



MISS CAROLYN CORLIES BAILY.

She was married to Theodore Mitchell Hastings recently at Bryn Mawr, Pa., in the Church of the Redeemer. Miss Baily is one of the most popular young women in society. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Baily, of "Clovertown," Ardmore, Pa.

NEGRO BURNED ALIVE AT STAKE.

Had Attempted to Assault Woman--Never Whimpered When Flames Licked Him.

Rockwell, Texas, March 8.—After burning Anderson Ellis, a negro who attempted to assault Mrs. Arthur McKinney, at a stake in the public square of this little town late last night, the crowd quickly dispersed. Ellis was taken from the Rockwell county jail and securely tied to an iron stake, then cordwood saturated with kerosene was piled about him, and upon his refusal to make a statement beyond admitting his guilt in the presence of Mrs. McKinney, who fully identified him as her assailant, the torch was applied. As the flames licked about his man did not utter a cry nor show any symptoms of losing his nerve. He was dead in less than ten minutes.

Authorities in the chase after the negro. The search continued through Friday and Saturday. Yesterday a posse arrived at the farm house of Andrew Clarke, a negro farmer. Demand was made to search the premises on the supposition that the negro Ellis was there in hiding. Upon their refusal the inmates were commanded to surrender, and two negroes were seen running from the rear of the house. Shots were fired, and one of the men, Will Clark, son of the farmer, was killed. The other negro, now known to be Ellis, escaped for the time being, but bloodhounds were put on his track, and about 5 o'clock last evening he was surrounded at a farm house three miles south of Caddo Mills. Ellis was armed, and made desperate resistance, but he emptied his weapon at the posse without effect. He was wounded twice, and quickly closing in, the posse overpowered him and tied him securely. He was then hustled off to jail, but when it became generally known that he was a prisoner, determined men overpowered the jailors and obtained the key. The burning at the stake quickly followed.

SHOT HIMSELF Had Forced His Sister to Elope to New York.

Husband Goes Back to Italy Heart Broken.

Chicago, March 8.—Frank Serino was shot and killed yesterday because a week ago, according to his slayer, he held a revolver to the head of Mrs. Josie Fresco, 19 years old, a bride of ten days, and forced her to elope with him to New York city. Serino's slayer was the brother of Mrs. Fresco, Michael Pessalano, 20 years old.

MISSING. Relations Anxious About Charles Andrews of Toronto.

Charles Andrews, 27 years of age, has been missing from his home at 303 Danforth avenue, Toronto, since last August, and has not been heard of since September. His people are very anxious about him, and are advertising for him. Andrew worked for a time on the Turbina steamship, and was in Hamilton a good deal. He is 27 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches in height, has dark brown hair, fair moustache, and a small scar at the side of his nose. He is Irish, has a reddish complexion and a quiet disposition. When he left home he wore a dark brown suit and peak cap.

SORRY FOR HIM. Rev. Dr. Workman Preached Instead of Rev. Mr. Jackson.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Kingston, March 8.—Rev. Dr. Workman, who replaced Rev. Mr. Jackson as preacher at the anniversary service in Brock Street Methodist Church yesterday, made this slight reference to the Jackson-Carman controversy. "We are all sorry," he said, "that Mr. Jackson is prevented from being here to-day because of sickness and trouble, and we all sympathize with him in his trouble, without saying which side of the controversy we take."

CRUEL DEATH. Baby Upset Pot of Scalding Tea on Face and Body.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Kingston, Ont., March 8.—Muriel Murray, the fourteen months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murray, Barriefield, met a terrible death on Saturday night. The family were at supper shortly after six o'clock, when the baby, tugging at the table cloth, upset a pot of scalding tea on her face and body. Terrible injuries, both internal and external, resulted. The suffering infant died four hours later from shock.

ENGLISH SHAG TOBACCO. W. D. & H. O. Wills, of Bristol, England, are the manufacturers of the celebrated superfine shag smoking tobacco, which is sold in this city for 20 cents a tin at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

FOLLOWED HIM. Father and Son Commit Suicide With Same Pistol.

La Grange, Ga., March 8.—On the exact spot where his son killed himself three days ago with a pistol, Robert F. Ridley, sen., yesterday blew out his brains with the same weapon that had ended the life of the son. Robert F. Ridley, sen., was one of the wealthiest men in Western Georgia and he settled an independent fortune on his son two days before the latter killed himself. The tragedies were enacted within 200 yards of the family home and the family heard the shots. A Glace Bay, N. S., man has invented an automatic railway crossing gate.

MISS FLORENCE ABLE TO TESTIFY

But it is Very Doubtful if Mrs. Kinrade Will be Able to Stand the Ordeal on Wednesday.

Detective Miller Here Again To-day, But Has Little to Say--No New Facts Brought to Light.

It is announced definitely to-day that Miss Florence Kinrade will be able to attend and give her evidence at the inquest over the death of her sister, Ethel, on Wednesday night. Miss Kinrade has improved a great deal since going to Toronto. Care has been taken to keep her mind off the tragedy as much as possible. In order to ascertain if it would be wise to have her give evidence on Wednesday evening, an examination was made by two eminent physicians from the Mimico Asylum yesterday—men accustomed to dealing with mental troubles of all kinds—Dr. Clark and Smith. They examined Miss Kinrade in the presence of the nurse, Miss Walker, and Detective Miller, Provincial officer, who is in the Kinrade apartments at the Arlington. The physicians were quite satisfied with Miss Kinrade's condition, physically and mentally. The ordeal through which she has passed has

been a terrible one, but rest, quietness and good care have benefited her greatly, and she will be here on Wednesday, unless something unforeseen happens. Mrs. Kinrade has been subpoenaed for the same night, but it is doubtful if her condition will permit of her being examined. She is in a bad state, physically, and any reference to the murder of her daughter completely prostrates her. Eleven days of constant mental and physical strain have told upon Mr. Kinrade also. From the very first he has tried to look upon the fearful tragedy as calmly as possible, and has given every assistance in his power to the police in an effort to get at the bottom of the tragedy. He has given his consent to every suggestion made by the detectives, even at times when the condition of Miss Florence might have furnished him good reason for refusing. But the strain is telling. An intimate Hamilton friend who saw him in Toronto yesterday says the lines on his face have deepened and he has aged quite a bit. No one is more anxious to have the mystery solved and the good name of his family vindicated.

EIGHT BULLETS. It is a fairly well established fact now that there were eight bullets in the murdered girl's body. This still further complicates the affair. If it is a fact that several shots were fired at Miss Florence Kinrade, which the police do not think is the case, it would mean that the murderer must have used two weapons. Even if no more than the eight were fired, there must have been two weapons or a modern automatic revolver. A statement that has been made that automatics are not made in 32 calibre is not correct. There are a number of 32-calibre automatics in town. They hold ten to twelve cartridges. The theory that 15 minutes elapsed between the firing of the first and last shots is also confirmed, it is said, by the medical examination. The doctors who made the autopsy will not discuss the subject, but they say there will be nothing of a sensational nature in the medical evidence at the inquest. Provincial Detective Miller is here (Continued on Page 10.)

Attacked Near Home

Man With Long Knife Set Upon Young Girl.

If any further proof of the fact that there are a lot of bad characters around the streets of Hamilton were wanted it was furnished last night by the attack made upon Miss Katie Burkholder, daughter of Mr. Geo. W. Burkholder, of H. M. Customs. Miss Burkholder, a girl of 17, was on her way home from James Street Baptist Church between 8.20 and 8.30 in the evening, and had almost reached her home, 87 Augusta street. She was passing a lane in rear of Mr. Adam Ballentine's stable when a man rushed out and grabbed her around the throat and, brandishing a long knife, exclaimed: "Don't scream or I'll stab you." The suddenness and force of the attack carried Miss Burkholder to her knees, but she screamed and the man ran. Then she ran to her home, less than 100 feet away. She was in a state of nervous collapse and Dr. Bingham was summoned. The collar and shoulder of her dress were torn and the marks of her assailant's fingers were clearly seen on her neck. She was prostrated for several hours, but was better again this morning. The police were at once notified, but could do little, for Miss Burkholder could give no description of the man at all. She did not see his face, as he attacked her from the back, but she saw a long knife, the blade about six inches in length, gleaming in the moonlight. The affair took place within 100 feet of an electric light, and the clear, full moon added its light, making the scene of the assault bright enough to have read a newspaper without difficulty.

NEGRO NEEDED THREE SHOCKS.

Murderer in the Electric Chair at Sing Sing This Morning.

Oswining, N. Y., March 8.—Wm. Jones, a negro, was put to death in the electric chair in Sing Sing prison this morning. He was brought into the death chamber shortly before six o'clock, attended by the Rev. S. E. Jones, the prison chaplain. The first contact, consisting of 1840 volts 8 1/2 amperes, was kept on a minute and five seconds. After a hasty examination the current was turned on and kept on for six seconds. An examination showed a third shock to be necessary. It lasted six seconds and at its close, ten minutes after the first shock was given, the man was declared dead. William Jones killed Llewellyn Bunn in Hempstead, L. I., on September 1st, 1907. The two men were employed in a livery stable, and on the day of the murder they were drinking in a negro resort in Hempstead. They parted and Jones went to a baseball game, while Bunn returned to the stable. Jones returned at 6 o'clock that evening and the two men again quarrelled. Jones whipped out a revolver and shot and killed Bunn.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

People talk about the "contradictory" statements of Miss Kinrade as to the shooting. Heavens! Imagine to yourself, if you can, your sister shot down in cold blood, murdered almost before your very eyes, with the murderer in the same room with you. Why, many women, going through such an experience, would be taving maniacs or drivelling idiots up in the Asylum.

Now if we all thought as the Citizens' League thinks, this would be a different kind of a city, and if we would follow up Mr. Tobey's programme there would be something doing every minute. I think we will have to send the Elgar Choir to Chicago and let the people there hear real music. Toronto is now in the throes of a religious warfare, without knowing the points in dispute. Now, if it were a fight with the street railway company about transfers every Tom Jack of them would be able to talk like so many experts. While we are all jumping on Chief Smith, don't forget that he has for years been pleading with the Police Commissioners for more men and things, only to be turned down. Did you read Mr. Tobey's letter? Has the Board of Trade or Industrial Committee any intention of taking this matter up? The Canadian tariff reformers are not getting much encouragement from Scotland for their pet theories. They're too hard-headed over there to be easily fooled. Warden Gage has thrown down the gauge of battle, and even roasts the judges. How much duty would you say should be given the woollen mills to keep them open? They now have some thirty per cent. Are you willing to pay \$2 for a \$1 shirt to keep them running? But we have the same suspicions of Ganey as ever had. There are many things to explain before we give him an invitation to dine. That young man Wright is the sort of a lover any girl might be proud of. A friend in need is a friend indeed. The past week has been a strenuous one for both policemen and newspaper men. Both will be glad when things get back to their normal state. Are you thinking of moving this spring? Can't you get the landlord to make the needed repairs? Don't forget those electric lights for Mount Hamilton. Pretty dark up there, I am told. If we chase the tramps out of town, I suppose Toronto or some other place will hold them back again. Can the Central do any more? What is there to talk about in being a song illustrator in a moving picture show? For some years the Y. M. C. A. hall has had one of those shows running. If I had the voice I shouldn't mind doing some of the illustrating myself. Then the Easter hat is the next architectural feature to claim public attention. Will it be a skyscraper or a one-storied affair? From what I can read in some of my contemporaries, the street railway company has apparently some deep, dark design in building these car barns. Couldn't we get along without the street railway altogether? Wonder what the new City Engineer will do with the much maligned sand-sucker? Does Lent mean anything to you? A trolley car running along the mountain top would be all right. I don't see why we don't have them. There's the makings of a fine belt line up there.

IDENTIFIED BY BROTHER.

Girl Who Jumped From Bridge Was Probably Insane.

Nicholas Koelanske, 32 Locke street south, was horrified on Saturday evening to be told that the woman who took the terrible drop to death from the high level bridge was his young sister. Budimir Protich carried him the sad information. The well-known interpreter viewed the body, and although he knew the face he did not know the name of the girl. He set out to hunt for foreigners with missing relatives or friends. At first sight of the girl Protich decided that the girl was Polish, and this narrowed down his investigation somewhat. He found Nicholas Koelanske, at last, and he was rather nervous at the absence of his sister, who had not shown up since she started to go to work at the Tuckett cigar factory this morning. He said she had been acting rather queerly for the past few weeks. She had been out here only one year. Protich got a description of the man's missing sister, and this assured him that it was she who had killed herself that morning. He had killed herself that morning. He took the man to the morgue, and he identified her. There was a most pathetic scene in the morgue when the man saw his bruised and battered sister laid out cold in death. It is likely the cause of the woman's act was insanity. Her actions for the past few weeks bear this out. She had not been here long enough to form attachments, and her brother had nothing but good to say of her. The immediate cause of death was the fall, not drowning. Striking the ice and water after a fall of over a hundred feet, as she did, injured her internally and broke many bones in her body. The jurors met at the City Hospital on Saturday afternoon, and adjourned until Tuesday night to hear evidence. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

GOING BACK.

Mr. Samuel Dornan Left For Northwest To-day.

Mr. Samuel Dornan left by the 12.25 train to-day for Watrous, Sask., where he and his sons took up three quarter-sections of land, 480 acres, a couple of years ago. Mr. Dornan will look after the seeding and summer work, also the harvesting, and expects to be back home here for Christmas. Watrous is 400 miles or a little more beyond Winnipeg, and his land is fine rolling prairie, off which he has already taken two good crops. When he went up one year ago there was only one building at Watrous, and when he left in December there were 200. The G. T. P. has a station there.

Marmalade Oranges.

Another shipment to hand, larger and brighter than any we have had. Don't delay ordering, as the season is nearly over. Daily supply of fresh-cut lettuce, rhubarb, sweetpeppers, mushrooms, cucumbers, pineapples, celery, grape-fruit. We have a small quantity of last season's Lee's maple syrup in perfect condition, also plain and self-rising buckwheat flour.—Bain & Adams, 89, 91 King street east.

The Bennett Bros. Mill.

The old Bennett Bros' mill, corner of Market and Park street, is now running again and is prepared to supply all the old brands of flour, etc. Highest price paid for grain. Telephone 1617.

BLAME WHISKEY FOR HIS INSANITY

Welland Man Who "Shot-Up" Hardware Store Received Bullet Himself.

Mr. J. W. Lamoreaux, Secretary-Treasurer of the Tuckett & Sons Company, and a member of the Board of Education of this city, had an experience on Saturday with a man with a gun, that was anything but pleasant, although Mr. Lamoreaux came through it without harm. He was in the hardware store of Blake & Booth, at Welland, when a young man entered and asked to be shown a revolver. Mr. Booth gave him one and he then asked for cartridges, which were also given him, and he proceeded to load the weapon. Having done this, the young man seemed to be seized with a reckless spirit, which alarmed Mr. Lamoreaux and the clerk. Mr. Lamoreaux asked him to remove the cartridges again, as he was acting in such a way as to cause alarm. The young fellow refused, and word was sent to a constable, who was close at hand, to come and arrest the man. Just then another man, George Boyd, arrived on the scene. The man with the revolver ordered all three to retire to the back of the store, and said he would shoot if they did not obey. Instead of doing so, however, they grabbed the man and endeavored to take the revolver from him. While they were doing so he pulled the trigger three times; but the three men held their hands so that he could not shoot any of them, and the three charges were discharged without doing any harm. The constable, who had arrived in a few minutes took the prisoner to the

lock-up, and he was afterwards remanded to Welland jail for trial this morning. He proved to be Harvey Jones, a young man of the town, aged 19. What first made Mr. Lamoreaux and Mr. Booth suspicious was Jones' peculiar method of measuring the revolver, using a plug of tobacco to do it. One of the bullets passed close to Mr. Lamoreaux's leg and was embedded in the counter. INSANITY THE PLEA. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Welland, Ont., March 8.—Poster Jones, who tried to shoot up Booth's hardware store at 10.30 on Saturday night, appeared before Police Magistrate Burgar this morning at ten o'clock, and at the request of Crown Attorney Cowper, was remanded for a week. "I will not offer any evidence," said Mr. Cowper, "until this youth has been examined as to his sanity." Chief Jones made a remarkable announcement when he informed the court that Jones was carrying about a bullet in his thigh. When George Boyd sprang to grab him, Jones made a hurried move to get a revolver from his hip pocket. The weapon exploded just as it was drawn from the pocket. The bullet pierced his trousers in the back just below the band and entered the flesh. Had it gone through Boyd would have been hit in the stomach, for he was standing directly in front. Jones has lived in Welland for six months and is nineteen years old. Cigarettes, whiskey and dime novels have deranged his mind.

IS CONSCIOUS NOW AND IMPROVING.

Harry Smith's Chances Good--His Assailant's Chances of Escape Good, Also.

Rumors about the serious condition of Constable Harry Smith were on every lip on Saturday and Sunday. He was reported to be sinking, and one rumor had it that his death was hourly expected. Encouraging bulletins from the City Hospital, however, continue, and to-day it was stated by the authorities there that the popular police officer was a little better. He is quite conscious and cheerful, but is not allowed to receive visitors. At times he suffers a good deal, but he has a good, strong constitution and that is a great deal in his favor. The police have as yet no trace of his assailant. A scare story in a Toronto exchange to the effect that the local police were satisfied that the man was a chicken thief, an Englishman, and that he answered the description of a man seen the afternoon of the shooting, is laughed at by the officers working on the case. Detective Campbell had charge of the investigation, and he stated this morning that there was nothing new at all. Bishop Dowling's coachman, James Lynch, told the police that there was a man at the Bishop's house last Thursday afternoon who had a white canvas bag under his arm, and was looking for scrap iron or other saleable scrap. He was sent away. Lynch said he was about 5 feet 8 inches in height, and spoke with a decided English accent. He is also described as having rosy cheeks, with a two-weeks' growth of a moustache. His clothing consisted of a light brown or grey suit and peak cap. He wore no overcoat, and had every appearance of having just come a

short distance when he met the Bishop's coachman. It is thought that with this fairly clear description the police may be able to do something towards clearing away the mystery surrounding the shooting. The local detectives have full charge. Detective Miller is working on the Kinrade case only. NOT THE MAN. E. G. Brown, a florist on Wentworth street north, thought he had a call from the man who did the shooting on Thursday night, but it has since been discovered that the man who visited him and walked off with a supply of tools was not the shooter. Thursday afternoon a man went into his yard and walked to the tool shed. He was seen coming out of the shed a few moments later by Mr. Brown's brother who held him up and questioned him. The man did not apparently have anything belonging to the establishment, so Mr. Brown let him go. A short time afterwards a chisel, a pair of pinners, a plane and a wrench were missed from the shed when they were wanted. The police were notified at once, and seeing that the list of missing articles contained a chisel, they asked Mr. Brown to call at the police office and have a look at the one which the burglar had left behind him, when he made his escape from the Kapelle yard. That chisel did not look at all like his, however. Mr. Brown's tools were later recovered in a second hand shop on John street south, where they had been sold for a trifling part of their value by a man answering the description of the person who visited the tool shed on Thursday. This man is thought to be one of the many tramps living on pilfering and sneak thieving of a small variety.

NO SHOOTING.

Exaggerated Report of the Dundas Italian Labor Case.

Dundas, March 8.—(Special)—"Sago" Aitchison was arraigned before Mayor Lawrason this morning on a charge of breaking into the residence of Miss Howell, in the west end, one day last week. He was committed for trial. Aitchison is a Dundas man, who has hung around the town for years, looked upon as his own worst enemy. This is the first crime charged against him. Mayor Lawrason and Chief Twiss are greatly annoyed over the report in the Globe of this morning of the trial of the two Italians from the Doolittle & Wilcox quarry. There was no shooting in connection with this case. It was simply disorderly conduct, the men being arrested more to prevent a demonstration than anything else.

MAD AS A HATTER.

Riot Growing Out of a Strike in a Hat Factory.

Woodbine, N. J., March 8.—Several persons were injured to-day in a riot growing out of a strike in the hat factory here, when a crowd of about 400 set upon a dozen workmen who had not left their jobs. Stones, bricks and other missiles were thrown. During the rioting a revolver was fired and Abraham Willert, one of the men attacked, was struck with a brick hurled by some one in the crowd of rioters and rendered unconscious. Several others were hit by missiles before they succeeded in getting clear of their assailants, but none were seriously injured. When the disturbance had been quelled the shop was closed down for the day.

RHODES SCHOLAR.

McMaster's First One a Woodstock Young Man.

Toronto, Ont., March 8.—Morden H. Long, B. A., a graduate of 1908, was announced to-day McMaster University's Rhodes scholar by direct appointment. Ralph Bellamy, B. A., a graduate of 1903, was appointed at Alberta's first Rhodes scholar, but Mr. Long is the first man to go direct from McMaster to Oxford. Mr. Long is a son of Mr. Ralph Long, confectioner, of Woodstock, and is but 22 years of age. He is at present attending the Provincial Normal College at Calgary, Alta.

THE UNWRITTEN LAW.

Belleville, March 8.—There will be a murder trial at the Assizes which open here to-morrow. Thomas Smart, a young Mohawk Indian, is charged with killing his step-grandfather, James Sero, W. L. Herrington, of Napusne, will defend. It is said the "unwritten law" will play a part in the defence, the murdered man having been intimate, it is alleged, with the prisoner's sister.

VETERAN HURT.

Belleville, Ont., March 8.—News has been received here that Arthur Bolyea, the member of the First Canadian contingent who was court-martialed for capturing a Boer chicken, was run over by a motor car in Detroit and seriously hurt. —Dr. R. Y. Parry, of this city, has been appointed associate coroner, in and for the County of Wentworth.

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SPINSTER'S HATRED OF MEN.

She Even Refused Stamps and Coins That Bore King's Head.

Miss Harriet Evans, an elderly spinster on whom an inquest was held at Hackney, England, was said to have been a confirmed man-hater.

"She was so much against men that she would not have a coin with the King's head on it," her landlady said, "if one was given to her she would throw it into the fire. She would only deal in money bearing Queen Victoria's head."

Miss Evans went to the office of a local newspaper some time ago, but refused to enter it until a woman was sent to transact business with her. An advertisement for apartments which she published stipulated that there should be no man in the house.

She even declined to receive letters, says the Pall Mall Gazette, because the stamps bore the King's head.

The first Plenary Council of the Roman Catholic Church in Canada will meet in Quebec during the coming summer.

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Mr. Roosevelt's One Regret. Five or six years ago President Roosevelt visited the Gettysburg battlefield to make a Decoration Day speech, and I was one of three press association men to go along on his special train. Coming back to Washington, the President joined General O. O. Howard, General Daniel Sickles, and then Commissioner of Pensions, Ware, and the newspaper men, in the smoking compartment, and naturally enough the talk turned to war and carnage, battle, murder and sudden death. Mr. Roosevelt did most of the talking, it is true, but the others got a chance to say something every now and then. Finally it came to Commissioner Ware's turn.

"Mr. President," said he, "I had a most interesting visitor the other day, and never have I regretted so much the inelasticity of the pension laws."

"This visitor was the most disgraced human being I ever saw. He had no record at all, one ear had been shot or cut away, a musket ball had gone through both his cheeks, and he had other marks and scars too numerous to mention. He had been a union cavalryman, and his record was of the best. But he was strong and healthy, and the examiners had reported that he was not entitled to a pension. I thought it pretty rough."

The President leaned forward until his face was about three inches from the commissioner's. He lifted his arm and brought his closed fist down on Mr. Ware's knee with a good sound thump.

"Mr. Commissioner," he cried, "what take a wrong view of this matter? That man's cheeks and had other marks and scars, those honorable disfigurements; positively happy over them. He should have been willing, if able, to pay the government a bounty for them instead of begging a pension from the government!"

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THE ASH BARREL. Caused a Thousand Dollar Fire in City of Brantford. Call Extended—Dominion Gas—New Arch Bridge.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, March 8.—An incipient blaze from an ash barrel here yesterday afternoon nearly destroyed the Phillips homestead on Darling street, now occupied by the Misses Phillips. The blaze was not discovered until the rear part of the house, which is a large two-story frame, was ignited. When the firemen arrived the house was filled with smoke and suffocation, and had the fire occurred at night, there might have been a serious loss of life. Two streams of hoses were laid, and in a half an hour the blaze was under control. The damage was about \$1,000, fully covered by insurance.

CALL EXTENDED. At a congregational meeting here on Saturday night, the members of Sydney Street Methodist Church extended a call to Rev. W. J. Brandon, of Port Colborne, to succeed Rev. Charles Deacon, whose term expires this summer. The call was subject to the ruling of the June Conference. Rev. C. W. Rose, of Yarmouth, N. S., the new pastor of Park Baptist Church, conducted the first services in his new charge yesterday. Large congregations were present at both services.

DOCTORS UNANIMOUS. The Brant County Medical Association has unanimously passed a resolution of confidence in the staff and officers of the John H. Stratford Hospital. The resolution was passed in view of expressed dissatisfaction from the rural municipalities, threatening to withdraw their indigent patients. An endeavor is being made to secure the expenditure of a large amount of money on the Brantford hospital.

MORE INFORMATION. It has been announced here that the supply of gas is running out at the wells of the Dominion Gas Company, and the statement has called forth a vigorous denial. Aid. Geo. Ward, who has been following up the investigation into the rights of the local company to boost the rates to consumers, threatens to have some startling information to report to the City Council in the near future.

MEETING THURSDAY. A meeting of the representatives of the Hamilton Radial, the Toronto, Niagara & Western Railway, and the Grand Trunk has been called for Thursday here, at the Mayor's office, in connection with the building of a new arch bridge above the Radial terminal station. The representatives of the city hope to secure an adjustment of the cost among the different railway corporations affected. The new Radial terminal station will not be erected, it is announced, until the new bridge across the canal is under way.

GENERAL NOTES. Carrick, of Toronto, and Lawrence, of Hamilton, will figure in a matched swimming race here on Friday night at 100 and 50 yards. The local police state that no description of the Hamilton fugitive burglar has as yet been received by the department. Special constables have been doing extra duty recently at the depots, looking up questionable characters. It is stated here that Herbert McIntyre, of Brantford township, is slated for the position of customs appraiser, to succeed Capt. Grant, resigning.

Mr. John C. Waller, a well-known local florist, is an applicant for the position of overseer of parks and cemeteries, rendered vacant by the death of the late Thomas Osborne.

LAST OF ILL-FATED VESSEL.

"General Slocum," Converted Into Brick Barge, Sinks.

New Brunswick, N. J., March 7.—The barge Maryland, formerly the steamboat General Slocum, on which more than 1,000 persons lost their lives a few years ago, sank at South Ber on Friday.

The barge was loaded with 500,000 bricks, consigned to a New York contractor. The weight of her load sank the boat so deep that the bottom scraped along a rock, which tore a hole of considerable size. The Slocum was rebuilt and converted into a barge some time after the great disaster in the East River, New York.

WINE AT WHITE HOUSE.

Difference of Opinion as to What Mrs. Taft Should Do.

Pittsburg, March 7.—The effort, headed by Mrs. John Little Morris, of Columbus, Ind., to have Mrs. Taft follow the precedent set by Mrs. Rathford B. Hayes and dispense with wine at the White House table, is seconded by Pittsburg club women. The Indiana petition is said to have been signed by the presidents of all the organizations to which it has been presented with the exception of the Columbus Culture Club, the Magazine Club and the Tri-Kappas, which maintain that a suggestion as to whether or not Mrs. Taft should serve wine is impertinent.

Not satisfied with the trips he has already made through the turbulent waters of Niagara, Robert Leach, of Chippewa, says he will make a trip over the Horseshoe Falls in a rubber ball.

LICENSES IN W. FLAMBORO. North Wentworth Commissioners Have to Decide Again.

Dundas, March 8.—It would seem that the same four applications for licenses in West Flamboro, that the commissioners had to make a choice of two from, will be before them for the coming year. The license at Bullock's Corners and the one at Clappison's were cast off last year, but Thos. O'Connors, of Bullock's Corners, has already a sufficiently signed petition and about 15 to spare to secure a license, and it is said that efforts to permit the necessary signatures to be made are not being made. The petitioners are likely to meet with success. Thus the commissioners will again in all probability be called upon to select the two. The commissioners, or some of the other, are not pleased with the situation in which they are placed. They claim that the petitions to restore licenses to the two places cut off last year are signed by many people who are not in favor of having the licenses issued, simply because they are asked to sign and lack the backbone to refuse. The opinion seems to prevail that the same places now holding licenses will have the privilege for another year.

The trial of the two striking Dagos, on Saturday, lasted till late in the afternoon and drew a large crowd. The charge against them was riotous conduct. W. E. S. Knowles defended the accused. The

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THAT TREATY AMENDMENT.

The rider attached to the International Waterways Treaty, at the suggestion of Senator Smith, of Michigan, by the United States Senate is at least satisfactory in one particular, and should go far toward reassuring those people who, like the Toronto Telegram, see in the convention a great danger to Canadian rights. The effect of the proviso is to protect alike "the existing right of the United States and Canada each to use the waters of the St. Mary's River within its own territory"; to preserve the territorial or riparian rights of the owners of the lands under the water on either side of the international boundary; to prevent interference with the requirements of navigation and navigable canals, and to guard against rendering it impossible to drain lands into streams flowing into boundary waters. On the face of the proviso there is nothing to indicate that it is not as much a protection to Canadian rights as to the rights of Michigan. If there are any special reasons why it is more advantageous to Michigan than to Canada, we shall probably not remain long in ignorance of them.

CONVICTS' DEPENDENTS.

The Kingston Standard refers to a subject frequently discussed in the editorial columns of the Times, a better system of dealing with convicts so as to lessen the suffering which the punishment of crime brings to the innocent. Our contemporary thinks that a portion of the earnings of the prisoners, "beyond the cost of their living and their legitimate share of the upkeep of the institution," should be set aside for the support of their dependents. Times readers are familiar with this contention. No man with a heart desires to make the case of those dependent upon a convict harder. The first thing to be accomplished is such a reform of our system of dealing with criminals as will require them to work and produce so that there shall be from their labor a margin over the cost which they incur to the public. This accomplished, the rest will be easy. We have been too careful of our convicts, and we have shut the door of productive employment against them to such an extent as to prevent our penal institutions from paying their way. A more enlightened view of economics and penology is needed before we can hope to be able to have a margin from prisoners' earnings, as suggested. And yet such a result should not be impossible to an intelligent people. Two errors, however, must be got rid of: We must cease to regard criminals as a people to be gently restrained, to be well fed and housed, and not required to work more than enough for exercise; and we must rid ourselves of the idea that because the convict is made to work within the walls of a prison instead of in a shop, factory or farm, his product is tainted, and should not be touched by honest society.

"OWNERSHIP" BOOKKEEPING.

It has so frequently and with such manifest good reason been complained that much of the "success" of municipal ownership and operation of utilities has been merely a matter of bookkeeping that it will hardly surprise thoughtful readers to find the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board directing attention to the slipshod or purposely incorrect methods of accounting in vogue in many cases. The Board in seeking to be useful issued forms to be filled up by the municipalities operating gas, electric light, water and telephone plants in the expectation that the information, "if supplied, would be valuable to the public and to the Board." The results, in many cases, were not all that could be desired, and showed careless and gross incompetence, if not a disposition to present such a return as should tell in favor of the municipal ownership and operation idea. In some cases, the Board finds, the books have not been kept in such a manner as to enable the municipal officials to supply the information. "In some instances," says the report, "municipalities operating more than one public utility have not kept separate accounts of each, but have bulked the income and expenditure, and are thus unable to ascertain the cost to the municipalities of operating each of these utilities. In some cases the information furnished is of the bald and most meagre character."

And yet it is to such a system that some credulous fanatics would entrust the ownership and operation of all our great utility services, so great is their superstitious veneration of municipal fiducialism.

The tabulations of these municipal ventures might be very much more complete than they are. On the face of the returns it is plain that a considerable proportion of them are operated at a loss—39 per cent. of the waterworks; 30 per cent. of the electric light and power works, and 16 per cent. of the gas works. Even where profit is claimed, it is not stated that capital charges have been met, or that depreciation has been provided for. This item of depreciation is one that municipal ownerships are wont to ignore; it can be charged back some day, on the taxpayers. The Railway and Municipal Board is led to utter this word of warning on that point:

It will be noticed that in a number of cases these utilities are being operated at a loss. In a great many cases depreciation is not taken into account in ascertaining the cost of production. Depreciation is obviously an element of cost just as real as wages or fuel, and a proper method of dealing with this fac-

tor in the cost of production by a municipality would be to charge annually against the revenue of each utility a certain percentage of the total sum invested in such utility, thus creating a fund which at the expiration of a certain time would yield a sum adequate to restore the plant to the standard of a new plant.

As the Board properly points out, "the possession of full and accurate data is of the first importance to the taxpayer." The "ownership" municipalities do not give it. Why, can only be conjectured. But even the totals of the tabulations are likely to lead the cursory reader astray. The column of waterworks "surpluses" contains a number of items starred, which are explained to be really deficits, yet the total is the sum of all the surpluses and deficits! The "surplus" columns for electric light and gas works similar difficulty is met with deficits being fumbled in and counted as surpluses; and in the gas surplus column item, a deficit, is stated to be inclusive of revenue from the electric light plant, although in another part of the report the electric light plant is stated to have itself produced loss!

The matter of correct municipal bookkeeping is of great importance. If the Railway and Municipal Board can bring about a better system and compel the keeping apart of the accounts of these ownership and operation ventures, and the charging to them of all proper items, including provision for depreciation, it will do the deluded ratepayers a good service. And it will let the gas out of the balloon of municipal ownership and add to the great sorrow of the ordinarily minded citizens and grafters, but to the great benefit of the country.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Hon. Mr. Graham is keeping in view the deepening of the Welland Canal. The work will be undertaken as soon as the financial circumstances of the Dominion justify it.

Toronto is keeping down its tax rate by cutting down its estimates by \$340,000, and adding that much to the city's debt, which is already causing its financiers much difficulty.

Still we think that the Citizens' League can find much more useful work than attacking the Collegiate Institute conversation—and with great increase in its influence for good.

Toronto's \$5,000 grant to the Italian sufferers by earthquake has actually been forwarded. Hamilton's \$500 gift is still in the city treasury and will probably be used to pay expenses incurred by the Hydro-Electric boomers.

St. Catharines' Council seems to be very much where it was, Mr. Day, on the advice of his friends, having failed to qualify as a candidate. All the trouble and expense to which the city has been put has thus been incurred for nothing.

This Imperial staff scheme presented by Sir Frederick Borden will require some study before it can be passed upon by the people. One satisfactory feature, however, is that the Canadian section must always be under the sole control of the Canadian Government.

Mr. R. L. Borden does not denounce that creed pamphlet, "The Duty of the Hour." He stood quite ready to profit by it. He makes it quite clear that his regret is confined to the pamphlet being circulated in localities where it did not contribute to making votes for his party.

The Department of Immigration tells us that there are still 200,000 free homesteads available under completed surveys in the three prairie Provinces. The work of the surveyors this season will largely increase the number. It will not be many years, however, until this land plenty will come to an end.

In creating a street railway company the citizens of Toronto sold their birthright for a mess of pottage. — The Globe.

But imagine the situation if the railway had been turned over to municipal grafters and bunglers. Imagine an indefinite continuance of the illustration of bull-headed incompetence given by Toronto Council in changing the car routes last week!

You see, if T. J. Stewart's bright idea had been made a part of the Criminal Code, all Policemen Smith would have had to do would have been to command that burglar to toddle to the police headquarters and be searched; and of course he would have obeyed, and there would have been no shooting—perhaps Stewart should have been politically born years and years ago.

So T. J. Stewart, M. P., proposes to declare a sort of perpetual "state of siege" and to empower any policeman to hold up any citizen and "go through his clothes" at his sweet will. Now doesn't that savor of "thorough"? Does he really think such legislation is necessary? Any suspect may be dealt with under the law as it now stands. Is everybody to be regarded as a suspect?

An illustration of the shameful methods of the Tory organs in misreporting Parliament to serve their party ends is given by the Mail and Empire in referring to public buildings in British Columbia. Speaking of the Immigration building at Victoria costing \$85,000, it refers to it as money wasted, and declares—no part of the report—that "this building was designed beyond question to accommodate the influx of Asiatic immigration, and the Government is now unable to explain what use

it can be put to, if Asiatics are to be excluded." Could littleness and mendacity go further?

That peculiar measure, the British Daylight Bill, has had its second reading, and will probably become law. It provides that on a certain day the British clocks shall be advanced an hour and twenty minutes, thus giving the people that much longer of daylight to work or play by. It was first received with ridicule, but on examination of it, railways, manufacturers and business people generally united in approving of it.

Mr. R. L. Borden's attack upon the Grand Trunk Railway indicates great soreness on his part. The Grand Trunk has never actively entered party politics in Canada. The Tory party has in the past profited largely by C. P. R. influence, and Mr. Borden shows a disposition to try to bully the Grand Trunk into putting its shoulder to the Tory chariot wheel to help it out of the slough. But he will hardly succeed. The tendency of the age is for railways to eschew political alliances.

Oddly enough, Hon. S. H. Blake, the great champion of religious teaching in the public schools, is out with a letter in pamphlet form protesting against "the teaching of religious knowledge" in the University. The situation may be explained by the facts that the University is not supposed to impart religious knowledge, and that the teaching alleged to have been given in the Department of Oriental Languages does not fit in with Hon. S. H.'s ideas of the religion he would have taught by the State.

OUR EXCHANGES

NOTHIN' DOING. (London Free Press.) No, gentle reader, there was no murder done in Hamilton, Ont., yesterday. It was an off day.

NOT THE RIGHT KIND. (London Free Press.) Hamilton is discussing holding an exhibition. Is Hamilton not satisfied with the notoriety she is receiving?

THINKS WERE EASY. (Galt Reformer.) The number of shooting affairs in Hamilton gives the idea that the city under the mountain is an easy mark for crooks.

ANOTHER CRACK. (Galt Reporter.) It was an eminent Hamiltonian, you know, who said he was no policeman. Perhaps down there they are all detectives—who don't detect.

PUNISHING THE INNOCENT. (Toronto Mail and Empire.) The imprisonment for life of ex-Chief of Police Malone, of Simcoe, means that a wife and several children are left forever without the support they need.

HAMILTON'S DELUSIONS. (Toronto Star.) See Hamilton, despite our frown. Spring daily a new mystery: It thinks, the poor deluded town, That it is making history.

WHAT WE NEED. (Toronto Star.) A policeman is shot by a burglar in Hamilton. A Lindsay constable is beaten by a gang of men headed by one who has served terms in Kingston Penitentiary and at Sing Sing. Evidently we need either a Provincial police force or a great strengthening of the local forces.

AN INSULT. (Belleville Intelligencer.) Hamilton is going to put down wood block pavements. With three murder mysteries so far unsolved in that city some people may be unkind enough to remark that the heads of Hamilton policemen and detectives might come in handy as paving material.

THE GRAND TRUNK. (Toronto Globe.) The Grand Trunk management has never figured as a political power. It employs its energy in running a railway, and as it will soon be the greatest railway system in the world it will have enough to keep it busy.

NOT ALL BUMS. To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—Permit me, through the medium of your valuable paper, to state, as one among many willing and anxious to secure employment, and who, through no fault of my own, have had to find quarters in the much discussed lodging house, that if some of those who are howling us down and branding us as bums would offer employment, I vouch to say 95 per cent. would be deeply grateful. It seems amazing to me that through one fanatic scores of genuine workmen should be classed as bums, etc. When a man is offered and refuses work, then it's time to kick, but at the present time, as everyone knows that it's even impossible to buy a job, I think it's not becoming a civilized country to insult its down-and-out workmen in any such fashion. Thanking you for insertion, yours respectfully, W. S. Lumgair.

RE COUNTY POOR HOUSE. To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—Permit me to supplement the letter of Warden Gage with some further comments in reference to the above. It is well known that for reasons which I do not now propose to discuss, strong objections have been made to the institution at the present time of a county house of refuge.

The manifest intention of the Grand Jury in their recent presentation was to "score" the county for what they affected to consider, whether rightly or otherwise, its neglect of duty on this account.

With this object in view, in framing their presentation they stated that, when inspecting the city jail, they found therein thirty-three male inmates, several of whom were wrongfully placed among criminals, and that of these wretched creatures several, according to their information, had been life-long residents of the county of Wentworth. From what follows in the presentation, it was their manifest intention to convey the impression that quite a large number of the jail inmates were being herded with criminals solely by reason of Wentworth's neglect of duty in not finding these persons better accommodation elsewhere.

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MR. LUMGAIR'S VIEW

He is Down on Large Stores and Large Concerns.

To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—In reply to Mr. Tobey's letter in the Times on Saturday re "Greater Hamilton," I would like to draw attention to what this city was in 1875. We had the following manufacturers and wholesale houses, which are now extinct: Five sewing machine manufacturers, two piano factories, one large carriage factory, one oil refinery, nine wholesale dry goods firms, ten wholesale grocers. There are now six wholesale grocers, but we have not a wholesale dry goods business in town. We had two glass factories; only one now. How can we become commercially great when we have no commerce?

Now, take the extension of the retail trade. It is of no consequence beyond what it was in 1875. The principal trade is done on King street between Catharine street and MacNab street, and let me say further that it will not extend because people will patronize the department stores, and the working people do not see that the large stores and large concerns are the sole cause of cut in wages in manufacturing, and the mystery is the greater when generally they pay more for their goods than they do in the small stores.

In Scotland to-day the reason attributed for a great deal of the hard times is because of the big store. The Edinburgh Scotsman, a newspaper of high standing, has been inviting correspondence from its readers, and the big store is the leading question in the correspondence. The departmental store is based on greed and selfishness, and if they could they would close up every other store in town but their own. Another reason for this city not getting on is that so many have purchased Toronto, sending the money from here, and helping elsewhere. We want commerce; a city cannot be great unless. The conditions in Hamilton now are not as good as in the old days. The working people had cheaper rents, and the manufacturers to-day, most of them, do not employ these men half the time, and unless the people wake up they will be in a slavery that they cannot shake off.

We had a crystal palace here and good stabling to conduct an annual exhibition, but it was removed because they said they had not funds to repair it. We want wholesale concerns here: our shipping facilities north, south, east and west are good now. Let the Board of Trade look after the commercial as well as the manufacturing end of it, if they want to do anything at all.

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COUNCIL TO TAKE IT UP.

May Offer Reward in the Smith Shooting Case.

Fire Risks Increased by Moving Picture Shows.

Who Has Books For the House of Refuge?

The carnival of crime, murder, burglaries and assaults, which has thrown the people of Hamilton and the surrounding country into a panic, continues to be the all absorbing topic in municipal circles. It is likely that the matter will be taken up by some of the aldermen at the council meeting to-night. There is talk of the city offering a reward for the capture of Constable Smith's assailant. It is thought that the chances for a reward in this case bringing some results would be much brighter than in the Kinrade case. Mayor McLaren says he will have no objection if the council thinks it advisable, but he says the city cannot offer a reward for detecting the perpetrator of every crime committed when it has a paid force. It is almost certain that as soon as things calm down the commissioners will confer with the heads of the department about making improvements on the force.

The mayor has received complaints about the small license fee charged the men who conduct places of moving picture entertainment. It is said that these places have the effect of raising rents and insurance rates in a block. The mayor or himself is of the opinion that the city should be in a position to impose certain restrictions.

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After an illness of one month, Mrs. Matilda Ackerman, relict of the late Robert Ackerman, passed away on Saturday evening at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Sully, 56 Clark avenue. Deceased was born in Wallingford, Berkshire, England, 80 years ago, and had been a resident of this city for the past three years. She leaves to mourn her loss three daughters, Mrs. William Sully, Mrs. George Gardner and Mrs. H. E. Dibbin, all of this city. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Much sympathy will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hooper on the loss of their infant daughter, Kathleen G., who died on Saturday, aged 1 year and 10 months, at the residence of her parents, 132 James street north. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

The death of Robert Lee, a former resident of this city, occurred at St. Thomas, Ontario, on Saturday. Deceased was 49 years of age. He leaves a wife and small family. The funeral was in charge of St. John's Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and took place this afternoon from Blackford & Son's undertaking rooms to Hamilton cemetery.

The many friends of Mr. John Fee will regret his death, which took place after a short illness at his home, 13 Murray street west. Deceased was 52 years of age, and had been a resident of this city for some time. He is survived by a widow, two sons, Joseph, of New York, and Harry, at home, and four daughters, Mrs. A. Hurley, Mrs. John Hanna, Mrs. Amos Culp and Miss Mary. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning at 8.30 o'clock to St. Mary's cathedral.

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"The question," said Judge McPherson, in his decision, "is whether the traffic wholly within the State of Missouri generally, referred to in the evidence as local traffic, can be carried under the freight rate statute of 1907, and the passenger fare statute of 1907, at such profit as will give a reasonable return after paying expenses upon the investment, or whether such traffic is carried at a loss or less than such reasonable profit. The court has reached the conclusion that the rates fixed by the statutes are not remunerative."

Judge McPherson also says in the decision: "When the statutes in question were enacted, it was believed by many that by reducing the fare there would be much more travel. For a month or so this proved to be true. But with the novelty gone, the testimony shows that the increase has been less than three per cent., and more nearly one per cent."

He says further as to the abolition of passes that the evidence shows the passenger revenue is increased by reason thereof less than one per cent.

SEVENTH'S COLONEL.

Story of the Position Held Up by Gen. Cotton. (Special Despatch to the Times.) London, Ont., March 8.—The story that the appointment of Major A. A. Campbell to be colonel of the 7th Regiment, in place of Col. Frank Reid, who resigned, is being held up as a result of General Cotton taking offence at a speech made by Major Campbell at a banquet in Toronto is creating the keenest interest among military men throughout the district. Major Campbell is one of the most eminent Masons in Canada, and at a banquet of the members of the Sovereign Grand Priory in Toronto he is said to have made a plea for a Canadian flag, which aroused the ire of General Cotton, who was present. General Cotton, it is stated, called Major Campbell down at the banquet table, and has since refused to ratify his appointment as colonel of the regiment. Major Campbell is an American from the Western States.

FEAST OF PURIM.

London Inspector Seized Liquor—Hebrews Incensed. (Special Despatch to the Times.) London, Ont., March 8.—There is deep indignation among the Hebrew residents of this city over the action of License Inspector Galpin, who, early on Sunday morning, went to a hall where they were celebrating the Feast of Purim and confiscated a large quantity of whiskey and beer and summoned a number of the leading spirits to appear in court on Tuesday morning for breaking the license laws. The Hebrews intend to fight the case, if possible.

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BOGUS TICKETS.

G. T. R. CONDUCTORS AND TWO OTHERS ARE FOUND GUILTY.

The Jury, However, Brings in a Recommendation to Mercy—No Evidence for Defence—Judge Speaks for Detectives.

Toronto, March 8.—"Guilty, but with a recommendation to mercy," was the verdict returned late on Saturday night in the sessions, after two and a quarter hours' deliberation by the jury in the case of the four men charged with conspiring to defraud the Grand Trunk Railway Company.

Two of the men, Daniel Corrigan and Frank McCallum, have long been employed as conductors by the G. T. R. on the Montreal-Toronto trains, and have grown grey in the company's service. Corrigan had seen thirty-eight years, and McCallum over twenty. The two men were convicted with Harry Rosenberg and Joseph Woods, who are both young men and Hebrews, and they took their conviction with much less fortitude than did the two conductors.

The one pleasing feature in the whole sad affair was the way in which after another, a score or more of the old friends of the two conductors came up and gripped them by the hand, usually with some spoken expression of goodwill and reassurance, and occasionally with a feeling too deep for words. Many of the men had come up from Brockville, where McCallum made his home, and where both men were well known. They had come for the purpose of giving character evidence, but for tactical purposes the defence did not call them.

As soon as the jury had returned their verdict and Judge Winchester had announced his intention to remand the four men to the end of the sessions for sentence, a request was made that they be admitted to bail until sentence day, but this request his lordship said he was unable to grant.

The trial, which was thus concluded, disclosed the existence of a conspiracy existing between the four men, whereby the two Hebrews acted as agents, Rosenberg in Toronto and Woods in Montreal, for securing passengers to travel at reduced rates between the two cities, the four dividing the passage moneys between them. The passengers who travel largely on the night trains between the two cities, and they were bound over to secrecy. The usual price paid for a passage was \$4, but from the evidence tendered in the police courts it was shown that the men had arrangements made whereby passengers could get Pullman berths upon request. The frauds were finally exposed through the agency of a young French-Canadian in the employ of a Toronto clothing firm. Operators who were connected with the Yiddish language, supplied by the Thiel Detective Agency, got into the confidence of the two Hebrews and secured the evidence which convicted the men. The arrests were made simultaneously, detective officers of the Toronto police department arresting the two conductors on their trains and the two Hebrews in their homes, at practically the same moment.

SHOT AT LOVER.

Quarrel Between Toronto Colored People Almost a Tragedy.

Toronto, March 8.—According to the stories told the police by James Jackson, of 16 Bulwer street, and James Williams, a porter at the Palmer House, Toronto came near having a real murder last night. Although found separately, Jackson and Williams told the same story and the police are inclined to believe that it is true.

It appears that Jackson and a young colored woman of 19 years, named Agatha Johnson, who have been lovers for some time past, had a falling-out recently and that since their devotion for one another ceased they had been nothing but trouble in the house. Saturday night there was a fight and Jackson is suffering from a cut on the side of his head, said to have been caused by a beer bottle in the hands of the Johnson woman.

Last night, however, things took a more serious turn. The two were having a hot argument and Williams, as a guest, was sitting by taking it all in. It was shortly after eleven and everybody was thinking of retiring. The woman reached down, Jackson says he thought to fix her shoe, but bringing out a revolver she had concealed in her skirts, she fired point blank at him. The shot just grazed his right ear and the bullet embedded itself in the wall. Williams sprang on the woman, and overpowered her, took the gun away and then both he and Jackson made a hurried exit from the house, the latter going to the police station. The woman was placed under arrest, charged with trying to shoot Jackson.

The revolver belongs to Jackson and he says that he thought it was safe in his trunk, but that the woman got it out in some way or other.

FOURTEEN ARRESTS.

Toronto Policemen Raid an Alleged Gambling Resort.

Toronto, March 8.—Crowded in an upstairs room, with the only exit guarded by constables, fourteen young men, several of them but sixteen years of age, were placed under arrest early yesterday morning, on a charge of keeping a common gaming house and the others on charges of being frequenters. The raid was well planned, and was carried out without a hitch.

The prisoners were taken to the jail, and later they were given their liberty on surties of \$200 each. They will appear before Magistrate Denison in the police court this morning.

Murdered His Sweetheart.

Medina, Ohio, March 7.—Guy Raz-or was found guilty of manslaughter late Saturday by the jury trying him for the murder of his sweetheart, Ori Lee, Oct. 8. The penalty is a sentence of one to twenty years in the penitentiary. He and the young girl were friends from childhood and were engaged to be married. The wedding had been postponed several times. When Miss Lee's body was found it was found that she was in a delicate condition.

Italian election returns so far indicate that the Government has been retained by a large majority.

STORM IN BRITAIN.

Heaviest Fall of Snow in Twenty-Eight Years.

London, March 6.—The United Kingdom experienced this week the heaviest snowfall since the great storm of Jan. 18, 1881. To-day England is digging out mail motors from drifts in Dover and the Great North roads, and rescuing sheep overtaken in the moors, while London's unemployed have at last found work making the streets passable and incidentally undoing the magic which over night had transformed it into a fairy city with crystal palaces crowded with a series of fretwork and silver lace.

The town gasped with delight at the picture to the view of which it awoke on Wednesday morning. Not for years has the weather contrived scenes so fantastic. The trails are undelivered in many parts of the kingdom. In Kent the schools are closed. At Dover seven days of intermittent fall piled up drifts of five feet. Several Derbyshire hamlets are snowed up. The cold weather bears hard on the poor, especially, as on Monday the price of bread was raised half a penny a loaf. Even the well-to-do feel the inconvenience of the famine of vegetables which the snow has caused.

GREAT TRIAL.

NEARLY 400 MEN BEFORE COURTS AT MOSCOW FOR CONSPIRACY.

Accused of Looting Russian Railroads During Worst Period of Revolutionary Disorders — \$17,000,000 Worth of Freight Stolen.

New York, March 7.—A cable despatch to the Sun from St. Petersburg says: Proceedings have just begun in the High Court of Moscow which involve the largest conspiracy trial on record. Three hundred and eighty-four persons are charged with belonging to a criminal organization, the object of which was the stealing of merchandise on Russian railroads.

Between 1905 and 1907 during the worst period of the revolutionary disorders over \$17,000,000 worth of property was stolen on two railroads alone. The accused belong to three categories—namely, professional thieves or men who became thieves during the political revolt, responsible and often highly placed railroad officers, and many retail dealers.

Valuable freight was removed daily from trains on orders telegraphed from the chief railroad centres by the heads of the gang and stored in Government railroad sheds by Government employees, who acted as receivers. They systematically dispersed their hauls by holding special sales to retailers, who in their turn disposed of the stolen goods in the course of ordinary business.

During the period of the gang's activity the Government did nothing to protect business firms against the pillage of their goods in transit. The whole railroad policy was directed to protecting Government treasure and preventing the renewal of the general railroad strike.

BLAME THE QUEEN.

London Publishers Say Her Volume of Photographs Has Ruined Market

London, March 7.—Book-sellers and publishers in London are complaining of having had an extremely poor season, and, rather strangely, they blame Queen Alexandra for it. Over 700,000 copies of a volume of photographs by Her Majesty, published in aid of charities, were sold, and as there is only a little money to be spent on books, when one of them reaches its seven hundred thousand others are likely to remain on the shelves. "It is rather hard on a poor beggar of an author," says the Saturday Review, "when royalty comes into competition."

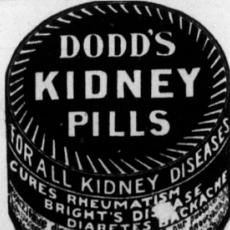
CIVIL SERVICE.

Examination For Candidates to Fill Vacancies.

Ottawa, March 7.—The Civil Service Commissioners have given notice in the Canada Gazette of the conditions governing the first civil service competitive examination to be held under the new civil service act. Hereafter semi-annual examinations will be held in May and November, in the leading centres of the Dominion. To enable the commissioners to make some pressing appointments, an interim examination will be held on the 20th inst. The commissioners evidently intended to establish a high standard for entrance to the civil service.

In the subjects of examination the candidates will be required to come up to the ordinary pass standard of the universities, and for positions requiring special business qualification candidates are required to be university graduates. From the results of the examinations of the 30th inst., about a score of positions in the inside service will be filled, including stenographers, clerks, etc., required in the various departments. Special examination papers will be given the candidates for the vacant positions of compiler of geological information, junior assistant in the hydrographic survey, assistant chemist at the Experimental Farm, and draughtsman in the Mines Department. These must all be university graduates in the department of science.

With his right foot crushed off just above the ankle, Thomas Foster, aged 65 years, a retired farmer, living in Cheltenham, was taken from a train at the Toronto Union Station on Saturday night and hurried to Grace Hospital.



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TREATY AMENDED.

RIDER ATTACHED TO WATERWAYS AGREEMENT.

Subject to Navigation and Navigation Canals, Each Nation May Use Waters of St. Mary's River Within Its Own Territory.

Washington, March 7.—The full text of the Senate ratification of the international waterways treaty, and the important amendment to the treaty proposed by Senator Smith, of Michigan, which was adopted by the Senate when the treaty was ratified on the eve of adjournment, is as follows: "Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein), that the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain providing for the settlement of international differences between the United States and Canada, signed on the 11th day of January, 1909.

"Resolved further (as a part of this ratification), that the United States approve this treaty with the understanding that nothing in this treaty shall be construed as affecting or as changing any existing territorial or riparian rights in the water or rights of the owners of lands under water on either side of the international boundary of the St. Mary's River at Sault Ste. Marie, in the use of the waters flowing over such lands, subject to the requirements of navigation in boundary waters and of navigable canals and without prejudice to the riparian right of the United States and Canada, each to use the waters of the St. Mary's River within its own territory; and, further, that nothing in this treaty shall be construed to interfere with the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands into streams flowing into boundary waters, and that this interpretation will be mentioned in the ratification of this treaty as conveying the true meaning of the treaty, and will in effect form part of the treaty."

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TEACHER BURNED.

Miss Beauland, of North Bay, May Not Recover.

North Bay, March 7.—Miss Beauland, dressmaker of the kindergarten department of the public schools here, met with an unfortunate accident last night while preparing to make tea on a spirit lamp in her boarding house. The alcohol blazed up suddenly from an overflow in filling, and the young lady tried to smother the flames with her skirts. Her clothing took fire, and in an instant she was enveloped in a fierce blaze. A gentleman boarder took her in his arms and ran out of the house, where he smothered the flames in the snow, but before Miss Beauland was rescued she had been burned to death. Her condition is critical, and her step-father, Rev. Canon Gody, of Vancouver, has been notified. Miss Beauland came to North Bay recently from Toronto, where she took a special course in kindergarten work.

STRUCK BY EXPRESS.

Samuel McCauley, Aged 78, Killed at South Woodlee.

Essex, March 7.—Sam McCauley, aged 78 years, was struck by Mr. C. R. express No. 23 at the crossing in South Woodlee at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and died at 5 o'clock. He was driving south, and did not see the train approaching until too late to get across the track. The train struck the rear end of the buggy and threw him about forty feet, breaking his right arm and leg and otherwise injuring him. Coroner McNeven, of Comber, has ordered an inquest, and the jury will meet on Thursday next. He leaves three sons and two daughters.

DR. BELL'S AEROPLANES.

Official Records of Flights to be Made in Nova Scotia.

New York, March 7.—Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, president of the National Aerial Experiment Association, has notified Cortland Field Bishop, president of the Aero Club of America, to send representatives of the club to Nova Scotia for the purpose of making official records of aeroplane flights that are to be made there by members of the association during the next ten days.

COMPULSORY VACCINATION.

Halifax Board of Health Preparing to Enforce Measure.

Halifax, March 7.—Secretary Watters, of the Board of Health, has addressed a letter to twenty city physicians, intimating that after March 15 the Board of Health intends having a visitation made to every house within the city limits, with a view to enforcing compulsory vaccination. It is proposed to divide the city into districts, each district to be in charge of a physician, who is to vaccinate every person in the district where possible.

A series of avalanches in the Austrian Province of Carinthia have swept away houses in a number of villages, killing ten people.

GO FOR YOUR LETTERS

OFFICIAL LIST OF THOSE UNCLAIMED IN HAMILTON.

List of unclaimed letters lying in the Hamilton Post Office received previous to the 1st March, 1909:

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- Barnesdale, E. H.
- Barrett, E. T.
- Baker, George
- Barry, Miss N. A., 28 MacNab st. (reg.)
- Bennett, Harry
- Blumberg, N.
- Blumberg, F.
- Bowes, J.
- Burjan, P. T.
- Bunte, E. A.
- Burke, Miss Kitty

- Case, W. G.
- Cann, E. J.
- Caslo, P.

- Dean, W. H.
- Deaper, Cecil
- Duncan, James
- Durley, Mrs. Minnie

- Eadie, Rev. John
- Eubank, Walter
- Farndon, W.
- Farrell, Wm.
- Fairweather, J. W.
- Few, Richard
- Flett, S.
- Fleming, James
- Fowler, Alfred
- Fraser, Miss Tessie

- Gordon, R. B.
- Harris, J. H.
- Hemphill, J. P.
- Hooper, Mrs. 26 John st.
- Hubbard, Cecil
- Hyland, Mrs. G.

- Jacobs, Louise
- Ketchum, Wm. H.
- Lavin, James P.
- Legal, A.

- Marshall, Henry
- McConnell, Miss A.
- Macdonald, Miss Alice Barbara
- McDonald, J. L.
- McGill, Mrs. A.
- McGillivray, Rev. M.
- Martin, Miss Jennie
- Maddell, Miss Lottie
- Messecar, Dr. J. W.
- Mearnes, Dr. W. A.
- Mills, John
- Mills, Orin

- Nelles, Miss Elsie
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- Nichols, Ruben
- Pereville, Dr. W. C.
- Paul, Walter
- Pearson, Mrs. E.
- Ram, Mrs. Mary E.
- Rennie, Elizabeth
- Rhine, Wm. T.

- Smith, Miss M. A.
- Schombals, Wm.
- Scott, Albert
- Simon, Mrs. T.
- Simpson, F. D.
- Slack, Mrs. E.
- Stinson, W. J.
- Smith, Mrs. John

- Taskin or Faskin, Miss Isabella
- Thompson, Mrs. Hugh E.
- Throp, Mrs. Hannah
- Timms, Wm.

- Vinnedge, F. R. (customs card).
- Walton, C. W.
- Wagstaff, S.
- Warren, Miss Sylvia, 38 Cannon street west.
- Walker, Miss M., Beach road.
- Walsh, James
- Walker, Alex., Whitfield avenue (registered).
- Weir, Mrs. E.
- Wheelahan, Miss M. A.
- Widdicombe, H. C. (registered).
- Williams, J. T.

- Young, John H., 27 Grove street.
- The Hydraulic Nav. Co. (registered).
- The Hercules Mfg. Co.

- Hamak, Marji
- Prilok, D.
- Wenclowek, Woieck
- Lubosias, Victor (registered).
- Angelo, Medari.

JUST IN TIME.

Elgin Man Found Woman Unconscious in Burning Home.

St. Thomas, Ont., March 7.—A farm house occupied by Thomas Coleman, near Ridgeway, was completely destroyed by fire early yesterday morning during Mr. Coleman's absence in Morpeth. A neighbor noticed the flames, and rushing to the house found all the doors and windows locked and concluded that all the family were absent. He broke in a window, however, and found Mrs. Coleman unconscious lying on the bed and badly burned on the face and hands. Her condition is critical.

The fire is supposed to have been caused from a leaking natural gas pipe. The loss is \$1,800, with a small insurance.

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MOTHER AND SON HURT.

Horse Frightened and Backed the Buggy Over an Embankment.

Strathroy, March 6.—Mrs. Burchell, who lives on the fourth line, three miles east of Watford, is suffering from a broken leg and a fractured arm, as a result of a serious accident yesterday. Mrs. Burchell and her son Samuel were driving along the road in a buggy, and when they came to the bridge the rig got mixed up with several cakes of ice that were lying in the road. The horse became frightened, reared, and backed the rig over the embankment, falling on the occupants.

That both were not killed is little short of a miracle. The rig was smashed to pieces, and the horse badly injured. Stanley Menish, one of the Strathroy hockey players, who was on his way to Watford, came along just in time, and took the patient with him back to the village, where medical aid was summoned. The recovery of Mrs. Burchell is doubtful. The son escaped with a severe shaking up.

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DARK OUTLOOK.
Professor Starr Says Roosevelt Will Die in Africa.

Chicago, March 6.—Theodore Roosevelt will never return to the United States alive if he carries out his announced intentions of exploring the dark regions of Africa in quest of big game.

This is the opinion of Prof. Frederick Starr, of the University of Chicago, whose prophecy is based upon his knowledge of the dangers of that country, particularly the insidious fevers, through his expedition to the Congo Free State.

The ex-president, according to the editor, will invade a section of the country where few white men have dared to venture heretofore on account of fatal nature of the prevailing epidemics and the "sleeping sickness."

"His danger," said the professor, "will not lie in the ferociousness of animals which dwell there, but in the fevers which every explorer has come to fear, and which have taken the lives of many adventurers. I have visited Africa, and have known the extent of these. I had a fever peculiar to that portion of the country. I visited it nine different times, and narrowly escaped with my life."

"The ex-president has not the temperament that a man needs who would withstand the dangers of the climate he plans to brave."

The London Times, in an editorial on the appointment of a committee to inquire into the question of emigration from India to the Crown colonies, urges the necessity of a constant and unequivocal policy accepted by the whole empire.

TEMPLE OF APOLLO.
Excavators Say It is the Greatest of Architectural Remains.

Berlin, March 7.—Remarkable progress was made last month in the excavation of the Temple of Apollo, near Miletus, under the direction of Prof. Wiegand, of the Royal Museum. The entablature and columns of the northeast corner were found in the position in which they were thrown by the earthquake which destroyed the building. In the judgment of the excavators, the temple is not only the greatest, but also artistically the richest of all the Hellenic architectural remains in Asia Minor. The frieze of the temple is adorned with splendidly carved heads of Medusa, each over three feet in height.

The body of J. E. Parrott, killed at Fort Worth, Texas, in a railway wreck, was brought to Toronto for interment.

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ST. JAMES' NEW CHURCH.

Formal Opening of Fine Structure in the West End.

Induction of Rev. C. B. Kenrick at St. Philip's Church.

Impressive Sermon by Bishop DuMoulin—Other Church Services.

The congregation of the St. James' Presbyterian Church are proud in the possession of a new and beautiful edifice in which to worship.

The moving spirit in the building of the new church was Rev. Thomas McLachlan, who for the past two years has had charge of the congregation.

The opening services were held yesterday, and large congregations listened morning and evening to the able discourse of Rev. D. McAvish, D. Sc., of Central Presbyterian Church, Toronto.

In the afternoon the Sunday school and Bible classes rallied in the church and listened to a special address by Rev. D. McAvish.

INDUCTION AT ST. PHILIP'S. The simple yet impressive service of induction was held in St. Philip's Church yesterday morning.

Bishop DuMoulin preached an eloquent and inspiring induction sermon to the parishioners, telling them of the glories of service for God.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK. In the Victoria Avenue Baptist Church last evening Rev. B. W. Merril, B. A., of Toronto, preached an interesting sermon, dealing with the work of the Sunday School.

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ON SECOND COMING. Yesterday morning at Gospel Tabernacle the pastor, Rev. P. W. Philpott, preached a sermon on the second coming of Christ, introductory to a series that he will give, one each Sunday morning.

Nothing dampens the ardor and enthusiasm of a minister or checks the soaring of his spirit as much as the indifference of a congregation.

KEY: R. HERBISON AT KNOX. The pulpit of Knox Church was occupied at both services yesterday by Rev. R. Heribson, of St. Giles' Presbyterian Church, Toronto.

IF NOT CHRIST, WHO? In Central Presbyterian Church last evening Rev. W. H. Sedgewick preached on the subject: "If Not Christ, Who?"

These words, said Mr. Sedgewick, were in answer to a question, and the question was the outcome of a situation, one of the most interesting situations in the entire life of Jesus.

Three answers were distinguished in Peter's reply that enabled them to overcome the religious earnestness, the clear conception of the alternative, the most important of all, the confidence in the character of Jesus.

There was a twofold message in this situation. First, the message to those who, like the disciples, took Christ for their Master; who when the cold, bitter breath was blowing across His face, spent its force on the flickering candle of faith, remembered the lessons of faith and the words Christ had spoken.

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TO HEAL THE SICK AND TO CAST OUT DEVILS. After the Day of Pentecost the Holy Spirit bestowed gifts of healing upon the laity as well as the clergy of the Church. There is nothing in the New Testament to make us suppose that this Gospel of bodily salvation was intended to be any more a temporary dispensation than is the gospel of spiritual salvation.

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CHICKEN BROTH. Chicken broth usually has the preference. An old fowl contains more juice than a young one.

JUVENILE TEMPLARS. The regular meeting of the International Juvenile Temple, I. O. G. T., was held in the C. O. F. Hall on Saturday afternoon.

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THE TIMES SPORTING PAGE

Gossip and Comment

"Made in Hamilton" will be pitted against "Made in Germany and Buffalo" at the Alexandra Rink to-morrow night.

The manager of the Hamilton basketball team believes that it's a Long lane that has no ending.

Some doctors have lately been testing the effects of oxygen on athletes, with results which have confirmed their conviction of its efficacy.

The visit of the Canadian curlers has aroused interest in some new quarters, and one English paper thus discourses on the "danger" of the game.

The danger of curling may seem to be infinitesimal, but anyone who has tried to sweep a stone into the house on the fast ice of a Swiss rink in a pair of rubber boots that are beginning to show signs of wear will realize that a hole-sleigh is not the only means by which a sportsman may achieve concussion of the brain.

The New York Mail says: Tom Longboat must either meet Alf Shrubbs in a fifteen-mile race or quit the running game. When the Indian repudiated his agreement to meet Shrubbs a return match at the Englishman's favorite distance, and at the last minute refused to toe the mark for the race, which was to have been run at Buffalo last week, he did so on the grounds that in Canada a contract with an Indian is not binding.

Shrubbs has contracts for two races with the Indian, one at fifteen miles, the one which Longboat repudiated and another at twenty miles. Shrubbs has also been matched for another race with Longboat. This will be a twenty-mile affair, and will probably be held in this city within six weeks.

The Canadian curlers played for the first time of their lives on artificial ice this winter in Scotland. They call it a good substitute for the real article, having the advantage of permitting games at all times, regardless of the weather. They really lack at Crossmyloof ice makers like we have in Toronto more than anything else, as the artificially frozen surface could be made as true as at the Granite or Queen City, with proper attention. Though the checker is simple it is unknown in Scotland. However, the tourists found the best of sportsmen at home and they enjoyed themselves on the ice rink, sometimes with their coats off, just as they did together out here three years ago on the lawn. It is pleasing to know that the Scotch curlers promise another trip to this country within a year or two.

Bob Tucker, a well known trainer and plunger of Louisville, has entered suit against poolroom keeper Ed. Alvey, of the same place, to recover \$1,000 which he says has been obtained from him by means of fraud. He alleges that Alvey took his money on various races after he had been run, and Alvey was in possession of the news of the result.

The racing season in Tampa came to a close with the running of Saturday's programme. There were seven races on the card, one of which was the Jockey Mulcahey Cup, which was run as the first race. The winner of this race was a silver cup, the owners and riders donating their services. The value of a purse, \$150, was added to the fund raised for the disabled rider.

FOOTBALL IN OLD COUNTRY.

London, March 8.—The results of Saturday's games in the British soccer leagues were as follows, the name of the home team being given first in each instance:

The League—First Division. Preston North End 1, Middlesbrough 1. The League—Second Division. Bolton Wanderers 3, Blackpool 1. Fulham 1, Wolverhampton 1. Grimsby Town 0, Oldham Athletic 0. Stockport County 1, Tottenham Hot Sp 3.

Southern League. W. Ham United 0, New Brompton 1. Brighton & Hove 2, Northampton 4. Crystal Palace 0, Exeter 0. Southampton 1, Southend 1. Norwich City 4, Bristol Rovers 1. Plymouth Argyle 2, Watford 0. Fourth Round. Bristol City 0, Newcastle United 2. Sunderland 2, Burnley-Manchester United, postponed; Derby County-Notts Forest, postponed.

Blinds Husband for Life. Norwiche, N.Y., March 7.—Mrs. Henry C. Jacobs shot her husband in the head to-day, inflicting serious injury, and then shot and fatally wounded herself. She survived her injuries only a few hours, but her husband will probably live, though he will be blind for life.

Nineteen acres have been bought around the old mill on the Humber with an amusement park in prospect.

SCOUNDRELS WON, 9-1.

Toronto Indoor Team Beaten Here.

Fast Game in Armory Rink on Saturday.

Annual Meeting of R.H. Y. C. This Week.

The second game of a series for the Ontario indoor championship between the Scoundrels, of Hamilton, and C. Company, Queen's Own, of Toronto, was played Saturday evening at the Armory Hall, before one of the largest crowds of the season. The Scoundrels won by a score of 9 to 1. It was one of the fastest indoor games seen here in years. The excitement throughout was intense, and the fast work by both teams



ANDREW ROSS, Manager of the Scoundrels.

brought forth much applause. Both teams had many supporters, and the rivalry was strong, with the result that a large amount of money was wagered. Toronto sent up a large contingent. Toronto were completely outclassed, and, with the exception of the first inning, when they scored their only run, the soldiers were never in it with the home team. A slippery floor and the pool light, along with the new rules, considerably affected the chances of the Toronto. The Toronto have been used to playing on a large diamond, under outdoor rules, with a small, soft ball. The holding of both teams was good. The feature of the game was a sensational catch by A. Haeckbusch, in the fourth inning.

The work of the Hamilton battery was superb. Carey pitched one of his glittered games and had 14 strike-outs to his credit. He issued only four walks. Lemmond, behind the bat, was steady. He allowed only two men to steal on him and caught everything that came his way. The rest of the team played well. While the Toronto made only three errors, they were unable to use the willow to advantage. Jack Brennan, who played with Paige's Pets here last year, played third for the soldiers and had the distinction of fanning four times. Cook, the visitors' twirler, had some benders, but he lacked speed, and the receiving end of the battery was very ordinary. The teams were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes names like Adams, Hughes, Hennessy, Carey, Clark, Haeckbusch, Lemmond, McLeod, Brennan, Cook, Walsh, Downing, Remier, Cook, Gotoeloh.

Total 9 11 3. C. Co., Queen's, R.H.E. Brennan, 3b 0 0 1. A. Leadman 1 2 0. A. Cadman 1 2 0. Walsh, ls 0 0 0. McWhirter, c 0 1 0. Downing, rs 0 1 0. Remier, lf 0 0 0. Cook, p 0 0 0. Gotoeloh, rf 0 0 0.

Score by innings: Scoundrels 002104020-9. C. Co., Queen's 10000000-1. Batteries—Carey and Lemmond; Cook and McWhirter. Umpires—Dan McLeod and George Smith. Attendance—600.

Each team has now won a game. The deciding one will be played on March 20—likely in Toronto. Andrew Ross, manager of the Scoundrels, entertained the visiting team at a banquet after the game.

H. G. C. SHOOT.

M. E. Fletcher is Leading in Class A With 84.

The fourth regular shoot of the winter series of the Hamilton Gun Club shoot was held Saturday at the club grounds and some fairly good scores were made. The trophy shoot is making a good competition and several of the members are only two or three birds apart. M. E. Fletcher is now leading in Class A, with the

score of 84 out of the first 100 shot at. D. M. Scott and Rich are tied for the first place in Class B with 68 out of the first 100 shot at. Wm. Langhorn is first in Class C, with 52 out of 100. Two more series of 25 birds each have to be shot and some very good shooting will be seen.

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SCHOOL HOCKEY.

Ridley College Defeated Highfield Team.

Highfield's second hockey team met Ridley's third at the Highfield rink on Saturday. The ice was too soft for good team work, but W. Clarke, A. Grant and E. Hay did very good individual playing. At the end of the first half the score was 2-0 in Ridley's favor. In the second half both teams scored a goal, the score at full time being 3-1 in their favor.

The Highfield line-up was: Goal, A. H. Dixon; point, A. Turner; cover-point, A. L. Carpenter; rover, A. Grant; forwards, H. Washington, W. Clarke and F. Hay.

LAKEFIELD SCHOOL WON. Port Hope, March 7.—Trinity College School was beaten in interscholastic game here on Saturday by Lakefield Preparatory School by 6 to 3.

The game was a hard, fast one, with neither team having much advantage. Lumsden played the best game for T. C. S., but Glass, of Lakefield, was the best man on the ice, and promises to develop into a star. Pearce at cover for Lakefield was also good.

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Score. Includes Stratford, Intercollegiate, McGill Univ., McGill Varsity, Lakefield Prep., Standard, New York A.C., Harriston.

R. H. Y. C. ANNUAL.

Reports for Next Saturday's Meeting Ready.

Commodore Judd and Secretary McGivern have prepared their reports for the annual meeting of the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club in the Board of Trade rooms next Saturday night. The following are extracts from the report of the Commodore:

"The committee has noticed with satisfaction that the use made of the Club House was much greater than in former seasons. This was doubtless, due, in part, to the completion of the improvements begun in the previous year, by which the comfort of the yachting members and their friends is now well provided for, and also to the fact of the acquisition of a power dingy, which has greatly facilitated access to the yachts; the saving of time and the pleasanter conditions generally being especially remarked upon. The dingy has also been of great service in the laying of buoys, the logging of courses and putting down and shifting moorings, the expense of hiring outside boats for such purposes being thereby avoided.

There were 33 club races held, in which 145 boats took part, every scheduled event being given with the exception of cups and flags was made at the subscription dinner held before the close of the season at the Beach Club House. A most successful meet of the Lake Sailing Skiff Association was held on Hamilton Bay jointly with our sister Club, the "Victoria," each club giving one day's racing. The committee has as yet no positive information to impart as to the plans for the coming summer beyond the fact that the town of Cobourg has made a liberal offer to hold a regatta here under the auspices of the association, commencing August 2nd. It is proposed that cruising races prior to this date shall start simultaneously from Toronto and Kingston, finishing at Cobourg in time for such regatta, the Toronto and Hamilton yachts first meeting at Oakville by way of a cruise from each of the two first named ports. It is proposed during the meet at Cobourg that races shall be provided for yachts that may now be restricted under the universal rule of measurement. This, it is thought, will prove one of not the least enjoyable features of the regatta.

"Owing to the energetic action of the Motor Boat Committee the Club was enabled to hold a regatta for power boats during the last week in August. A large attendance was present from Buffalo and Toronto, and in the races a rate

From the Scrap Heap

London, March 8.—Burns writes Sporting Life from Australia, maintaining that it was a shame that the police stopped his fight with Johnson. He says: "I have suffered bigger punishments before now and won. I was fresher at the finish than in the second, third or fourth rounds, and I know it is in me to beat Johnson. I want another chance."

Burns encloses cuttings which, Sporting Life says, show his extraordinary popularity in Australia. New York, March 8.—In refusing to say whether he will fight the negro, Joe Johnson, sport writer Jeffries appears to be partially influenced by the belief that the new heavyweight champion, who won the title from Burns in Australia, may himself suffer a crushing defeat at the hands of Sam Langford, the Boston negro, when they clash in a 20-round fight at the National Sporting Club, London, on May 24. Jeffries has studiously refrained from commenting on Johnson's progress as a prize fighter, but it is known he regards Langford as a phenomenal fighter for his size and weight.

When Walcott, weighing 145 pounds and nearly seven inches shorter, knocked the heavyweight Choyinski out in seven rounds in 1900 the other heavies, including Corbett, McCoy, Sharkey and Maher, quickly decided that they wanted no part of his game, while even Jeffries declared that Walcott was a dangerous opponent for any man in the ring. Langford is regarded as even more dangerous than Walcott in that he is taller and heavier, at the same time being faster and a heavier puncher. It is for this reason, therefore, that Jeffries is probably waiting to see how the Langford-Johnson fight will result before making a final statement as to his return to the ring. Those who know Jeffries' ideas about pugilists and pugilist retirement from the ring, but that if Johnson wins, Jeff will lose no time in making a final statement as to his return to the ring. Those who know Jeffries' ideas about pugilists and pugilist retirement from the ring, but that if Johnson wins, Jeff will lose no time in making a final statement as to his return to the ring.

New York, March 6.—Bose Mackey, of Findlay, Ohio, was awarded the decision over Eddie Kelly, of Buffalo, N. Y., at the end of a ten-round bout tonight before the Royal Athletic Club. Honors were about even up to the

WILL LOCAL BASEBALL FANS BE MADE HAPPY?

It is almost a certainty that Hamilton fans will be provided with better ball this season than was dished up to them last year, said one of the men interested in promoting the new Southern Ontario League. "Our plans are far from matured yet, and the announcement made a few days ago was a little premature."

Whether the six city league goes through or not, it is not likely that the proposed inter-city league, Brantford and Hamilton, will materialize, is the opinion of a well known baseball man. "A Toronto-Hamilton league would draw better than the one proposed," he said, "and there would be no trouble in getting two Toronto teams—Wellington or St. Mary's, that could give the local teams an argument. Brantford has no material for two good teams, and last season had to draw on Hamilton for players to keep the game going there."

The following is from the London Advertiser: The story that London would form part of a professional baseball league, composed of Hamilton, Brantford, Woodstock, Guelph and one or two other cities, is news to the many followers of baseball in this city. In the meantime, the City League, composed of four teams, the Stars, Rockets, Ramblers and McLary's, have gone ahead and organized, and have made arrangements for Tecumseh Park. As there is no other suitable site for a baseball diamond available for immediate use, it is thought that there is no likelihood of a professional league here this year in any event.

For many years London did support a professional league team. The game has always been well patronized, and there is no doubt, if given a chance this city could support a good baseball team.

of speed was attained that had not been previously equalled on Hamilton Bay. The completion of the room over the Bowling Green, together with the new furniture, has given great satisfaction to the members generally. The boat house was further improved and the boats as usual thoroughly overhauled.

The financial showing is a most satisfactory one, the surplus for the year after writing off \$313.49, being \$768.61. Nominations for office must be in the hands of the secretary by 8 o'clock on Thursday evening.

VICTORIA'S CUP.

East End Curlers Won Galbreath Trophy.

The final curling game for the Galbreath trophy, for junior players of the two local curling clubs, took place on Saturday evening, and was won by the Victorias, who defeated the Thistles by 17 shots. The scores: Thistles, 17; Victorias, 34. R. Watkins, E. Frid, G. Raw, Fred Gayler, M. Langs, T. Cook, C. S. Dean, I. Johnson, skip 6 skip 12. H. Zealand, W. J. Brigger, H. A. Horning, G. R. Petrie, J. Hickey, G. F. James.

fourth round when Mackey's weight and strength proved too much for Kelly. Boston, March 8.—Joe Bowker, the English bantam weight champion, who meets Al Delmont at the Armory Athletic Association in this city, March 16, has signed to box Tommy O'Toole at the National Athletic Club, Philadelphia, March 20.

New York, March 7.—The opinions of Mrs. James J. Jeffries and Tom Sharkey concerning a certain man named James J. Jeffries are not believed to be altogether in harmony. In an interview to-day Mrs. Jeffries, among many other interesting observations, said: "Why, Jim is nothing but a big baby; just a big 250-pound baby."

Mrs. Taft is no prouder of the new president of the United States than is Mrs. Jeffries of the great, undefeated heavyweight, for whose return to the ring to wrest the premier laurels from the dusky brow of Jack Johnson, the pugilistic world is now clamoring. "Some of the papers have said that Jim would fight again on my say-so, and that he left the ring for my sake," Mrs. Jeffries said. "That isn't true. He quit fighting because he was tired of it, and he will fight again the make-up his mind to. That's his business. I haven't anything to say about it. I realize that Jim doesn't belong to me; he belongs to the public."

Mrs. Jim doesn't weigh much more than half as much as Mr. Jim. She is gentle in manner and very soft of speech with a slight German accent. "I have heard that you are the real boss of the Jeffries household," the interviewer ventured. "Oh, no," she laughed. "Jim does as he likes and I do as I like. And he's the best husband in the world, even if he is a big baby. Don't you believe all you read about Jim in the papers. He really drinks but not a little baby!"

"Then he's not a bottle baby?" the interviewer questioned. "No, he's not," Mrs. Jeffries said. "No, he's not," Mrs. Jeffries said. "No, he's not," Mrs. Jeffries said.

C.B.A. TOURNEY HERE.

Many Entries From Dis-tant Points. Scores Made in H. B. & A. C. Tourney.

Entries are being received daily for 5 man teams for the big tournament to be held here on March 22nd to April 3rd and the United States will be particularly well represented. Toronto will have thirty teams in and Guelph, Montreal, Galt, Berlin, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Brantford, St. Catharines, Peterboro, Oshawa, Windsor and Niagara Falls will be represented.

It is to be hoped that many of the bowlers in Hamilton will organize teams and will enter and help to make the tournament a success. Any five men can enter, and as the entry fee is only \$2 per man, and the game so uncertain that any team or individual has a splendid chance of winning the magnificent trophies and big cash prizes up for competition, Hamilton should not be behind other cities in this game, but should at least have more teams in than any other city. The entries close on Saturday next and several city teams, rolling at the Brunswick alleys and the three classes at the H. B. and A. C., have already decided to go in. The afternoon league will also be represented with picked teams. The C. B. A. will not hold its tournament here again for many years, and the H. B. & A. C. offers special inducements to teams entering from here, the officers being particularly anxious to make the event the grand success it should be.

SCORES IN HANDICAP. The scores have been compiled in the Hamilton Bowling and Athletic Club's five string handicap. F. Ryan won from over 200 contestants with 1,142. J. Poole second, H. W. Jutten third, and W. C. McMullen fourth. The names of the first forty to finish are:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes F. Ryan, J. Poole, H. W. Jutten, W. C. McMullen, F. W. Watson, J. A. McMahon, McPherson, F. Isard, C. W. Scott, R. Guy, R. Randall, J. O. McIlloch, A. C. Blake, McArchie, W. Murray, J. F. O'Brien, H. Shaver, H. Browne, G. Pearce, W. Marpham, J. Craig, H. Gray, M. Philp, C. McKelvey, G. Meade, W. A. Sweeney, J. H. Baker, J. Robertson, P. J. Masterson, G. McFarland, J. Ishister, A. Johnston, H. Disher, C. Harrison, J. L. Mitchell, R. J. Klumpp, J. Cox, J. H. Fearehead.

AT PITTSBURG TOURNEY.

Pittsburg, March 8.—The world's bowling record for five men teams was broken here Saturday night by the Lipman team, of Chicago. Their score was 2,962, 35 points higher than the record score made by the Bonds, of Columbus, Ohio, at Cincinnati last year. When it was seen the Lipman team had a chance to break the record, interest in the game was intense.

Each time the ball was sent flying down the highly polished alley every person leaped to his feet and intently awaited the moment when contact with the pins was had. A spare brought out cheers, and a strike caused vociferous applause. A few moments before the game was ended it was apparent the world's record had been broken and wildly cheering and yelling, the enthusiastic spectators rushed into the enclosure of the alley to honor the team. Messrs. Lipman, Ward, Semones, Barck and Wolf were overwhelmed with congratulations. With difficulty they succeeded in getting away from the many admirers to their dressing rooms.

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BY SEVEN POINTS.

Stoney Creek Rifle Club Won From Hamilton.

At the ranges of the Hamilton King Edward Rifle Club on Saturday afternoon a friendly shoot took place between the Kings and the Stoney Creek team. The visitors won by seven points. The scores were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes R. E. Glover, R. Marshall, A. Lee, J. Marshall, J. Webb, E. Corman, J. Freeman, A. Henderson, A. Lee, A. Glover, H. Lee, S. Hewitt, L. Krick.

Total H. King Edward 796. Total Stoney Creek 789.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes A. Freeman, A. Parmenter, W. A. Harvey, J. Freeman, J. A. Freeborn, J. O. Nichol, J. Rogers, W. Dewey, J. M. Jones, P. House, W. Glover, E. Anderson, W. Will.

BONHAG'S RECORD.

New York Runner Did Three Miles in Fast Time.

New York, March 8.—The United Spanish War Veterans held their second annual games in the 22nd Regiment Armory Saturday night and the feature of the programme was the three-mile run, handicap. On the scratch mark was Tom Collins of the Irish-American A. C., holder of four and five-mile indoor records and George N. Bonhag of the same club, holder of the two and three-mile records, indoors. After they had traveled about a mile and a half Bonhag had drawn away about fifteen yards from Collins. At two miles Bonhag had drawn further away and was then footing it about 40 yards in front of Collins and by this distance Bonhag finally won. The time was fourteen minutes, 34 4/5 seconds, a new world's record indoors, beating the former record held by Bonhag himself by about eight seconds.

The outdoor American record is fourteen minutes, 29 seconds, by the late W. D. Day, made nearly nineteen years ago. The world's outdoor record is fourteen minutes, 17 3/5 seconds, held by Shrubbs in 1903, when he was an amateur.

SIMPSON GETS A RACE. Toronto, March 8.—Fred Simpson, the Ojibwa thunderbolt, and Tom Eck came back from New York Saturday. Simpson went on to his home in Hiawatha, while Eck remained in Toronto. "Simpson has been matched to run a Marathon race in Newark's ball park on Sunday, March 21," said Tom Eck to-day. "We are at last getting a chance at the big ones. The New York managers refuse to give Simpson a match with Dorando, Hays or Longboat."

BILL DAVIS STARTS. New York, March 8.—Fifty-four pedestrians, divided into twenty-seven teams, started at 12.01 this morning in the international go-as-you-please race at the Madison Square Garden. The duration of the contest will be 142 hours, the finish being scheduled for 10 o'clock next Saturday night. A special clock and cipher track, measuring ten laps to the mile, has been laid. It is similar to that made for the recent four-day Marathon races, but much wider. Five thousand dollars in prizes is offered by the management, of which the winning team will get \$1,500, and the next seven teams proportionate amounts. The team partners can relieve each other as often as they choose, but neither can be on the track more than twelve hours out of every twenty-four. By frequent relays it is expected that fast time will be made and all previous (Continued on Page 8)

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HAD A LITTLE CALLING LIST.

Bethel Beggar Sent to Central Prison For Six Months.

Another Beggar Given a Few Minutes to Get Out of Town.

Bunch of Crown Point Youths Fined in Court.

A startling condition in the way tramps do business was brought out at Police Court this morning in the case of Robert McKay, a Glasgow Scotchman, who boards at the Bethel Mission.

"Haven't you a list of places where you beg regularly?" Chief Smith queried calmly.

"No," said the prisoner.

"Now you be careful; you are on your oath, and something may turn up to make you change your mind," replied the chief.

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TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—Mr. O. V. Cashman, V. S., of this city, is thinking of locating in Beamsville.

—Mrs. Frank Romair Newberry will receive Tuesday and Thursday, and not again this season.

—A provincial charter has been granted to the Whipple Horse Collar Company of this city, capital \$100,000.

—Miss Ruby E. M. Cummings, who is studying music in Toronto, spent the week end at her home, East avenue north.

—Miss Gillesby, of Brooklyn, and Miss Bloodworth, of Olean, N. Y., are guests of Miss Gladys Newberry, Main and Fairholt Road.

—The engagement is announced of Alice Genevieve, only daughter of Mrs. William Irwin, of Chicago, Ill., and Grimby, Ont., to Mr. Burt Frost Upham, of Boston, Mass.

—Percy Doan and John Campbell were before Judge Monck this morning for election. Mr. George S. Kerr, E. C., appeared for both and elected to be tried to-morrow by His Honor.

—The members of Princess Royal, No. 4, A. O. E., met on Friday night. There was a large attendance. One candidate was initiated. It was decided to hold the annual hop on March 31st.

—An eight-day mission was opened at St. Patrick's Church last night. The service was for women only, and the church was crowded. The mission for men will start on Thursday night. Rev. Father Walsh, a Jesuit, is in charge.

—The opening services in connection with St. James' Presbyterian Church will be continued to-night when Rev. D. Drummond, of St. Paul's Church, will occupy the pulpit. Special music by St. Paul's Church choir.

DYMENT LOST.

His Uncle's \$5,000 Was Not Intended For Him.

Justice Latchford returned to the city this morning and took up the case of The Hamilton Tool & Optical Company vs. The Canadian Writer Press Co. It is an action for \$1,500 for work done.

In the statement of claim, the plaintiffs allege that the defendants instructed them to manufacture the metal portions for 150 typewriters, at a cost of \$15 per machine. The plaintiffs' claim that the machines have been completed and accepted and that the balance is completed and have been tendered to the defendants, who refuse to accept them.

The plaintiffs claim \$1,500 and interest. The statement of defense sets up that the plaintiffs have not delivered nor made a contract with the defendants. If they have tendered any machines the defendants allege that the work was of such a character that the machine could not be used. The defense says that no contract was ever entered into between the two companies.

Mr. J. W. Nesbitt, K. C., appeared for the plaintiffs and S. F. Washington, K. C., for the defendants. The case was still on at press time.

His Lordship gave judgment in the case of Dymont vs. Dymont this morning, in which he stated that he had looked into the authorities cited on the case, and was satisfied that the conclusion reached at the end of the case last week was a correct one. Upon the plaintiffs' own evidence it was clear that he was not the person described in the will. The important description "junior" does not apply to the plaintiff. The word "trainer" applies in a particular sense, and is a correct one. The plaintiff, junior, His Lordship pointed out that it was quite true that the word "nephew" applied with greater fitness to the plaintiff, the trainer being the grandnephew, but this could not enable the plaintiff to recover on that description. His Lordship considered that the matter was absolutely clear that the plaintiff was not the person mentioned in the will of the testator. The action was dismissed with costs.

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MISS FLORENCE ABLE TO TESTIFY.

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again to-day. He says there have been no new facts brought to light.

The Richmond, Virginia, end of the murder theory seems to have petered out. The detectives are not now working on it, having satisfied themselves that the theory they held a week ago is not right.

CONTINUE TO IMPROVE.

Toronto, March 8.—Sunday passed quietly for the Kinrades at the Arlington Hotel. None of the members left the building, but all remained for the greater part of the day in their apartments.

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A PATHETIC SCENE.

There was a pathetic scene in the Arlington Hotel, Toronto, when Mrs. Kinrade was made aware of the fact that her daughter had been foully murdered.

She had been kept in ignorance of this fact all the time that the body of the victim remained in the Kinrade home, while the detectives searched for Florence and while inquisitive people were haunting the neighborhood.

Her first impression when she saw the crowd outside her home on the fatal Thursday afternoon was that her son, Earl Kinrade, who had been at Montreal, had returned home, and was being taken away to the hospital. Later she was told that her daughter, Ethel, had met with an accident, and had been taken to the hospital. Then they told her that Ethel was dead, that she had been killed.

The news was broken as gently as possible after the family had gone to Toronto, and the grief-stricken mother burst into a flood of weeping.

Mr. Kinrade feared to break the news to his wife, but he had to do so. He had to tell her the details of her daughter's death, and she might shatter what reserve strength the mother maintained. It became apparent, however, that the truth could not long be kept from the mother, and they decided to try to pass the way to the final admission. This was done in a skillful manner as might be expected.

Wednesday was chosen as the day on which the shocking news should be imparted to the mother, and it was thought better after a family consultation that Miss Walker, the nurse, should be the one to tell Mrs. Kinrade.

The two were left alone for that purpose, and after reciting some of the details of the tragedy, she told her of her overworked condition, had appeared strange, Miss Walker informed her of the manner in which her daughter had met her death.

Mrs. Kinrade seemed crushed under this fresh grief. It is believed that Mr. C. Montrose Wright, the fiancé of Florence Kinrade, was the one that strongly advised that Mrs. Kinrade should be told the truth. Mr. Wright is a logical student at Victoria College. Mr. Wright also decided soon after the family had been here that they must abandon the complete seclusion in their own rooms at the hotel in which they lived, and get out for some fresh air.

Although Miss Florence seemed nervous of staying inside, he insisted on her taking a walk, and on Friday both Mrs. Kinrade and her daughter were out walking.

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DEATHS.

ARMSTRONG—At the residence of his brother-in-law, T. S. Bell, C. E., 41 Pearl street south, on Sunday, 7th March, 1909, George Armstrong, second son of the late Capt. George Armstrong, aged 69 years. Funeral Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. Private interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

FER—In this city on March 7th, 1909, at his late residence, 13 Murray west, John Fer, aged 32 years. Funeral Tuesday at 8.30 a.m. to St. Mary's Cathedral, interment at Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Friends will please accept the intimation.

NORTON—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. Smith, 13 Catharine street north, on Sunday, 7th March, 1909, Frances, widow of John Norton, of Toronto, in her 73rd year. Funeral Tuesday at 2 p.m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Fair to-night then strong winds and gales easterly with snow or rain late to-night and on Tuesday.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries: Temperature 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Victoria ... 45 40 Cloudy
Calgary ... 44 20 Fair
Winnipeg ... 12 6 Cloudy
Perry Sound ... 34 2 Fair
Toronto ... 38 20 Cloudy
Ottawa ... 12 12 Fair
Montreal ... 28 16 Clear
Quebec ... 28 12 Fair
Father Point ... 26 16 Snow

WEATHER NOTES.

Fine weather prevails at present over the Dominion, but a disturbance advancing northward from the southwest States indicates a change to stormy conditions in the lake region.

Washington, March 8.—Eastern States and Northern New York.—Increasing cloudiness to-night, rain or snow Tuesday, increasing east to northeast winds; stormy conditions in the lake region.

9 a.m., 28; 1 p.m., 32; 3 p.m., 32; 6 p.m., 24; hours, 20; highest in 24 hours, 32.

REV. DR. ROSE

Says Bible is Not Historically Infallible.

Winnipeg, March 7.—Rev. Dr. S. P. Rose, formerly of Hamilton, now pastor of Broadway Methodist Church, the most aristocratic Methodist congregation of Winnipeg, caused a mild sensation to-night when he attacked the infallibility of the Bible. The reverend gentleman made a reference to the "clerman-Jackson controversy, but gave his own reasons for the belief he advanced. He plainly declared he did not believe in the doctrine of absolute infallibility, and argued that the Bible was more abused by good people than any other book in the world.

Dr. Rose quoted passages from the Bible which he contended proved it was not historically infallible, and ventured the assertion that owing to his serious doubts on this matter he had at one time contemplated retiring from the Christian ministry, and would have done so but for the advice of Rev. Dr. Nelles.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Helen Scott, relict of the late George Scott, who formerly conducted a grocery business at the corner of Wellington and Wilson streets, died this morning at the City Hospital. Deceased had lived in this city for many years, and leaves a large number of friends. The funeral will take place from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Reid, 127 Belmont street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The remains of the late James Collar were laid at rest in Hamilton Cemetery on Saturday afternoon, the funeral taking place from the residence of his brother-in-law, J. W. Smoke, Cedar Bank, Plain's road, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Bradshaw conducted the services at the house and grave. The pallbearers were: William and Charles Cooper, Charles Harrison, M. Rycroft and Mr. Proctor. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

ENDED IN DEATH.

Toronto, Ont., March 8.—As a result of the injuries received by being caught in the shafting of machinery in Myles Shoe Company's factory on March 1, Percy Brennan died late last night in Grace Hospital.

BOATS TO SAIL.

Detroit, March 8.—The Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Company, if the present mild weather continues, will start its first boats to Cleveland on March 25. Work on the steamers in preparation for the opening started to-day and will be rushed.

ALL IN THE DARK.

Hamilton ought to be able to produce something more than "mysteries." Is there nothing which the police of that city are able to clear up?

Women's Accounts

are especially welcomed by this Bank.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders for Shops East of Winnipeg.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tender for Shops," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, at the following office, until 12 o'clock noon of the 10th day of March, 1909, for the construction and erection complete, in accordance with the plans and specifications of the Commissioners, of shops east of Winnipeg.

Plans, details and specifications may be seen at the office of Mr. Hugh D. Lumden, chief engineer, Ottawa, Ont., and Mr. S. R. Powell, district engineer, Winnipeg, Man. Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners, which may be had on application to Mr. Hugh D. Lumden, chief engineer, Ottawa, Ont.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the order of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway for the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

The cheque deposited by the party whose tender is accepted will be deposited to the credit of the party whose tender is rejected, and will be returned within ten days of the date of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By Order, P. E. RYAN, Secretary, Transcontinental Railway, Ottawa, Ont., 30th January, 1909. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Commissioner will not be paid for.

COUNT OKUMA

Pleased With President Taft's Inaugural Address.

U. S. Need Not be Haunted by Needless Suspicion.

Tokio, March 8.—Count Okuma, former President of the Progressive Party, has written a signed article for the Tokyo Mainichi, in which he unreservedly praises President Taft for his policy as embodied in his inaugural address.

In regard to that portion of the address dealing with the treaty rights of aliens, Okuma says that it would be a matter for universal rejoicing should the delicate relations between Federal and State Legislatures be adjusted in a manner thoroughly compatible with national credit and honor, and the standing of the United States as a highly civilized power.

In respect to the naval programme as laid down in the inaugural speech, the count professes to concur fully. He writes that President Taft believes that such an outcome is an unavoidable demand of the times, and ridicules the idea that it is directed against Japan.

He asserts that this is a gross misrepresentation of both Japan and the United States, which believe equally that a strong navy is the best guarantee of peace.

Regarding immigration, the count cannot entertain the idea of restriction as a principle, but he is unopposed to it as a temporary measure for preventing unnecessary excitement and irritation when Japan is unfortunally the object of unwarranted suspicion.

He writes that "Japan's real motive was proven on the occasion of the visit of the fleet, and now is understood fully by estimable Americans. Local anti-Japanism is not of serious concern, and will disappear when Americans cease to be haunted by a needless suspicion."

SOME LATE SPORTING ITEMS

NEW YORK, MARCH 8.—The twenty-fourth of the season which started at 12.30 a. m. to-day in the six-day go as you please race in Madison Square Gardens were left in the race at the end of the eighth hour to-day.

Irving and Proby, the Boston team, which had successfully won the race from the start, were holding a lead of two miles over their nearest competitors, and had covered 66 miles 3 laps. The Boston men were working well together and relieving each other with good judgment.

Spring and Adams, the New York men, were second. Calabro and Milone, Italian-American team, and one of the Greek teams had fallen out of the race, as had also Eugene Groff and Geo. Touhey, who started as additional entries.

At the Brunswick alleys on Saturday evening Thornton & Douglas' team won two games from the Connell's Coal Co. The scores: Thornton & Douglas—Fulgini 371, Hoffer 451, Cooper 350, Hartz 355; Carmichael 454. Total, 1,981. Connell Coal Co.—Connell 437, Holley 395; English 351, Nettleton 369, Mason 406. Total, 1,988.

THE HUE AND CRY. (Brantford Expositor.) Hamilton papers these days look like issues of the Police Gazette.

NO NEW AFFAIR. (Belleville Intelligencer.) Up to the hour of going to press there had been no new shooting cases in Hamilton.

AMUSEMENTS

SAVOY ALL THIS WEEK PHONE 2191. Meta—Tues., Thurs. and Sat. JOSEPH SELLMAN CO. Presents THE SIGN OF THE FOUR. Prices—Mat., 10, 15, 25; eve., 15, 25, 35, 50c. Souvenir Matinee every Tuesday.

BENNETT'S. Foster & Foster, Majestic Musical Four, Ruby Raymond & Co., Hobson & Deland, Six Bonessitts, Myers & Ross, Irene Jerome and the Bennettograph. Regular prices. Phone 2028.

BASKETBALL

Buffalo Germans (World's Champions) Hamilton (Canadian Champions) Alexandra Rink, Tuesday, March 9th. Plan at Hennessy's Drug Store.

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To-night. Very popular and amusing. Balcony 10c.

St. James' Presbyterian Church

Opening Services. To-night 8 p.m.—Rev. D. R. Drummond, B.D. Tuesday 8 p.m.—Rev. S. Burnside Russell. Wedn'g 8 p.m.—Rev. D. H. Fletcher, D. D. SPECIAL MUSIC.

HAMILTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the above company will be held at the company's office, Park street north, in the City of Hamilton, on Monday, March 15th, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive the report of the directors for the past year, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of other business.

By Order, JOHN KEILLOR, Superintendent.

Spring Wall Papers

Now Arriving. A. C. TURNBULL, 17 King Street East.

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned up to 4 o'clock on Monday the 22nd March, 1909, for supplying for one year the Hospital and Jail with bread and the House of Refuge with Bread, Milk and Ice.

Full particulars to be had at the Hospital, House of Refuge and Jail, and forms of tender to be had at my office. S. H. KENT, City Clerk. City Hall, March 8th, 1909.

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