties in the way. Mayor Beattie and Ald. Tancock will interview City Solicitor Meredith on the subject.

A communication was read from the Thames Boat Club offering to dredge a channel 30 feet wide and 7 feet deep from the forks of the river to the cove for $1,000 and the gravel privileges for five years.

**Boating on the Thames.**

Mr. Jared Vining appeared on behalf of the Boat Club, and addressed the committee. He spoke of the rapid growth of the club, and referred to the fact that there were 43 motor boats on the river now, with the probable addition of ten or twelve this year. There were other craft also to consider. There was a considerable investment in money in these boats, and they were entitled to some protection. He explained the many benefits that would accrue from opening up the river from the forks to the cove. It would insure a free passage in flood-time, and prevent dangers from flood. It would insure also that all refuse would be carried down the river to deep water, and not deposited, as has been the case in the past, in the shallow water in the city limits. It would give free natural access to the finest park in Canada—Springbank Park. The possibilities for making the city beautiful by the proper care of the river were boundless. If any city in the United States had such a river they would expend $10,000 on it in making it beautiful and navigable.

**Price of Gravel.**

Mr. Vining promised that a proper price for gravel would be charged, and it would be of great benefit to contractors, who would be enabled to obtain plenty of gravel at a moderate price. The city would save $1,000 in paving the market by using this gravel, he declared. A contractor who supplied large quantities to the city declared that if the scheme carried through he would be able to give a 5 per cent cut on the price. If the river were made navigable larger craft would be placed on the river. Mr. F. W. Farncombe estimated the cost of dredging the river to be $2,000, and gave it as his opinion that the dredging would eliminate to a large extent the dangers from ice jams. Dr. Hutchinson, medical health officer, declared it would be very beneficial from a sanitary standpoint. When the work was half-finished Mr. Baham wanted $500, and when completed, the balance. He also asked for the exclusive privilege of taking gravel from the river for five years.

**Security for City.**

Ald. Morgan wanted to know what security would be given the city that would insure the carrying out of the contract. Mr. Vining declared that the dredge, valued at $7,000, would be security enough.

"I am going to move that the committee recommend to the council that $1,000 be placed in the estimates for this work, provided the city solicitor finds no legal objections to it," said Ald. Saunders. "I think it will be money well spent. We are talking of bringing visitors to London, and that is right, but we should make it possible to properly entertain them when they are here. If the river was improved the citizens would use it as a park. I think it a good investment."

**Mayor in Favor.**

Messrs. Keene and Young spoke of the permanent benefit derived from the partial dredging of the river last year, and were confident that the improvement would be permanent.

Mayor Beattie also favored the proposal, and spoke strongly in its favor. After some desultory discussion it was decided to appoint Mayor Beattie and Ald. Tancock a committee to interview the city solicitor and prepare an agreement with Mr. Baham.

### MOUNT BRYDGES.

Mount Brydges, Jan. 20. — Some of the roads around here have been impassable since the heavy snowstorm that swept through the country a week ago.

Mr. James Small, of Prescott, returned home on Monday after a pleasant visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Small.

Mr. Howlett, of Delaware, shipped some pigs from here on Monday.

Miss Cobbin spent a few days with friends in London this week.

Mrs. (Rev.) McKibbin attended the W. M. S. convention in Watford this week.

Mr. Aston attended the library convention in London on Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank is still quite ill.

Miss Cobbin, of Muncey, is the guest of Mrs. Broome.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Arnold have returned from visiting relatives in London.

Since its introduction from America the chigger has spread far and wide along the west coast of Africa, and is now a greatly dreaded pest.


## A Hint to Ladies When Shopping

If you wanted anything badly, and when you got to the store were persuaded to take something else instead, when you came away wouldn't you feel a little disappointed? As if somebody had "got one over you"—and not for your benefit, mind, but for their own profit!

And when you proved that the something which was represented as being "just as good" as what you asked for was not as good—was not to be compared even with the real thing, wouldn't you feel still worse?

This is just the case about Zam-Buk. Like all good things it has many imitations. When buying it just ask for Zam-Buk, and see that you get it. The name is protected by law, and is clearly seen on each packet. Don't have anything else! Then you won't feel that somebody has made a few extra cents out of your lack of firmness.



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## LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

# Imported Winter Coats At Half Price On Saturday

Tomorrow will be your opportunity; half price for every Coat of this season's importing in both ladies' and children's; nothing will be reserved or kept back. We have decided, instead of sorting and making special prices of the different grades, to make a clean and sweeping half-price reduction and give you the choice of our entire stock of Imported Winter Coats. Come tomorrow for the choice; the one you want may not be here later.

## A Woman Can Make $10 or $20 in 10 or 20 Minutes at This Sale Tomorrow

These Coats are in beaver, broadcloth, serges and zibeline, in black, navy, brown, rose, myrtle, helio and grey, in ¾ and full lengths:

4 Ladies' $40 Coats for half price.....**$20.00**
8 Ladies' $35 Coats for half price.....**$17.50**
15 Ladies' $27.50 Coats for half price.....**$13.75**
17 Ladies' $25 Coats for half price.....**$12.50**
16 Ladies' $20 Coats for half price.....**$10.00**
12 Ladies' $16.50 Coats for half price.....**$8.25**
22 Ladies' $15 Coats for half price.....**$7.50**
19 Ladies $12.50 Coats for half price.....**$6.25**

**FREE JELL-O DEMONSTRATION**

By the Genesee Pure Food Company.

Stop at circle counter, opposite east side elevators, and sample these delicacies.

Jell-O, Jell-O Ice Cream, and Jello-O Cream Pudding.

Demonstrator will explain the preparation of these and many other dainty dishes.

**IN THE RESTAURANT**

**Saturday Dinner**

**Full Course, 35c, From 11:30 to 2**

***Menu***

SOUPS.
Potage a la Meringue.
Cream of Celery.

RELISH.
Pickled Beets.

ENTREE.
Apples a la Conde.

ROASTS.
Roast Sirloin of Beef au Jus.
Roast Young Chicken,
Giblet Sauce.

VEGETABLES.
Boiled and Mashed Potatoes.
Green Peas.

DESSERT.
Steamed Apple Pudding.
Custard Sauce.
Apple Pie. Pumpkin Pie.
Tea. Coffee. Cocoa. Milk.

Fourth Floor—Take Elevator.

Special attention given to afternoon parties. Dainty courses served continuously from 2:30 to 6.

## Girls' Ulsters at Half Price

### In Navy and Myrtle Frieze and Beaver Cloth

6 Girls' $9.50 Coats for half price.....**$4.75**
6 Girls' $8.50 Coats for half price.....**$4.25**
9 Girls' $7.50 Coats for half price.....**$3.75**
5 Girls' $6.50 Coats for half price.....**$3.25**
11 Girls' $5.00 Coats for half price.....**$2.50**

Only 37 Coats in this lot for 37 girls (at half price), and we have arranged the sale for Saturday, when the children are home from school. Bring them tomorrow and have them fitted. Come early and make sure of getting the sizes required. Sale will start with all sizes for ages from 4 to 12 years.

SECOND FLOOR.

## A Mill Clearance of Children's Underwaists

### 29½ Dozen 25c Waists, for 15c Each

We have secured the balance of this season's stock from the mill of Children's Fleece-Lined Waists. They are in light blue and gray, strapped with strong jean bands, and finished neatly around neck and arms, in all sizes for ages 2 to 10 years. These Waists we have a big sale for every year. They are regular 25c goods, warm and comfortable for winter wear. Get your supply for another year while this lot lasts. 29½ dozen only; sizes 2 to 10 years. 25c Waists for each....**15¢**

MAIN FLOOR—FIRST AISLE WEST OF MAIN.

The Standard "Favorite" Sewing Machine $16.50 — SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED — The "Norwood" Sewing Machine $23.75



# *Our Big Mid-Winter Sale Of Fine Clothing Is On!*

***Come Looking for Bargains in Every Department Tomorrow***

## *We Only Take Time to Mention a Few Lines Here*

**BOYS' OVERCOATS,** tweed and frieze, with velvet collars; sizes 23 to 27. Values up to $5.50, for.....**$2.95**

**BOYS' FANCY OVERCOATS,** sizes 25, 26 and 27; very handsome Coats, and values up to $5.50, Saturday only **$2.95**

**BOYS' REEFERS,** very natty; sizes 21 to 25. $4 and $4.50 values Saturday for ..... **$2.95**

**MEN'S SWEATERS,** assorted colors, exceptional values. Clearing at.....**73¢**

**$1 and $1.25 LINED MOCHA AND KID GLOVES,** clearing now at.....**73¢**

**WHITE UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS,** linen bosoms, at only.....**39¢**

**STANFIELD'S RED LABEL UNDERWEAR,** large and small sizes, at, per garment ..... **98¢**

**MEN'S D. B. SUITS,** fine tweed and worsteds; all sizes. Regular $10, $12, $15, on sale Saturday for.....**$7.95**

**MEN'S OVERCOATS,** big reduction here, and a lot of very handsome Coats to choose from; black and gray Chesterfields; also handsome tweeds in motor and Chesterfield styles. Look them over.

**MEN'S TROUSERS,** 200 pairs now on sale:

Regular $2 and $2.50, for.....**$1.25**
Regular $3 and $3.50, for **$1.95**
Regular $4 and $4.50, for.....**$2.95**

**STANFIELD'S BLUE LABEL UNDERWEAR** now at, per garment **$1.15**

**MEN'S BLACK CARDIGAN JACKETS,** clearing now at .....**59¢**

# OAK HALL

*154 Dundas Street*
*WM. GIBSON, Manager*


### ARVA.

Arva, Jan. 20. — The Mission Circle held their last regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lipsett, Central avenue, London. Before removing to the city Mrs. Lipsett was an honored member of the circle. A pleasant time was spent.

The London Township Fire Insurance Company hold their annual meeting on Friday afternoon next in the town hall.

A number have been securing their ice supply from the mill pond here. The quality is very good.

Among the visitors here this week were the following young people: Masters Heber and Norman Down and Miss Allen and Miss Down, of Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jackson, of Carstairs, Alta., who spent a week here, have left for Parkhill.

### MONTREAL NOMINATES.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Civic nominations took place in Montreal today, Dr. J. J Guerin and Senator J. P. B. Casgrain entered for the mayoralty, the first the candidate of the Citizens' Association.

Nineteen candidates were entered for the four seats on the board of control, Dr. Lachapelle, W. F. L. Wanklyn, L. N. Dupuis and Joseph Ainey being the candidates of the Citizens' Association.

There are contests for the city council in all the 22 wards of the city.

## Condensed Advertisements.

**No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.**

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.

Meetings—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—First insertion, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

## Births, Marriages, Deaths.

**DEATHS.**

DRAYTON—At Toronto, Ont., on Jan. 18, 1910, Henry Drayton, aged 73 years.

Funeral private, from Smith, Son & Clarke's funeral parlors, on Saturday, Jan. 22, at 10 a.m., to Woodland Cemetery.

ROUTLEDGE—In this city, on Thursday, Jan. 20, 1910, Thomas W. Routledge, ex-C. P. R. engineer, beloved husband of Fanny Routledge.

Funeral from his late residence, Dundas street east, on Sunday, Jan. 23, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. 82u

PARKER—On Jan. 19, 1910, at the residence of her son-in-law, Wm. Percival, Asylum sideroad, Mrs. Esther Parker, aged 82 years and 3 months, widow of the late John Parker.

Funeral on Saturday morning to G. T. R. station. Interment at Hamilton. 81u

WILSON—On Jan. 19, 1910, at her late residence, 517 Simcoe street, Catharine Wilson, beloved wife of Thomas Wilson, in her 55th year.

Funeral Saturday, Jan. 22; service at 2:30, funeral at 3 o'clock, to Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 81u

## AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

**GRAND—TONIGHT**
**VIOLA ALLAN**
—IN—
**THE WHITE SISTER**
Wm. Farnum, Jas. O'Neil, Minna Gale.
**200—Fifty Cent Seats—200**
ON SALE TONIGHT AT 7 O'CLOCK

TWICE TOMORROW.
**Cohan & Harris Minstrels**
**George Evans and 100 Others**
Prices—Matinee, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1; Night, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1 50. Seats Selling.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25.
COLE AND JOHNSON.
—IN—
**THE RED MOON**
Everything new but the title.
Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, $1. Seats Saturday

**One Class Cabin**

Call for booklets of trips to or from the Old Country.

Our arrangements are better than ever. Summer sailing lists on application.

**F. B. CLARKE**
116 Richmond Street, Next Bank of Commerce.

CHOIR CONCERT, FIRST METHODIST Church, Tuesday evening, Jan. 25, given by Centenary Methodist choir, Hamilton, W. H Hewlett, conductor; 60 voices. Under auspices First Methodist choir. A musical treat. Tickets at Mallagh's book store. 79k-ywvt

JUBILEE RINK—SIMCOE AND LONDON hockey match postponed. Ice soft. b

VICTORIA RINK—SKATING TONIGHT and every afternoon. Fancy dress carnival, Jan. 25. 78tf

FROM BARROOM TO PULPIT—A thrilling life story. Sam Small, Auditorium, Sunday, 4 p.m. Centennial Male Chorus, 40 voices. Association Orchestra. 80k

MRS. ALICE HENDERSON, TEACHER of Scotch and fancy dancing, 571 Adelaide street. Concert talent furnished.

DANCING—NEW CLASSES FOR BEGINNERS open next week: Ladies, Tuesday; gentlemen, Thursday evening; children, Saturday afternoon; advanced class, Wednesday evening; private lessons. Phone Dayton & Cormick.

TONY CORTESE, ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets. Phone 1265. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

LEARN TO DANCE—R. B. MILLARD, 245 Princess avenue. Special attention to waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

## MEETINGS.

KILWINNING LODGE, NO. 64, A., F. and A. M., Masonic Temple, this (Friday) evening, 7:30. Visitors welcome. Guy G. Steele, W. M.; R. W. Glover, secretary. P

## BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED FRONT bedroom, in private family; gas, grate, phone, all conveniences. Apply Box 101, Advertiser office. 82c

## SITUATIONS WANTED.

BLACKSMITH WANTS SITUATION—Can do woodworking and painting. Apply Box 100, Advertiser. 82c

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

TWO FINE COTTAGES, ONE ON OXFORD street and one on Piccadilly street; will sell, $150 cash down, balance on easy terms; the best chance of the year. Apply Knott & Sangster, Room 101, Masonic Temple. b

A SNAP—DOUBLE HOUSE ON KING street east; oak floors, double staircase, good cellars, furnace, water heaters and everything convenient; also private sale of den and dining-room furniture (mission), bedrooms, parlors, etc.; owner going west. Apply evenings, 715 King street. 82n

A SNAP—INVESTMENT OR OTHERWISE; owner going away; brick cottage, good lot, every convenience, good cellars, furnace, verandah, etc. 813 Lorne avenue. b

TWO COTTAGES ON DREANEY AVENUE; owner going west, and will sell for less than cost price; call at once and get particulars. Knott & Sangster, Room 101, Masonic Temple. 80u-xv

FOR SALE—NINETY-ACRE FARM, north half lot 4, con. 4, London Township. Apply L. Mitchell, Fanshawe. 78un

## MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED AT ONCE—YOUNG MAN about 16 years of age to learn cap trade; steady employment. Apply at factory, John Marshall & Co., Dundas street. 82c

MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS STEAM and hot water furnaces and can milk cows. Apply T. H. Smallman, Waverley, South London. 81tf

GOOD PATCHER SINGER SEWING machine, for shoemaking; price on time, $25, or cash $17. Apply 296 Grey street. Snap if taken at once. 81c

EXPERIENCED CLERK FOR GENERAL store in Saskatchewan town; splendid opening for responsible party. Box 98, Advertiser. 81c

WANTED—PARTNER TO SELL THE Story tool and sickle grinder, and the Story washing machine; wholesale and retail; also township and county rights. Address J.N. Story, Woodbridge. 80n

WANTED — MARRIED MAN FOR farm, by Feb. 1; references required. Apply in afternoons. Priddis Bros., Brook Farm, London Township. 78tf

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE—NEW system, constant practice, careful instruction; few weeks complete course; tools free; graduates earn $12 to $18 week; write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, 221 Queen east, Toronto. 21tf

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# FIREMEN'S UNIFORMS, ETC.

Tenders for uniforms, etc., for the year 1910 will be received at the office of the city clerk up to 4 o'clock on Feb. 2, 1910. Specifications may be seen at the chief's office, Central Fire Hall, where any further information required can be obtained. The council is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender. By order,

JOHN AITKEN,
Chief Fire Department.
ALD. H. ASHPLANT, 82u-21,28
Chairman No. 3 Committee.

# Application to Parliament

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the Corporation of the City of London to the Legislature of Ontario, at its next session, for an act

1.—To confirm and validate the following bylaws, viz.:

(a) Bylaw No. 3372, to raise the sum of $7,000 to extend the London Waterworks. Passed June 21, 1909.

(b) Bylaw No. 3407, to provide for the issue of $123,700 debentures for Waterworks purposes. Passed Aug. 3, 1909.

(c) Bylaw No. 3450, relating to the Water Commissioners for the City of London. Passed Dec. 6, 1909.

(d) Bylaw No. 3453, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in Ridout street, between Bruce street and Grand avenue, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(e) Bylaw No. 3454, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in Bruce street, between Marley Place and Ridout street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(f) Bylaw No. 3455, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in Adelaide street, between South street and Nelson street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(g) Bylaw No. 3456, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in Nelson street, between Adelaide street and Rectory street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(h) Bylaw No. 3457, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in South street, between Maitland street and Adelaide street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(i) Bylaw No. 3458, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in Rectory street, between Simcoe street and Hamilton road, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(j) Bylaw No. 3459, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in Victoria street, between St. George street and Adelaide street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(k) Bylaw No. 3460, to provide for raising moneys in respect of the sewer in St. George street, between a point 90 feet south of Victoria street and Victoria street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(l) Bylaw No. 3461, to provide for raising moneys to pay for the construction of cement sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and to levy the rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(m) Bylaw No. 3462, to provide for raising moneys to pay for the construction of tile sewers, and to levy the rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(n) Bylaw No. 3463, to provide for raising moneys to pay for the construction of pavements and to levy the rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(o) Bylaw No. 3464, to provide for raising moneys to pay for the construction of trunk sewers, and to levy the rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

(p) Bylaw No. 3465, to consolidate the several issues of debentures in Bylaws Nos. 3461, 3462, 3463 and 3464, referred to, and to provide for raising by debentures the city's share of the cost of the improvements in the said bylaws mentioned, which is to be raised by special rate. Passed Dec. 20, 1909.

2.—To authorize the Corporation of the City of London to assign and transfer the rights and powers vested in them to build and maintain a public slaughter-house or abattoir to such person, firm or corporation as shall enter into an agreement satisfactory in all respects to the Council of the said the Corporation of the City of London, under and subject to the terms and conditions of such agreement. And for other purposes.

Dated at London, this 6th day of January, A. D. 1910.

S. BAKER, City Clerk.
79n-J7,14,21,28,F4,11

# APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session by the Monarch Fire Insurance Company, Cash, Mutual and Stock, for an act ratifying a bylaw passed by the shareholders of the said company relative to and reducing the capital stock of said company. Dated Jan. 18, 1910. McKILLOP & MURPHY, solicitors for applicants. 82n

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## MONEY TO LOAN.

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## DENTAL CARDS.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Specialty, preservation natural teeth. 168½ Dundas street. Phone 976.

# CITY CLERK BAKER DENIES ACCUSATION

## Never Asked To Be Made the Secretary of the Board of Works.

## HAS HIS OWN OPINIONS

**Says All Such Work Should Be Done in the City Clerk's Office—A Row Is in Sight.**

City Clerk Baker takes exception to the statements made at the board of works last evening, that he is seeking the position of secretary of the board, from personal motives.

"I never asked for the position," said Mr. Baker this afternoon. "I maintained last year, and still maintain, that the committee work should be under the direction of this office. It was a mistake ever to allow the work to be done by other departments. I said that last year, and my position in that regard has not changed.

"However, it so happened that the council thought the assistant engineer should be secretary, and he was appointed, and has acted ever since.

**Made No Request.**

"This year I have made no request to be appointed secretary. Some days ago, some aldermen asked me if I would act if appointed, and I told them I would do what the council instructed me to do.

"As for demanding an increase in salary, I have made no mention whatever of that. No person can say that I have asked for more pay, and I do not relish the imputation of motives to me.

"The question is one for the council to deal with, and if I am instructed to act as secretary, I will do so. I have no desire to cause any trouble whatever, but I think that all work of that sort should be done in my office.

"However, as I said before, I made no request for the position, nor do I intend to do so."

**Question of Legality.**

There is some question as to the legality of the motion of Ald. Tancock, appointing Mr. Baker secretary of the committee, as passed last evening.

Ald. Tancock is chairman, and according to the rules, a chairman must vacate the chair, and place some person else there. Then he is at liberty to make his motion.

This Ald. Tanock did not do, and it is said the point will be urged against the correctness of the procedure.

There is every prospect that the debate will be somewhat acrimonious, as considerable feeling has been created over the incident.

# CONMEE HAS BILL FOR RAILWAYMEN

**Enables Them to Vote Wherever May Be on Polling Day.**

Ottawa, Jan. 20. — In the Commons today Mr. Conmee introduced a bill to amend the election act. The object is to provide that at future elections the railway employees will have the right to vote wherever they may happen to be on polling day. They will be armed with a certificate, which will enable them to register their vote in any polling subdivision. Mr. Conmee claims that under the present act hundreds of railway employees lose their franchise.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier told Mr. Sharpe (North Ontario) that the Government had not yet arrived at a decision in regard to a grant of land to Fenian raid veterans.

On the third reading of Hon. Mr. Graham's bill to provide for the acquirement by the Government of I. C. R. branch lines, a long speech was made by Hon. H. R. Emmerson, former minister of railways. While congratulating the Government upon having adopted the principles of the absorption of the branch lines, which he had advocated during the years he was minister of railways, Mr. Emmerson thought that the Government's proposals were hedged in by too many restrictions, and that the bill would, to all intents and purposes, be inoperative.

Hon. Geo. P. Graham said the Intercolonial belonged to all the people of Canada, and that the bill had been drawn up to meet the approval of the whole country. If the board of management did not know what would be in the interest of the railway nobody did. He admitetd that the restrictions were severe, but the people must be safeguarded.

After Mr. Pugsley and Mr. Borden had spoken the bill passed.

W. S. Loggie resumed the budget debate, and had not finished at the adjournment.

**More Funds Needed.**

In the preliminary discussions it was shown that the commission, being an advisory body, not an executive or administrative body, had not the spending power essential to any successful research. Hon. Clifford Sifton stated his belief that the Government should appropriate at least $50,000 for such work instead of the available $10,000 grant. He also had every hope that this amount would be forthcoming.

Members of the commission were also anxious to know the effect of their recommendations on the Federal Parliament. Until the actual organization and begun the unlimited responsibility which their positions carried with them had not been felt. It was only as expert after expert brought out fresh needs, fresh problems, and fresh abuses to be remedied that each member felt a growing sense of personal responsibility.

The chairman's reply was not calculated to lessen this personal appreciation. Mr. Sifton pointed out that the Government had created the commission for a complex, though definite end, and he could not but see that parliament would attach great weight to the thoughtful opinion of so many experts. Otherwise the commission might better never have existed. He also pointed out that its course was in its own hands, that it was a law unto itself. He estimated the value of the commission's action in the last analysis just in proportion to the extent to which each province had a part in making indorsation of these actions.

**Conservation of Water Power.**

The theoretical part of the commission's programme was brought to a close by the address of Mr. Charles R. Coutlie, C. E., of Ottawa, engineer in charge of the Georgian Bay Canal survey, who spoke on "The Conservation of Water and Hydro-electric Potentialities in the Ottawa River Basin; with a General View of Hydro-electric Plants in Western Canada." Mr. Coutlie's subject led him to a survey of the entire Dominion, whose water supply he valued under the four heads of domestic use, precipitation, navigation and water power.

"The Canadian system of navigation up the St. Lawrence is the greatest in existence today," he said in part, "not excepting the projected Panama Canal, or the Suez Canal. No other country can boast of ocean navigation 2,000 miles inland."

The locks from the Niagara Falls down were too short, a mistake attributed to the Canadian boards of trade of 1870, who believed the placing of boats on the great lakes longer than 200 feet to be impracticable. Mr. Coutlie also referred to the great navigable chain of waters from Edmonton, through Lake Winnipeg and down to the mouth of the Mississippi. A third mighty river was the Mackenzie, navigable for 1800 miles, and some day destined to be a great national highway.

# RETAILERS THREATENED THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

## Talked of Demanding His Recall Because of His Support of a Measure.

Hamilton, Jan. 21.—The Hamilton Retail Merchants Association met last night, and in the course of an address the Dominion secretary, E. M. Trowern said at one time the association thought seriously of demanding that Earl Grey be recalled. The reason given was that his excellency had been working for the passage of the co-operative bill, because he was a director in an English co-operative company. This had been pointed out to the governor-general who accordingly had ceased his activities.

## LABOR-STEEL FIGHT

**Toronto District Trades Council Contributes 10 Cents Per Head.**

Toronto, Jan. 20.—An assessment of 10 cents per member was sanctioned by the district trades council at their semi-annual meeting tonight towards the fight the American Federation of Labor is waging against the United States Steel Corporation.

The money was voted in response to an appeal signed by President Gompers and other officers of the federation.

The delegates at the meeting passed a resolution backing up the city in its desire to expropriate the Toronto Railway Company's plant, and another condemning the company's intention of placing pay-as-you-enter street cars in service without providing a rear vestibule for the conductors.

The movement to give the city police one day a week off duty also received the indorsation of the council.

# MONTREAL JOURNALIST DIES IN POLICE COURT

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Charles Boivin, a newspaperman employed by La Patrie, died suddenly at police headquarters today just after he had been arrested on a charge of theft. He was brought in on a charge of failing to hand over some $3,800, which he was alleged to have collected for an insurance company.

Boivin was greatly worked up over his arrest, and was in a state of collapse when he reached the station. He lapsed into unconsciousness and died before medical aid could arrive. For ten years Boivin was Quebec correspondent for La Patrie, and came here only a few months ago.

He was engaged in newspaper work all his life.

**East Lynne.**

East Lynne, the old standby, appeared at the Grand last night before a fair-sized audience, and pleased immensely all present. The play was very well put on.

**Viola Allen Tonight.**

The advance sale for Viola Allen's engagement at the Grand tonight, in "The White Sister," indicates a big engagement in London. Two hundred early door tickets for the gallery will be sold, starting at 7 o'clock. None of these will be reserved by telephone or sold before. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:15. No one will be seated during the acts.

**Minstrels Tomorrow.**

The engagement in this city of the Cohan & Harris Minstrels, at the Grand, tomorrow, matinee and night, promises to be one of the most important events of the local theatrical season. The company again presents as its star, George Evans, the "Honey Boy." Mr. Evans promises an entirely new repertoire of jokes and songs. There will be a street parade at noon. Seats now on sale.

**"The Red Moon."**

Melodious and rhythmic in a most pleasing degree, equipped with brilliant costumes, effective settings and an increased orchestra, Cole & Johnson's "Red Moon" comes to the Grand on Tuesday evening next. The members to the last one have as their creed fun and music, and that there is no stint in the score is shown by the number of songs—seventeen—without the opening and closing choruses.

**Douglas Stanbury.**

The concert given at the Auditorium last night by Master Douglas Stanbury and assisting artists was of an unusually high character, and well worthy of a better turnout, the disagreeable weather having evidently kept many away.

Master Stanbury has a wonderful voice, and has been splendidly trained, and sings even the more difficult songs delightfully. "The Dear Home Land," his opening number, was especially pleasing, and showed his voice to great advantage. His rendering of one of Harry Lauder's songs was also very good and greatly pleased the audience.

Miss Elizabeth Shea, of Toronto, has a very pleasing stage presence, and her numbers were greatly appreciated, perhaps the most attractive of her readings being Bayard Taylor's "The Song of the Camp,"

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LONDON, FRIDAY, JAN. 21.


## THE ENGLISH COUNTY ELECTIONS.

The threats and cajolings of the nobleman and the squire have been effective in many parts of rural England.

The British land system is a relic of feudalism—as much an anachronism as seignorial tenure would be if it had been retained in Canada to this day. Some of the power of the feudal baron is inherited by the great British landowner. He is often a benevolent despot, but is intolerantly jealous of his privileges. He knows that the prestige of his order depends upon the maintenance of the great estates. His politics revolve mainly around one idea—the preservation of the land monopoly and of his own pomp and influence as a territorial magnate. He is not only a sovereign over his tenantry and his army of servants and dependents, but he has a social sway over his neighborhood, which has been always an incalculable asset to the party to which he belongs.

In a country where deference to rank is almost inbred in so many people, and is confirmed by customs and distinctions which are unknown in Canada, the "county families," as the landed gentry are called, would be a tremendous factor in an election like the present one, when they are with few exceptions members of one political party, and are fighting for their class and caste as never before. Many of them, notably the ducal landlords, have openly intimidated their retainers by threatening dismissal or reduction of wages if the Government is sustained, but blandishment is a more subtle and equally powerful weapon, which the upper classes alone can wield. A clever Australian journalist, writing to the Melbourne Age, thus describes the anger and perturbation of the peers in the present situation:

"'This Welsh attorney' proposed to tax and value landed property. Promptly the landlords ran collectively and individually amok. This 'poor but honest class,' to quote Lord Rosebery, led by the dukes, raised just such another howl of protest as has become familiar to Australian land reformers' ears. Backwood peers, whose politics have plainly got rusty since they left Oxford, with the vast learning of a pass degree, have rushed into the arena to remind a revolted England how well they treat their tenants; how lavishly they spend rents and royalties on moor and game preserve. To do this outbreak justice, one must note the passionate sincerity that has characterized the protesting landlords. They, the Olympians, suddenly found their world toppling around them."

The election prophets were not mistaken in looking to the counties as the stronghold of Conservative hopes. The proportion of Unionist gains in these is much greater than in the boroughs, but it is not possible to give the exact figures at this writing, owing to the unnecessary delay in the counting of votes, the ballot boxes in each riding being taken to one place before being opened for scrutiny, with the result that few of the returns are known until the following night. Of the 78 members elected Wednesday in the English, Welsh and Scotch counties, 34 were Liberals, 38 Unionists and 6 Laborites, a net gain of 17 for the Unionists. Yesterday's returns are incomplete at the hour this page of The Advertiser goes to press, but the count up to a late hour this afternoon will be found in the news columns. The mere fact that on Wednesday's voting the Ministerialists got an actual majority of the seats must be regarded as satisfactory from their standpoint, as few of the Scotch and Welsh ridings were included.

## THE YUKON'S RICHNESS.

Mr. Congdon, M. P. for the Yukon, is hopeful of the future of that territory, in spite of the fact that of late it has shown a decrease in revenue. In his opinion the beginning of permanent development there has not yet come, and he is convinced that the output from placer gold mining will increase year by year for many years to come.

A few days ago Mr. Congdon told the House of Commons that apart from the placer yield of the country there are the most wonderful deposits of quartz the world ever saw. It is impossible to turn in any direction without finding quartz leads, quartz ledges and stringers, which, were it not for the excessive cost of transportation, would be developed at once. There are scores and scores of mines which, were they situated at an accessible place, would today be developed and yielding fortunes. There are, however, mines at the threshold of the territory, at St. Michaels, which are being worked, though no enormous amount has been expended upon them, because in the development of a large mine half a million dollars is inconsiderable; but they will greatly add to the mineral wealth of the territory. At Whitehorse there is a crescent 25 miles in extent, where almost every hundred yards shows outcrop of copper of the highest grade. Indications of the best-paying quartz were recently struck on the dome at one place on the 50-foot level, and at another place on the 100-foot level. Last summer, one the Mackenzie River side, the prospectors returned with specimens of some of the richest quartz ever known.

The existence of these minerals in every quarter, Mr. Congdon contends, shows that the mining industry in the Yukon Territory is practically only in the same initial stage that it is in Ontario and British Columbia, and he predicts that within 25 years Canada will exceed any country in the world in its mineral production. Experience in the Yukon, Cobalt and Gowganda has taught that the best thing to promote settlement in a territory is mineral discovery, because the minerals will not only yield wealth themselves, but they will bring in population which will remain there to develop agriculture and other natural resources. For that reason alone Mr. Congdon believes the Government and the country should give the Yukon Territory every encouragement.

## THE CARE OF CATTLE.

It is likely that the Ontario commission which has been investigating the dairying industry of the country will present a report at the approaching session of the Legislature. The commission has spent considerable time traveling through the Dominion and the United States, and has gathered valuable data, which will be embodied in the report.

One of the commissioners, Mr. J. R. Dargavel, M. P. P., of Leeds, himself a dairyman of experience, in a recent address before the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association at Belleville, sounded a note of warning in reference to the spread of tuberculosis among the dairy cattle of the country. Investigation has convinced him that this dread disease exists to a much greater extent than is known to the ordinary dairymen of the Province. For many years it has been the custom to house herds in warm stables, many of them poorly lighted and ill-ventilated. Tuberculosis is essentially a house disease, for either man or beast, so that the housing of cattle in insanitary buildings is especially favorable for the propagation of this terrible scourge.

Time was when cattle in Ontario spent most of the time, both in winter and summer, in the open air. But as experiments proved that more milk is obtained in winter by housing the cattle, the common practice now is to keep them in stables that are as a rule very poorly ventilated. The result has been an increase of tuberculosis, whereas if the animals were given plenty of fresh air they would have the best known protection against the disease. This is still recognized by many cattle raisers, who in winter turn their animals into the open fields in the daytime and provide well-ventilated sheds for them to run into at night. As a rule, however, dairymen pay little or not attention to this important matter, their main object apparently being to get as much milk from their cows as possible.

It is natural to expect that the commission's report will emphasize the warning given the eastern dairymen by Mr. Dargavel, in which case it will be the duty of the Government and Legislature in the public interest to adopt regulations compelling more sanitary methods in the care of cattle.

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The Unionists are sweeping the country—in the headlines of sympathetic Canadian journals.

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The impulse which swept away the corn laws came from Lancashire. The workshop of the world is true to its traditions in this election.

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Mr. Bourassa is gunning for Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the naval question. In Quebec a gun of that kind does a good deal of damage—in the recoil.

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The Irish fondness for a fight is not visible in the election returns. Most of the Irish members are being returned without this luxury.

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The popular vote is strongly with the Ministerialists in the contested elections in Great Britain. With a majority of the seats and a majority of the votes, they should be able to sit up and take a little nourishment.

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier is again between two fires—a familiar role. The Nationalists of Quebec say his naval policy goes too far, and the Ontario jingoes say it doesn't go far enough. As usual, the moderate and level-headed people of both provinces prefer Laurier's golden mean

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The Associated Press is more to be congratulated upon the accuracy than upon the impartiality of its dispatches. It is the business of a press agency to report the facts, and not its own opinions. Its Unionist bias is shown in its references to the Liberal policy as "new-fangled Socialism," and to a "tariff reform sweep," when there is nothing approaching a sweep. Fortunately, The Advertiser, like other enterprising Canadian journals, is not dependent upon American sources of information.

## CANADA AND THE WINTER CARNIVAL.

[Chicago Tribune.]

When the old geographies endeavored to fascinate the youthful mind with a picture before instructing it with a map, the illustration which drew juvenile attention toward Canada was that of a toboggan slide hilarious with red-capped and red-cheeked Canadians. When the magazines wished to present a complete picture of Canadian life they used an illustration of the Montreal ice palace. When poets wished to refer to the Dominion they found "Our Lady of the Snows" a title at once adequate and ornamental.

It cost the Canadian Government and the Canadian railroads thousands and thousands of dollars to separate the popular mind from the popular conception that Canada was all snow, ice, icicles, furs, flannels, polar bears and white foxes. Costly as it was, the officials succeeded and wheat and farm lands have taken the place of snow and ice palaces in the popular understanding of what the Dominion represents.

Montreal now is building an ice palace and advertising a winter carnival, but not with the consent of the immigration officials or of the railroads. The latter have refused to make rates or give publicity to the winter sports.

## WONDERFUL MAN.

[Current Literature.]

He (declaiming)—Roll on, thou dark blue ocean, roll.

Week-old Bride—Oh! Edward, it's doing it.

## TAKING NO CHANCES.

[New York Press.]

Cornelius V. Collins, the brilliant criminologist and superintendent of New York's state prisons, narrated at a dinner in Troy some reminiscences of his interesting work.

"A clever criminal of gluttonous proclivities," he said, "once couched a complaint in rather neat terms. My inspector, entering this man's cell one day, found it very hot and stuffy.

"'Why have you got your ventilator closed?' he asked.

"The burly and gluttonous prisoner answered plaintively:

"'Well, inspector, yer honor, the last time I had the ventilator open a wasp flew in, you see, and carried off my dinner while my back was turned.'"

## LORDS OF MANY TITLES.

[Westminster Gazette.]

Most members of the Upper House possess more than one title, and not a few have a large number. The Duke of Abercorn is holder of four Scotch, four Irish and two British peerages. The Marquis of Lansdowne has one Scotch, five Irish and two British titles. Other peers who are well equipped in this respect are the Duke of Norfolk (seven), the Marquis of Breadalbane (eight), the Duke of Portland (five), the Duke of Devonshire (five), and the Duke of Northumberland (six).

## NO NEED TO CALL HIM.

[Exchange.]

Tramp—Good mornin', mum! Nice dog you have, mum! What d'ye call him?

Lady of the House—There's no need to mention his name. He'll go to you without calling as soon as I loose this chain.

## BABSON'S BURGLAR.

[Boston Herald.]

"Naturally, when Babson awakened and heard burglars downstairs, he woke his wife and told her to go down and put the cat out?"

"On the contrary, he pursued very heroic methods. He bravely seized his pistol, raised the street window, and discharged the weapon, then locked his bedroom door and waited for the police."

## "TACT."

[Lippincott's Magazine.]

Mrs. Payne—Mrs. Banks certainly possesses tact.

Mrs. Hyne—What is your definition of tact?

Mrs. Payne—Tact is a woman's ability to make her husband believe he is having his own way.

## CANADA COMING FAST.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Mrs. Humphry Ward's latest serial deals, by way of early setting, at least, with the growth and possibilities of the newer Canada in the Northwest. That gifted student of many lands and the inhabitants thereof is clearly much impressed by the imperial and the more strictly Canadian aspects of her subject. She foresees great things for the Dominion, vast gains near and well assured.

In this vision of Canadian greatness Mrs. Ward is on safe ground. The event will justify her faith. Nature has set the stage and man is playing the drama with enterprise and intelligence.

It is no ordinary country which can draw 60,000 or 70,000 American settlers across its frontier every year. It is no commonplace premise of progress which finds expression in annual gain of at least 2 per cent in population and a much higher rate of expansion in other phases of growth.

Within the last year the number of postoffices in Canada has increased 5 per cent, and the revenues of the Dominion's postal service have increased 4 per cent. Like gains are recorded in many forms of trade and industry.

That part of the British realm is going to make a demonstration of greatness which will make Americans and the world take notice.

## BROKE HIS AGREEMENT.

[Philadelphia Record.]

Nell—There isn't anything more brittle than a man's promise.

Belle—That's right. When Maude married that old Mr. Gotrox he said he would die for her. That was three months ago, and he's alive yet.

## SQUELCHED.

[London Tit-Bits.]

A rather loudly-dressed "gentleman" stepped into a big necktie shop the other day and in an imperious tone uttered the one word "Neckties!" Then he threw back his head, as if the assistants were entirely beneath his notice.

This snobbish air aggravated the assistant, but he quietly displayed a number of the latest patterns. "These," he said, very politely, "are the very newest styles, and are excellent quality at a shilling."

"A shilling!" haughtily snapped the customer. "Do I look like a man who would wear a shilling tie? Is there anything about me to indicate that"

"Beg pardon, sir," meekly interposed the assistant. "The sixpenny counter is at the other end of the shop."

## WHY CHAMBERLAIN LEFT GLADSTONE.

[London News.]

Mr. Chamberlain was one of the principal parties to the "Treaty of Kilmainham," entered into with Parnell in 1882, one of his reasons being that it would bring about the resignation of Mr. W. G. Forster, whose place as chief secretary for Ireland he intimated his willingness, if not desire, to fill! In 1885 Mr. Chamberlain had a scheme of national councils for Ireland, and was anxious that the opinion of the electors should be taken on it at the general election of 1885. He was anxious to go to Ireland himself to advocate his scheme—which was really a mild measure of self-government—but Parnell was opposed to his going, the reason being that Conservative home rule was then in the air. If Parnell had not so acted Mr. Chamberlain might never have deserted Gladstone in 1886, and history might have been differently written.


CHAPMAN'S CHAPMAN'S

# Saturday Specials in 10-Day Clearance

**Clearance lots of merchandise well worth coming for Saturday. Almost every section in the store will hold something of interest. Note the different January sales that will be continued.**

## Half-Price China Sale

China lovers are reveling in the annual Half-price China sale. Early yesterday morning it started, and the fond admirers of China were early and kept coming all day.

25c Articles for....12½¢
50c Articles for.....25¢
75c Articles for.....38¢
$1.00 Articles for.....50¢
$1.50 Articles for.....75¢
$2.00 Articles for...$1.00
$2.50 Articles for...$1.25
$3.00 Articles for...$1.50
$3.50 Articles for...$1.75
$4.00 Articles for...$2.00

Fresh pieces of China added for today. If you didn't get down, come tomorrow; if you were here, come again.

A WORD ABOUT

## Embroideries

When counters have to be replenished two or three times a day, it isn't necessary to say any more.

More of the manufacturers' ends of Embroidery Edgings and Insertions, which are greatly underpriced, selling at a yard.....5¢, 7¢, 10¢, 15¢

Also plenty of lovely Edgings and Insertions at yard.....15¢, 25¢, 35¢

Flouncings, Skirtings, Net Waistings in the newest patterns, all greatly underpriced.

## Dress Goods 48c Yard

There's a long counter full of those splendid Suitings and Coatings at 48c a yard for Saturday. New lines were added to make the line most attractive. 75c to $1.50 values.

## Sharp Savings in Ladies' Coats $7.50

Broken sizes among them, so we have tagged them at a fraction of the former prices:

VALUES FROM $12.50 TO $18.00.

All this season's styles. Coats of brown, navy, green and taupe broadcloth, plain kersey and fancy tweed effects, semi-fitting style; body and sleeves lined, are made with new touches, military and roll collars. At **$7.50**, originally $12.50 to $18.00. About 40 Coats in all.

## Girls' Coats

Chapman's are selling Girls' Hudson Bay Coats for $3.85. Isn't that cheap? And the Coats are made of heavy wool blanket cloth, lined through, with a belt attached and silk-lined hood. Colors are blue and red. In sizes 6 to 12 years. Original prices $5.00 to $7.50, now at ..... $3.85

## Ladies' Skirts

A table of ladies' black Vienna Cloth Skirts, well-made, serviceable skirts. Worth up to $4.00, Saturday....$1.98

Children's Flannelette Dresses, sizes 6 to 10 years. Saturday.....59¢

Clearance of Ladies' Waists....98¢

## Flannelette For Saturday

Twelve pieces yard-wide Flannelette, in light colors. Worth 10c a yard. Special for Saturday only, 12 yards for $1

## Remnants of Wrapperette

In the staple section for Saturday there will be remnants of Wrapperette and Print, suitable for quilt linings, wrappers and house garments. Lengths from 5 to 8 yards. Worth up to $1.00 each, on sale at per end ..... 59¢

One piece White Beardcloth, 50 inches wide. $1.50 quality reduced to, yd. 98¢

Ten-day clearance of Blankets gives $6.00 Blankets for **$4.78**, and $5.00 Blankets for **$3.98** a pair. These are the celebrated Scotch Blankets of the finest wool.

## Men's Wear

26 only Blue Serge Working Shirts, extra heavy and extra large sizes. Regular $1.25, special for Saturday's selling, each ..... 75¢

Men's Heavy Grey Working Socks, Saturday, 3 pairs.....50¢

Men's Linen Collars. Clearing up our stock of soiled Collars at 2 for....15¢

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# $20,000 STOCK OF HIGH-CLASS FURS

**We Are Retiring From the Retail Business**

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## PAULHAN CHAMPION OF AVIATION MEET

### Carried Off Endurance Tests and Won $15,000 in Prizes.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 20.—As dusk gathered over the old Dominguez Ranch tonight the first international aviation meet held there was finished.

Paulhan went up at 3:25 o'clock this afternoon for an endurance flight. After he had done two or three laps Curtiss started a ten-lap speed trial, half a lap, or more than three-quarters of a mile, behind Paulhan.

The two aeroplanes came over the grandstand with the speed of express trains. Curtiss gained swiftly on Paulhan and on the third lap he reached Paulhan, flying above him. The Frenchman for a few seconds held even. Then Curtiss in his machine forged ahead a length and finally half a lap. It was no race after that.

Paulhan went 64.4 miles and had been in the air nearly an hour and a half. Curtiss came down after a 30-mile trip.

The Curtiss machines won all the prizes for speed, quick starts, perfect landings and those events where a light machine showed best.

Paulhan won all the cross-country, passenger carrying and endurance tests, having a heavier, slower machine and an engine which he trusts absolutely. Paulhan took more than $15,000 in prizes and broke the world's records for altitude and cross-country flights, alone and with a passenger.

Curtiss broke no world's records and won less than $5,000 in prizes.

## STRATFORD CHIMES MUST STOP CHIMING

### Citizen Who Claims Shattered Nerves Gets Injunction From Court.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Mr. Justice Clute today made an order granting a temporary injunction until Wednesday next, restraining the wardens of St. James' Episcopal Church, Stratford, from ringing the chimes installed last summer, and set ringing by a clock put in a month ago.

The injunction was granted on application made on behalf of Miss Catherine Jessie Fraser, living opposite the church, who, according to her affidavit and that of her physician, Dr. Donald B. Fraser, has lost her good health and been reduced to a state of nervous collapse through sleeplessness caused by the chimes, which ring every fifteen minutes.

The writ is issued against J. E. Bradshaw and R. H. Pearson, the wardens, and Rev. W. T. Cluff, the incumbent of the church.

## DEATH FOLLOWS FALL OF FORTY FEET

Windsor, Jan. 21.—William McMillen, 35 years old, the tinsmith who fell from the roof the British-American Brewery to the frozen ground, 40 feet below, yesterday, died at Hotel Dieu last night. His left arm was fractured and his back broken by the fall.

## MYSTERIOUSLY DEAD ON STRATFORD STREET

### William Irvine's Lifeless Body Found on Doorstep of an East Gore Street House.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stratford, Jan. 20.—Some mystery surrounds the death of William Irvine, who was found dead at the door of a house on East Gore street today. Irvine, who was a man of about 30, and who represented a nursery stock company, had come from Mitchell this morning on business. He left his hotel about 8:30 o'clock, and between that time and the finding of his dead body his movements remain a mystery. Coroner Devlin will hold an inquest on Friday evening. It is thought he died of heart failure.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### A Word for the Western.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I am delighted to notice, through the columns of your paper, that the people of London are awakening to a realization of the fact that they have an institution within their borders, which, if given the financial and friendly support it justly merits, will, in the near future, rank with the best institutions of learning in the country. I have watched with no little interest the growth of the Western University, to her present position. She has fought bravely and fairly for her prestige. She has set high standards of academic excellence; her alumni are "making good" in the spheres they occupy. Now get behind her financially, and place her where she may stretch her lusty limbs, and reach out boldly and grasp her opportunities. London—dear old London—the spot sacred to many of her sons, must not be satisfied with financial success alone. Let her set up her Parthenon on her Acropolis, and thus attract the learned and cultured in the arts, as well as the successful in craftsmanship and finance. I feel confident she will not neglect her "duty in the highest."

With heartiest best wishes for your most abundant success, believe me very sincerely.

FREDERICK ABBOTT.

State Normal School, Warrensburg, Mo., Jan. 17, 1910.

## WANTS HARBOR BOARD FOR QUEEN CITY

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Mr. W. J. Gage was this afternoon elected president of the board of trade. In his speech, after thanking the board for the great honor it had done him, Mr. Gage suggested that Toronto follow the example of sister city, Montreal, and get power either from the Legislature or Ottawa to put the city's whole water front problem in the hands of a commission, which could go ahead and carry out a policy, which would cover not only ten or twenty years, but 100 years.

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The Khedive is a splendid linguist. At his receptions in Cairo it is nothing for him to converse alternately in German, French, English, Arabic and Turkish.

# The Finest Flavoured Tea

"SALADA" is hill-grown tea—grown on plantations high up on the hills in the Island of Ceylon. The leaf is small and tender with a rich, full flavour.

# "SALADA"

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—is always of unvarying good quality. Will you be content with common tea when you can get "SALADA"?


## MADAME'S WARD

BY PAULINE BEVERLY.

CHAPTER XL.

Sitting in one of the faded armchairs in Yorke's den at Redpots, I was making a fool of myself. My friend and I had just met, and somehow I had broken down, to my own great disgust and astonishment, and was blubbering like an idiot. As for Roger, he stared at me for a minute, laughed, coughed, and finally choked on his own account, then walked away to the window, standing there with his back to me until such time as I could laugh myself, which was just as quickly as I could manage it without fear of a relapse. Then he wheeled round and came back to the fire again.

"Feel better?" he asked, and laughed; but I saw that his own eyes were nothing to boast of in the way of dryness.

"Rather! I'm an awful fool, old man," I added, apologetically "but upon my honor I couldn't help it!"

"All right, my boy!"

"You see," I went on, "the whole thing has been so sudden, and the difference between today and a couple of days ago is so tremendous that upon my word it quite knocked me over! I tell you that even now when I see you it is as much as I can do to realize the whole thing hasn't been an ugly sort of dream."

"Ah!"—and for a moment a heavy look crossed his face, which bore traces plain enough to be seen of those few days' mental agony that he had suffered. "I found it a very ugly reality, Ned, my boy. There—it is over; let it alone for the present, at any rate. It was rough enough while it lasted; but, if it did nothing else, it showed me that there were some people who required a little more than what they call 'conclusive proof' to believe me a villain. There"—and he frowned again—"I did not mean to let that word slip. It is harder than I meant to be upon the poor fellow who is gone."

"I don't know about that, Roger," I said, kindling rather at the unexpected compassion that expressed itself in the softened tone of his voice—"by Jove! I don't. I'm awfully sorry for the fellow, of course; but I can't forget that he let you suffer, and never moved a finger until he knew that it was all over with him. I don't know, after all, what you can call him if not a villain!"

"I know," he answered, looking around at me, "how I myself felt toward Froude; and I don't know, had my blood been the lava that his was, what I might not have done. The same, perhaps—I wouldn't answer for it. It's no credit to me and you, Ned, my boy, that our heads are cooler and our self-control is stronger—an accident of birth and temperament, that's all. And I don't find it hard to forgive a man whose worst crime, after all, was that he loved a woman madly and passionately."

I did not reply, perhaps not agreeing exactly, and we were silent for awhile, Yorke looking thoughtfully into the fire, and I watching him, wondering how I should begin to tell him what I wanted to say, and what I guessed that he expected me to say. Of much that had turned Chavasse topsy-turvy during the past few days—which had had incidents for as many weeks crowded into them — I knew he was cognizant already—mademoiselle and mademoiselle's theft, flight and confession, for one thing. That the secret which he had kept for her was now known to us all he, of course, was aware of, too; but there was still something which I had to tell him—something which had that morning been told me, and to my very great astonishment.

I knew now who had been the second witness of the meeting between Roger and the governess in the Lady's Walk, who had managed to insinuate a poisonous tale into the passionate, reckless head of poor little Nat, on the morning of that unlucky ball; and I must say that, if I had been offered the whole population of Whittlesford to guess from, I should never have hit upon the right person. It was not Fraser Froude, as Yorke had suspected, but Phil Flood, the blacksmith.

Yes, it was he, of all people in the world, whom my friend had to thank for the "going agley" of his love affairs. How it had first come about I cannot pretend to say, but it is certain that for some reason Phil Flood had taken it into his obstinate, stupid head to turn insanely jealous of Roger Yorke. Whether Miss Lotty, with her teasing, childish, flirting ways, was to blame for it I do not know, but somehow the young blacksmith had got it into his head that Yorke was secretly making love to his sweetheart, and was trying to take her from him.

If any one was to blame in the matter when it commenced, no doubt it was Miss Lotty herself. She was a vain little thing, and loved to tease her sulky suitor, as all Whittlesford knew.

It seemed that she had used a real or feigned admiration of Yorke's handsome face to drive Flood nearly wild, and a jealousy that was little short of sheer insanity seized him. Believing that Yorke took advantage of his attendance upon her father to make love to the girl, the young fool had absolutely made it his business to dog him at all times and seasons, rarely indeed letting him out of his sight when he was in the neighborhood of Wilde's cottage. This was the origin of the freak of lurking about Redpots and lounging about the patch of common.

On the night when mademoiselle made her first appearance at Chavasse Flood was hanging about as usual when Roger came out to keep the appointment of which I have had to say so much already. Partly because in his jaundiced eyes everything that Yorke either did or left undone was suspicious, partly from sheer idle curiosity, he followed him, saw him enter the park, and partly overheard as well as saw the interview in the Lady's Walk. Presumably he made nothing of it, and he did not appear to have mentioned or thought of it again until after Nat's accident, when she had been carried senseless into Wilde's cottage by Yorke.

Now whether, as I said before, that little simpleton of a Lotty was really in love with Yorke, or whether she had been vain enough to suppose that some few complimentary jesting speeches which I dare say he had made her meant that he was in love with her, it certainly seemed that the little thing had taken it into her head to be jealous on her own score—jealous, of course, of the very obvious state of affairs between Roger and Natalie. And she had not only done that, but had absolutely poured out a string of incoherent complaints and accusations to Flood. What that thick-headed mortal imagined to be really the matter I, of course, cannot say; but he was evidently full of his injuries and fuddled with beer on the day when he had presented himself to Madame at the Mount and puzzled her by his complaint that he had been wronged by Dr. Yorke.

But Flood must have been more fuddled still on the morning of the ball, when, seeing Natalie standing waiting for me by the gate in the park palings, he had absolutely had the impudence to retail to her Miss Lotty's accusations and complaints — with some nice little additions of his own, no doubt—and had wound up by telling her a fine rigmarole of the business in the Lady's Walk, which he had lain hidden to overhear. Nat, angry, perplexed, passionate and suspicious, had listened at first indignantly incredulous, and then doubtful, afterward attacking me, when I appeared, in the fashion which I have already described. Of course, I had, like the fool I was, blurted out the truth about the story so far as it concerned mademoiselle; and Nat, taking goodness knows what wild notions into her jealous little head, had swallowed the whole thing as something quite too dreadful to mention, had jumped to the conclusion that she had been most abominably deceived, had torn up Roger's letter, cut him at the ball, accepted Fraser Froude, and, in fact, conducted herself like the jealous, unreasonable, passionate, headstrong little mortal she was when she liked.

(To Be Continued.)

## OTTAWA VALLEY TO BE POWER HEART OF WORLD

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 20. — That Ottawa is destined to be more than the capital of Canada is indicated by the declaration made by the conservation commission this morning. Charles Coutlee, one of the engineers of the Georgian Bay Canal survey, stated that the power project now being undertaken on the Ottawa Rives is destined to make the Ottawa Valley the power heart of the world.


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## STORMS IN EUROPE

### The East of France and Switzerland Are Suffering.

Paris, Jan. 19. — Storms of exceptional violence have been raging for the past 48 hours, the centre being in the east of France. Rivers have overflowed their banks in many places. Belfort is completely under water, and Moselle is partly flooded.

Geneva, Jan. 19. — The scores of American visitors at the fashionable Alpine resorts are imprisoned indefinitely on account of the heavy continuous rains. Such a condition has never been known before in Switzerland. In the upper regions the snowfall measured from three to ten feet, and large sections on the mountain railroads have been washed out or buried under the snow. Miles of wires are down, and it will take weeks to repair the damage. The wind blew at times at the rate of 110 miles an hour. A dozen towns and a score of villages are suffering from the floods, torrents running through the streets.

No deaths are reported thus far.

## PALLADINO TRICKY

### Harvard Professor Says That Noted Medium Is a Fraud.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 20.—Professor Hugo Munsterberg, the eminent Harvard psychologist, declares that Madame Palladino, who has been giving lifting exhibitions before select audiences in Boston and New York is a fraud.

To a reporter, describing his experience, the Harvard scientist said: "This woman is a deception. I made a private examination of Madame Palladino, and I caught her in a number of tricks which were simply the usual spiritualist manifestations to which they are so well accustomed. The madame is suffering from hysteria of the worst kind.

"The reason that previous investigators were deceived by her is that they were all persons of great suggestiveness and were acted upon by Madame Palladino's suggestion.

"The woman possesses great suggestive powers for certain people. The breezes which those observers saw coming from her forehead were merely the result of their great suggestive power. Her principal trick, that of table lifting, known to scientists as levitation, was done with her own hands."

Professor Munsterberg is the first who ever claimed to have actually detected Mme. Palladino.

## WIGLE SUES TOWNSHIP.

Kingsville, Jan. 20.—Darius Wigle has started a $6,000 suit against the township of Gosfield South for losses he claims to have suffered through the flooding of his land. He declares the flooding took place because a creek near his place was blocked.

## TOO MUCH OVERLOADING

### One Cause of the Many Accidents to Lake Freight Craft.

Detroit, Jan. 20.—In the president's annual address at the opening of the annual convention of the Lake Carriers' Association here today, William Livingstone, of Detroit, declared that friction between the vessel owners and their employees had been greatly reduced since the adoption of the carriers' open shop policy. Nearly 9,500 employees had taken advantage of the association's "welfare plan," said President Livingstone.

Last season's business on the lakes was characterized as very satisfactory, especially for owners of the smaller vessels, but Mr. Livingstone predicted a banner season for 1910.

That overloading vessels is the cause of the largest percentage of accidents on the great lakes was brought out by the speakers at today's meeting of the Great Lakes Protective Association. To relieve owners of strongly-constructed ships from paying premiums on losses to lower grade ships, a classification committee similar to that of the Lloyds was recommended.

Speaking of the cause of lake disasters, A. W. Wright said: "Many vessels on the lakes are going far beyond the safety limit owing to their hatch construction. At the bottom of the trouble is the anxiety of the owner to get the maximum load, and the greatest number of trips, and the captain, who is trying to beat his competitors and make the best time. As it is, we have all got to contribute for the other man's nerve."

## ATROCIOUS MURDER IN CHICAGO RESORT

### Woman From St. Louis Found Dead With Head Cut Off.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—An atrocious murder was unearthed today, when the decapitated and mutilated body of Anna Furlong, who was also known as Jennie Cleghorn, 24 years of age, was found in a resort in West Seventeenth street.

The woman came here from St. Louis seven months ago. She was living apart from her husband and had been an inmate of the resort for several weeks.

The head evidently was carried away by the murderer in an attempt to conceal the identity of the victim. The body was mutilated in a most revolting manner. A knife, seven inches long, with a wooden handle, was found concealed beneath the mattress, and throughout the room there were gruesome bits of evidence of the crime strewn about.

Six persons are in custody, and several more arrests will soon be made. Those under arrest are: Tillie Taylor, colored, proprietress of the resort; Tillie Dale and Lottie Wilson, said to be inmates; William Anderson, a negro hanger-on; Thomas Gildea, a porter in the resort, and John Edwards, a half-breed Indian.

The Dale woman admitted that she and the murdered woman had quarrelled yesterday and that she had struck the Furlong woman.


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## CAMERON RESIGNS.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Mr. Dakers Cameron, secretary of the Montreal branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association for the past five years, resigned the office today to accept a position with a local business firm.

# MISSION SOCIETY IS DOING GRAND WORK

## Reports Read Showing That Success Is Crowning the Efforts of Ladies.

## WEST IS CRYING FOR HELP

### And a Determined Effort Will Be Made to Carry the Gospel Into All Districts.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbytery of London commenced yesterday afternoon with a large attendance of members from all over the district. The delegates were warmly welcomed by Mrs. McCrae, president of the W. F. M. S., and by Mrs. Inkster.

**Reports Read.**

In the absence of Mrs. MacQueen, the corresponding secretary's report was read by Miss L. M. Fraser.

The report of mission bands for 1909 was also presented by Miss L. M. Fraser, who stated that the year had been a most prosperous one. She commended the work done by the Busy Bees of Ivan, the Cheerful Givers, of Hamilton road, and the Chelsea Green Band.

The new Sunshine Band in Port Stanley organized in February, did splendid work under the guidance of Mrs. (Rev.) J. F. Scott, and beside contributing to the bale added to the general fund more than $20.

The "Day Star" Band of Kintore, has been reorganized, and "The Sunbeam" band of Ailsa Craig, presented a former member, Miss Annie McKay, with a certificate of life membership.

This year the "Excelsior" Band of Knox Church carried off the banner, their contribution to the general fund being $144 47.

The contribution to the general fund from all the bands amounted to $667 67, an increase of $230 30 over last year. The membership is 612, with an average attendance of 331.

The mission band contribution to Northwest bales was worth $408 76, and the secretary of supplies, Mrs. McEachren, wrote "Excellent" on every invoice.

An effort will be made to have a foreign mission band in every congregation of the Presbytery of London.

The report was found to be most satisfactory, and was unanimously adopted.

The treasurer's report presented by Mrs. Donaghy, showed that during the year $3,277 92 was collected, which was $400 more than last year. This report was also adopted.

**Address on Mission Work.**

Mrs. McGillivary, of Toronto, gave an address on mission work that was of great interest.

"The responsibilities we have undertaken are immense," she said. "Every year makes it greater. The year has been one of splendid growth. Some of the signs of the times which show the need of expansion are the great development in foreign countries, and at home. The whole condition of things has changed in the last twenty years. India, our oldest and most difficult field, is a problem, because, as a British nation, we have made the mistake of trying to give them civilization before giving them Christianity. India's women are the stronghold of heathenism. When they are won, the men soon will be."

Mrs. McGillivary spoke particularly of the work of Marion Thorburn and the college named after her. The Presbyterians, she said, are doing great work in India.

"The great caste system in India," she said, "is being broken."

In China there are great changes. Student bodies were never more plentiful. An effort is being made there to bring about a national day of rest. China is beginning to take a stand in regard to the opium and liquor traffic.

"In Honan alone," said Mrs. McGillivary, "the W. F. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church have 4,000,000 women and children to look after.

"In Japan fourteen members of the Legislature are Christians, and full permission is given to teach Christian doctrines in the schools.

"In the home field splendid work is being done among the Indians.

"I cannot understand," she said, "how any Christian woman can fail to appreciate what Christianity has done for women and pass it along for other women."

"The question from the west is, 'Can you not do something to bring us closer together?'"

In order to do this it is likely independent boards will be established for different parts. The general executive board will be composed of representatives from the different provinces.

**Address to Children.**

During the afternoon a solo was rendered by Mrs. Stewart, and was greatly enjoyed.

At a special hour for the mission band, from 7 to 8 in the evening, Miss Campbell, of India, addressed the children and gave them a most interesting account of the work that is being done there.

At 8 o'clock there was a public meeting in the church which was largely attended.

A report of the work of the auxiliaries prepared by Miss L. M. Fraser, was read by Dr. Ross, and was most satisfactory.

Miss Fraser pointed out that there were in the Presbyterial Society 42 auxiliaries, with a total membership of 915.

There are now nine life members, including that presented to the president, Mrs. McCrae. The average attendance at monthly meetings was 488, and there are 105 members of the general society, and 82 scattered helpers, who contributed $56 to the general fund. The value of the clothing sent to the pupils of Alberna School in British Columbia was $1,324 13.

**The Silver Anniversary.**

The silver anniversary of last year has given the work a great impetus, insomuch that 1909 was the banner year. The offerings of auxiliaries and mission bands combined have reached more than the $3,000 aimed at, and totalled $3,277 92, of which $2,596 87 was from the general fund from auxiliaries, and $667 67 from mission bands. This is an increase of $406 19 over last year.

**Ladies Complimented.**

Dr. Ross, in speaking of the report, complimented the ladies warmly upon the great work they are doing. He also made a brief report of the meeting of the committee of the general assembly which he attended this week.

An address was given by Rev. Dr. McCrae, who also complimented the W. F. M. S., on the splendid work they are doing both at home and abroad.

Miss Campbell followed with an interesting address on the work that is being done among the children of Central India.

During the evening Mrs. Dochstader sang very beautifully, "Abide With Me."

**The Officers.**

The officers of the society are: Hon. president, Mrs. Murray, London; president, Mrs. McCrae, Wilton Grove; vice-presidents, Mrs. Weir, Glencoe; Mrs. Watson, Thamesford; Mrs. Currie, Belmont; Mrs. Malcolm, Dutton; treasurer, Mrs. Donaghy, London, 538 Colborne street; recording secretary, Miss McAdam, St. Thomas; acting secretary, Mrs. MacQueen, London; mission band secretary, Miss L. M. Fraser, London; secretary of supplies, Mrs. McEachren, London; tidings secretary, Miss Gibson, London.

Nominating committee: Mrs. Marshall, London; Mrs. Raymond, London; Miss McColl, South London; Mrs. Taylor, London.

Committee on resolutions: Mrs. (Dr.) Munro, Birr; Mrs. Scott, Port Stanley; Mrs. Rollins, London.

# CAN OPERATE TRACKS WITHOUT BOOKMAKING

## Evidence of Expert Says That Gambling Is Not Absolutely Necessary.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Spurgeon Gammon, of New Glasgow, at this morning's sitting of the anti-gambling committee, gave evidence as a horseman of eighteen years' experience as to the raising of thoroughbreds. He said there was a great market for "standard-bred" horses in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Raney—I've heard racing described as a sport and a pastime. Is that a good description of racing in Nova Scotia?

"Well, yes."

"You mean it is not conducted just for the betting?"

The witness told of one man, Andy Welsh, who controls several tracks in the Eastern States, and yet who does not, he said, depend on bookmaking.

"In fact, he does not allow bookmaking and he is still in business?" said Mr. Gammon.

"Are we to accept hearsay evidence?" asked Mr. Meredith, hotly.

"Well, we've been hearing rafts of it already," retorted Mr. Raney.

"But this man is telling us about things in the States, where the witness has not been. As a matter of fact, Andy Welsh is the greatest bookmaker in the business."

"I think," replied Mr. Raney, "that my learned friend is confusing the tenses. He should say that Welsh 'was a big bookmaker; not 'is.'"

"You're wrong," snapped Mr. Meredith.

"Well," continued Mr. Raney to the witness, "does Andy Welsh, so far as you know, conduct a circuit of race meets without support from betting?"

"Yes."

Abe Orpen, owner of the Dufferin race track in Toronto, said there were probably four handbook men in Toronto with probably 20 or 30 semi-professional handbook men doing a trifling business, such as grocers or tobacconists. He did not know of one case of a handbook man going to a factory to do business. He saw no wrong in betting or pool selling, but he would not say the same of the business of giving "tips." It was not honest. He meant, he said, tipsters at racetracks. When he was a bookmaker at the Woodbine the fee was $100 per day. A bookmaker has few assistants.

In answer to Mr. Stratton, he said that the least harm of any would come from betting if confined to the race tracks. He said there were no professional bookmakers in Canada. About 25 or 30 per cent of the horses at the Woodbine and Hamilton would be Canadian-owned, about 20 per cent would be Canadian-bred.

Orpen said he did not consider there was anything shady about the metropolitan track. He also said a track could not be operated without betting. He was in favor of fifteen-day meets.

# VETERAN ENGINEER DEAD

### Driver Clappe, for 37 Years With the Michigan Central, Is Dead.

St. Thomas, Jan. 20.—A veteran locomotive engineer died here today in the person of L. H. Clappe, who for 37 years had been in the employ of the Michigan Central running one of the first trains through here on the old Canada Southern.

**BONSPIEL PRIMARIES.**

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 20.—Grand Rapids curlers will represent the western district in the coming big bonspiel at oTronto next month, as a result of the Ontario primaries decided on the Detroit Curling Club's rink last night. The furniture city Scots earned the right to compete with the best that can be sent against them in Toronto. Six cities were represented in the primaries, Detroit and Grand Rapids in Michigan, Toledo, Ohio, and the Canadian towns of Windsor, Chatham and Sarnia.


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Perhaps no other organs work harder than the kidneys to preserve the general health of the body, and most people are troubled with some kind of kidney complaint, but do not suspect it.

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# BOOST THE ASSESSMENT TO LOWER TAX-RATE

## Hamilton People Have Hit Upon an Idea Which May Be Carried Out.

Hamilton, Jan. 20.—The tax rate was increased last year, and Mayor McLaren intimated to the board of control that this would be followed this year with a big boost in assessment. What brought the matter up was the mayor's request that the board fix the salaries of the new assessors, H. G. McMahon and W. T. McLaren. It was agreed to give each $1,165, the same salary as the other assessors draw. Controllers Cooper and Bailey thought that was hardly a fair deal to the old assessors, and they suggested that the two new men start at $1,000 each.

"That would degrade the position," objected Mayor McLaren, who argued that $1,165 was not too much. He said that Mr. McMahon was a capable man, and had announced that he would not continue on the job unless he made a success of it and liked it. "As to Mr. McLaren, I told him not to undertake the job unless he felt that he was competent," said his worship. He predicted that the new men would prove more capable than the old.

Controller Allan told of his experience when he tried to secure some lots in the west end for the disposal works. Each of the lots was assessed at $80 and the owners wanted from $500 to $1,000 for each lot. Then there were 25-foot lots near the carpet factory assessed at $25 a lot.

"The idea of a lot in Hamilton being assessed at $25!" he exclaimed. "If the property was properly assessed we would not have a tax rate of more than 18 mills. The small house up to the value of about $1,500 is assessed up to the hilt, but above that many are not assessed for more than 50 per cent of their value."

Mayor McLaren said the owners of fine big houses should not be taxed for the fine work on the house, but simply on the basis of what a plain house of the same size would be worth. He said that one assessor covered the whole city south of King street, and the only wonder was that his work was not worse.

"The assessment commissioner and I will change them around this year, and give them different books," he answered.

"Hide their old books," counselled Controller Cooper.

"A man was telling me, Mr. Mayor," said Controller Cooper, "that he had just sold a house for $2,800 which was assessed for $1,200."

The mayor also intimated that if anyone could produce any proof of the incompetency of the assessors he and the commissioners would deal promptly with it.

"Show it to us and we'll soon change it," he said.

In the course of his aeronautical experiments M. Bleriot has met with 50 accidents.

# CAMP FLOWER OF DUNBLANE

### Sons of Scotland Installed Officers Last Night.

There was a large gathering of the members of Camp Flower of Dunblane, No. 166, of the Sons of Scotland, last night when Dr. McCrae, grand chieftain of the order, installed the following officers: Chief, P. J. Watt; chieftain, D. F. Campbell; chaplain, W. F. Taylor; marshal, George Terry; standard-bearer, A. McGilvary; senior guard, A. Scott; junior guard, J. McIntosh; recording secretary, G. T. McCombe; financial secretary, Wm. Reid, 767 York street; pipe major, J. Hamilton.

At the conclusion of the regular business a banquet was held, at which speeches were made by Rev. Dr. McCrae, Past Chief McPherson, Past Chief R. K. Cowan, and solos were rendered by Messrs. J. McCombe and W. Cameron. The Sons of Scotland Chorus rendered a number of selections during the evening in a most delightful manner, and an exhibition of dancing was given by Miss Russell. Following the banquet a dance was held which concluded the gathering.

**BAR OUT LOBBYISTS.**

Hamilton, Jan. 21.—The board yesterday morning decided to ask the legislative committee to pass a bylaw shutting lobbyists out of the retiring room of the council and from the floor of the council. Controller Allan said last year one man got behind him when a vote was being taken and punched him in the ribs while imploring him to vote for a motion.

"Yes," said Controller Cooper, "one man punched me in the ribs when a vote was being taken and said: 'Vote for that; you're a friend of mine.'"

The legislative committee will be asked to make the rule so that no one will be admitted to the floor of the council or the aldermen's room except by permission of the mayor or council.

**ROADS ARE BAD.**

The farmers in this vicinity are beginning to have their troubles with bad roads, and not a few cases of sleighs being overturned are reported.

The morning a load of hay belonging to John Irwin, a Westminster farmer, was upset on Hamilton road, near Mamalon street, the fodder being thrown on to the sidewalk. The driver went with it, but was not seriously injured.

The sleighs went through the upper crust of snow at the side of the road and caused the trouble, it is said:


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**THE PORCUPINE TRAIL.**

Windsor, Jan. 20.—T. G. Ferriss, of Windsor, has made a contract with the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway to carry freight and passengers from the railway terminal along the trail recently opened to the Porcupine country.


# TRAVELERS' GUIDE

**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.**

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—*3:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:25 a.m., 6:30 p.m., *8:00 p.m., 10:10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*12:09 am., *3:35 a.m., *11:30 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:43 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *11:10 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m.

Depart for the west—*3:55 p.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 8:18 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:25 a.m., *4:00 p.m., *6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *8:10 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—*3:25 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:35 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:25 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:20 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.**

Arrive from the east—*11:25 a.m., 10:35 p.m., †7:02 p.m., *10:52 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*4:45 a.m., †12:30 p.m., *5:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—*4:55 a.m., †1:45 a.m., †12:45 p.m., *5:12 p.m.

Depart for the west—*11:33 a.m., †7:10 p.m., *11:00 p.m.

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday.

**MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY**

Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:25 p.m.

Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:05 p.m., 10:25 p.m.

**PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.**

Depart—5:05 a.m., ‡7:10 a.m., 9:40 a.m., 2:30 p.m., ‡3:40 p.m., *7:15 p.m.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., ‡12:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., ‡9:20 p.m.

*To St. Thomas only. †To Walkerville. Trains not starred to and from Port Stanley. ‡From Walkerville.

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# Strathroy Defeats Watford---Petrolea Loses to Sarnia---London-Simcoe Game Is Off

## WATFORD GAME GOES OVERTIME

### Strathroy Won Out in Extra Ten Minutes of Play by 6 to 5 Score.

### PETROLEA WAS BEATEN

**At Home By Sarnia—Archie McMahen Gave Satisfaction.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Watford, Jan. 21.—The Intermediate O. H. A. match between the locals and Strathroy, went into overtime last night, the visitors winning by 6 to 5. The game was very close, the winners leading at half time by 4 to 3, while the score was tied 5 all at full time.

Ten minutes extra was played. The teams:

Strathroy—Jarvis, goal; Urquhart, point; Smith, cover; Avery, rover; McCandless, centre; McKellar, left; Menish, right.

Watford—Johnston, goal; C. Dodds, point; Elliott, cover; Thorner, rover; Stapleford, centre; Roche, left; L. Dodds, right.

Referee—Wallie Hern, of Stratford.

**THE PETROLEA GAME.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Petrolea, Jan. 21.—Sarnia got away from Petrolea in an Intermediate O. H. A. game here last night, and won out by a 5 to 2 score. The score at half-time was 2 all.

The ice was heavy and made fast going impossible.

Archie McMahen, of London, who officiated as referee, gave great satisfaction, and is the best man for the job that has appeared here in some time. The teams:

Petrolea—Hall, goal; Howlett, point; McRae, cover; Moore, rover; Harvey, centre; Cavanagh, right; Collins, left.

Sarnia—Simpson, goal; McCart, point; Watson, cover; Lesener, rover; Cowan, centre; McLelland, right; Wanless, left.

## BIG GOLF BODIES MAY REACH AT AGREEMENT

**Prospect Was Never So Encouraging Since Line of Cleavage Appeared.**

New York, Jan. 21.—At no time within the last three months, since the line of cleavage appeared between the United Golf Association and the Western Golf Association, has the prospect of an agreement been so encouraging as just on the eve of the annual meeting of the National Association, to be held in New York tonight.

Several delegates from the west have already arrived, and much can be inferred from their expressions. Half a dozen of them hald the voting proxies for three times as many clubs.

A hopeful feature for peace lies in the fact that two of the chief spokesmen will be Silas H. Strawn, of Chicago, and Leighton Calkine, of New York, who were principally responsible for smoothing the troubled waters at the annual meeting here a year ago. Mr. Calkine, as recently announced, has practically revised the constitution, and his definite proposals will do much to clear away any doubts.

## TOMMY BURNS TO FIGHT

**Next Battle Will Be With Joe Jeanette.**

It is almost certain now that Tommy Burns, the former heavyweight champion, will engage in a 20-round fight with Joe Jeannette, the colored heavyweight, at the Cirque de Paris, the big fight club of Paris, the latter part of March.

In a letter received from Dan McKetrick, he says that Victor Breyer, manager of the club, cabled Burns who is in Australia, asking him what amount he would want to fight Jeannette, and that Burns answered that he would accept $7,500 for his end and expenses.

Breyer has cabled Burns accepting his terms, and asking him to start for Paris as soon as possible.

## CURLING AT STRATFORD

**District Primaries Played Off in Tankard Series.**

Stratford, Jan. 20.—The district primaries for the Ontario tankard were played off here yesterday and today. Rinks from Plattsville, Stratford, Seaforth, Bright, New Hamburg, St. Marys and Stratford Thistles competed. The results were:

**First Round.**

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| Stratford | 37 | Stratford Thistles | 24 |
| Platsburg | 32 | Seaforth | 10 |
| Bright | 46 | New Hamburg | 24 |

St. Marys drew bye.

**Second Round.**

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| Bright | 32 | Stratford | 13 |
| St. Marys | 13 | Plattsville | 9 |

**Finals.**

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| Stratford | 35 | St. Marys | 22 |

**HERE'S ANOTHER VERSION.**

New York, Jan. 21.—John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Nationals, was seized with an unfortunate inclination to scratch his nose at the same time that a barber was doing some effectual work in the same neighborhood.

As a result Mr. McGraw today wears two fingers of the hand that sways the bleachers in a sling.

"He came within a fraction of an inch of amputating both fingers," said Mr. McGraw.

**LONDON ON TOP.**

Toronto News: The results of the games in the O. H. A. last night make things decidely interesting for a number of clubs. The Ingersoll team, leaders in Group 8 of the intermediate series, suffered their first defeat of the season, when Simcoe ran away from them, scoring 18 goals to Ingersoll's 5. The result of this match puts the London seven in first place, with Ingersoll and Simcoe tied for second place in the district. Half-time score in this encounter was 3-3, but the home team outclassed the visitors in the last half.

**THREE REDS SIGN UP.**

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Three additional contracts were dropped in the strong box of the Reds this afternoon by Manager Griffith. He received the papers of Bob Bescher, Al Furchner and Dicky Hoblitzell.

**REDS SELL FIRST BASEMAN.**

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Clark Griffith, manager of the Cincinnati team, announced today that Wheeler Johnston, a first baseman, had been sold to the Buffalo club of the Eastern League.

**MURPHY SELLS FOUR PLAYERS.**

Chicago Tribune: President Murphy, of the Cubs, yesterday announced the sale of four of his youngsters, Keener, Kay, Carl Brown and Hart. Keener is the outfielder and pitcher drafted from Kalamazoo, and he was let out to the Spokane Northwestern League club, as was Carl Brown, the Minneapolis pitcher. Catcher Hart and Outfielder Kay, the former from Monmouth and the latter from Albany, N.Y., became the property of the Louisville American Association champions.

**The city of Naples will soon be lighted by electricity secured from water power. At Capo-Volturno 16,000 horsepower, will be generated and carried at 45,000 volts to the city, 56 miles away.**

## NELSON-WOLGAST FIGHT FOR LOS ANGELES, CAL.

**Hester Unable to Secure a Permit in San Francisco.**

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—Thomas McCarey is preparing to stage the Nelson-Wolgast fight for the lightweight championship here on Feb. 22, Hester, of San Francisco, not having received a permit. McCarey is in communication with Nelson.

Magistrate Herrman will announce his decision in the case against Tom O'Rourke and the boxers arrested in the raid on the National Sporting Club at the West Side court on Dec. 27.

## IT WAS THIS CLUB THAT FURNISHED HANS WAGNER

**Pirates Get Another Man From Paterson, This One a Pal for Gibson.**

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—A new catcher has been signed by the Pittsburg ball club. The contract signed by Edward Bridges, of Paterson, N.J., was received by Barney Dreyfuss last night.

Bridges is the backstop who was purchased from the Northampton team in the Connecticut League last August. When he opened the letter containing the contract Dreyfuss remarked that if Bridges was as good a find as the last player he got from Paterson, the Pittsburg team was in luck.

He referred to Wagner, who was playing with the Paterson team in 1897 when Dreyfuss secured him for the Louisvilles before he was brought to Pittsburg.

## WILL RUN REGARDLESS OF THE JOCKEY CLUB

**Brighton Beach to Hold Meeting Without Sanction.**

New York, Jan. 21.—The Brighton Beach track is ready and willing to go it alone. If the officials cannot obtain from the Jockey Club the dates which the track had in previous years, they are ready to buck the turf authorities and hold a meeting during July on dates of their own selection.

Brighton would have little or no trouble in obtaining horses to race over its course it it decided to hold a meeting independently of the dates assigned it by the Jockey Club. The latter would not be able to outlaw participants, inasmuch as the meeting would be conducted under license from the racing commission. Horsemen from the west, south and Canada would be attracted.

Another departure from the accepted order of things, which the Brighton management wants, is its own officials.

## NEW CATCHER FOR TORONTO BALL CLUB

**Second Best Batter in Southern League Secured—Was With Nashville Last Year.**

Toronto, Jan. 21.—The Toronto ball club closed a deal yesterday for the purchase of Catcher Tonneman, last year with the Nashville club, of the Southern League, runners-up for the championship.

Tonneman was second in batting, with an average of .312 for 62 games. He stole six bases and made ten sacrifice hits. He fielded .968.

## WILL KEEP GLEASON

**Phillies Decide He Is Too Good To Be Let Loose.**

Philadelphia, Jan. 20.—After all, Kid Gleason will be found with the Phillies again next season. On second thought, the club decided that Gleason would be a good man to retain. Johnny Bates, who is carded to play left field, Magee being switched to centre, was not pleased with the figures named in his contract and returned the document to Fogel unsigned.

## CUSACK TO WORK IN A. A.

**Former National League Umpire Signed by Chivington.**

Chicago, Jan. 20.—President Thomas Chivington, of the American Association, today signed Umpire Steve Cusack, who was with the National League at the beginning of last season, and finished the season in the New York State League.

## A CURLING MATCH

**Will Be Arranged for the Hardware Convention Visitors on Feb. 7.**

The officials of the hardwaremen's convention, which will be held here in February, are figuring on holding a curling bonspiel as several cracks will be in the city at that time. Collingwood and Barrie men are anxious to meet the locals, and a good match may be put on Monday, Feb. 7.

**HERE'S A BIG DEAL.**

Cincinnati, Jan. 20.—One of the biggest baseball trades of the winter was closed today by the Cincinnati and Philadelphia National League clubs. The deal involves the swapping of four pitchers, Philadelphia getting Robert Ewing and James Brennan in return for Frank Corrigan and Harry Covaleskie.

**CURLING GOSSIP.**

Petrolea, Jan. 20.—Petrolea curling club have arranged to hold their bonspiel on Feb. 8 and following days. In addition to other prizes this year, a new trophy will be given by the Bank of Toronto, and one by Wm. Ferguson & Co., of this town. The club has arranged for the use of the skating rink.

Galt, Jan. 20.—The tankard games in group 9 had to be called off again today by Umpire Turnbull, owing to the soft ice. The games will not likely be played now till next week.

Detroit, Jan. 20.—Grand Rapids curlers will represent the western district in the coming big bonspiel at Toronto next month, as a result of the Ontario primaries decided on the Detroit curling club's rink last night. The Furniture City Scots earned the right to compete with the best that can be sent against them in Toronto. Six cities were represented in the primaries, Detroit, Grand Rapids and Toledo, and the Canadian cities of Windsor, Chatham and Sarnia.

**ISBELL TO THE MINORS.**

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Frank Isbell has played his last game as a member of the Chicago club. American League clubs have waived claim to the veteran pitcher and infielder, and he will be a combination of bench and playing manager for his Wichita team next season.

**A. O. U. W. CARPETBALL.**

Forest City camp defeated Pine Grove by 33 to 24 in Forest City's lodge rooms last evening. The feature of the game was the bowling of Mr. Biggs, who scored twelve points.

**NELSON TOOK COUNT.**

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 21.—That anybody with a punch may land once in a while was admitted by Battling Nelson, champion lightweight, yesterday, after receiving a stinging blow on the jaw that forced him to tumble to the mat for the count. George Rawlings, a member of Sewanee's champion football squad of the southern colleges, shot-putter and all-round athlete, was sparring with Nelson at the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, when he surprised the spectators as well as Nelson by landing the blow.

## JOHNSON BEATS A CONSUMPTIVE

### Champion Heavyweight Struck Little Man When Told a Few Things.

### NEGRO ORDERED WINE

**And When Informed That One Time He Drank Beer Like a Horse, Trouble Started.**

New York, Jan. 20.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, was locked up at police headquarters tonight on a charge of felonious assault, made by another negro, Norman Pinder, of 26 West Ninety-Ninth street, who says he is a consumptive and who looks it. Pinder says Johnson assaulted him in "Baron" Wilkins' resort, at 253 West Thirty-Fifth street, early this morning, as a result of a dispute over drinks.

Pinder, who is 5 feet 7 inches in height, slight, says he was sitting at a table with a man and two women, when Johnson came in alone. Someone remarked, "There's Jack Johnson—let's have him over and buy him a drink," and Pinder, who was buying, called Johnson over and asked him what he would have.

**Johnson Wanted Wine.**

According to the complainant, Johnson said he wanted wine. Johnson, he says, remarked that he never drank anything else, and Pinder says he came back at the pugilist with the statement that once upon a time he was not so particular.

"You used to drink beer," said Pinder. "I've seen you drink it, and out of a bucket, too, with your face in the bucket like a horse."

It was then, Pinder says, that Johnson assaulted him.

This is what Johnson did to him according to the blotter at police headquarters: "Hit him with his right hand, causing him to fall to the floor, and then kicked him in the face and about the head, threw a chair at him, pushed the table over on him, and then put his hand back in his pocket and pulled out a gun."

**Champ Not Sorry.**

Asked tonight why he had struck Pinder, Johnson said:

"Honest, cap'n, I'm sorry I didn't hit him harder. He has been casting as-persons and insults on me for a long time and I just had to hit him."

## FEW PITCHERS WIN 30 GAMES A SEASON

**History of Sport Shows That Few Have Received the Honor—C. Webb Murphy Talks.**

C. Webb Murphy's offer of a bonus of $500 to big Jeff Overall of the Cubs, if he is able to win thirty games next season has led to the investigation by statisticians of the pitching records of the last ten years, writes Ernest Lanigan. The result of this research, so far as it applies to the major leagues, shows that the president of the Cubs is perfectly safe in making this offer to his giant pitcher, for nowadays it is a rarity for a slabman, no matter how good he is, to land thirty contests during any championship campaign. If any hurler turns this trick he has to be a willing worker and to be with a team which runs either first, second or third.

**Forty Game Winners.**

During the last ten years of the American and National Leagues, only two men—Jack Chesbro and Ed Walsh—have been able to win forty or more combats in any championship season. Happy Jack, in 1904, when he practically was the only hurler who had the "spit" ball delivery, won forty-one games for the Highlanders. In 1908 Ed Walsh, another exponent of the moist delivery, landed forty contests for the weak-hitting White Sox.

In the last ten seasons in the National League, the top notch figure for victories of any slabman has been thirty-seven. Christy Mathewson reached this number of triumphs two seasons ago, and he would have made it one more and assured another National League pennant for New York if Fred Merkle had not overlooked the formality of touching second base.

From 1900 to 1909, inclusive, there were mighty few pitchers who were able to win twenty-five games a season in the major leagues, let alone thirty. In the National League, for example, in the last ten seasons, there have been only seven instances where flingers finished on the right end of thirty or more combats in any year. Joe McGinnity turned the trick in 1900, 1903 and 1904, and Christy Mathewson accomplished the stunt in 1903, 1904, 1905 and 1908. Mordecai Brown, in 1908, was one game shy on figuring in thirty victories.

**No Winners in 1907.**

No National League boxman was able to win thirty games in 1907, or even twenty-five, which would be a good basis to figure on when sending out bonus contracts to classy curvers. In that year the Cubs won 107 games, which constitutes a National League team record, and Overall, figuring in twenty-three victories, was the Windy City combination's most successful boxman. In number of victories, big Jeff was surpassed by Christy Mathewson, who won one more game than the Visalia, Cal., fruit merchant.

Last year, with a 154-game schedule in operation, the biggest winner among the National League pitchers was Mordecai Brown, and he copped only twenty-seven games for the Cubs. Possibly Murphy figures that the 168-game schedule will give his flingers a better chance to win thirty or more contests, but the odds are still with the magnate and against the curyer. With the additional games to be played, a club will require a larger pitching staff, and the chances are slight that the extra games scheduled will make any difference in a man's record. A pitcher, nowadays, is apparently good for so many contests a season, no matter how many combats are crowded into a campaign between two given dates.

**McGlynn Leads A. A. Pitchers.**

**The American Association last year played 168 games, yet not one of its pitchers won thirty tussles, the leader being Stony McGlynn, who had a reputation as an iron man before entering** it, and who succeeded in vanquishing his opponents only twenty-seven times.

If Murphy had offered the $500 bonus to Overall for winning twenty-five games, the fans of the country would consider that the Chicago president was not bluffing, for there is some chance of a major league twirler figuring in this number of victories.

In ten years, in the two major leagues, thirty-seven instances are on record of pitchers winning twenty-five or more games in a campaign. In the National League this has happened nineteen times, in the American League eighteen. The men who have won twenty-five or more games in a season have been Mathewson, McGinnity, Brown, Donovan, Chesbro, Pittinger, Willis, Leever, Phillippe and Camnitz in the National League, and Young, Waddell, Chesbro, Bernhard, Plank, Orth, Donovan, Joss, White, Killian, Walsh, Mullin and Smith in the American League.

Mathewson and McGinnity have five times reached or passed the quarter century mark in victories. Cy Young has four feats of this kind to his credit in the last ten years, Mordecai Brown three, Jack Chesbro two, Bill Donovan two, Rube Waddell two, and the other men mentioned each one.

The tables show the pitchers in the big leagues, from 1900 to 1909, inclusive, who have won twenty-five or more games during a season:

**THE SUMMARY.**

**National League.**

| | W. | L. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1900— | | | |
| McGinnity, Brooklyn | 30 | 8 | .789 |
| 1901— | | | |
| Donovan, Brooklyn | 25 | 15 | .526 |
| 1902— | | | |
| Chesbro, Pittsburg | 28 | 6 | .824 |
| Pittinger, Boston | 27 | 14 | .659 |
| Willis, Boston | 26 | 21 | .553 |
| 1903— | | | |
| Leever, Pittsburg | 25 | 7 | .781 |
| Phillippe, Pittsburg | 25 | 9 | .735 |
| Mathewson, New York | 30 | 13 | .698 |
| McGinnity, New York | 31 | 19 | .620 |
| 1904— | | | |
| McGinnity, New York | 35 | 8 | .814 |
| Mathewson, New York | 33 | 12 | .733 |
| 1905— | | | |
| Mathewson, New York | 31 | 9 | .775 |
| 1906— | | | |
| Brown, Chicago | 26 | 6 | .813 |
| McGinnity, New York | 27 | 12 | .692 |
| 1908— | | | |
| Mathewson, New York | 37 | 11 | .771 |
| Brown, Chicago | 29 | 9 | .763 |
| 1909— | | | |
| Camnitz, Pittsburg | 25 | 6 | .806 |
| Mathewson, New York | 25 | 6 | .806 |
| Brown, Chicago | 27 | 9 | .750 |

**American League.**

| | W. | L. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1901— | | | |
| Young, Boston | 31 | 10 | .775 |
| McGinnity, Baltimore | 26 | 10 | .578 |
| 1902— | | | |
| Young, Boston | 31 | 10 | .756 |
| 1903— | | | |
| Young, Boston | 28 | 9 | .757 |
| 1904— | | | |
| Chesbro, New York | 41 | 12 | .774 |
| Bernhard, Cleveland | 29 | 13 | .690 |
| Young, Boston | 26 | 16 | .619 |
| Plank, Philadelphia | 26 | 17 | .605 |
| Waddell, Philadelphia | 25 | 19 | .568 |
| 1905— | | | |
| Waddell, Philadelphia | 27 | 10 | .730 |
| 1906— | | | |
| Orth, New York | 27 | 17 | .614 |
| 1907— | | | |
| Donovan, Detroit | 25 | 4 | .862 |
| Joss, Cleveland | 27 | 11 | .711 |
| White, Chicago | 27 | 13 | .675 |
| Killian, Detroit | 25 | 13 | .658 |
| 1908— | | | |
| Walsh, Chicago | 40 | 15 | .727 |
| 1909— | | | |
| Mullin, Detroit | 29 | 8 | .784 |
| Smith, Chicago | 25 | 17 | .595 |

## "BIG ED" FAVORS THE NEW CLAUSE

### Reulbach Thinks Ball Contract Will Be a Benefit to Players.

### DOPE IT FROM EACH END

**Cub Pitcher Is Against Barnstorming—Says Long Winter Jaunts Injure Men.**

Ball players are not unanimous on the proposition that the new baseball contract forbidding barnstorming is a hardship to the players. Edward M. Reulbach, Cub pitcher, is one of those who thinks that the agreement will be of benefit to the men who play the game. He has come to the conclusion that players often take unnecesary risks after the season is closed

**Contract All Right.**

"I think that the new contract is all right in the main," said the pitcher, especially if the owners are reasonable in the interpretation of it. Now, I have been out barnstorming with the rest, and I knew that the average player will not play his hardest in exhibition games if he thinks he is going to injure himself. Consequently it makes the team look cheap to the fans. But that is not all. By simply playing in the unseasonable weather he is liable to injure himself permanently, and then it is him for the bush leagues, in which case it is the player alone who is hurt.

**The Owner's End.**

"Then, looking from the magnate's viewpoint. Now, supposing the players who annually travel down to Cuba or other countries should return with their systems full of malaria and couldn't give the club to which he was under contract his best services the following season, would that be justice to the owner? I think not. That tells the whole story. What is fair for one is fair for the other."

**ENGLISH CUP GAMES.**

London, Jan. 21.—The following games were replayed in the English Cup Association football series:

Tottenham 7, Plymouth 1.
Fulham 2, Chesterfield 1.
Everton 5, Middlesboro 3.
Newcastle 2, Stoke 1.
Rangers 3, Norwich 0.
Southend 1, Gainsborough 0.
New Brompton 2, Leyton 2.

## TODAY'S HOCKEY GAMES

**Intermediate O.H.A.**

Simcoe at London (postponed).
Peterboro at Lindsay.
Port Hope at Belleville.
Whitby at Oshawa.
Guelph at Milton.
Preston at Guelph O.A.C.
Port Dalhousie at Grimsby.
St. Catharines at Welland.
Paris at Woodstock.
Galt at Stratford.
Tillsonburg at Ingersoll.

**Junior O.H.A.**

St. Michael's at T.A.A.C.
U.C.C. at Simcoes B, at 7:30.
Meaford at Barrie.
Gravenhurst at Bracebridge.

**Intercollegiate.**

Toronto at Queen's
McGill at Laval.

## OTTAWA HOLDS STANLEY CUP

### Edmonton Challengers Could Do Nothing Last Night and Were Off Form.

### FINAL SCORE WAS 13 TO 7

**Making the Total for the Two Games 21 to 11 Points.**

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The Ottawa hockey team successfully defended the Stanley cup from the Edmonton team, challengers for the premier hockey honors of the world.

In the second game, played here tonight, the champions downed the westerners by a score of 13 to 7, making the total on the two games read 21 to 11 in favor of the defenders.

Edmonton were never seriously contenders in the game tonight, falling far short of the form they were advertised to show. The teams:

Ottawa—Lesener, goal; Lake, point; Shore, cover; Stuart, rover; Walsh, centre; Ridpath, right; Roberts, left.

Edmonton—Winchester, goal; Field, point; Ross, cover; Whitcroft, rover; Deeton, centre; Egulton, right, Miller, left.

Russell Bowie; judge of play, Duncan Campbell.

## PRESTON WON

**Paris Juniors Lost on Own Ice by 8 to 2 Score.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paris, Jan. 21.—Preston won from the local juniors here last night by a score of 8 to 2. The winners did the only scoring in the second half, putting three into the nets. The teams:

Preston—Spretch, goal; Bowman, point; Shearer, cover; Beet, centre; Walker, rover; Rahn, right; Sullivan, left.

Paris—Cavane, goal; Tinckneil, point; Boyce, cover; P. Gill, centre; Peebles, rover; F. Gill, right; Graham, left.

Referee—D. Adams, Brantford.

## FORBES FIELD IS IN GREAT DANGER

### City Said To Be Owner of Part of the Land Used for Ball Park.

### DREYFUSS IS WORRIED

**Politicians Have Discovered That Street Cuts Ball Park in Half and May Open It Up.**

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—Forbes Field, the million-dollar home of the Pittsburg baseball club, the finest baseball grounds in the world, is at the mercy of the politicians, and, unless civic pride comes to the rescue, they may vent their spite upon Barney Dreyfuss for his parsimoniousness last year in handing out passes, and ruin the great ball grounds.

**Council Has Power.**

It recently was decided that the city had surveyed a street, which, if completed, will cut the ball grounds almost exactly in half. In acquiring the grounds this street was included in the deed whether knowingly or not that it was city property, neither Nicola brothers who made the sale nor Dreyfuss will admit. However, the best legal talent in Pittsburg today declared the street, whether run through or not, is the property of the city, and if the council sees fit an order may be made at once completing the thoroughfare.

**Citizens With Dreyfuss.**

An ordinance changing the course of the street so it will go around the ball grounds was introduced in the council. Many of the councilmen expressed themselves as being against such an ordinance and expressed the opinion that if Nicola brothers received compensation for this land, owned by the city, the city should be reimbursed for the land. It now looks as if a big fight is in prospect, and all persons with any civic pride hope Dreyfuss will win.

## NO GAME TONIGHT

**The intermediate O. H. A. hockey game scheduled to be played tonight at the Jubilee rink between London and Simcoe has been called off owing to the bad condition of the ice. The Simcoe team has been notified, but no date has been decided on as yet.**

## ZBYSZKO BEAT A PAIR OF HUSKIES

### Giant Polish Wrestler Disposes of Stengle at Detroit in 53 Seconds.

### YANKEE ROGERS BETTER

**Lasts 31 Minutes and 28 Seconds—Victor's Countrymen Have Great Time.**

Detroit, Jan. 21.—Zbyszko, the giant Polish wrestler, was greeted by a large crowd of grappling lovers, composed principally of his own countrymen, at the Light Guard armory last evening. The big fellow took on two of the best men obtainable, and beat them both, one handily and the other after a struggle lasting over half an hour.

The Polish people in the crowd fairly went wild over Zbyszko, each of the falls he secured being greeted with an outburst of cheering that fairly shook the rafters. Hats were thrown in the ring, excited Polish enthusiasts stood on chairs, and the scene in general resembled that at a college football game after a touchdown.

**Stengle Lasted 53 Seconds.**

Wilhelm Stengle was Zbyszko's first victim. He lasted hardly long enough to get acquainted with the big grappler, being thrown in 53 seconds. Then they trotted out Yankee Rogers, who made the Pole travel some. For 31 minutes and 28 seconds the grapplers struggled, Rogers being on the defensive the greater part of the time, though he occasionally worked on his burly opponent.

Rogers was considerably out-weighed, but his quickness and cleverness protected him until the Polish giant fairly wore him out by sheer bulk and strength. The match was a fast one throughout, abounding in exciting situations. Yankee repeatedly wiggled out of holds when it seemed that he was gone, and the portion of the crowd in sympathy with him had plenty to shout about.

In the preliminaries Fred Dane wrestled fifteen minutes to a draw with Harry Lipe, while Mitchell and Cooney went the same distance to the same result.

## BERLIN DEFEATED THE GALT PROS.

**Nearly Two Thousand People See Game—Score 2 to 1.**

[Specia lto The Advertiser.]

Galt, Jan. 21.—Berlin defeated the Galt pros. in one of the fastest games seen here in some time, last night, by a score of 2 to 1. The locals scored in the second half, but could not win. A crowd of nearly 2,000 witnessed the match. Pete Layden, of Paris, refereed. The teams:

Galt—Mercer, goal; McDonald, point; Murphy, cover; Serviss, rover; Cochrane, centre; Charlton, right; Doherty, left.

Berlin—Leiman, goal; Seibert, point; McNamara, cover; Edmunds, rover; E. Seibert, centre; Frood, right; Anderson, left.

**POSTS HIS FORFEIT.**

San Francisco, Jan. 21—Sid Hester, a San Francisco fight promoter, posted a $2,500 forfeit last night as a guarantee that he will pull off a 45-round fight between Battling Nelson and Ad Wolgast on Feb. 22, either in this city or in San Mateo County.

An instrument that enables the user to gaze into the human stomach and watch the digestive processes at work was explained at the British Medical Association meeting in Belfast.

## MAGNATES REFUSE TO ACT AS BANKERS

### Do Not Take Kindly to Suggestion of President Thomas Lynch.

### IDEA WOULD NOT WORK

**They Claim, as Nearly All Players Can Take Care of Own Money.**

New York, Jan. 21.—President Tom Lynch, of the National League, undoubtedly meant well when he suggested that 20 per cent of the players' salaries should be held out for winter payment. Years of observation showed the new leader that there were many of the spangled heroes who would find good use for the surplus during the off-season. Nevertheless, the magnates, while acknowledging that in some instances the scheme would prove a boon, believe it is impracticable, and there is every reason to assume that the players would strenuously object.

**Ebbetts Talks Up.**

President Ebbets, of the Superbas, says every club would require an additional clerk to look after the remittances, extra bookkeeping and other details incidental to the withholding of salaries, and further, he thinks the men can take care of their own money.

By the latter remark President Ebbets doubtless referred to Wilhelm, who is a real estate speculator in Wooster, O., and is reputed to be worth $40,000; Lumley, who has just bought a farm at Leicestershire, N. Y.; Hummel, a careful man with his money, though far from penurious; Jordan, who is known now as the "coupon king"; "Doc" Scanlon, a house surgeon at the King's County hospital, and several other members of the Brooklyns.

## BIG RECEPTION FOR JEFF

**Will Be Met by a Band When He Reaches Salt Lake City.**

Salt Lake City, Jan. 21.—When James J. Jeffries arrives in Salt Lake City on Saturday, he will be met at the railroad station with a brass band and taken through the city in an automobile, which car will be a part of a big motor parade organized in his honor. He will be escorted to the Wilson Hotel, where a reception will be held. Tex Rickard has made his reply to the statement of Supervisor Herget in San Francisco: "Herget is not talking about our fight. There needn't be any worry in Frisco about my making an application for a fight there. The Jeffries-Johnson fight will be held here if the people want it."

## DE ORO MAY PLAY EAMES FOR BIG STAKES

**Proposition Is Made for Cue Artists to Meet in Denver.**

New York, Jan. 20.—If Alfred de Oro accepts the proposition made to him last week by Denver backers of Fred Eames, the new three-cushion champion, the Colorado metropolis will be the scene next spring of an angle game for the biggest stake ever contested for in an individual billiard match.

The westerners say they will put up $2,500 on Eames if de Oro will wager as much on himself in a special match of 150 points, to be played in Denver.

**CHESLEY BEATS PAISLEY.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paisley, Jan. 21.—Paisley was defeated by Chesley here last night in a Northern League match by 3 to 0. Half-time score was 2 to 0. The teams:

Paisley — Trueman, goal; Sheppard, point; Regan, cover; Forrester, centre; Irwin, left; Sheppard, right; Ralston rover.

Chesley—Heinbecker, goal; Wettlaufer point; Taylor, cover; Beattie, centre Park, left; Dier, right; Cook, rover.

Referee—Lester Hocking, Listowel.

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**Sale Starts Saturday, Jan. 22, at 9 a.m.**

Every Semi-Ready garment will be sold regardless of cost, as we are giving up this make of goods, and in order to make room for our new line we will clear out our entire stock at the following prices:

MEN'S SUITS.

$25 Suits, sale price ..... $16.50
$20 Suits, sale price ..... $13.50
$18 Suits, sale price ..... $11.98
$15 Suits, sale price ..... $10.50
$12 Suits, sale price ..... $6.98
$10 Suits, sale price ..... $4.98
These are all New Fall Styles, sizes 34 to 48

MORNING COATS AND VESTS, Special, $3.98

MEN'S OVERCOATS.

$20 and $25 Overcoats, sale price .. $12.50
$15 Overcoats, sale price ..... $9.95
$12 Overcoats, sale price ..... $6.98
$10 Overcoats, sale price ..... $5.50

ODD TROUSERS.

$6 Trousers, sale price ..... $4.50
$5 Trousers, sale price ..... $3.75
$4 Trousers, sale price ..... $3.00
A Special Line to clear ..... $1.98

BRACES.

25c, sale price .. 19¢ . 50c, sale price, 39¢

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HATS.

Your choice of any Hat in stock for $1.29
All the latest styles and shapes.

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Regular $1.00 and $1.25, clearing at ... 69¢

SILK SCARFS.

Your choice of many patterns.
$1.00 Silk Scarfs, sale price ..... 69¢
$1.25 Silk Scarfs, sale price ..... 79¢
$1.50 Silk Scarfs, sale price ..... 95¢
$2.00 Silk Scarfs, sale price ..... $1.29
$2.50 to $3.50 Silk Scarfs, sale price, $1.69

MEN'S GLOVES, BEST MAKE.

$1.00 Gloves, sale price ..... 69¢
$1.25 Gloves, sale price ..... 79¢
$1.50 and $2.00 Gloves, sale price ..... 99¢

UNDERWEAR.

50c and 75c Underwear, sale price .... 39¢
$1.15 Underwear, sale price ..... 69¢
$1.25 and $1.50 Underwear, sale price, 89¢
$2.50 Underwear, sale price ..... $1.49

TIES.

50c and 75c Ties, sale price ..... 35¢

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# PLAN SCOTLAND CANAL TO COST $100,000,000

## Waterway From Forth to Clyde 65 Miles Long, Is Being Urged.

London, Jan. 20.—Under the spur of the report of the royal commission advocating the immediate state control and upbuilding of England's inland waterways renewed agitation has developed in many quarters in support of the projected Forth of Clyde canal.

This plan proposes neither more nor less than a 55-mile battleship canal between the Firth of Forth via Stirling Loch Lomond and Loch Long and the Firth of Clyde. By its consummation the shipping interests of the country would obtain an inland waterway across Scotland, 36 feet in depth and 65 miles in its total length that would reduce all existing routes by about 160 miles. Engineers have figured that the work could be completed in nine years at an aggregate expenditure approximating $100,000,000.

**Project Not New One.**

The project of the construction of a deep waterway connecting the North Sea and the Atlantic Ocean is not a new one. Interest already has been aroused in many quarters, and there is now no doubt that the next parliament will be petitioned for government financial aid in behalf of the project. The support of the commissioners of navigation and of the harbor trustees of 74 of the most prominent centres of the northern areas of the United Kingdom has been promised.

Owing to the facilities and practical economies which the new channel would offer to foreign shipping, Denmark, Holland and even Germany, through trade and official bodies, have asserted their intention of using it. Such a new sea passage between Northern Europe and America, it is recognized, would avoid the fogs and tides of the English Channel. It would afford, so its proponents argue, the safest and most expeditious route from the east coast and the part of Northern Europe to the west coast as well as to Ireland and the United States and Canada.

**Pleased With Suggestion.**

"We are much pleased with the suggestion of the canal commission," said Admiral Sir Charles Campbell, honorary president of the organization that is agitating the project, "that the Government should be approached on the subject of how much money it will give to this waterway that would carry Dreadnoughts between the Forth and the Clyde. We certainly shall take steps to ascertain this point.

"We could start throwing dirt tomorrow if only the financial end of the problem could be solved. The cost, it is true, has been estimated at approximately $100,000,000, but with recent inventions in excavating machinery a saving of quite 10 per cent might be effected on those figures. If the Government will guarantee 3 per cent interest on the capital required during the time of construction the whole of the money needed would be subscribed tomorrow. It only means diverting the interest on the Suez Canal shares for one year, and the thing would be done. But if, on the other hand, the Government would find half the capital, I think there would be no difficulty about the other half. The canal will be quite self-supporting when once it is opened."


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## Enormous Reductions for the Second Saturday of This

# Great Sweep-Out Sale

Brisk selling is the order of the day—prices are down to a minimum. Every garment in our up-to-date ready-to-wear clothing has been marked to cost, and in some cases below cost. The values here are unexcelled anywhere, with special offerings in Men's Suits and Overcoats, Ladies' Costumes, Coats, One-Piece Dresses, Separate Skirts, Waists, Underskirts and Furs; Girls Coats; Boys' Suits, Knickers, Reefers and Overcoats, besides Shoes, Caps and Hats.

Come early and take your choice of this whirlpool of bargains.

## Specials for Saturday

**MEN'S SUITS,** of all-wool tweeds, in nice patterns, well lined, neatly trimmed and tailored. Well worth the regular price $10 and $12, but for Saturday only ..... **$3.95**

**BOYS' REEFERS,** of finest frieze, tweeds and beavers, in dark colors and gray, well made and lined, tailored in double-breasted style and regularly priced $5. Our sweep-out price for Saturday only ..... **$1.49**

**BOYS' KNICKERS,** made of good, stout material, well lined and strongly sewn, all sizes. Worth regularly 85c and $1, sale price for Saturday only ..... **39c**

**MEN'S TROUSERS,** suitable for work or business, in many patterns of worsted and tweed, well made and guaranteed to give satisfaction in every way. Values up to $3.50, now only ..... **$1.95**

**MEN'S OVERCOATS,** in college and regular styles, materials are all-wool beavers, kerseys and meltons and a few stylish tweeds, fancy linings and fine make. Regularly worth up to $15, sweep-out price only ..... **$8.75**

**MEN'S FUR-LINED COATS,** of fine quality beaver, with linings of prime muskrat, collar and revers of finest otter. Worth up to $75, on sale at great reductions, some as low as ..... **$38.50**

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|---|---|
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| Wednesday ..... | $9 |
| Thursday ..... | $8 |
| Friday ..... | $7 |

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**LADIES' WALKING SKIRTS,** of good, durable materials, new in style, perfect in fit and finish, all sizes and colors. Values up to $5, for Saturday only ..... **$1.49**

**LADIES' TAFFETA WAISTS,** in black, navy, brown, wistaria, myrtle and other shades, several new styles and all sizes. Values up to $6.50, but sweep-out price is only..... **$3.69**

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**AMERICAN SABLE RUG MUFF,** of fine quality, long heavy fur, satin lined, finished with large head and tail. Good value for $10, sweep-out price is ..... **$6.89**

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# SIX YEARS WITH THE ESQUIMAUX

## Inspector Fitzgerald Prefers the Little Fellows to the Indians.

Six years up in the Arctic regions, among the Esquimaux and whalers, with only one short visit to civilization. This is the interesting experience of Inspector F. J. Fitzgerald, of the Northwest Mounted Police, who is in the city in quest of recruits for his force. The inspector, says the Toronto Star, has an inexhaustible fund of information about the people who helped Peary discover the North Pole.

"There were six of us, stationed on Herschel Island, 2,300 miles north of Edmonton," said he to the Star. "We were up there to look after the walers, and see that the natives did not get liquor. But it was easy work, for the native are about the quietest lot of people I ever had anything to do with. The policeman's word is law there. They wouldn't think of questioning it. Let me give an instance:

"A girl and boy married. The girls there marry at about 13 years, and the boys at 17. Well, these two married, and the girl's father gave the couple a whale boat for a wedding present. But the girl died. Then the husband died, too, and the question was, 'Who gets the boat?'

"The father of the girl claimed it,and they couldn't agree, so came to me. I advised them to come to some agreement, but they couldn't, so I took the case in hand. I concluded that, as the girl died first, the boat went to the husband. When he died, it went to his people, so I gave it to his father, who was in harder circumstances than the girl's father. They didn't have a word of objection to raise. 'You speak,' was all anyone said when I gave judgment."

"The same holds good in their marriages. Some man dies, and a young single fellow wants the widow. So he comes to me.

"'Me wants that man's woman,' says he.

"'Him want you?' I ask. They call women 'him' there.

"'Yes.'

"Then take her. And that is all there is to it

"They never act like Indians. If an Indian goes out with you, and you meet hard luck, he gets sulky. But that's not the way with an Esquimaux.

"'All right, by-and-bye plenty grub. All right, now,' is all he'll say."

"How do they stand the cold?" asked the reporter.

"They dress in two suits of skins. The first suit they wear with the fur turned inward; the other has the fur on the outside. When they go in their snow huts at night they light their stove lamps. In a couple of hours the hut is so warm they have to poke holes in the roof to let the heat out and fresh air in. Then, when it is all nice and warm, they strip all their clothes off. The women clean and scrape the furs, and dry them, ready for next day. When they sleep they do not wear any clothing, but wrap themselves in the furs, just as they are. Warm? I guess it is. I've slept that way many a time, and it is far warmer than when we wear nightshirts. But perhaps it isn't cold in the morning, getting dressed," and the inspector shrugged his shoulders, and laughed. "However, if the furs were not cleaned and dried in this way every night, they would rot in no time.

"I used to think the Esquimaux were the dirtiest people in the world," continued the inspector, "but I have changed my mind. Why, they are always after us with the plea for 'Soap! soap! soap! Me want wash clothes.' They wash everything at least once a week. An Esquimaux is far cleaner than an Indian."

"I do not think that Esquimaux can stand the cold any more than a white man, but they understand how to dress. Their faces, too, seem admirably adapted for cold weather, for they have very small noses. They come to us and say: 'What for white man have big nose? Freeze quick.' They pay very little attention to the weather, and I have seen little children playing games out of doors with the temperature 40 degrees below zero."

Speaking of the work done by the natives, the inspector told of finely-carved walrus tusks.

"They make cribbage boards for the white men that are wonderful specimens. They cut down one side of the tusk till it is quite flat, and then bore the necessary number of holes. The rest of the tusk is beautifully carved I have one with a splendid carving of the harbor, with ships on the bay. On one side is a carving of boats in pursuit of a whale, and on the other the scene where the whale is killed. They rub lampblack into the carving and it never washes out.' One native was shown an American dollar. He looked closely at it, and then went to his hut and carved a wonderful reproduction of the spreadeagle. It was truly marvellous."

About 800 miles east of Herschel Island is a district known as Prince Alberts Land. The people here have never seen a white man. The only exception, so far as can be learned, is that of an old woman, who saw white men when she was a girl.

"These people have copper tools, which they have learned how to temper," said Inspector Fitzgerald. "I have seen copper knives made by them which are as hard, nearly, as steel."

"This is an art which would be of wonderful value down here.'

"The police at Herschel have very little difficulty with either natives or whalers. If a sailor deserts from a ship, I go after him, and simply tell him it means certain death to try to cross the mountains into the Yukon. If he won't come back I force him to, for that is the only way to save his life."

"The natives are very honest. In all my experiences I never knew one to tell a lie, or steal. Perhaps they will when they learn our ways more."

At this station there are only two mails a year, one in February, and one in July. For 45 days there is no sun visible, and papers arrive but once a year. It costs $420 a ton to get provisions from Edmonton.

"I do hope there will be no gold discovered there, for if dozens died in the rush for the Yukon, hundreds would die on the way to Herschel," concluded Mr. Fitzgerald.

Forty men are wanted for the force, and the inspector will be in the city till the 20th of the present month, to explain the situation to applicants.

"If I had my time over again, I should certainly joint the force," he declared.

# MRS. DR. M'CRAE AGAIN PRESIDENT

## W. F. M. S. of Presbyterian Church Concluded Its Convention This Morning.

## SESSION SATISFACTORY

**Larger Attendance and Excellent Reports—List of the Delegates Who Had Registered.**

The 26th annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the London Presbytery came to a close in the First Presbyterian Church this afternoon, after one of the most successful sessions in its history.

The officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

**The Officers.**

Honorary president, Mrs. Murray, London, reelected; president, Mrs. McCrae, re-elected; first vice-president, Mrs. Weir, Glencoe, re-elected; second vice-president, Mrs. Inkster; third vice-president, Mrs. Malcolm, of Dutton; fourth vice-president, Mrs. Watson, Thamesford; treasurer, Mrs. R. Donaghy, London; recording secretary, Miss McAdam, St. Thomas; corresponding secretary, Miss L. M. Fraser, London; secretary of supplies, Mrs. Middleton; assistant secretary, Mrs. McEachren; Tidings secretary, Miss Gibson, all of London.

**eports of Auxiliaries.**

The great portion of the morning session was spent in hearing reports from the various auxiliaries of the district, and all were found to be eminently satisfactory and were adopted.

A report of the committee on resolutions was read by Mrs. Monroe, of Birr.

**The Delegates.**

Among the delegates who registered were: Mrs. McCrae, Wilton Grove; Mrs. Watson, Thamesford; Miss L. M. Fraser, London; Miss J. Woods, of Crumlin; Jessie C. Colvin, Ivan; Agnes M. Caverhill, Ivan; Miss E. Argo, Ivan; Mrs. F. Ballyntyne, London; Mrs. T. R. Shearer, Melbourne; Mrs. J. Henderson, Hyde Park; Mrs. A. M. Haig, West Lorne; Mrs. D. Hyndman, West Lorne; Miss Jean Shipley, Falkirk; Mrs. Munroe, London Township; Mrs. Straitch, Mrs. Malcolm, Dutton; Emma Hull, Glencoe; Bessie Campbell, St. Thomas; Mrs. Trump, St. Thomas; Miss Ferguson, St. Thomas; Mrs. W. Bain, Newbury; Mrs. D. Fletcher, Newbury; Mrs. F. Nicholls, Coldstream; Mrs. D. R. Thompson, Cowal; Mrs. Fletcher and Miss McTavish, Cowal; Mary Shipley, Falkirk; Mrs. Robert Clark, Cowal; Miss Atkinson, Mrs. Archer, Miss McAlpine, Wardsville; Miss Craig, Miss Jennie Murray, Wilton Grove; Mrs. Pickles, London; Mrs. Robertson, St. Thomas; Miss Chalmers, Kintore; Mrs. A. Crawford, Caradoc; Miss T. Murray, Westminster; Miss Watson, London; Mrs. A. McAlpine, aite's Corners; Laura Doane London; Mrs. Scott, Port Stanley; Mrs. Lethbridge, Taite's Corners; Mrs. Rollins, London; Mrs. J. Wilson, Dorchester; Miss McLean, Ilderton; Miss Lillian Gray, Miss Neva Snell, Mrs. Currie, Belmont; Miss Potter, Kintore; Lena McPhail, Largie; Miss Buchanan, Campbellton; Miss Walker, Crinan; Miss J. Wylie, Ailsa Craig; Mrs. McLeod, Thamerford; Mrs. Day, Thamesford; Miss Edith Graham, Komoka; Mrs. D. W. Campbell, Ivan; Mrs. Adams, Cowal; Mrs. Coutts, St. Thomas; Miss Campbell, Melbourne; Mrs. Scott, Glencoe; Mrs. Sinclair, Glencoe; Mrs. W. O. Carson, London; Mrs. E. L. Pidgeon, St. Thomas; Miss Kathryn Colquhoun, Isabel Davidson, May Smith, London; Willena Thornton, London; Mrs. Finlayson, Glencoe; Mrs. Gauld, St. Thomas; Mrs. Taylor, London; Mrs. A. E. Sutherland, Glencoe; Mrs. J. Zoller, Miss W. McAlpine, Glencoe; Mrs. J. Burnett, Dorchester.

# BACK WAS BROKEN ABLE TO BE ABOUT

## Mr. A. G. Rogers, Injured in the C. P. R. Yards at Galt, Returns Home.

Mr. A. G. Rogers, the C. P. R. fireman who had his back broken by being knocked off an engine on the morning of Oct. 19 last, and was operated on at the Galt Hospital by Dr. MacKendrick, has so far recovered that he arrived home on Wednesday, and is now able to be up and about a little on crutches, and can move his limbs to a certain extent. In a few weeks, the doctor expects, he will be able to walk with the aid of a cane, which is a great triumph for surgery, and reflects great credit on the attendant physician.

### THREE MEN KILLED

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 21. — Three men were killed and two seriously injured by a fall of rock in the Jermyn No. 3 colliery in Old Forge yesterday. All of the killed were foreign laborers. Dominick Powell, a miner, had his skull fractured, and will probably die. Two of the men were robbing pillars at the time of the accident. When the roof fell on them the three ran to their assistance, and were caught in the second fall. It took a large force of the mine several hours to dig out the dead and injured men.

### NEW CUSTOMS OFFICERS.

**Windsor, Ont., Jan. 21. — John Halstead, of Harrow, and Charles Quallins, of Windsor, the latter being former game warden, have been appointed additional immigration officers at the Windsor dock. The increase in the staff has been made to relieve customs officers, also required to do the work of immigration officers.**


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All these people need to make them healthy, cheerful and of sound appetite is a box of Mi-o-na Tablets.

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It stops belching of gas and distress after eating in five minutes. It is undoubtedly the greatest stomach tonic ever given to the public by a specialist in stomach diseases.

Leading druggists everywhere sell Mi-o-na. W. T. Strong sells it in London for 50 cents a large box, on the money-back plan.

### A FAST GAME.

Owen Sound, Ont., Jan. 21. — Owen Sound and Markdale played a junior O. H. A. hockey match here last night, the game resulting in this score: Owen Sound 6, Markdale 5. Play was fast all through, although the ice was soft. The score at half-time was 1 to 1. After half-time Markdale scored three straight. Owen Sound then scored, and after about five minutes Markdale found the nets again. Then Owen Sound scored three in quick succession, making the game 5 to 5. The teams decided to play the tie off, so played five minutes each way, and Owen Sound scored one goal, making the total 6 to 5.

It's as difficult for some men to keep a promise as it is for some women to keep money.

# COST OF LIVING JUMPS IN LONDON

## Some Phenomenal Increases Were Shown by Reference to The Advertiser's Files.

## PORK IS ALMOST DOUBLE

**Beef Is Also Away Up — All Lines of Eatables Show Big Advances— So Does House Rent.**

In view of the success that the boycott on meats is meeting with in Cleveland, it is interesting to notice the general advance that has taken place in prices during the last ten years in London.

The Advertiser files of ten years ago show that beef on the local market was selling at from 5 to 6 cents a pound, whereas the prices now are 8 and 9 cents.

Mutton in quarters sold at from 5 to 7 cents a pound ten years ago, and is now selling at from 8 to 11 cents by the hundredweight.

Lamb in quarters in 1900 was selling at from 8 to 9 cents a pound, with only a fair demand, while now it is quoted at from 12 to 13 cents.

### Hog Prices.

Live hogs that were formerly from $5 40 to $5 60, per cwt., are now selling at $8 25.

Dressed hogs in 1900 were selling slowly at $7 25 a hundred, and now are quoted at from $11 50 to $12.

Young pigs, which are now selling at from $5 50 to $9, were then quoted at from $3 50 to $4.

Cheese, which now retails at from 15 to 17 cents a pound, was quoted at 12 cents.

Eggs were selling at from 22 cents to 25 cents a dozen, as against 35 to 40 cents now. Butter in rolls is quoted at from 20 to 21 cents, and now at 26 and 28 cents.

Creamery butter was 24 and 25 cents and is now 28 and 30 cents a pound.

### Turkey Quotations.

Turkeys were 8 and 9 cents a pound as against 15 cents now. Geese sold at from 5 to 6 cents a pound, and are now 12 to 14 cents. Chickens ran from 40 to 60 cents a pair, and at the present time are selling at 13 and 14 cents a pound.

Hens in 1900 were quoted at from 40 to 50 cents a pair.

Apples sold at from 50 to 75 cents a bag, and now run from 40 to 90 cents.

Apples per barrel were $1 50 to $2, as against $1 50 to $2 50 now.

Potatoes were 30 to 35 cents a bag and have just doubled being 60 to 70 cents now.

Turnips were 25 cents a bag, and are now from 25 to 35 cents per bushel. There is no change in the prices of celery and cabbage at 30 to 40 cents. Onions, which were 60 and 75 cents a bag, now are $1 10 to $1 25 per bushel.

### Other Increases.

Other things have kept pace with eatables. The prices of house rent are greatly increased, and many lines of clothing have increased from 20 to 25 per cent. Leather and rubber goods show a great advance.

Wages have shown some advance, but have not kept pace, it is alleged, with the increase in the cost of things. It has been figured out by experts that a man who ten years ago was getting $100 a month, and who is still drawing wages at that rate, is in reality $60 a month worse off than he was in 1900.

Pearl fishing is still carried on with considerable success on the River Teith, at Callander, Perthshire.

# ATROCIOUS MURDER IN NEW YORK CITY

## An Italian Barber, His Wife and Mother Put to Death in Their Flat.

New York, Jan. 20.—A triple murder was revealed in an obscure flat in the heart of New York's East Side at dusk today.

Two women and a man are the victims, and the manner of their deaths was horrible. They had been gagged with silk handkerchiefs, and their heads crushed with hammers or an axe. The bodies were left, fully dressed, lying on the floor. A whimpering bullterrier was the only life in the flat. Robbery was the motive, or else it is another case of the Black Hand.

Salvatore Scalpone, a well-to-do young Italian barber, his wife and a middle-aged woman, believed to have been Mrs. Scalpone's mother, are the victims. Scalpone's failure to appear at his shop today started an investigation, which resulted in the discovery of the crime. Policemen, summoned by the janitor of a tenement, entered the locked flat by way of a fire escape.

In the kitchen, the first room off the fire escape, lay Scalpone's body. It was tied to the door. The face was battered beyond recognition. Near his dead master's body stood the whining terrier, cowering and blood spattered. The animal had paced from body to body, sniffing one ana then the other, staining the floors crimson with his footprints and waiting for human aid.

In the next room were the bodies of the women, gagged, as was the man, the handkerchiefs similarly knotted and the heads battered. But no weapon with which such wounds could have been inflicted, was found in the flat.

Dire confusion reigned in the abode of the dead. Drawers were dumped, cupboards ransacked, mattresses ripped open, and every conceivable hiding place for money or valuables pried open. In a little hallway the last traces of the murderer or murderers were found. There, concealed under a potato sack was a basin half filled with bloody water, a blood-stained vest and a pair of overalls, also blood spattered.

The water appearently had been used by the slayer to wash his hands before locking the apartment and making his escape by the fire escape.

Whoever took the three lives worked quietly, for the occupant of the flat, separated from that of Scalpone by the sheerest partition, says she heard nothing unusual late last night. It was then the crime was committed, for Scalpone worked in his shop until 10 o'clock.

The police are convinced that more than one person took part in the murders, for with the bullterrier on guard and three persons to cope with, one man, they say, would have been powerless. Also examination showed that Scalpone's body had been dragged from the dining-room to the kitchen, where it was tied. There is no direct clue to the murderers.

## HON. MR. DEVLIN ILL MUST GO ABROAD

Quebec, Jan. 20.—Hon. Mr. Devlin, minister of colonization, mines and fisheries, is very sick, and is going to London, England, for medical treatment on the advice of his surgeon. Mr. Donovan, his private secretary, goes with him.

# FARM LAND VALUES OF THE DOMINION

## Prices of Occupied Land and Agricultural Stock Shows a General Increase.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The census and statistics office today gives out a statement on farm land values, the values of farm animals and wool, and of the average wage paid farm and domestic help. The statistics are based on the reports of regular correspondents in every constituency in the Dominion.

The average value of occupied farm land in the Dominion is placed at $38 60 as against $35 70 last year. All the provinces except Prince Edward Island and British Columbia show slightly increased values over last year This upward tendency is due to the increased market value of all kinds of farm products. The lowest value, $20 46, is shown for Alberta, and the highest, $73 44, for British Columbia. Values are high in the last named province owing to the comparatively large extent of farm land there in orchards and small fruits.

The average value of occupied farms in Manitoba shows an increase of $1 64; in Saskatchewan, $1 14, and in Alberta an increase of $2 26 per acre over last year. In four of the provinces the value is over $30 per acre, being $32 07 in Prince Edward Island, $30 50 in Nova Scotia, $43 37 in Quebec, $50 22 in Ontario, and $73 44 in British Columbia. In New Brunswick the average is $23 77, in Manitoba $28 94, in Saskatchewan $21 54, and in Alberta $20 46 per acre.

### Farm Animals.

Although the values of farm animals are very close to those of last year yet they show a steady increase for all classes in all the provinces. The average value of horses at the end of the year is $49 29 for those under one year old as against $46 last year, $106 as against $100 for those of from one to under three years, and $150 as against $143 for those three years and over. Horses of the last class have the highest value in the western provinces, being $187 in Manitoba, $180 in Saskatchewan, $165 in British Columbia, and $150 in Alberta. In Ontario and Quebec they are about $144. In the Maritime Provinces they are $126 to $137.

### Milch Cows.

Milch cows have an average value in the Dominion of $36 as against $34 last year. In the Maritime Provinces they have a value of $31. In the Northwest provinces $30, in Quebec $33, in Ontario $40, and in British Columbia $51. These averages are generally close for all the provinces, the lowest value being in New Brunswick, and the highest in Ontario and British Columbia.

Other horned cattle have an average value for the Dominion of $19 as against $9 last year for ones under one year, $23 as against $21 for ones of from one to under three years, and $33 as against $32 last year for ones of three years and over. Animals of the last class are about $38 in Ontario, Nova Scotia and British Columbia, from $28 to $30 in Manitoba, Quebec, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island, and $40 in Saskatchewan.

The average value of swine is given as $7 99 per 100 lbs. as against $5 86 a year ago. The values are very close for all the provinces, being $7 33 in Ontario and Prince Edward Island, $7 26 in Nova Scotia, $7 36 in New Brunswick, $7 in Manitoba, $7 20 in Alberta, and $7 50 in British Columbia; but in Quebec the average is $9 62 per cwt.

The average value of sheep for the Dominion is $5 89, as against $5 23 last year. They are above the average in the Northwest provinces, British Columbia and Ontario, and below the average in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. From the general trend of remarks by correspondents it would seem that this industry, owing to the ravages of dogs in the eastern provinces and wolves in the western provinces, is on the decrease.

### Value of Farm Stock.

The total value of farm animals, computed on the foregoing averages, and the number of animals on farms in June was $558,790,000 as against $553,000,000 in 1908. The value of horses is put down at $278,759,000; milch cows at $103,601,000, other horned cattle at $126,326,000, swine at $34,368,000, and sheep at $15,735,000, and the average value as $139 72 for horses, $36 36 for milch cows, $28 81 for other horned cattle, $11 80 for swine, and $5 89 for sheep. The June price for wool for the Dominion was 17 cents per pound for unwashed, and 24 cents for washed wool.

The average wages during the summer season for competent farm and domestic help for the Dominion is $23 69 per month for males and $11 08 for females, exclusive of board, and per year $216 29 and $116 08 for males and females of the same class. These figures are for the native-born; the wages for immigrants are lower. The average value of board per month is placed at $10 for males and at $8 for females.

The highest wages are reported for the western provinces, where they reach $30 per month, and $300 per year for males, and $17 per month and $171 per year for females. A large majority of correspondents comment on the scarcity of reliable farm and domestic help, and report that neither male nor female help make yearly contracts. It would appear from the reports of correspondets that the more general practice is to employ male help during the busy season by the day, and the wages range from $1 per day in the Maritime Provinces, to $2 50 and $3 per day, with board, in the western provinces. In Ontario the average monthly wage for men is $23 52 and $10 22 for women.

## DENIED BY MR. GRAHAM

**Says That Pottinger Is Not to Succeed Butler on I. C. R. Board.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Hon. George P. Graham this morning denied the statement published in some newspapers that Mr. David Pottinger would succeed Mr. M. J. Butler, as chairman of the board of management of the Intercolonial Railway, and that Mr. J. Herbert, of Montreal, be appointed to the board. No action, he said, had been taken to fill the vacancies caused by Mr. Butler's retirement, nor would the question of the reorganization of the department be discussed until Mr. Butler's return to Ottawa from the east.

### CHARGES GRAFTING.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 20.—That he assisted the late Sigmund Rothschild, tobacco millionaire, to graft $4,000 from the Canadian Klondike Company, and that the money eventually came out of the Guggenheim Exploration Company, of whom Senator Guggenheim, of Colorado, is the head, was the testimony of James M. Elmer, a mining engineer, in a suit against the Canadian Klondike Company in Judge Murfin's court yesterday. Elmer is suing for $1,666, alleged to be due him in salary from the company. Elmer said Sigmund Rothschild told him to buy two dredges worth $60,000 for the company and to charge the company $4,000 extra. Rothschild owed Elmer $4,000, and told him to take that $4,000 in payment.

Elmer said the $4,000 came out of the Guggenheim concern, against which the charge was levled later.

## HIT WITH STEEL POT

**Husband Says That Wife Did It and Has Her Jailed.**

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Charles Stewart is in St. Michael's Hospital nursing a battered head, and Mary Elizabeth Stewart, his wife, is in a cell at the jail charged with committing an aggravated assault on her husband. Stewart says his wife, upon his arrival home from work last night and without provocation, hurled a steel pot which landed on his head. Several stitches were required to close the wounds. The couple were married about a year ago.

## CURTISS ABANDONS FLIGHT

**Will Not Attempt to "Airship" Over the Mountains in California.**

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 20.—With the end of the aviation meeting at hand Glenn H. Curtiss made it known today that he had no intention of making a flight to San Diego for the $5,000 prize offered by the businessmen of that city.

"Hamilton may attempt the flight if he remains over today or tomorrow," said Jerome Fanciulli, manager of Curtiss, "but Curtiss will leave tonight for Hammondsport.

By many at the aviation field this was taken to mean that Curtiss doubts the ability of the biplanes he has here to make the flights over the mountains.


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Naturally, this poison affects the work of every organ. *The liver is deranged, digestion is upset, and biliousness, headaches, lassitude and dizzy spells follow.*

Literally millions of people suffer these results of constipation without realizing the cause, or doing anything to remove it. Yet it can be removed, easily and with certainty, by using **Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills.**

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Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills were first taken to cure constipation nearly a hundred years ago, and during the last half century they have been very extensively and very successfully used throughout the world. *They are entirely vegetable in composition and do not sicken, weaken or gripe like mineral purgatives.*

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# A BAD BACK IS A BAD HANDICAP

Few of us can afford to be idle, and to those who work, a sound, strong back is a necessity. A bad back prevents rest or sleep, and aches all day with a dull, tired throb.

Don't think because sharp twinges strike you when you lift, or twist about, or reach, that your work is too hard for you. Bad backs are common in every occupation. Those aches and twinges are only Nature's warnings that the kidneys need help.

It is easy to tell if the kidneys are sick, and are not thoroughly doing their work of filtering the blood. Backache is an early warning. Headache, dizzy spells, puffy swellings under the eyes or in the ankles and legs, nervousness, irritability, rheumatic pain and tired feelings also tell of kidney ills.

Examine the urine. If it is extremely pale and light, the kidneys are not getting out all of the uric poison. If it is dark colored and thick, passages too frequent, or too scanty, if there is any sediment deposited when it stands, if passages burn or pain, that is proof enough that the kidneys need attention.

Booth's Kidney Pills have given strong, sound backs to thousands. This remedy cures backache and urinary troubles by removing the cause by curing the kidneys.

### London Testimony.

Mrs. H. Pritchett, 101 Maitland street, London, Ont., says: "Hard, dull backaches have given me untold misery and for over three years I have ached to that extent that I was totally unable to turn in bed without assistance. I doctored for many months without any relief and finally being told of the value of Booth's Kidney Pills, I procured a treatment at the W. T. Strong Drug Store. Upon using this remedy I found its effect at once beneficial and continuing the treatment my backache and pains through the limbs were stopped and I can now with ease turn in bed and I am in every sense free from my former trouble. I can and do give Booth's Kidney Pills a hearty recommend.

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### NINE MONTHS' IMMIGRATION.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—According to official figures the immigration into Canada during the nine months' of 1909, totalled 158,929, an increase of 31 per cent. The total for December was 8,673, compared with 4,960 for December, 1908.

### MANIAC'S VICTIM DIES.

New York, Jan. 20.—Six-year-old Arthur Shibley gave up his brave fight for life today. His mother's sacrifice had proved vain, the blood infused from her veins giving only temporary help to the desperately wounded lad. Thus another murder stands charged against the maniac who appeared among a party of boy coasters on Washington Heights last week, and shot and killed 6-year-old Robert Lomas, and wounded the Shibley lad.

Search for the murderer went on with fresh eagerness today, and another suspect was taken in custody at Astoria, Long Island.

## AN EXILE CHARGES CRIMES TO CZAR

### Bourtzeff Says Russian Ruler Not Only Knows of Outrages But Instigates Many.

New York, Jan. 21.—Bourtzeff, one man of the Russians whom 10,000 secret police fear as they fear the black death, laughs a dry laugh and shrugs his shoulders when he is asked why it is that the Czar's spies fear and hate him.

"It is because I am not good for their system," is the way Bourtzeff answers; "because I try to destroy that which gives them reason for being."

Vladimir Iwovitch Bourtzeff—as plain Bourtzeff his fame has spread through cabinets and closets in Russia—sat on the edge of a shoddy operating chair in the office of Dr. Paul S. Kaplane at 230 East Broadway this afternoon, and received one after another men who like himself are refugees from the Czar's government and workers against it. He had not been off the Oceanic six hours before plans had been made for a big reception for him at the Grand Central Palace tomorrow night, and an outline of his work during the next three months in America had been gone over by the revolutionists.

**Bourtzeff Well Educated.**

Dr. Kaplane acted as interpreter to the interviewers. Bourtzeff speaks French as well as he does his native tongue, for he is a man of education, and he has been editing papers in Paris for a good many years.

"I have come to America for various reasons," Bourtzeff replied to one of his questioners. "One of them is to shatter in this country, as I have tried to do in Europe, the legend of the Czar's innocence. What do I mean by that? Why, the false belief that Nicholas is clay in the hands of his ministers unaware, and hence innocent of the outrages that are the shame of Russia.

"I have ample proof that the Czar is personally responsible for all of the outrages that have darkened the years in Russia, that he keeps in close touch with the doings of his secret police, and actually inspires some of the crimes which are committed in the name of government.

**Will Tell Russia's Story.**

"I come to America also as a revolutionist, to try to tell the people here who enjoy such a degree of freedom, the real story of the revolution in Russia. I also come to see some of my friends here, to tell them of what is going on in the cause which has forced them to exile, and to confer with them as to ways and means for bringing all of the revolutionary parties together.

"I am a conservative revolutionist. I believe that a republic would be the ideal form of government for Russia, but Russia is not yet ready for a republic, and the best we can do is to secure a limited monarchy, with sure constitutional safeguards. Russia is stagnating under the present regime of autocratic despotism. It can never be progressive until it has thrown off the burden of the middle ages."

### ROOSEVELT'S HUNTING.

Wadelai, Belgian Congo (35 miles north of Lake Alberto), Jan. 21.—A special native runner from Rhine camp, the hunting headquarters of the Smithson-African scientific expedition, brings news that Col. Roosevelt has killed three good bulls and two cows of the white rhinoceros family and lesser game. The naturalists have collected many species of birds and mammals.

The party is in excellent health, and will depart for Nimule on Feb. 3.

### SIR SAMUEL GRAY DEAD.

Hamilton, Bermuda, Jan. 21. — Sir Samuel Brownlow Gray, former chief justice of Bermuda, died here last night. He was born in 1823.

## "ELECTRIC SLEEP" NEW ANAESTHETIC

### New Discovery Will Replace Ether—Removes Much of Danger.

Philadelphia, Jan. 21. — Years of investigation by noted surgeons for a perfect anaesthetic which would have no detrimental effect on the heart or other vital organs of the patient have apparently been rewarded. Electricity has come to the relief of the surgeon, and investigation going on here and abroad, just made public, shows that electricity is far superior to any of the drugs now used to produce analgesia.

This discovery, if confirmed by future investigations, as is confidently expected, will mean a revolution of modern methods of surgery. Persons suffering from diseases that call for operations, but who cannot get relief through danger of death if put under ether or chloroform, can be cured, for electricity, when used as an anaesthetic, produces no bad effect on the heart.

It produces a state of insensibility, by acting on the nerve centres of the brain, that is called "electric sleep." The sleep is not fatal, and when the electric current is opened the influence is immediately lost and the patient becomes conscious without feeling any of the after effects common with drug anaesthetics.

Not only has electricity been found of service in surgical cases, but, according to preliminary communications recently submitted to medical journals by leading physicians, can be used for resuscitating electrocuted animals.

The investigators are confident that if this idea is developed it will only be a short time before it will be possible to resuscitate human beings who have been electrocuted.

To Stephane Leduc, of Naples, the medical profession is indebted for the comprehensive study of "electric sleep." He has conducted numerous experiments on animals, most of them being very successful, and other investigators are following in his footsteps.

## DISTRICT CASES AT OSGOODE HALL

### Clinton Action, Also One From Tillsonburg.

At Osgoode Hall on Thursday in re Clinton Thresher Company, J. F. Boland, for liquidator, appealed from the report of the local master at Goderich. W. Proudfoot, K.C., for three directors who have been placed on list of contributors, stated that parties had agreed that this appeal, and that of the liquidator, as to these contributories, are to be enlarged two weeks. W. Brydone, for town of Clinton, and five contributors. C. Garrow, for Drummond, McCall & Co., lien holders. G. W. Mason, for the A. R. Williams Machinery Company, lien holders. The appeal the liquidators as to distraint for taxes by the town of Clinton, argued and dismissed with costs. On application of liquidator, on the ground that all lien holders not served, the appeals as to lien holders are enlarged for two weeks on payment of the costs of the day, fixed at $20 for Mr. Garrow and $15 for Mr. Mason, to be paid previous to return of motion, and leave given, so far as it may be done, to serve notice on the lien holders not already served, but without prejudice to any objections that time has elapsed for appealing.

Brown vs. Windsor, Essex and Lake Shore Rapid Railway Company. J. M. Pike, K.C., for defendants, appealed from the judgment of Falconbridge, C. J., of Oct. 27, 1909. V. A. Sinclair, Tillsonburg, for plaintiff, contra. The action was to recover $10,000 damages for the death of Jay R. Brown, telephone lineman, alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the defendants. At the trial judgment was given for plaintiff for $2,000 and costs. Defendants appeal therefrom. Appeal dismissed and judgment affirmed with costs.

## NO NICKEL MONOPOLY

### Member for Nipissing Contradicts the Statement of Expert Wilson.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Mr. Gordon (Nipissing), in the House today, before the orders of the day, called attention to the recent statements made by Mr. Arthur Wilson, of Toronto, before the House committee on mines and minerals, as reported in the daily press. They were to the effect that all the nickel deposits of Canada were owned by the International Company, which also controlled the nickel mines of New Caledonia and thus monopolized the world's entire output. Mr. Gordon said that there were millions of acres containing nickel deposits in Ontario which were not owned by this company. He asked if it were true, as reported that Mr. Wilson represented the British Government, and he desired to know what steps would be taken by the mines department to refute his statements.

Mr. Templeman, Minister of Mines, said that no department of the Government could run down and contradict all the inaccurate statements made in the country, and Mr. Conmee (Rainy River), said that he had received a telegram from Mr. Wilson disputing the accuracy of the press reports and denying that he had ever represented himself as being in the service of the Imperial Government.

## TO ABOLISH COMMISSION

### St. Thomas Council Will Ask to Run Street Railway Itself.

St. Thomas, Jan. 21.—At the meeting of the council it was decided to abolish the street railway commission, and to ask the Legislature at once to repeal the act passed several years ago establishing government of the road by commission. The electric road in St. Thomas is owned by the city, and has never paid its way, and today many of the ratepayers declare that they will enter a counter action that the council will not control the road, but that the commissioners will continue the work.

A couple of days ago the manager of the road, George Baldson, tendered his resignation on the plea that he could not please the public or the commission.

### STANLEY'S COMRADE DEAD.

Indianapolis, Jan. 21. — George Gasper, a member of the exploring party of Sir Henry Stanley on his last trip to Africa, died last night of paralysis. Gasper lived in Indianapolis for 25 years. During the last few years of his life he kept a grocery store.

## WARM BATTLE ON THE FAMOUS CASTLE

### Princess Tells of Attack Made on Her by Servant With Hatchet—Roman Society Stirred.

Rome, Jan. 21.—The fight for possession of the famous Castle of Nemi, which as the link which binds the present to a long past has hardly an equal in Italy, is still the topic on every lip. The Ruspoli will suit of which the castle is the pivot has shaken Roman society to depths. On the one side in the contest is a great and noble family, on the other side the Roman prince's American widow, who says her money made the purchase of Nemi possible.

Princess Henry Ruspoli, who was Mrs. Jennie Bruton, born a Berry, of Oak Hill, Ga., and a beauty of renown, has brought condemnation on herself by publishing various statements concerning her husband which his relatives pronounce malicious fabrications. But the bitterness engendered by the late prince's method of handling the great wealth she brought him has made it difficult to judge between the widow and the brother, Humbert, who claims the castle under his brother's will.

**Says She Bought Castle.**

The princess has stated that she bought Nemi from her husband. His family declare that the American wife tried to force Ruspoli to give her the castle on condition that she separate from him—something he ardently desired. Though dying when this offer was made, his brother persists that the prince steadily refused to eliminate the castle from his family, bequeathing it to Humbert.

To refute the charge that she paid for the castle Humbert has deposited with friends $41,000, which he promises to turn over to the princess if she proves she advanced any such sum for the purchase. This offer holds good till Jan. 30, when, failing response, Humbert gives notice he will consider himself unhampered to proceed according to the law.

While the will of the dead prince directs that his body be examined by scientists to determine the cause and nature of the long and lingering illness which terminated in death, the princess has made public an extraordinary account of an attempt on her life on Jan. 7, when a servant under a supposed maniacal impulse rushed to her apartments with a hatchet. She fled down the stairs and escaped to the road by jumping from the wall. The princess hints that her husband's brothers instigated the murderous attack. They claim that a footman, driven to frenzy by violent abuse, rushed upon her, and add that all her servants complain of cruel treatment at her hands, and are overjoyed that Nemi will pass to Prince Humbert.

He has joined his brothers in suing the newspapers for publishing the princess' letters.

**History of the Castle.**

Nemi is a mediaeval Italian fortress, standing on the brow of a cliff far above Lake Nemi, about twenty miles southwest of Rome. The battlemented castle dates from the sixteenth century, when it was the chief stronghold of the House of Frangipani. In the clear waters of the lake two galleys, supposed to have been built by Tiberius or his nephew, Caligula, lie sunk there and many plans have been prepared to raise them. The late Prince Henry, who was only 32 at his death, married Mrs. Eugenia Enfield Bruton (Jenny Berry) in Washington, March, 1902. Mr. Bruton was a wealthy tobacco grower and left her a large fortune.

## PLEDGE THEMSELVES TO VEGETABLE DIET

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 21.—Three hundred and sixty-five stationary engineers have signed a pledge to abstain from meat for 30 days. Similar pledges have been signed by employees of manufacturing concerns.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 21.—The ranks of the abstainers from meateating were augmented today by 500 Omaha workmen who pledged themselves to a vegetable diet.

## DENIES THE INTERVIEW

### Engineer Did Not Consult With Mr. Pugsley Over "Sawdust" Wharf.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—In the public accounts committee this morning some further light was shed on the purchase by the public works department of the "sawdust" wharf at Richibucto. District Engineer Stead, of the department, was again on the stand, and was cross-examined at considerable length by Mr. Crocket. No new points were, however, brought out. Mr. Stead denied that he had any special interview with Hon. Dr. Pugsley, or that personal letters had passed between them with reference to the transaction.

Andrew Logie, who was quoted yesterday by Mr. Stead as authority for the statment that the Government had got good value for the $5,000 paid for the wharf, was unable to give evidence this morning as expected, owing to asthma. A doctor's certificate was produced.

## LOST HER PRIZE

### Was Being Towed Into Halifax When the Hawsers Broke.

St. Johns, Nfld., Jan. 20. — After having towed the disabled Head Line steamer Bengore Head since last Sunday, the Allan Line steamer Pomeranian lost her prize seven miles off here this morning, when a hawser broke. The Bengore Head again is adrift, helpless.

The Pomeranian came here today, secured a new hawser and returned to seek the crippled freighter. Three steamers of the sealing fleet also have departed to look for the rich prize, which the successful towing of the Bengore Head to port would mean for them. The weather is clear and no fear is felt for the safety of the Bengore Head's crew.

She sailed from Marysport, England, Dec. 27, for St. John, N. B. She carries no passengers. Her crew consists of about forty men.

The nature of the accident to the freighter is not known.

### POLITELY DECLINES.

Tokio, Jan. 21.—The reply of the Japanese Government to the United States proposal for the neutralization of the Manchurian railways was handed to the American ambassador this afternoon. It is a polite declination.

### CONNAUGHTS TO AFRICA.

London, Jan. 21.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught, accompanied by their son and daughter, Prince Arthur and Princess Patricia, left this city today on a shooting expedition in East Africa. They will make their headquarters at Nairobi.


## Cook's Troubles

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## NEWS FROM EMBRO

### Special Nominations—The Candidates Chosen—Two Presentations—Pretty Wedding.

Embro, Jan. 20.—At the special nomination which was held here, the following gentlemen were nominated for councillors: Messrs. D. M. Sutherland, John McLeod, D. J. McMurphy, Dr. H. B. Atkinson, James Boles, John Douglas, J. H. Williams, A. E. Campbell, W. H. Beaver.

Mr. and Miss Mighton, of Saskatoon, Sask., are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Hugh Munro.

The marriage took place in Galt on Jan. 11 of Miss Ethel Bolduc to Mr. Donald Sutherland, of Sutherland, Sask., formerly of this village. The young couple spent part of their honeymoon with friends here.

The annual meeting of Knox Church was held on Wednesday afternoon. After the business had been attended to, Mr. D. R. Ross, the retiring treasurer, was called forward and on behalf of the congregation, presented with a beatuiful silver service. His sister, Miss Barbara Ross, was the recipient of a gold watch. Mr. Ross has ably filled his position for over fifteen years, and had a valued assistant in his sister, Miss Ross.

A pretty wedding was solemnized in Ingersoll on Tuesday, Jan. 11, at the home of Rev. Alfred Bright, when he united in marirage Mr. E. D. Hopkins, of Gooding, Idaho, and Miss Elda Fraser, youngest daughter of Mrs. Hugh Fraser, of the second line. Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins left after the ceremony for their home in Idaho, where they have the best wishes of Embro and Zorra friends for a happy wedded life.

Rev. Mr. Barber was in Galt over Sunday, where he conducted services for Dr. Dickson.

Mrs. Hobbs, who recently underwent an operation in Woodstock Hospital, has returned to her home.

The death took place in Toronto General Hospital on Saturday, of Murray, the 5-year-old son of Mr. James Fraser, B.A., of Kingston, formerly of this village. While playing with matches the child's clothes became ignited, and he sustained terrible injuries which resulted in his death. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser have the sympathy of the community in their sade bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and Mr. and Mrs. F. Slater have returned from their honeymoon.

Messrs. W. R. Munro and John Munro are in Glencoe on business.

## ICE BREAKING UP IN ST. CLAIR RIVER

### Pere Marquette Ferry Channel Has Been Blocked—Better Fair Grounds Needed.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Jan. 20. — The Y. D. R. Club held a very successful dance in the town hall last night.

The continued mild weather of the past few days has caused the ice in the river to break up in places, and as a result the Pere Marquette ferry channely has been completely blocked. Should the ice above the Sarnia and Port Huron ferry channel break up and come down it will mean a great inconvenience to the public and a heavy expense to the company.

**Lakeview Cemetery Annual Statement**

The annual meeting of the Lakeview Cemetery committee was held last evening. The attendance was fair, and the treasurer's report, showing a cash balance for the year of $1,199 19, and a balance in the bank of $9,921 66, was received, and adopted. According to the caretaker's report there were 154 interments during the past year, of which 97 were from Sarnia and 9 from Point Edward. The old board of directors were re-elected, with Mr. John Ferguson as town representative in place of Ed Lawrence. At the close of the business meeting the directors met and the following officers were elected by acclamation: President, G. A. Proctor; secretary, M. A. Sanders; caretaker, B. M. Wees; executive council, president, treasurer, and A. C. Clark; auditors, L. C. Watson and A. B. Telfer.

**A Deceitful Clock.**

A town clock that won't keep accurate time is like a pump without a handle, and unless the clock which adorns (?) our postoffice be taken to the hospital and receive treatment, the Government will naturally be held responsible for the many expressions of disgust that come from those who have, by taking the postoffice clock for accurate time, find that their car has gone five or ten minutes before.

**West Lambton Agricultural Society.**

One of the most successful meetings in the history of the West Lambton Agricultural Society was that held in the council chamber this (Thursday) afternoon. The attendance of members from both town and country was good, and a rousing meeting was the result. President G. McArthur, who has spent much time and labored earnestly in the society's interest, took the chair at 1 o'clock, and was given a warm reception. The following officers were then elected for 1910: President, G. A. McArthur; first vice-president, Ed Goodison; directors, J. M. Diver, Malcolm McKenzie, Alex. Kelly, Jos. Ellison, J. Tait, John Mellon, George Cole, John Newton and Wm. Lucombe; honorary directors, D. M. Millan, Ed Everett, C. A. Wade, J. White, J. Simpson, and L. Harkness; auditors, Robert Fleck and T. J. Gordon. Despite the unfavorable weather during the days of last year's fair the directors were able to show in their report a small cash balance. This was somewhat of a surprise to some who had been complaining of the ineffective management of the society.

**May Change Site and Date.**

It is not at all improbable that the fair of 1910 will be held on new and more convenient grounds than at present, at least this was the concensus of opinion expressed by many of those present. The directors were empowered to appoint a committee to consider the advisability of securing more suitable grounds for the holding of the fair. The question of earlier dates for the fair, when fine weather would be more apt to prevail, was also brought up, and it is quite likely the directors will act along the lines of the suggestion.

The directors met and elected the following officers: President, G. A. McArthur; secretary, M. A. Sanders; treasurer, Elmer West; collector, G. A. McArthur.

G. A. McArthur and M. A. Sanders were elected delegates to attend the annual meeting of the Provincial Fairs Association, to be held at Toronto on Feb. 10. The following committee was appointed to consider the advisability of changing the grounds and report at the next meeting in February: The president, secretary, treasurer and Ed Goodison.


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## NEW BATH INVENTED FOR LUNG TROUBLES

### Compressed Air Used in London to Treat Pulmonary Diseases.

London, Jan. 20.—"Compressed air baths" comprise the latest medical wrinkle in treating sufferers from pulmonary troubles, and it has been found most efficacious in dealing with asthma, bronchitis and emphrysema. The patients are merely locked up for a few hours at a time in a hermetically sealed boiler and required to breathe the compressed air, which is pumped into this chamber. The novel treatment already has attained constant usage in the Brompton Hospital for Consumption and Diseases of the Chest.

"We really cannot explain just why this treatment has yielded such splendid results," explained Frederick Wood (secretary of the Brompton Infirmary), "but it has been most valuable, and effected numerous cures. I believe, therefore, that the best thing I can do is to accord you a 'personally conducted' tour to this particular plant."

**Machine Is Like Boiler.**

After passing along a labyrinth of corridors a light flickered up, and the "machine" was in evidence. It resembled nothing so much as a large, old-fashioned boiler, studded with rivets, and standing on end. On nearer inspection, too, it seemed to have a nautical smack to it, reminding the observer of a diving bell of other days. Set around in the steel plates were portholes covered with heavy plate glass, while above a large pipe disappeared through the top of the chamber.

"Nothing very complicated about it, is there?" remarked Mr. Wood. "And there isn't much to excite you in the interior," he added, as an attendant swung open a door, which hitherto had appeared as an integral part of this boiler—diving-bell affair. Certainly the interior of the chamber was plain enough. For furniture, just a little table and two or three chairs. For decoration of the steel walls there was little but the many rows of rivets, which, in default of better amusement might be counted backward or forward or upward or downward or half a dozen other ways.

**No Talking Is Allowed.**

One scarcely expected pictures in a compressed air bath; but something caught one's eye on the moment of entry. That was a notice, prominent, and curtly worded. "Talking strictly forbidden," it said. Here was matter for conjecture. Why should not bathers in compressed air indulge in polite conversation?

"We have to make that rule for more than one reason," explained Mr. Wood. "You see, the effect of the compressed air, apart from its curative action, is rather curious. It has, if anything, a rather exhilarating action, and gives rise to that happy feeling said to be experienced by those who climb high mountains. Now, you can quite see that, in any case, it might be bad for patients, perhaps rather weak, to start a conversation which might possibly develop into a hot argument. Imagine a heated political argument under conditions of unusual exhilaration, and you will see the need for the 'no talking' rule.

"The treatment itself is carried on like this," Mr. Wood went on to explain. "Two or three, or even four, patients are sent into the bath at once. The hermetically closing door is shut on them, and the air pumped in by a steam pump until the pressure reaches forty pounds to the square inch."

## TRAIN WITNESS AT CORONER'S INQUEST

### Locomotive With Fourteen Loaded Cars Demonstrates Ability to Stop Quickly.

New York, N. Y., Jan. 20. — A heavily loaded freight train of fourten cars was put through a novel experimental test on the tracks of the ew York Central Railroad near Croton today, under the direction of Coroner Squire, of Lestchester County, who is investigating the Montreal express wreck, in which Spencer Trasw, the New York banker, was killed.

The train, identical in equipment, with that of the freight which crashed into the express, was run down the track until it reached the signal said to have been set against the freight on the day of the wreck. It was humming along at 35 miles an hour, when the engineer set the brakes and the train came to a stop in 1,018 feet.

Testimony had been given at the inquest that a train of the kind could not be stopped in less than 3,200 feet. It was also testified that the stalled express was not sighted until the freight was within 1,732 feet of it.

## OFFICER'S DAUGHTER POSED AS MAN

### Marian Hamilton-Gray Wore Male Attire for Ten Years.

New York, Jan. 21. — Marian Hamilton-Gray, believed to be a daughter of the late Col. Hamilton-Gray, of the British Indian service, who was arrested here while masquerading in male attire, attributes her unmasking to a jealous woman of Newark Valley, Lioga County.

"I have worn men's clothes for ten years," said the slight young woman, when discharged in the police court, "and while I was in Newark Valley a few months ago a woman there twice my age fell in love with me and wanted to marry me. Circumstances, of course, forced me to refuse her, and she threatened vengeance. She even threatened to kill me, and when I left there she followed me.

"When I came to New York, she learned that I had appealed to St. George's Society for assistance, posing as a son of Col. Hamilton-Gray, and she had me arrested for imposition. My only imposition is that I am a daughter instead of a son of Col. Hamilton-Gray."


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# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

## HAY SALES WERE SLOW THOUGH SUPPLIES ARE LOW

### Price Ranged From $13 to $15 a Ton—Market a Small One Today.

The small market has again returned, due doubtless to the unfavorable weather. Hay and straw were the only commodities offered. There was a fair supply of the former, but the latter was somewhat scarce. Despite the fact that the supply of hay is rather low in the city at present, owing to the persistent bad weather, the sales were not very brisk, as the hay offered was inclined to be very wet. The price ranged from $13 to $15, the majority of the better class stuff selling for the latter figure. Straw sold from $7 to $7 50. Other prices remained as follows:

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| Wheat, per bu | $1 05 | to | $1 06 |
| **Grain.** | | | |
| Wheat, per bu | $1 05 | to | $1 05 |
| Oats, per cwt | 1 15 | to | 1 22 |
| Corn, per cwt | 1 35 | to | 1 40 |
| Buckwheat, per cwt | 1 25 | to | 1 30 |
| Barley, per cwt | 1 10 | to | 1 15 |
| Peas, per cwt | 1 15 | to | 1 15 |
| Beans, per bu | 1 65 | to | 1 70 |
| Rye, per cwt | 1 05 | to | 1 10 |
| **Hay and Straw.** | | | |
| Hay, per ton | 13 00 | to | 15 00 |
| Straw, per ton | 7 00 | to | 7 50 |
| **Dairy Produce.** | | | |
| Butter, creamery, lb | 28 | to | 30 |
| Butter, rolls, per lb | 26 | to | 28 |
| Butter, crock, lb | 26 | to | 27 |
| Eggs, crate, dozen | 28 | to | 30 |
| Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen | 35 | to | 40 |
| Honey, strained, lb | 10 | to | 12 |
| Honey, in comb | 12 | to | 15 |
| **Poultry, Dressed.** | | | |
| Turkeys, per lb | 18 | to | 18½ |
| Ducks, spring, per lb | 14 | to | 15 |
| Old ducks, per lb | 10 | to | 11 |
| Old fowl, per lb | 10 | to | 11 |
| Chickens, per lb | 13 | to | 14 |
| Geese, per lb | 12 | to | 14 |
| **Poultry, Alive.** | | | |
| Old fowl, per lb | 8 | to | 9 |
| Turkeys, per lb | 18 | to | 20 |
| Spring ducks, per lb | 10 | to | 15 |
| Ducks, per lb | 10 | to | 12 |
| Young fowl, per lb | 9 | to | 11 |
| **Butchers' Meats.** | | | |
| Beef, by the carcase | 8 00 | to | 9 00 |
| Mutton, per cwt | 9 00 | to | 11 00 |
| Veal, per cwt | 9 00 | to | 10 00 |
| Spring lambs, per lb | 12 | to | 13 |
| Dressed hogs, per cwt | 11 50 | to | 11 50 |
| **Live Stock.** | | | |
| Small pigs, per pair | 7 00 | to | 9 00 |
| Select hogs, per cwt | 8 25 | to | 8 25 |
| Fat sows, per cwt | 5 00 | to | 6 00 |
| Stags, per cwt | 2 00 | to | 3 00 |
| Export cattle, cwt | 5 00 | to | 5 50 |
| Milch cows, each | 30 00 | to | 40 00 |
| **Hides and Wool.** | | | |
| Lambskins, each | 75 | to | 85 |
| Wool, washed, per lb | 20 | to | 22 |
| Wool, unwashed, per lb | 12 | to | 14 |
| Hides, No 1, lb | 10 | to | 10 |
| Hides, No 2, lb | 9 | to | 9 |
| Hides, No 3, lb | 8 | to | 8 |
| **Vegetables.** | | | |
| Potatoes, per bag | 50 | to | 60 |
| Turnips, per bu | 25 | to | 35 |
| Celery, per dozen | 30 | to | 40 |
| Lettuce, per dozen | 30 | to | 40 |
| Sage, per dozen | 20 | to | 20 |
| Savory, per dozen | 20 | to | 20 |
| Cabbage, dozen (to size) | 30 | to | 40 |
| Red cabbage, dozen | 40 | to | 40 |
| Onions, per bu | 1 10 | to | 1 25 |
| Beets, per bu | 40 | to | 45 |
| Parsnips, per bu | 50 | to | 50 |
| Beans, per bu | 1 20 | to | 1 50 |
| Mangels, bu, by the load | 20 | to | 20 |
| Carrots, bu, by the load | 30 | to | 40 |
| **Fruits.** | | | |
| Apples, per bbl | 1 50 | to | 2 50 |
| Apples, per bu | 20 | to | 50 |
| Apples, per bag | 40 | to | 90 |

### PRODUCE

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—Prices remain steady, and the grain market has changed not a mortice since yesterday. The advance of 10c a barrel in western flour was rather a surprise to the market. Quotations: Ontario wheat—No. 2 mixed winter, $1 06 to $1 07; No. 2 white, $1 07 to $1 08 outside. Manitoba wheat—Spot, No. 1 northern, $1 12; No. 2 northern, $1 10, on track at lake ports, for early January delivery: No. 1 northern, $1 16½; No. 2 northern, $1 14½, all-rail. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 76c; new No. 3 yellow, 73c to 73½, Toronto freights; kiln-dried No. 3 yellow, 74c to 75c. Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 41½c; No. 3, 40½c, on track at lake ports, January shipment; all-rail, No. 2 western, 45½c; No. 3 western, 44½c; No. 2 white, 36c to 37c outside; No. 3 white, 35c outside, 33c on track at Toronto. Barley—No. 2, 57c to 58c; No. 3 extra, 56c; No. 3, 50c to 51c; feed barley, 49c outside; Manitoba No. 3, 55c; No. 4, 52c, on track at lake ports. Peas—New No. 2, 84c to 86c. Rye—No. 2, 67c outside. Buckwheat—No. 2, 55c to 56c outside. Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto: First patents, $5 70; second patents, $5 20; strong bakers, $5; 90 per cent patents, Glasgow freights, 29s 6d. Ontario flour—Winter wheat patents, for export, $4 20 to $4 25, in buyers' sacks outside.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 21.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures steady: March, 8s 2½d; May, 8s; July, 7s 10½d. Corn—Spot quiet; new American mixed, 5s 6½d; do, old, 5s 8½d; futures dull; January, 5s 6¾d; March, 5s 7d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast firmer, £6 6s to £6 15s. Lard—Quiet; prime western quiet, 65s American refined quiet, 65s 9d. Turpentine spirits—Steady, 42s 6d.

### CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

| | Jan. 21. Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat, May | 109⅞ | 110¾ | 109⅝ | 110¾ |
| July | 100⅞ | 101½ | 100⅞ | 101½ |
| Corn, May | 68¼ | 68⅞ | 68¼ | 69¾ |
| July | 68⅛ | 68⅝ | 68⅛ | 68½ |
| Oats, May | 48 | 48⅝ | 48 | 48½ |
| July | 44⅝ | 44¾ | 44⅝ | 44¾ |
| Pork, Jan. | 21.30 | 21.55 | 21.25 | 21.25 |
| May | 21.55 | 21.75 | 21.52 | 21.52 |
| Lard, Jan. | 12.45 | .... | .... | .... |
| May | 11.95 | 12.02 | 11.95 | 12.00 |
| Ribs, Jan. | 11.95 | 11.95 | 11.92 | 11.92 |
| May | 11.57 | 11.57 | 11.50 | 11.57 |

### POTATOES.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—Potatoes — The prices of Ontario potatoes are still low, and trade is fairly good at this level of the market. Quotations range from 45c to 50c per bag in car lots and from 55c to 60c out of store.

### LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—The total run for two days' markets was 134 cars, with 2273 head of cattle, 1394 sheep and lambs, 1400 hogs and 122 calves. There was a slightly easier tone for the commoner qualities of cattle offering, but for good to choice butcher cattle the market held as firm as ever, and at the close everything was sold out, with orders in some cases still unfilled. Top prices for butchers were $5 65 to $5 80; fair to good, $5 to $5 50; common, $3 to $4 25. Lambs—Market closed dull, with not so much inquiry, but quotations were unchanged. Sheep—Market steady. Hogs—Market easier, with prospects for lower prices; selects, $8 40, f. o. b., and $8 70 fed and watered. Following sales were made: F. Hunnisett, jun., bought 60 butcher cattle, 800 to 1200 lbs, at $4 30 to $5 50. Crawford & Co. sold 1 load of cows at $3 75 to $4 50; 1 load of steers, 1250 lbs each, at $5 85; 1 load mixed, common, at $4 40; 1 load good butchers at $5 15 to $5 60. George Rowntree (Harris Abattoir) bought 800 cattle; choice butchers, $4 90 to $5 60; cows, $2 to $4 60; bulls, $4 to $5 15; export steers, $5 75 to $6 15. Corbett & Hall sold 9 loads cattle; good butchers at $4 80 to $5 80; cows, $3 25 to $4 25; lambs, $7 25 to $7 75. C. McCurdy bought 90 cattle, 800 to 1000 lbs each, at $4 75 to $5 60. M. H. Pringle bought 73 cattle, 800 to 1000 lbs, at $4 50 to $5 60. W. Dunn brought 700 lambs, average, $7; 150 sheep, average, $4 75; 75 calves, average, $6 50. Dunn & Levack sold in two days 20 loads of cattle, from $3 to $5 65; 23 extra choice, 1150 lbs, at $5 85. Maybee & Wilson sold 12 loads of cattle, 900 to 1100 lbs, at $4 70 to $5 40; common, $4; mixed cows, $2 50 to $4; bulls, 1200 to 1800 lbs, at $4 to $4 75. C. Wood bought 40 cattle, 870 to 950 lbs, at $4 90 to $5 40. Fred Rowntree bought 50 milch cows at $35 to $56 each; 1 load of steers at $5; 1 load of cows, 1125 lbs, at $4 25. C. Zeagman, jun, (Harris Abattoir) bought 80 cows; good, $3 75 to $4 10; extra, $4 25 to $4 65; common, $2 75 to $3 50. A. Quinn sold 14 cattle, 850 lbs, at $5; 1 load of cows at $4 15, 20 lambs at $7 40; bought 400 hogs at $8 40, f. o. b. George Dunn bought 2 loads mixed cattle, 950 to 1300 lbs, at $2 35 to $4 75; 1 loads bulls, 1000 to 1700 lbs, at $3 50 to $4 50. C. Zeagman & Son bought 40 mixed, 700 to 1100 lbs, at $3 50 to $4 25. W. J. Neely (Park, Blackwell) bought 250 cattle; choice, $5 10 to $5 80; medium, $4 40 to $5; cows, $3 to $4 50.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 3,400; market steady; beeves, $4 10 to $7 60; Texas steers, $3 80 to $4 80; western steers, $4 to $6; stockers and feeders, $2 90 to $5 25; cows and helfers, $2 to $5 40; calves, $7 50 to $10. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 22,000; market 5c lower; light, $8 20 to $8 65; mixed, $8 25 to $8 65; heavy, $8 20 to $8 70; roughs, $8 20 to $8 45; good to choice heavy, $8 45 to $8 70; pigs, $7 10 to $8 15; bulk of sales at $8 45 to $8 60. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 8,000; natives, $4 to $6; westerns, $4 to $6; yearlings, $6 75 to $8; lambs, native, $6 25 to $8 75; westerns, $6 25 to $8 70.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; fairly active and a shade lower; prime steers, $6 65 to $7. Veals—Receipts, 750 head; active and 25 higher, $6 to $11 25. Hogs—Receipts 6400 head; fairly active and steady to 5c lower; heavy, $8 90 to $9; mixed, $8 85 to $8 95; Yorkers, $8 75 to $8 85; pigs, $8 75 to $8 80; roughs, $8 20 to $8 25; dairies, $8 70 to 8 85. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 14,000 head; sheep active, others 10c lower, lambs fairly active and steady; lambs, $5 25 to $8 40; yearlings, $7 50 to $7 75; wethers, $5 75 to $6 40; ewes, $5 50 to $6; sheep, mixed, $3 to $6.

### COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Cotton—Futures opened steady: March, 14c; May, 14.15c; June, 14.11c bid; July, 14.13c; August, 13.85c, September, 13.65c; October, 12.67c; November, 12.56c; December, 12.50c offered.

### SUGAR.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Sugar—Cane is quiet, with little demand; Java, 13s 9d. Beet is dull and lower; January, 12s 9¾d; February, 12s 9¾d; May, 12s 11½d.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Sugar—Raw nominal; Muscovado, 3.55c; centrifugal, 4.06c; molasses sugar, 3.33c; refined sugar steady. Molasses—Firm.

### COFFEE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Coffee—Futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, in response to the decline of one-quarter to one-half franc in the French market, and as a result of a little scattering liquidation. There was not much coffee for sale, however, and during the afternoon the market became firmer on trade buying, which was attributed to reports that there had been no improvement in the new crop outlook. The market closed steady at a net advance of 5 to 10 points. Sales were reported of 10,000 bags, including January at $6 65; March, $6 80; July, $6 85; September and December, $6 90. Spot quiet; No. 7 Rio, 8 11-16c to 8¾c; No. 4 Cantos, 9c to 9½c; mild quiet; Cordova, 9c to 11½c.

| TORONTO Jan. 21. | Asked. | Bid |
|---|---|---|
| Packers A | .. | 81½ |
| Packers B | .. | 81½ |
| Bell Telephone | 145½ | .. |
| Canadian General Electric | .. | 117½ |
| Canadian Salt | .. | 110 |
| Canadian Pacific Ry | .. | 180 |
| City Dairy, Com. | .. | 20 |
| City Dairy, pref | .. | 97 |
| Consumers Gas | 205½ | .. |
| Crow's Nest | .. | 76 |
| Detroit United | .. | 62 |
| Dominion Coal, com | .. | 87 |
| Dominion Steel, com | 68½ | 68 |
| Dominion Steel, pref | 135 | 135 |
| Dominion Telegraph | .. | 108½ |
| Electric Dev., pref | 40 | .. |
| Illinois, pref | .. | 93 |
| Laurentide Paper, pref | .. | 130 |
| Mackay, com | 80½ | 80½ |
| Mexican L. & P. | 66⅛ | 65 |
| Mexican Tramway | .. | 124 |
| Niagara Navigation | 136 | .. |
| Northern Navigation | 108 | 107 |
| N. S. Steel, com | 76 | 74½ |
| Penman | .. | 50½ |
| Penman, pref | 86⅛ | 76½ |
| Porto Rico Railway | .. | 35 |
| Rio de Janeiro | 95 | .. |
| Rogers, com | .. | 165 |
| Rogers, pref | .. | 108 |
| Sao Paulo | 147½ | 147 |
| Shredded Wheat | .. | 43½ |
| Shredded Wheat, pref | 100¼ | .. |
| St. L. & C. Navigation | .. | 117 |
| Toronto Electric | .. | 119 |
| Toronto Railway | 126 | 125½ |
| Tri City, pref | .. | 93 |
| Twin City | 112¼ | 112 |
| Winnipeg Railway | 182 | .. |
| Crown Reserve | .. | 3.00 |
| La Rose | .. | 455 |
| Nipissing | .. | 10½ |
| North Star | .. | 11 |
| Trethewey | 141 | .. |
| Bank of Commerce | 199 | 199 |
| Dominion Bank | 246 | 245 |
| Bank Hamilton | .. | 204½ |
| Imperial Bank | 234½ | .. |
| Merchants' Bank | .. | 177 |
| Metropolitan Bank | .. | 207⅛ |
| Bank of Montreal | .. | 257 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | .. | 259½ |
| Bank Ottawa | 210 | .. |
| Royal Bank | .. | 224 |
| Standard Bank | .. | 231 |
| Bank Toronto | 218 | .. |
| Traders Bank | 144 | 144 |
| Union Bank | .. | 140 |
| Agricultural Loan | .. | 120 |
| Canada Landed | .. | 160 |
| Canada Permanent | .. | 163 |
| Central Canada | .. | 179 |
| Colonial Investment | .. | 66 |
| Dominion Savings | .. | 11½ |
| Hamilton Provident | 131 | .. |
| Huron & Erie | .. | 192 |
| Huron & Erie 20 per cent | .. | 182 |
| Landed Banking | .. | 138 |
| London & Canada | 112 | .. |
| National Trust | 200 | .. |
| Ontario Loan 20 per cent | .. | 127½ |
| Real Estate | .. | 100 |
| Toronto General Trusts | .. | 165 |
| Toronto Mortgage | .. | 128 |
| Black Lake | 82½ | 82½ |
| Electric Development | 83¼ | 83 |
| Mexican Electric bonds | .. | 80 |
| Porto Rico Railway | 83 | 81½ |

Morning sales—F. N. Burt, 1 at 60, 50 at 60½, pref., 10 at 97½, 55 at 97; C. P. R., 50, 50 at 180, 100 at 180¼, Mackay, 25 at 89, 1, 25, 5 at 89½, 25, 25, 75 at 89¼, pref., 10, 10, 10, 6, 25 at 77; Electric Development bonds, $7,500 at 83⅛; Sao Paulo, 50 at 147⅛, 4 at 147½, 25 at 147⅛, 10 at 147, 38 at 147, 10 at 147¼; Penman, pref., 215 at 66½; B. Lake, 25 at 21, 25 at 21½, 50 at 21¾, 10 at 22, pref., 25 at 64¾, 50 at 65, 25 at 65¼, 50 at 65⅛; Bonds, $3,000 at 82, $2,000 at 82¼, $3,500 at 82½; Duluth-Superior, 25 at 68¾, 75 at 69, 2 at 69¼, 25 at 69; Twin City, x.d., 75 at 112½, 30 at 112⅝; Dom. Steel, 50 at 68⅛, 50 at 68, 10 at 68¼, bonds, $3,000 at 96; Shredded Wheat, 20 at 43½; Rogers, 12 at 167; Bell Telephone, 8 at 145; Crown Reserve, 1,000 at 350; Soo, 25 at 135½; National Trust, 5 at 200; Standard, 1 at 231½; Colonial Loan, 100 at 67; Trethewey, 600 at 141, 400 at 140; Commerce, 5 at 200, Consumers Gas, 4 at 205½, R. & O. Navigation, 5 at 93½.

Ex-Div.—Mexico Tram., 1½ per cent; Twin City, com., 1½ per cent; Penman, pref., 1½ per cent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21—Noon.
Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | 2 p.m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Amal. Copper | 82⅞ | 83¼ | 81⅛ | 83⅛ |
| Anaconda Coper | 50 | 50¾ | 50 | 50¾ |
| American Sugar | 121⅞ | 122 | 121⅞ | 122 |
| Amer. Locomotive | 54½ | 55 | 54 | 54½ |
| American Foundry | 65⅝ | 65⅞ | 65⅝ | 65⅞ |
| American Refining | 94 | 94½ | 93 | 94 |
| Atchison, com. | 118¼ | 118⅝ | 117⅞ | 118½ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 115¾ | 116¼ | 115¾ | 116½ |
| Brooklyn Transit | 74¼ | 74¼ | 73⅝ | 74 |
| Canadian Pacific | 180 | 180¾ | 180 | 180¾ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 84⅝ | 85½ | 83¾ | 85⅜ |
| Consolidated Gas | 148 | 149⅝ | 147½ | 149⅝ |
| Col. Fuel & Iron | 44⅝ | 44⅝ | 44 | 44½ |
| Chicago & N. W. | 160 | 160 | 159½ | 159½ |
| Erie, com. | 31¼ | .. | .. | .. |
| G. Northern, pfd | 134 | 134 | 133¼ | 134 |
| Illinois Central | 144 | 144½ | 144 | 144½ |
| Inter-Metropolitan | 22½ | .. | .. | .. |
| Inter-Met., pfd. | 57½ | 58⅜ | 57 | 58¼ |
| Kansas & Texas | 44½ | 45 | 44½ | 45 |
| Louisville & Nash | 147⅝ | 148 | 147⅝ | 147¾ |
| Mexican Central | 28 | 28 | 27½ | 27½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 69⅞ | 71½ | 69½ | 71 |
| New York Central | 119⅜ | 119⅞ | 119 | 119⅞ |
| Northern Pacific | 135¾ | 136⅞ | 134¾ | 135¾ |
| Norfolk & Western | 96⅞ | 97½ | 99⅞ | 97½ |
| National Lead | 84 | 84¾ | 84 | 84¾ |
| Ontario & Western | 45¼ | 45¼ | 45 | 45¼ |
| Pacific Mail | 34½ | 34½ | 34 | 34 |
| Pennsylvania | 133½ | 134⅛ | 133½ | 134⅛ |
| People's Gas | 111½ | 111⅞ | 111 | 111¾ |
| Pressed Steel Car | 45 | .. | .. | .. |
| Reading | 162 | 162 | 161¾ | 162⅞ |
| Republic Steel | 39 | 39 | 38½ | 39 |
| Rock Island | 43¾ | 45 | 43¼ | 44¼ |
| Rock Island, pfd | 85 | .. | .. | .. |
| Southern Railway | 30⅝ | 30⅝ | 30⅜ | 30⅝ |
| Southern Ry., pfd | 68 | .. | .. | .. |
| Southern Pacific | 130 | 131⅛ | 129¾ | 131 |
| St. Paul | 148⅝ | 149 | 147¾ | 149 |
| Texas Pacific | 32¼ | .. | .. | .. |
| Union Pacific | 192⅛ | 193 | 190¼ | 193 |
| Central Leather | 43⅛ | 43½ | 43⅛ | 43½ |
| U. S. Rubber | 46 | .. | .. | .. |
| U. S. Steel | 84½ | 85½ | 83¾ | 85½ |
| U. S. Steel, pfd | 123½ | 123¾ | 123½ | 123¾ |
| Wabash, com. | 23¾ | 23¾ | 23⅜ | 23¾ |
| Wabash, pfd. | 50½ | 51⅛ | 50 | 51 |
| Western Union Tel. | 71½ | 73 | 72¼ | 73 |

| MONTREAL, Jan. 21 | Asked | Bid |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 181 | 180¾ |
| Detroit Electric | 63½ | 63½ |
| Dominion Coal, com | 88½ | 88¼ |
| Dominion Coal, pref | 115 | 114 |
| Dominion Steel, com | 68¾ | 68 |
| Dominion Steel, pfd | 137 | 136 |
| Halifax Electric | 123 | 122⅞ |
| Havana Electric | 92½ | .. |
| Illinois Traction, pref | 92 | 91¾ |
| Lake of the Woods, com | 143 | 142 |
| Lake of the Woods, pref | 128 | 123 |
| Laurentide Paper com | .. | 133 |
| Laurentide Paper pfd | .. | 132 |
| McKay Com | 90 | 89 |
| McKay, pfd | 78¾ | .. |
| Mexican L. & P. | .. | 65 |
| Minn. & St. Paul | 136 | 135¼ |
| Mt. L., H. & Power | 134 | 133¾ |
| Montreal Street Railway | 220 | 219½ |
| N. S. Steel & Coal | 75 | 74⅞ |
| Ogilvie Milling pref | 127 | .. |
| R. & O. Navigation | 49 | .. |
| Rio de Janeiro | .. | 69 |
| Toronto Railway | 126¼ | 126 |
| Twin City | 112½ | 112 |
| Windsor Hotel | 120 | .. |
| Bank British North America | 150 | 145 |
| Bank Commerce | 200 | 199 |
| Eastern Township Bank | 162½ | 160 |
| Hochelaga Bank | 147½ | 145 |
| Molsons Bank | 210 | 207 |
| Bank New Brunswick | 260 | 257½ |
| Bank Nova Scotia | 282½ | 280 |
| Bank of Ottawa | 210 | .. |
| Bank Quebec | 123½ | .. |
| Royal Bank | 134½ | .. |
| Union Bank | 141¾ | .. |
| Canadian Colored Cotton | 59 | 57½ |
| Dominion Textile, pref | 103¼ | 102¾ |
| Montreal Cotton | 133 | 131 |
| Bell Telephone bonds | .. | 102 |
| Canada Colored Cotton bonds | 100 | 99 |
| Dominion Cotton bonds | 104 | 103¾ |
| Dominion Iron and Steel bonds | 96 | 95¾ |
| Kewatin Milling bonds | 103 | .. |
| Lake of the Woods bonds | 111½ | .. |
| Laurentide Paper bonds | 111 | 110 |

Morning Sales: C. P. R., 11 at 180, 200 at 180¾; Twin City, 25 at 112⅜; Montreal Railway, 325 at 219, 50 at 219½, 75 at 219½, 50 at 219½; Power, 450 at 133¾, 125 at 134, 5 at 133¾; Detroit, 550 at 63½; Illinois, 10 at 92½, 25 at 92, 5 at 91½; Rio, 10 at 89; Ohio, 13 at 36; Penmans, 95 at 59½, 30 at 59¾; Superior, 50 at 68¾; Coal, common, 25 at 88½; Ottawa Power, 20 at 105; Toronto Railway, 6 at 125, 75 at 126; R. and O., 5 at 93⅝, 75 at 94; Iron, common, 100 at 68¼, 10 at 66½, 760 at 68¼, 350 at 68, 25 at 67⅞, 25 at 68, 50 at 68, 100 at 68¼; Telegraph, 1 at 149; Asbestos, common, 100 at 20; do, preferred, 25 at 90, 25 at 91¼; Black Lake, common, 50 at 22; Textile, common, 75 at 71; Reserve, 200 at 3.55, 30 at 3.25, 25 at 3.56; Eastern Townships Bank, 20 at 160¼; Scotia, common, 25 at 75, 10 at 75; Converters, 50 at 42; Textile, preferred, 25 at 102; Coal, bonds 25 at 98½; Mackay, 100 at 88¼, 25 at 89, 7 at 90; Montreal Cotton, 2 at 131, 25 at 132; Black Lake, preferred, 2½ at 64; Hochelaga Bank, 1 at 145; Royal Bank, 25 at 235; Textile bonds, C, 2000 at 96; Laurentide, bonds, 1 at 110¼; Dominion Cotton, bonds, 1000 at 103.

### COBALT STOCKS.

Special to The Advertiser from Edward Cronyn & Co., Toronto.

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—Noon quotations on the Standard Mining Exchange today: Beaver, 33½; Chambers-Ferland, 38; Coniagas, 5.50; Foster, 30; Green-Meehan, 10; Kerr Lake, 9.40; La Rose, 5.55; Little Nipissing, 26; Nipissing, 10.15; Orisse, 14; Rochester, 17¾; Nova Scotia, 45; Silver Leaf, 11½; Temiskaming, 59; Trethewey, 1.40.

### WALL STREET OPENING.

New York, Jan. 21.—Opening stocks: Amalgamated Copper, 82⅞; American Beet Sugar, 42; American Smelting, 94; Atchison, 118¼; Baltimore and Ohio, 116; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 74¼; Canadian Pacific, 180; Chesapeake and Ohio, 84⅞; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 148¾; Great Northern, preferred, 134; Great Northern Ore Certificates, 74½; Interboro-Metropolitan, 21½; do, preferred, 57½; Missouri Pacific, 69⅞; Missouri, Kansas and Texas, 44½; New York Central, 119⅝; Northern Pacific, 135¾; Pennsylvania, 133½; Reading, 162; Rock Island, 44; Southern Pacific, 130; Southern Railway, 30⅝; Union Pacific, 192¼; United States Steel, 84½; do, preferred, 132½; Wabash, preferred, 50½.

By private wire to H. C. Becher, London, from Harris, Winthrop & Co.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21—Wall street, 10 a.m.—The Bank of Berlin rate is reduced to 4½ per cent. British elections are more favorable to the Unionists, but the return of the ministry is assured. Americans in London are quiet, about parity. A motion to separate Fourth, Eighth and Ninth avenue lines of the Metropolitan is to be heard today. Right to subscribe for Missouri Pacific bonds terminates today. Union Pacific merger suit will be continued. Copper producers' report shows consumption to be heavier. Chicago switchmen's strike averted by consent to arbitrate. Southern Iron quotations hardening under reduced production. Regular quarterly dividend on Amalgamated Copper.

By private wire to H. C. Becher, London, from Harris, Winthrop & Co.

New York, Wall Street, Jan. 21.—Noon.—The market shows much better rallying power today. There has been some very good buying in places, but of a volume not sufficient to have any decided influence as yet. Everyone has grown very conservatie, as is usually the case after a good house-cleaning. We still continue bullish on the good stocks. Sales to noon, 487,900.

## MR. BRODEUR RECOVERING

### Minister of Marine Will Soon Be Able To Be About Once More.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Hon. Mr. Brodeur, minister of marine, is steadily, although slowly, recovering from his illness, and is able to be up for the first time since he was taken seriously ill some two weeks ago. It will probably be a couple of weeks yet, however, before he is able to leave his residence.

## ANTI-MEAT MEN ALSO AGAINST EGGS

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 21. — Thirty thousand workingmen and businessmen have now signed the anti-meat petitions, according to F. W. Sebelin, the foreman, who is heading the strike against the eating of meat. The movement was followed today by a strike against eggs.

## ADULT BIBLE CLASS SECOND ANNIVERSARY

### Splendid Attendance at Wortley Road Baptist Church Last Night.

There was a splendid attendance at the Wortley Road Baptist Church last evening when the adult Bible classes of the church celebrated their second anniversary. The organization comprises the Brotherhood and the Reflectors' adult classes. The programme included an address by Rev. C. M. Carew, pastor of the Maitland Street Baptist Church, on "Personal Work"; cornet solos by Mr. H. Ward, selections by the male quartette, solos by Mr. B. Moore and R. Hudson, a recitation by Miss B. Buchanan, mouthorgan selections by Evison brothers and choruses by the brotherhood. At the conclusion of the programme some time was spent in a social manner and the evening passed very pleasantly.

## EAST LONDON

## TOOK THE FIRST C. P. R. TRAIN OUT OF LONDON

### Late Thos. W. Routledge Was One of Best-Known Engineers in Country.

Mr. Thomas W. Routledge, who took the first C. P. R. train out of London when the road was built, died as stated in last night's Advertiser, at Victoria Hospital yesterday afternoon, after a brief illness.

For more than 40 years Mr. Routledge was continuously an engineer, serving first on the Great Western, then on the Grand Trunk and later on the C. P. R.

About two years ago he retired and took up his residence at Pottersburg. Besides his wife he is survived by three sons and two daughters, William C., of the C. P. R., this city; Thomas, of Elmira, New York; Percy, of Detroit; Mrs. F. J. Lapthorne, of Central avenue; and Miss Estella, at home. Deceased was a member of St. John's Masonic Lodge, No. 20, St. John's Chapter and of the Oddfellows. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon to Woodland Cemetery, and the services will be conducted by Rev. W. T. Lowe, of St. Matthew's Church.

## ENTERTAINMENT IN HYATT AVENUE CHURCH

### Artistic Programme Carried Out by the Members of Mrs. Plewes' Class.

A very successful entertainment was held in Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church last evening by Mrs. Plewes' class of young ladies, a large crowd attending.

The proceeds will go to support an inmate of the Jennie Ford Orphanage in China.

The following splendid programme was provided: Address by the chairman, Rev. J. W. Baird; piano solo, Miss M. Patterson; duet, Miss Mina Taylor and Mr. J. Gay; solo, Mr. W. Taylor; reading, Miss Elsie Fox; solo, Miss D. Ware; piano duet, Miss F. Winslow and Miss A. Miller; quartette, by Misses O. Suhr, Ware and Gilmore and Mrs. Wardle; reading, by Miss E. Dean; solo, by Mr. J. Gay; piano solo, Mr. J. R. Cornelius; reading, J. Rowland; solo, Miss Lillie Gilmore; piano selection, by Master Conrad Lenz; solo, Miss Mina Taylor; reading, Miss M. Elgie; trio, Misses Suhr and Gilmore, and Mrs. Wardle.

Following the programme those who supplied the entertainment were served with refreshments.

The officers and members of the young ladies' class are: Teacher, Mrs. Plewes; president, Etta Burgess; secretary-treasurer, Ida Wyatt; Misses Ada Small, Lois Burgess, Ethel Fox, Della Strothers, Marion Devlin, Eveline Johnston, Ona Laing, Margaret Laing, Laura Gay, Annie Kain, Myrtle Wigley, Erie Tissy, Lillie Gilmore and Carrie Dunn.

### DEATH OF MRS. PARKER.

Mrs. Esther Parker died on Wednesday last at the residence of her son-in-law, William Percival, Asylum side-road. Mrs. Parker was in her 83rd year and had lived in London for some time. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William Percival, and Miss Parker, of this city. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning to the Grand Trunk station, and interment will be made at Hamilton.

### ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

Rev. Mr. Moffatt, the pastor of Chalmers' Presbyterian Church, gave a very interesting illustrated lecture on a trip taken by himself through the Highland of Scotland on a bicycle, at St. David's Anglican Church, on the corner of Hyatt avenue and Hamilton road, last evening.

The attendance was rather small owing to the inclement weather, but all enjoyed the "trip" immensely.

Rev. T. B. Clarke, pastor of All Saints' Church, of which St. David's is a branch, occupied the chair.

## GETS $1,500 FROM STREET RAILWAY CO.

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[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 21. — A jury, under Justice Sutherland, today awarded to Mrs. John Gallagher $1,000 for street car injuries and $500 to her husband for money expended. The jury held that even if the car, as the Toronto Railway Company claimed, was started by a passenger ringing the bell while Mrs. Gallagher was getting off, and not by the conductor, that nevertheless it was the duty of the conducter to have kept such close watch on the process that he should immediately have counteracted the effect of this unauthorized ringing. Mrs. Gallagher sued for $10,000.

## NEW AUTO PLANT

Walkerville, Jan. 21.—The Victor Manufacturing Company, of Detroit, and the Walkerville Carriage Goods Company, have formed a partnership for the manufacture here of automobile bodies, the painting and trimming of bodies and building of automobile tops. The deal is only expected to prove a decided inducement to Detroit automobile manufacturers, considering the establishment of a Canadian or export branch on this side as they can now rely upon obtaining their full body and top equipments here.

## ENGINEER CHIPMAN FOR STORM WATER SYSTEM

### Report on the Sewers Will Be Ready Shortly.

The report of Mr. Willis Chipman, of Toronto, on the condition of the sewers of the city, will be submitted before the next meeting of the council.

According to information received, it is practically ready, only needing a few finishing touches.

Mr. Chipman will make another personal inspection prior to the submission of the report. He will be in the city some day next week to confer with the local engineer's department, and will then complete his recommendations.

**Storm Water System.**

No information could be obtained as to the details of the report, but it is certain to contain a strong recommendation for a storm sewer system. It will also demonstrate that the present system is sufficient for hygienic sewerage, but not sufficient to carry off storm water.

"The report will be in hand very soon," said City Engineer Graydon, when questioned about the matter this afternoon. "Mr. Chipman will be here himself soon, and will put the finishing touches on it at that time."

## FUNERAL OF MRS. HANNAH C. BROOKES

### Remains Were Laid at Rest in Woodland Cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Hannah C. Brookes was held from her late residence, 256 Wellington street, yesterday afternoon, to Woodland Cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. A. Graham. Among those attending the funeral were Mr. George, of Chicago, and Mrs. Boland, of Baltimore, the only relatives Mrs. Brookes had in this country. Among the beautiful floral offerings were wreaths from Mrs. and Miss Polton, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Curnoe, Mrs. Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Askey, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Hooper, and Mr. George and Mrs. Boland.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. C. Bugg, T. Cole, H. Powell, J. Curnoe, A. S. Crawford and R. Jupp.

## LATE LOCAL NEWS

—The quarterly service on the Siloam circuit will be held in the Siloam Church the first Sunday in February at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

**Inspector in North Bay.**

Inspector Edwards is in North Bay, where he will deliver a lecture of educational topics under the direction of the department of education.

**Railway Inspection.**

Mr. J. Oberne, of Toronto, superintendent of the C. P. R., was in the city this morning making his regular inspection of the local offices and yards.

**Division Court.**

There was a session of the first division court before Judge Elliott this morning. There was the usual number of cases, but none of any public interest.

**Names Omitted.**

The names of Mrs. T. H. Smallman, who donated $5, and Mr. Jas. Burrows, who also donated $5, were omitted from the list of contributors to the funds of the Protestant Orphans' Home.

**Death of Henry Drayton.**

The death occurred in Toronto on Wednesday of Mr. Henry Drayton for many years a resident of this city. The remains will be brought to London for interment. The funeral will be held to Woodland Cemtery tomorrow.

**Wortley Road Mothers' Club.**

The new kindergarten-room will be the meeting place for the Wortley Road Mothers

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## LONDON AND DISTRICT

**Letter Carriers' Banquet.**

The second annual banquet of the Letter Carriers' Association of London will be held shortly, and a fine programme has been prepared.

**Mothers' Club Meeting.**

The regular meeting of the Simcoe Street Mothers' Club was held Thursday afternoon. After the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Lambert, a paper was given on the forming of habits by Mrs. Carson, which was very interesting and beneficial. Miss Westman favored with a piano selection. The meeting closed by singing God Save the King.

**Trainmen's Ball.**

The C. P. R. trainmen are giving a ball in the city hall on Friday evening, and are making preparations for the best event of its kind this season. An elaborate system of decoration is being planned, the trainmen sparing neither time nor expense towards making it a great success. It is held under the auspices of Ontario Union, No. 468.

**McCallum—Farr.**

On Wednesday, Jan. 12, Miss Ella Farr was united in marriage to Mr. Colin McCallum, of this city. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. C. J. Farr, Mount Brydges, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. James Argo, of Ivan. Mr. and Mrs. McCallum will reside in this city.

**Masonic Finance Board.**

At the annual meeting of the board of finance of the Masonic lodges of the city held in the temple last evening the following officers were elected: Chairman, Rt. Wor. Bro. T. G. Davis; secretary-treasurer, Wor. Bro. Andrew Ellis; auditors, Wor. Bro. U. A. Buchner and Rt. Wor. Bro. E. T. Essery. A report from the building committee was presented, and was filed for reference. There was other routine business disposed of.


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**Church Is Prosperous.**

The past year has seen the church in a good healthy condition, and much new work has been entered upon. The finances of the church are in a splendid condition, with a balance in hand.

The election of offices was proceeded with, after which refreshments were served by the ladies, and during an interval the choir rendered an anthem in their usually good style. A pleasant evening was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

**A Master of Music.**

Guelph Herald: Col. Sharp and Adjutant Riley, of London, will conduct a public meeting in the Salvation Army Hall on Foundry street, on Friday evening, Jan. 21, at 8 o'clock. The adjutant is a master of music and will bring with him a number of musical instruments.

**Bothered by Bells.**

Miss Catherine Jessie Fraser, of Stratford, has issued a writ asking for an injunction to prevent St. James' chimes ringing between the hours of 9 p.m. and 7 a.m., as the bells disturb her slumber.

**A Western Visitor.**

One of the leading men of the Province of Saskatchewan in the person of Mr. W. M. Graham, of Balcarres, Saskatchewan, was a recent London visitor. Besides being an extensive landowner, Mr. Graham fills the responsible position of Government inspector of Indian affairs in Saskatchewan, and the wonderful work he is doing among the redmen of the west is attracting much atention in that section of the country. Mr. and Mrs. Graham are on a pleasure trip to the West Indies, and while here were the guests of their uncle, Mr. Peter Elson, M.P. Mrs. Graham is a daughter of the late James Wood, who was well known in political and newspaper circles in this Province.

## SOUTHERN CHURCH IS VERY PROSPEROUS

### Congregationalists Heard Reports Read Which Were Very Satisfactory.

The other evening the annual meeting of the Southern Congregational Church was held, when a large number of members and friends met in the basement to hear the various reports of the past year's work, which were all very encouraging. The pastor, Rev. W. H. A. Claris, presided. The following reports were read and received with enthusiasm.

**Reports Read.**

Pastor's Report—Rev. W. H. A. Claris.
Treasurer's Report—Mr. W. R. Walton.
Church Secretary's Report—Mr. A. F. Mantle.
Deacons' Report—Mr. Hargreaves, sen.
Sunday School—Mr. E. Gill.
Christian Endeavor—Miss Pary.
Circle Home Industry—Miss Flossie Temple.
The Choir—Miss Claris.
Mission Band—Miss Ethel Walton.
Men's Own—Mr. Pinnock.
Ambulance Brigade—Mr. W. Loveday.
Woman's Auxiliary—Miss J. Claris.
Charity Organization—Mrs. Palmby.
Cradle Roll—Miss Edna Claris.

## CITY CLERK BAKER TO BE SECRETARY

### Board of Works Deposed Assistant Engineer George Wright, Lately Appointed.

### MAYOR'S ACCUSATION

**Says Mr. Baker Wants the Job as a Preliminary to an Increase in Salary—Ald. Tancock denies the Charge.**

There was a sharp passage-at-arms at the board of works last evening over the appointment of City Clerk Baker as secretary of the committee. Assistant City Engineer Wright has been acting in that capacity since the death of Mr. Robert Kirkpatrick, and last night Ald. Tancock suggested that City Clerk Baker be made secretary.

"I have a right to make motions in this committee," said Ald. Tancock. "I move that City Clerk Baker be made secretary."

"I certainly object to that," said Ald. Saunders. "We threshed that question out before, and I thought we had settled it. Apparently we have not. We made Mr. Wright secretary, because of his knowledge of the department. Why do we want to run to the city clerk for information when we have it in our own department?"

**Mayor Makes Accusation.**

"That request emanated from City Clerk Baker himself," declared Mayor Beattie.

"It is my own idea," answered Ald. Tancock. "Mr. Baker never mentioned it to me."

"Well, it certainly came from him last year," retorted his worship. "I object to it. It is merely paving the way for an increase in salary."

"That's right," commented Ald Saunders. "That is what the trouble was last year."

"There is no harm in allowing it to go to the council," said Ald. Tancock.

"There certainly is," continued Ald. Saunders. "We object."

"Let the motion go," said Secretary Wright. "I don't care."

The motion as made by Ald. Tancock will be sent to the council.

**Another Brush.**

Another brush took place when Ald. Tancock read a communication from Secretary Baker, asking that all accounts from the committee be in the hands of the secretary of No. 1 committee before 1 o'clock on Friday, the day of meeting.

"When was that passed?" asked his worship. "Nothing like that ever happened at the only meeting of the committee properly held. Business has to be done openly and fairly in the council, and I do not understand how that recommendation came to us."

Ald. Saunders pointed out that the recommendation should go to the treasurer's department, not to the board of works, as the accounts are always in the hands of the city treasurer on Friday morning.

Ald. Tancock could not explain the origin of the suggestion of No. 1 committee and it was laid over.

**Local Improvements.**

The suggestion of City Engineer Graydon that no more curbs and gutters be laid unless the whole cost was paid by the owners of property, was discussed at some length. The concensus of opinion was that it would be unwise to depart from the custom of some years past, namely, that the city pay half the cost. All were in favor of reducing the amount of work done, and after some discussion Ald. Pocock moved that only such local improvements as were absolutely necessary be laid this year. This included the list of bylaws already passed, and also has reference to the petitions likely to come in during the year.

Mr. R. Sloane asked for the right to tap the Elizabeth street sewer, and was given the privilege on the usual conditions.

It was decided to fix up the vault for City Clerk Baker, but the suggestion to erect a private office for him was filed until the estimates were considered. The cost will be about $300.

Ald. Pocock and City Architect Nutter will inspect the main building at the fair grounds and report on a defective roof there.

**Will Pay for the Cutter.**

The account for $40, for the little red cutter, was ordered to be paid.

Ald. Tancock was instructed to purchase a horse at the earliest possible moment. The committee have $200 from last year's account for that purpose.

Ald. Pocock informed the committee that it would cost the city $262 50 to properly erect street signs on one side of the streets throughout the city and $535 for both sides. The matter will be discussed at the next meeting of the council.

Those present at the committee were Ald. Tancock (chairman), Ald. Saunders, Ald. Pocock, Ald. Morgan, Mayor Beattie, City Engineer Grayden and Secretary Wright.

## COMPLETE BASEMENT FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL PURPOSES

### Proposition Will Be Laid Before New St. James' Congregation Next Wednesday.

Several important matters of business are to be heard at the adjourned annual meeting of New St. James' Presbyterian Church, to be held next Wednesday evening.

Probably the most important item that will be submitted for the consideration of the congregation is the proposal to complete the basement of the church for Sunday school and social purposes. It is estimated that the cost of this work would be between $600 and $900. If the matter is favorably dealt with the meeting will be asked to consider the best method of meeting the expense, as it is not deemed wise to make it a charge upon the general revenue of the church. It has been suggested that in the event of the work being undertaken, the cost be raised either by special contribution or as a charge on the anniversary offering.

**Recommendations.**

The board of managers also submit the following recommendations for the consideration of the annual meeting:

1. That the number of members of the board be increased to eighteen, including the treasurer, the subscription clerk and the pew steward.

2. That the board be empowered to make an annual grant of $50 to the Sunday school.

3. That a similar sum be granted annually to the choir for the supply of music.

There will be a number of places filled on the board. The following members retire from the board this year: W. A. Tanner, W. W. Gammage, W. M. Guy and W. J. Patterson, All the retiring members are eligible for re-election.

The past year has seen a reduction of some $2,000 in the church mortgage debt, and over $500 has been expended in improvements to the church. The debt on the organ has been reduced by $427 13.

**FALLS COLLECTOR DEAD.**

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., Jan. 20.—One of the best known and highly respected citizens of Niagara died last night in the person of John Sando, collector of customs for this port for the past twenty-three years. Mr. Sando was born in Old Niagara 63 years ago, and had always been a resident of the town. He is survived by a wife, five sons and six daughters. In religion he was a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal. Death was due to rBight's disease.

**HARD AGROUND.**

Chatham, Mass., Jan. 21.—With the break of dawn today the life-saving patrol of the Monomoy Point station discovered an unknown three-masted schooner aground on Handkerchief Shoal. The lifeboat was launched immediately, and the crew started for the disabled craft. The weather was threatening, and observers on shore expressed doubt as to the prospects of saving the vessel.


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Sample Scissors — We are going to put on sale Saturday 5½ dozen pairs sample Scissors, worth from 50c to 75c pair. Assorted sizes. Your choice, Saturday, 40c pair.
Carriage Heaters and Foot Warmers, [illegible] Saturday, $1.40 [illegible] $1.65.
Granite Pudding Dishes and Saucepans, assorted sizes. Six dozen on sale, Saturday, 15c each.
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**TOLSTOY AND FAME.**

As might be expected, Tolstoy has not an exaggerated idea of fame, and in this respect Tolstoy said: "What is fame? What is it from beginning to end? When I was recently ill and the world thought I was about to die deputations from all parts came to express their sympathy. Not only important towns and learned societies, but many pretty and agreeable ladies.

"One of them," Tolstoy proceeded, "very elegant and sweet, approached me and, addressing me as 'most honored and beloved Leo Nicholaievitch,' she paid her compliment most gracefully." Then she concluded, by craving permission to express her personal adulration for a man whose books had given him an undying fame. The ingenious Tolstoy replied: "I thank you, my dear madame, and which of my books do you prefer?"

The pretty visitor turned pale and then blushed, and the author of "Resurrection" learned later that she had not read one of his books. Some friend in need standing by her side whispered, "Enfance et Adolescence," "Guerre et Paix," "Anna Karenine," and the lady stammered, "Enfance de l'adolescent," "La paix armee," "Andre Cornelis." "Yes, madame," replied Tolstoy, to make an end of her torture, "'Andre Cornelis is not a bad book." And Tolstoy's comment when relating this story was: "What would you have me think of fame after that?"—Cri de Paris.

**OLD POTTERY PORTRAITS.**

The portraits of Charles II., of William and Mary and of Queen Anne, to be found on pudding plates and other specimens of early English delft, are rude both in design and execution. They are often nearly as much a caricature of the original as the grotesque face of ill-favored Cardinal Bellarmine, whose bigotry and unpopularity are perpetuated by the brown jugs that bear his name.

A splendid William and Mary plate is preserved in the Cardiff Museum. The predominating colors of the portrait pudding plates of this epoch are orange and blue, a compliment not difficult to understand even after the lapse of more than two centuries.

The political "potting" of 1688-1700 may be taken as the forerunner of the troublous times of 1788-1815, 1820-1822 and 1832, when the faces of Fox and Pitt, Napoleon and Wellington, George IV. and Queen Caroline, Grey, Brougham and O'Connell replaced in turn those of the Dutch king and his English consort.

The first serious portrait on porcelain was that of George II., which Dr. Wall reproduced over and over again on the mugs and plates which were turned out in almost endless variety at the factory he had established at Worcester. Portraiture on porcelain and pottery became a tradition of the great "potting" industry on the banks of the Severn, and the coronation presents of George III. and queen Charlotte and the "sailor king" were remarkable alike for their [illegible] and finish.

They gave a keynote to [illegible] workmen of Staffordshire and were imitated wholesale [illegible] ufacturers. It is to Worcester we must look for the best [illegible] portraits on porcelain of [illegible] lington and Nelson. Queen [illegible] found favor principally with [illegible] fordshire workmen, while [illegible] Fulham turned out Brougham, [illegible] and O'Connell spirit [illegible] thousand.

It is in Staffordshire ware that principally find those Wesley Plaques and plates (generally adorned with appropriate texts) which enjoyed a widespread popularity among his followers for many years after the death of the great apostle of Methodism. Staffordshire long continued to be a Methodist stronghold, and the Methodist potter found pleasure and profit in turning out specimens to commemorate the spiritual efforts of James [illegible] Hugh Bourne and William [illegible].

Elaborate busts of both Wesley and Whitfield were produced by Wedgwood and now fetch from £7 to £10 or even more. The Staffordshire [illegible] once easily obtainable for about [illegible] have now doubled in value and [illegible] increase as the years go on.—From [illegible] Gentlewoman.

For train dispatching the Canadian Pacific Railroad has found the telephone so serviceable that the present system of about five hundred miles of telephone lines will be extended [illegible] thousand miles within a year.

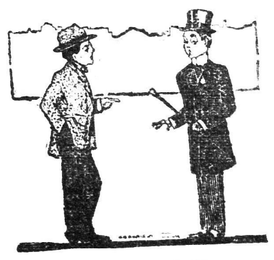
Chicago is considering plans for an extensive subway system of [illegible] to cost $80,000,000.

Greece has practically no coal deposits. Whatever electric power [illegible] has comes from waterfalls.

In the United States the percentage of railroads which are not engaged in carriage of the mails is very small.

Miss Ellen Day is said to be the oldest organist in London. She [illegible] and has been before the public [illegible] since she was 8 years old.

A Joplin woman who planned a visit to the east asked the city attorney to keep her 14-year-old son in jail until her return.



**GRUMBLE and GRIN**
Grumble—But how do you manage always to look so spick and span? Your shirts and collars are immaculate.
Grin—That's as easy as slipping on a banana peel—I patronize the BEST LAUNDRY in town. Try it, old man, try it—it's a winner.
Grumble—Name and address, please?
Grin—Why it's
**Forest City Laundry**
"The Home of Cleanliness"
72-74 KING STREET.
White Wagon Will Call.
Phone 1045.
OF COURSE.


## GENUINE FUR SALE

A sale of more than ordinary interest to the readers of this paper is announced in the advertising pages, that of the firm of H. A. Sabine & Co., of this city, who have been in business on Dundas street for some sixteen years. They have decided to retire from the retail business, owing to the increasing demands of their wholesale trade, and their entire retail stock is now being offered at prices which should attract close buyers.

Every article in their store is being sold regardless of value, as they do not intend to carry any of their immense stock over. Those in need of furs for this season, or who anticipates requiring them for next season, cannot do better than call at their store at once and make their selections. Furs of nearly all kinds have advanced from 10 to 30 per cent, so that at the reduced prices now being offered great savings can be effected.

**"WIRELESS WIZARD" OF THE WEST.**

The Pacific Ocean is in the way of becoming a fairly sociable body of water, through recent experiments in the development of wireless telegraphy which Robert H. Armstrong has been conducting for the Government on the northwestern edge of the United States.

Mr. Armstrong was sent out a little over a year ago to do something to make the Pacific as neighborly and chatty as the Atlantic. When he reached the Pacific coast, wireless, as a practical institution, was a joke. Today he has that western atmosphere carrying aerograms from Seward, Alaska, to the southern coast of California, and he has vessels of every