

LONG CONFERENCE ON KINRADE CASE

Premier Whitney and Attorney-General Foy In Conference With Blackstock and Insanity Experts.

Developments of an Important Nature Looked For—Story of Revolver Found at Bronte.

Unless Premier Whitney and his colleagues refuse to sanction certain recommendations made by the Crown representatives in the Kinrade murder mystery the public may look for very important developments next week. That the Attorney-General's department intends making a move at once is indicated by the numerous conferences held at Toronto within the past few days and the fact that detectives are still busily engaged on the case. Although it was generally believed when the inquest closed that the investigation had been completed and the authorities baffled, the department has two of the shrewdest detectives in its employ hunting for evidence. The search for new information here has apparently been abandoned for the time being and the clues now being followed lead in other directions. The importance of the step contemplated may be judged from the fact that it is to be fully considered by the Provincial cabinet before any action is taken. On the evidence produced at the inquest, those who are not aware of what is going on behind the scenes, fail to see what ground the department has for any decided action. CONFERRED ALL DAY. Special despatch from the Times' Toronto correspondent this morning says: All day yesterday and up to a late hour yesterday afternoon the situation with regard to the Kinrade case at the Parliament buildings was very tense. It was known early in the day that the whole matter had been laid before Sir James Whitney, and equally well known that a decisive step was in contemplation by the Crown. The Times saw Sir James on the matter yesterday afternoon. "One or two of the members of the Government have spoken of the matter to me," the Premier said; "I do not know, however, that I can say anything about it."



AN ARMENIAN TRAGEDY IN DETROIT. Dr. G. K. Boyajian, who murdered his nephew in a Detroit court room. Mrs. Boyajian and their daughter.

SLAYER BEGS FOR WIFE AND CHILD.

Boyagian's Attorney Talks of Habeas Corpus For Baby; Mother and Child in Imlay City.

Detroit, May 8.—Sheriff Gaston is permitting no person to see Dr. G. K. Boyajian, held at the Wayne County Jail, awaiting police court examination on the charge of killing his nephew, Harroton Gostanian. The physician is so affected after his conversation with sympathizing visitors, that the jail authorities have concluded that it will be much better if he receives no callers. The prisoner has given several evidences of mental unbalance since being confined in the jail. He is constantly calling for his baby and his wife. He cannot understand why he should not be permitted to see them. Charles L. Bartlett, attorney for the accused man, is making every effort to have the child brought to its father. He says that if necessary he will institute habeas corpus proceedings to bring about that result. It was learned yesterday that Mrs. Boyagian has left the city and that she now is in Imlay City with her six-year-old child. She is staying there at the home of her father, Wesley Yerkes.

FACTORY AND MILL WIPED OUT BY FIRE.

Merritt Brothers, Woodburn, Lost Everything This Morning—Origin Unknown.

A fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the fine basket factory and mill of Merritt Brothers, on the mountain, two miles east of Woodburn, this morning. The mill was running overtime, the men beginning early and working late. When they quit last night the night watchman took charge, and was around the place all night. When the men returned before 6 o'clock this morning the fire had started. They were utterly powerless to do anything. The flames simply licked up the place, and all its contents, and in an hour or so only the blazing ruins were left. The machinery included one machine which was manufactured by Merritt Brothers at a cost of \$4,000. The factory and mill were erected about one year ago. On account of the high rate of insurance upon risks of that sort the firm had not insured either property or contents. They are just negotiating about insurance. The loss, therefore, is absolute, and will not be less than \$12,000. It may go as high as \$15,000.

MAY SETTLE. PEOPLE ARE INDIGNANT

Ennis & Stoppani Creditors Favorable to Proposition. Over Unconcern Shown in the Richards Case.

New York, May 8.—At a meeting of creditors of the bankrupt stock brokerage firm of Ennis & Stoppani, creditors representing claims aggregating about \$600,000 were present. Sentiment at the meeting appeared to be favorable to the plan of settlement as recently proposed. It was announced by attorneys for the firm that Mrs. Stoppani, mother of the junior member of the firm, was willing to relinquish claims of \$534,000 which she had against the firm, provided the creditors agree to the plan of settlement.

HONOR P. G. M.

J. B. Turner to Receive Jewel on Tuesday Evening.

Past Grand Master J. B. Turner, of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, is to be honored by the Grand Lodge of Canada next Tuesday evening. All the Grand Lodge officers will be here to take part in the event, and Mr. Turner will be presented with a Past Grand Master's jewel. A local committee will provide a high class musical and literary programme. The event will be open to members and friends. Afterwards, at the Waldorf Hotel, a banquet will be tendered the visiting Grand Lodge members.

A HOME FOR PALMER.

The sad plight of the Palmer family at Stoney Creek has been somewhat improved as a result of the stand taken by Magistrate Jelfs in the matter. Reeve Millen has provided them with a cottage and warned the youths responsible for the stone throwing that a repetition of the offence will result in some of them being arrested. Mr. Palmer has secured employment, and has hopes of a brighter future.

MOVING TO THE BEACH.

We believe one of the greatest comforts enjoyed at the Beach each summer is the fact that electric lighting can be obtained there at very reasonable rates, which also makes possible the use of electric irons, fans, etc. The Power Company wishes to draw the attention of its patrons to the fact that they should call at the office and sign their contract for the supply of light at once so that the lights will be ready for them to use when they move down.

TO JAIL FOR OVERCHARGING

Police Magistrate Found John Ostrander Guilty of Theft.

Cab Driver Said He Intended to Return the Money.

"Just a Drop" Made Trouble For John McDonald.

For stealing fifty cents, John Ostrander, 17 Napier street, was sent to jail for two months by Magistrate Jelfs this morning. In explaining his reasons for this rather heavy sentence, the Magistrate said that the offence was one hard to discover, and he thought that such an example would discourage overcharging in the future. The complainant said that last Saturday night he was at the Royal Hotel and, as it was raining, he telephoned the Hamilton Cab and Bus Company to send a cab down to take him home. Ostrander was driving the cab and collected \$1.50. His passenger thought this excessive and telephoned Mr. S. Thompson, manager of the Cab Company, to see if he had not been overcharged. After being told that the right fare was \$1 he swore out a warrant for Ostrander's arrest. Mr. Thompson swore that he had told the defendant when he left the stable to collect \$1 and that was the sum he returned in his hand. Ostrander testifying on his own behalf, said that when he left the stable he did not hear whether Thompson had said to collect \$1 or \$1.50. He said that he collected \$1.50, intending to return the 50 cents to the passenger if he had charged too much. He said that when he returned to the stable he found the fare should have been \$1, and instead of giving the manager the whole amount he had collected he said he went down to the Royal Hotel twice the next morning to return the 50 cents. "Why didn't you give to Mr. Thompson?" asked the Magistrate. "I thought he would be angry with me for charging too much. I have it in my pocket now," replied the prisoner. "Well, you won't have a chance to give it to any person for a while, as I am going to send you to jail for two months," said the Magistrate. "We have trouble finding and convicting these men who are overcharging the public, and every time I get one of them here I intend to send them to jail."

WILL SPEAK AT WESLEY.

Mr. David S. Kidd, of 17 Lennox street, Toronto, who recently was remembered in the will of the late W. G. Burn, latterly of Melbourne, Australia, formerly of Pittsburgh, to the amount of \$425,000 for having been instrumental in reclaiming his daughter in Chicago, will speak in Wesley Church to-morrow night.

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OPEN TO-NIGHT.

The Ontario Bank will be open for inspection this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. Citizens are invited to drop in and see the new premises, corner of King and MacNab streets.

Our Specials.

Green peas, strawberries, butter beans, new potatoes, Malaga grapes, asparagus, Spynaps, Bermuda onions, tomatoes, mushrooms, grape-fruit, celery, squashes. Customers are delighted with the splendid value we are offering in pineapples. Buy now, while they are good and prices low.—Bain & Adams, 89, 91 King street east.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

The weather is almost nice enough now for an open air band concert.

It should be made impossible for a live wire to lie around promiscuous like.

It is thought that the John street union station will soon be sprouting.

People are already beginning to hunt the shady side of the street.

Now, you will notice I am not saying a word against the Technical School. I am only a little inquisitive, and wondering when we will get the college.

Leave your business worries and other troubles, if you have any, for Monday. Take your Sunday as free from worry as you know how.

Sure as fate, if nothing be done, the Coal Oil Inlet will soon be as frowny as ever.

I hope it won't be necessary to declare martial law in Stoney Creek.

Do you notice how the "Independent" newspaper knocks Pugsley and defends Whitney in the London conspiracy case? How long will my Grit friends be deceived by this arch enemy.

I hope the Beach pumps will hold out until the power by-laws are voted on.

There are enough of good people in Stoney Creek to save the place from the rougher element, isn't there?

It's funny that nobody knew that Capt. Hains was crazy until he shot Annis. Didn't even suspect him. And there's Harry Thaw, the unwritten law did not save him from the dippy house.

It's hard to think that the civilized world, not to say Christian world, should have stood so helplessly aside when the poor Armenians were being massacred.

I never think of the creosote blocks without thinking of the cedar blocks, then I try to stop thinking.

An annual reunion and outing of Dr. Anderson's jury men is an event of the future to be looked forward to, somewhat akin to the grocers' picnic.

Some of our electric light experts should formulate some scheme for the better lighting of the business portion of the city. Those who have travelled in foreign parts tell me that a stranger might be apt to think that tallow dips were Hamilton's illuminating medium.

Don't block up the sidewalk. Keep moving.

Are the moulders still out?

A man said to me the other day: "People should be careful to live good moral lives. No other life is worth living. The first wrong step should never be taken, because you cannot tell but what the next step will be worse than the first. The first glass may lead to a second, the first oath may be followed by others and the first lie lead to more. A man should not live for himself. If he does that he will find his life a failure of the worst kind. True living consists in doing what you can for others—to brighten the lives of those around you—to make things better for your like here." That reads pretty much like a sermon, and I leave it with you as I got it.

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WORK DOUBLE NEXT WEEK.

Street Railway Will Put on a Full Night Gang.

Delaware Avenue Being Fixed Up With Macadam.

Scarlet Fever Continues—Nine New Cases This Week.

On Monday the Street Railway Company will put a large night gang at work and rush the reconstruction on James street day and night until it is completed. The aldermen and city officials are well pleased with the progress that is being made. Chairman Allan said this morning that the city would not put a night gang at work, although it might double up on the day gangs if it cannot keep up with the company under the present arrangement.

A number of streets that are badly in need of repair will be fixed up with the material taken off Barton and James streets as the new tracks are laid. The broken asphalt taken off James street is being used to repair Delaware avenue. Chairman Allan says that after this stuff works into the clay and the road roller goes over it two or three times, the Delaware avenue people will have a good street.

Building permits were issued to-day to Henry McCann for a brick addition to building, corner of Stuart and James streets, for M. D. Nelligan, \$200; and to E. B. Patterson for a brick house at the corner of Catharine and Murray streets, for J. Beringhoff, \$1,600.

The health report for the week shows nine cases of scarlet fever, four of diphtheria and two of whooping cough.

The Board of Health sub-committee appointed to consider means of lessening the death rate among infants in the summer months, particularly by arranging for a pure milk supply, will meet to-night. The idea is to establish a central station, where clean milk for babies can be secured and also instructions how to feed babies in warm weather.

A special meeting of the Art School directors was held yesterday afternoon in the board room, when the question of the future of the school was discussed. The meeting was called simply for an exchange of opinions. As there were but three directors present with the exception of Mayor McLaren, nothing definite was decided on. A full meeting of the Board will be held in about ten days, when the matter will come up for a full discussion and a decision, it is expected, will be reached.

The creosote blocks have been laid between the rails of the west track on James street south, as far as King street, and work on the other track will be begun on Monday, and the cars will be run on the new track as far as King, where they will be able to switch to the other. The cement mixer that was to be run by electricity, failed to work, when tried, yesterday, and it is likely an expert will be needed to fix it up.

Detroit Excursion.

The committee of the Canadian Foresters' Detroit excursion wishes to announce to those intending to take advantage of this exceptionally cheap trip on May 22, good returning to the night of May 25, that as the number of tickets is limited, and the supply is going rapidly, they had better purchase their tickets at once, as no more will be issued after these have been disposed of. See posters and ad. for further particulars.

If people always said what they thought there wouldn't be so much talking.



Four of the leading suffragettes of the world, who took an active part in the big International Suffrage Congress at London.

JESSE JAMES II. AT BEAMSVILLE.

Following a Hold-Up Posse Pursued and Captured Heavily Armed Robber.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Beamsville, May 8.—Beamsville is rapidly assuming Hamiltonian proportions for excitement. For a couple of hours last night the streets and roads were a moving, seething, excited throng of humanity.

The cause of it all was a little man with a big .38-calibre revolver and a belt of cartridges around his waist, who deliberately stopped W. B. Calder, insurance agent, of Grimsby, about a mile west of the corporation, as he was driving home about 6 o'clock. "I want your money," the fellow demanded all Mr. Calder's money at the point of the gun, and Grimsby's citizen very pleasantly handed over a two spot, but not all the money he had on him.

Mr. Robber then started leeward on the first side line out of town, but had only gone about a quarter of a mile when he met Robert Ketter, who is employed as a delivery man by Mr. Fairbrother, driving in from taking some groceries to people at the lake. He stopped Ketter and said: "I want your horse." The young man said: "You can't have it." Mr. Hold-up man said: "If you don't drive me out of here as fast as you can I'll fill you full of holes," and pulled out the big revolver. He then jumped into the rear of the delivery wagon, and, holding the gun at the back of Ketter's neck, began a furious race for safety along the concessions and lake shore road.

In the meantime, Mr. Calder, with a following of about a dozen men, some with shotguns, was coming wildly behind. The telephone was also put in use, and every fruit grower in the vicinity hunted out his gun or revolver and proceeded to make things lively if the mad chase came their way. After a long drawn race, Calder's outfit came up

WOMEN'S HAIR. MUCH OF IT IMPORTED FROM CHINA TO THE UNITED STATES.

Chinese Women's Hair Worn by Women of the States.

Washington, May 8.—While it is a well known fact that all of the hair displayed by the American women in her handsome and stylish coiffure is not necessarily her own, it is not so generally known that much of it may have been "grown in China." But such would seem to be the case, according to Vice-Consul-General Fuller, at Hong Kong, who reports to the Bureau of manufactures of 207,414 pounds of human hair were invoiced for shipment to the United States from that port last year. The year previous but 56,133 pounds had been exported to this country, and then came fashion's edict requiring massive head pieces. In consequence the women had to have more hair to fill them, and the surplus hair of the Celestial Kingdom's four hundred millions at once became a marketable commodity. The hair reaches Hong Kong from the interior," says Consul Fuller, "and is cleaned and sorted according to length and quality. It is then packed, and either stored or disinfected, and shipped to New York. It is said here that the hair can be so treated in New York as to alter its color and texture, and that it is used in making the switches, curls and bangs so fashionable at the present time."

LADIES AT SUMMIT NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH BY LIGHTNING.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Summit, May 8.—On Thursday evening about 6 o'clock the residence of Mr. J. D. Howell was struck by lightning, and had it not been for the very heavy thunder storm, it would no doubt have been burned. Mrs. Howell and Hazel Delaney, the only ones in the house at the time, received severe shocks. The lightning entered the southwest end of the kitchen, passing through the pantry, tearing cupboards and breaking dishes and glassware, then passing out into the summer kitchen, where Mrs. Howell had just gone, tearing up the floor and a screen door within about two feet of where she was standing. The wood house and a large pine tree near by were also struck. Considerable damage was done to both kitchen and wood house. The storm was one of the worst ever known in this place.

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"Then you have heard of him. Where is the letter, the messenger--take me to him!" and her hand clasped Constance's.

"It is not a message, or a letter, dear Lady Brakespear; but there is some one there in the library who knows--who knew--"

"A spasm passed over the withered face, and then the old lady lifted her head with a touch of noble dignity.

"You are a good, sweet girl, and you have broken it to me very well," she said, almost tearfully. "My son, Wolfe is there! Take me to him! Wait a moment. He--he must not see me upset; he always hated scenes and fuss; and she drew herself up, and actually stilled her trembling limbs. "Now, please, dear."

"Constance led her to the door, opened it, and beckoned to Arol, then closed the door quickly, as with a low cry of delight the mother sunk into the arms of her long-lost son.

"Uncle Wolfe has come back!" he exclaimed in his clear treble. "Lady Ruth sprang up, nearly upsetting the tea things, and her face went scarlet.

"What do you say, child?" she exclaimed; and her sharp eyes flashed from Arol to Constance.

"I'm sure I don't know. I've not thought about it, Arol. Why?" "Why, because Uncle Wolfe said that he had never seen it before until he saw you last night, and Lord Elliot said that it was that--the blue eyes and dark hair--that made your face so beautiful."

"Oh, hush, hush, Arol!" said Constance, stopping him, her face crimson. "You must repeat what you hear. What do you think the marquis or Lord Elliot would say if they knew you had overheard them and told me?"

"I'm very sorry, Uncle Wolfe," said his young lordship, with his mouth full of awe. "Miss Grahame wouldn't come, and so I said I'd wait for her."

"That's a full and sufficient apology," said the marquis; "but you might have sent me word, instead of going on with your breakfast and keeping me cooling my heels at the table."

"I thought I wouldn't come without her. But I say, Uncle Wolfe, why did you ask me to come?" "The marquis looked up from his plate with a smile, and leaned back, balancing the spoon on his fingers.

"Because I couldn't get anything better; because I was in a rough, wild place where even crabs were scarce."

"How jolly--I mean how very interesting," said Arol. "Where was it? Tell me all about it, Uncle Wolfe; and he leaned his arms on the marquis' knees and looked up at him eagerly.

"Well, it was in--oh, it's too long a story; I'll tell you some other time, when I have time."

"All right," he said, rising slowly. "But I've had my breakfast--at least, I've had what Arol was kind enough to leave me. I'll be back in a moment."

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HAINS TRIAL NEARING END.

Testimony in and Attorneys Will Sum Up on Monday.

Flushing, L. I., May 6.—After a breathing spell of one day—Sunday—The Hains trial will reach the beginning of the end. On Monday both sides will sum up, and unless some unforeseen delay arises, Justice Garretson will charge the jury on Tuesday morning. Thereafter the fate of Captain Peter Hains, jun., will be in the hands of twelve men. Three hours will be allowed each side for the final appeal to the jury. John F. McIntyre, chief counsel for the defence, announces that he will utilize every minute of the time for his speech, but it is expected that District Attorney Dewitt will not take so long. Requests to charge the jury will be filed to-morrow. As the trial nears its end, both prosecution and defence profess confidence as to the outcome. District Attorney Dewitt says that he could not see "any other result but a verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment." McIntyre Eugene Young and Daniel O'Reilly, counsel for the defence, say they feel sure of their client's acquittal. The proceedings ended abruptly today at the end of the cross-examination of the state's last witness, Dr. George V. Foster, of New York. The district attorney had said earlier in the day that he had several more witnesses to call in rebuttal and that they would follow the alienists on the stand. But, failing to reach some of the desired witnesses in time, the district attorney decided to rest the people's case with the testimony of alienists. Mr. McIntyre had hinted at calling witnesses in rebuttal, to reveal a rumored scandal in army circles, in the hope of showing a strong prejudice against the Hains family in the minds of some army officers who had not been called for the prosecution. This move, however, did not materialize. Most of the day's session was taken up with the testimony of the state's three insanity experts. They all expressed the opinion, predicated on the hypothetical question prepared by the prosecution, that Captain Hains was sane at the time he shot his army circles, in the hope of showing a strong prejudice against the Hains family in the minds of some army officers who had not been called for the prosecution. This move, however, did not materialize. Most of the day's session was taken up with the testimony of the state's three insanity experts. They all expressed the opinion, predicated on the hypothetical question prepared by the prosecution, that Captain Hains was sane at the time he shot his army circles, in the hope of showing a strong prejudice against the Hains family in the minds of some army officers who had not been called for the prosecution. This move, however, did not materialize.

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ROYAL ARCH. Large Party of Hamilton Templars Paid Fraternal Visit.

About one hundred and twenty-five members of Hiram Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, paid a fraternal visit to Mount Horeb Chapter, Brantford, last evening, and all had a pleasant time. Upon their arrival at Brantford a torchlight procession was formed from the station to the lodge hall. The visitors were accompanied by Excellent Companion George Moore, Grand Z. of Canada; Rt. Ex. Comp. James R. Inkster, Grand Superintendent Wilson and Rt. Ex. Comp. W. T. Marlett. The degree was worked by the visiting brethren, and during the evening a beautiful gavel was presented to Hiram Chapter by the First Principal on behalf of Mount Horeb Chapter. The members of Mount Horeb Chapter were presented with a souvenir in the form of a designed penny. After the lodge work had been completed a banquet was held. The toast list was as follows: "The King and the Royal Craft." "The Grand Chapter of Canada"—Proposed by Right Ex. Comp. John H. Spence; song, Brs. R. W. Crooks; responses by Most Ex. Comp. Geo. Moore, Hamilton; Rt. Ex. Comp. Jas. R. Inkster, Paris; Rt. Ex. Comp. W. T. Marlett, Oakville; song, Mr. Bert Haworth; humorous sketch, Mr. S. M. Burnley. "Hiram Chapter, No. 2, Hamilton"—Proposed by Comp. Walter W. Lowes; song, Comp. J. G. Liddell; response, Ex. Comp. Frank Hills, Hamilton; song, Bro. R. W. Crooks. "Brant and Dorie Lodges"—Proposed by Rt. Ex. Comp. S. F. Passmore; humorous sketch, Mr. S. M. Burnley; responses, Wor. Bro. Wm. Bentham, Wor. Bro. Thos. R. Logan; song, Mr. Bert Haworth. "Visiting Companions"—Proposed by Comp. C. J. Parker; song, Comp. J. G. Liddell. The most lasting glove-charm is the natural charm a woman possesses, Florida Times-Union.

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OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. Rebecca Fox at Age of 94. An old resident of Barton township, in the person of Rebecca Fox, died at her late residence on Friday. She has been ill for the last three years, and her death has been expected for some time. She was in her 94th year. Her husband predeceased her a number of years ago. She had lived there all her life. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon from her late residence, at 1:30 o'clock, to the Burkholder Methodist Church, for interment.

The death occurred yesterday of Thos. McDowell, a well-known and respected resident, who passed away at the residence of his son-in-law, William Frost, 109 Locke street north, in his 84th year. The remains will be taken to Palmerston on Monday at 7:55 for interment.

The remains of Miss Alice Inman, who died at Toronto on Thursday, were brought to this city on the 1:45 p. m. train for interment. Miss Inman was a former resident of this city. Rev. F. E. Hewitt conducted the services, and interment was in Hamilton cemetery.

The death occurred this morning of Miss Jennie Cameron Heard, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Heard, Elm street, Stoney Creek, at the age of 23 years. The deceased had been in poor health for some time, and had been confined to her room since Christmas. She was a member of the English Church at Stoney Creek. The funeral will be on Monday at 2 p. m.

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TAKE IT TO THE COURTS.

Speaking of the voting down of the Slanderbuid's motion attacking Hon. Mr. Pugsley, the Hamilton Herald says: What, then, is there left to be done? Is the Hon. Mr. Pugsley content to rest under the cloud of suspicion which has been raised by official charges against his character as a Minister of the Crown? Are his colleagues in the Cabinet content with the declaration of their faithful followers that these charges are not deserving of serious consideration? It is hard to believe that such can be the case. But unless the New Brunswick Government takes action based on the findings of its commission, it is not easy to decide what ought to be done to establish the truth or falsity of the imputations against the Minister of Public Works.

A MURDERER-POET.

A Kansas murderer has just won a pardon by writing a poem that has softened Governor Hoch's heart and awakened considerable interest in literary circles. The man is Carl Arnold, who in 1893, in company with one William Harvey, was guilty of a most cowardly murder, shooting in the back the Mayor of Kinsley, Kansas, when he resisted their attempt to rob him. The men were first sentenced for life, but the Governor commuted the sentence to 18 years. Now both men are set at liberty, the Governor saying that it would not be fair to free one without the other. While in prison Arnold wrote an attack on the Kansas prison system, smuggling out the copy, which was published in book form, under the title "The Kansas Inferno." It is described as being absolutely devoid of literary merit. It was for him the deprivation of much of his earned good time allowance. But his second venture made a bit. It did not attack the officials. The Governor describes it as "a classic—the work of genius," and he wants the world to have the benefit of what this "genius" may be able to do when free. Here is the production: The coarser soul but lightly feels The daily dale of ill, But what distress each hour reveals For him who in his heart conceals Some aspirations still. I cannot favorably implore As feeble, false hearts can; But, in humility, before The power that bars my prison door, I plead, as man to man.

Off folly more than vice appears, In errors we have made, The ideal that the man reverts Is not the dream of early years— Youth's brief delusions fade. Though hearts, embittered, still retain A grudge for old mistakes, Excessive penalties are vain, The long monotony of pain No restitution makes. The ancient, eye for eye decree God has, Himself, destroyed, Still speaks that voice from Calvary, Shall Shylocks, with their ghouliah plea, Make His commandments void? Aye, "Blessed are the merciful," O Christian heart, relent! For sins of folly, faults of will, I kneel at Mercy's tribunal— A contrite penitent.

Long have I been with sorrow, Long The agonizing years Have held no freight of love, and song, And laughter—only pain, and wrong, And penitence, and tears. For home and love, for liberty To toil, as free men can— O Hand of Fate, that bars to me The gates of opportunity— I plead, as man to man. It is said that much effort has been devoted to discover if Arnold has been guilty of plagiarism, and that the Governor has now been convinced that it is original; although Arnold does not give one the impression of having any poetical bent, or of being beyond mediocrity in education. The poem obviously has merit. Whether the writing of a poem of even greater merit ought to win for a cruel and cowardly murderer pardon for his crime is a question, however, upon which there may be difference of opinion. Have you observed any great diminution in the number of the dogs running at large upon the streets, lawns and flower beds?

TARIFF LESE MAJESTE.

Popular Science Monthly for May contains a number of papers on the United States tariff, which is discussed from the various view points of manufacturer, importer and consumer; and some of the writers deal with the subject with great frankness. One of the papers is by A. B. Farquhar, a manufacturer of fifty years' experience, and it is interesting to glance at his opinions of the part it plays and its effects on the industries of the country. Mr. Farquhar says, with obvious

truth, that men become manufacturers to make money. Essentially every manufacturer is a merchant, the manufacturing being incidental to the increasing value of the materials which he buys to sell at a higher price. The tariff, so far as it is protective, is, he says, "contrived and constructed with the single purpose of aiding the producer to sell dear," and he thinks that it is not fair to charge with ingratitude the manufacturers so protected while the Government through the tariff graciously assists them "in holding the hands of their customers while they rifle their pockets." The manufacturers themselves are by no means united in gratitude for this arrangement; the discordance becomes greater. The manufacturer is, he says, "coming more and more to regard the tariff as not quite the most precious friend he has in this cold world," and he proceeds to tell why. As facilities for production increase, he finds that there is more profit in large sales at a moderate price, than in smaller sales at a high price, so that "the ability to advance the price of his goods is, beyond a certain limit, no favor to him." In other words the "benefit" of the tariff-made artificiality of price and conditions has inevitably become an evil. His raw material is, too, some other man's finished product, who is either robbed without any compensating advantage, or whose tariff-made profits merely prove so much of a handicap to him. The agency that he devised to help at one end usually hinders him at the other. And Mr. Farquhar is of opinion that "the hindering is usually greater than the helping." The tariff exactions forces him to charge higher prices for the goods in order to get the same profit from the manufacture and sale of each; and that naturally diminishes the number he can sell.

The man whose business depends so much on the tariff must always be a politician; and the writer denies the possibility of one who has to consider the favor of Government, autocratic or popular, to lead as vigorous and normal a career as when independent. This is a view worth reflecting upon. As he puts it: "One eye must be kept all the time on the business, and the other eye on the seat of authority—St. Petersburg or Washington. Part of the savings must be spent in keeping friends at court, or a lobby in the national capitol; or a subsidized press. Every congressional election must bring a fresh expense—"frying of fat," as one United States Senator termed it. Besides, there is a vast amount of corruption connected with the enactment of tariff laws, from which individuals profit; and all this deterioration of political morality lowers the self-respect of the people and degrades public credit. This manufacturer is under no delusions as to the immorality and false economy of the protective tariff. He frankly admits that it is an invasion of the natural rights of the citizen. "The privilege," he says, "enjoyed by some producers, of having all others taxed for their profit, delightful though this privilege may be to the possessor, is not a natural right, nor can years of undisturbed possession make it so. But the right to buy wherever one wishes to buy at the least attainable cost is one of the natural rights. The question of liberty of purchase is the same as liberty of any other kind. There are the same excuses for restricting it; the same motives for maintaining it." We should, of course, defer to the will of God; but in practice all attempts to find a ruler whose will would in like manner be better and greater than free citizens' government have proved failures; and he thinks such a wise and just power will not be found in the authors of the tariff. To maintain an oppressive tariff with the object of infringing our natural right of free purchase would be, he contends, "ridiculous, if it were not tyrannical."

A BIG OFFER.

It is announced that the Whitney Government has received an offer of \$20,000,000 for the Gillies limit at Cobalt, the proposition coming from parties in Montreal. This is a large sum of money; and such an offer would seem to indicate great confidence in the richness of the territory. Such a sum, properly handled, would go far toward paying the expenses of an economically administered Government in the Province. But when we come to look into the offer it is not the unconditional windfall to the Province that it appears on first sight. Rather does it seem to be in a large measure a case of the Government entering into an agreement in which it would necessarily assume the major part of the risk. It is intimated that the cash payment for the property would be comparatively small, the balance of the price being secured by the deposit of bonds with the Government. Of course, everything would depend upon the nature of this security. If the bonds were such as to be worth 100 cents on the dollar, even if the company failed to realize its expectations from the Gillies limit, the Government would be safe. If, however, the security was only of a value contingent upon the mine, the risk would obviously be with the Government. On the whole, the proposition is one about which more must be known before it can be disposed of intelligently. It deals in big figures, but the Government need not be hypnotized by them. It can always take for the people such a share of the mineral wealth as is deemed to be just.

A contemporary is alarmed about the sending of U. S. gunboats from Boston to the Upper Lakes. Will they be sent by express or by registered mail?

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Toronto World wants Sir William Van Horne to be made leader of the Tory party of the Dominion in place of Mr. Borden. What's wrong with W. F. Maclean for the job?

Why should any trustee, any citizen, seek to place obstacles in the way of Mr. Kinrade's return to his school? Surely he has suffered enough by this tragedy without that. If he desires to continue teaching, there should be no objection.

For good or ill we have gone into the wood block pavement. By and by we shall learn by experience. The one thing which it appears certainly to offer is a less noisy pavement, easy to the horses' feet. Let the aldermen see to it that the blocks are well crocked and well laid.

William Laidlaw, K. C., Toronto, has taken the Canada Life Insurance question, which is causing so much discussion just now, into the courts on behalf of himself and participating policyholders. The ruling of the court is to be asked as to the distribution of profits between shareholders and policyholders.

The eagerness with which some people bob up on all occasions to give their little knock to the Art School and its work might lead to the idea that the generous-hearted citizens who at great personal expense have striven so hard to maintain the advantages of the institution in Hamilton were really guilty of an offence against the city. Why this unreasonable hostility?

Adam Beck and a few other London Tory Bosses are said to be planning a new Tory daily organ in that city of which Joe Downey is to be the editor. This is a free country, of course, and if Adam has a surplus of wealth that makes him itchy, there is nothing to prevent him squandering it in that way. But London is pretty well served with newspapers now, and to establish a slavish organ will cost a trifle of money. Has the Free Press been guilty of the awful crime of having a soul of its own for a little while, Adam?

Buffalo laments the decline of its grain trade; and it has abandoned hope that the recent reduction in rates between Buffalo and New York will do anything to restore the 100,000,000 bushel loss of recent years. The railway men who testified before the New York Public Service Commission say that Canada has won the supremacy, and with the great improvements carried on by the Government the Canadian railways and water routes are "unassailable." Laurier has not been carrying on twelve years' work to no effect.

Not content with running Provincial affairs and exercising the jurisdiction of Provincial powers, Hon. J. J. Foy, Whitney's Attorney-General, is interfering in matters of legislation entirely within the control of the Dominion. Notwithstanding that it has been clearly shown that Mr. Conmee's bill, incorporating the Ontario and Michigan Power Co. came within the federal jurisdiction and affected an international trading, Mr. Foy has butted in by forwarding an argument against the incorporation of the company. This attempt to invade federal rights and to limit the powers of the Dominion Parliament is a piece of cheek which the members very properly resented. Sir Wilfrid has given way in too many instances in an endeavor to satisfy Whitney's unreasonable demands. In this matter there has been not the slightest attack upon Provincial rights; Whitney has been the aggressor and the prompt adoption of the bill in committee is the proper answer to such intermeddling.

Many men who have been in the trade for a lifetime, and who a year or two ago considered themselves fairly rich, are now condemned to poverty and penury. Their trade, condoned and encouraged for generations, has been transferred or extinguished and they have been put upon the street for the general benefit of the community—but a community which has neither mercy nor sympathy.

That is from the Canadian Courier's comment upon the license reduction made in Toronto. It expresses the extreme view of the opponents of the abolition of the licensed liquor traffic. It does not seem to us to make sufficient allowance for the fact, borne in more deeply each year, that the handwriting has been long on the wall, and that the man who stakes his fortune on keeping a license which he gets it for only twelve months—and might be glad to get it—takes such long chances that he must not look for too much sympathy if the community decides not to renew it, or even gives a piece of the special privilege to another instead of to him. In the liquor business nowadays the wise man sees "caveat emptor" chalked up everywhere.

ON WHAT PATRIOTISM FEEDS. (A. W. Haycock's London Letter.) This country is suffering from Dreadnoughts on the brain, and I believe that certain people are encouraging this panic from personal motives. It is estimated that \$1,200,000 is the profit made by the builders on one Dreadnought. Obviously these builders will not object to more Dreadnoughts. This will merely suggest how one of the vested interests will benefit. The case of the man who amasses wealth during a time of war is too well known to excite comment, although it cannot fail to excite suspicion when he clamors for war. It is much easier to get rich in this patriotic way than in honest commerce in times of peace.

CUR EXCHANGES

NONE OF THEM DO. (Toronto News.) The Ottawa despatches show to us, Sure as a gun, Not all the first prize fabricators live in Hamilton.

HAMILTON. (Toronto Star.) Since all the witnesses have gone The town its way will keep again, With naught exciting going on, It calmly goes to sleep again.

ANOTHER SLUR. (Brandon Expositor.) Now that the Kinrade case has been "shed" for the present, Hamilton's police force will be able to turn over and take another snooze.

F. R. MACKELAN. (Toronto Telegram.) It is hard to bring taxpayers generally to a realizing sense of the truth that ability is always cheaper than mediocrity or incompetence. When the Toronto law department loses an able and zealous official like F. R. MacKelan the city's service is impaired.

SPIEFLY AND FOOLISH. (Vancouver Saturday Sunset.) The Hamilton Times advises the Greater Hamilton's Business Men's Association to take off their coats. But the Times will carefully arrange the folds of its cloak of hypocrisy and conceal its face behind the mask of decency.

AN UNFAIR PRINCIPLE. (St. Catharines Star-Journal.) It is manifestly unfair alike to the business men and the public for the City Council to allow itinerant traders, with their packs and valises, to offer goods for sale from house to house, without asking them to contribute a cent to the cost of civic government.

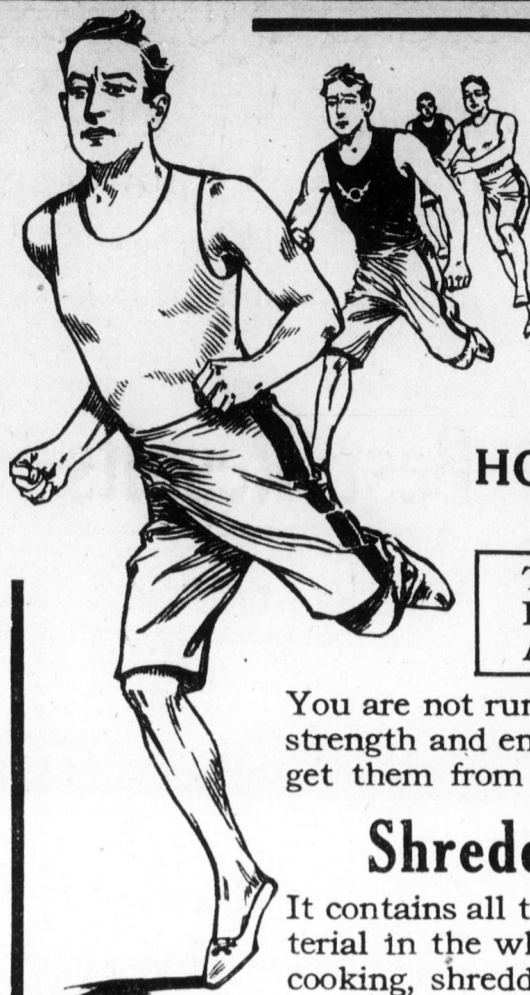
JIMMIE BAUM, GENTLEMAN. (Ottawa Free Press.) An exhilarating puff of fresh air must have been the impression left upon the public by "Jimmie" Baum, the genial actor from Virginia, who testified at the concluding session of the Kinrade inquest. Like a refreshing breeze from midsummer, he fitted, across the arena of this, the most profound of mysteries—only for a moment, only as a passing breeze, and he was gone.

RUINING OUR BOYS. (Canadian Courier.) Yet every evening the streets of the city and the roads of the country are full of growing boys plodding along in a vain endeavor to develop staying qualities that will bring them some easy money or give them a prominent place on the sporting page of the newspapers. And only the other day a Toronto strippling of eighteen made the long journey from Hamilton to Toronto with the one object of proving that he had more endurance than others who had gone the distance before him.

In other ways the youth of the country is protected by law. The man who sells him cigarettes pays a fine; the man who provides him with intoxicants goes to jail. Is it not time for our legislators to further protect him against other things that are almost equally harmful?

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Here is his "Marathon Diet:" Three Shredded Wheat Biscuits, Four fresh eggs beaten up raw, A quart of milk and two oranges.

You are not running a Marathon Race, but you need strength and endurance for the race of life. You can get them from

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It contains all the muscle-making, brain-building material in the whole wheat, made digestible by steam-cooking, shredding and baking.

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CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

Special Services and Special Music. Rev. Dr. Williamson will preach at both services in Emerald Street Methodist Church to-morrow. His evening subject will be "Hitting the Target." Miss Florence Moore will sing. At St. Paul's Church Rev. Dr. R. Drummond, chaplain 91st Regiment of Canadian Highlanders, will preach to the members of the Thirtieth Regiment and the Army Medical Corps. The pastor of St. James' Church, Rev. T. McLachlan, will preach to-morrow morning on "The Church's Strongest Drawing Power"; in the evening on "Man's Best Gift to God." Seats free. All welcome. The Rev. M. J. Bisher, of Trinity Lutheran Church, Conservatory of Music, will preach on "The Comforter," in the morning, and in the evening the first of a series of sermons on "The Christian Life." Miss Foote will sing. Rev. J. Roy Van Wyck, B. A., will preach in the Westminster Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Mrs. Le Roy Grimes will sing both morning and evening, the evening solo being "The Day Is Ended," with violin obligato by Mr. Chas. Willard. The subject of the sermon by the Rev. W. Deles Smith at Unity Church to-morrow evening will be "The Belief in Angels." At the literary meeting of the Y. P. R. U. on Wednesday evening at 8.15 music will be furnished by the orchestra. Admission free. Rev. Richard Whiting will occupy the pulpit of Centenary United Church to-morrow morning, his subject being "Loving and Finding," and the evening, "How to Overcome." Reception and sacramental service after morning service. Appropriate musical services by the choir.

At James Street Baptist Church the pastor will preach at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Morning anthem, "Praise Ye the Lord." Solo by Chas. Williams. 6.50—Brief song service. Choir and congregation. "Come to the Saviour Now." Solo by Miss Coutts. In Zion Tabernacle the pastor will preach in the morning to the boys and girls, and in the evening his subjects will be "Old Cast Clouts and Old Totten Rags." The first anniversary of Garth Street Mission will be celebrated to-morrow by special services, morning, afternoon and evening. In Gospel Tabernacle Rev. Geo. MacKenzie will preach Sunday morning on the only authorized portrait of the Risen Christ; and in the evening on "The Gospel as Preached by the Glorious and Divine Trinity." Mr. Mackenzie is an able preacher of the gospel. "The Utterances of Infinite Mercy" will be the subject of the sermon in Victoria Avenue Baptist Church on Sunday morning. This will be the second sermon of a series on "The Dying Utterances of the Christ." In the evening the subject will be "Love Its Nature and Manifestation." Good music, bright singing, and helpful services both morning and evening. At Ryerson Methodist Church the pastor will preach in the morning on "The Early Church's First Missionary Meeting, a Model One." The Rev. W. N. Vollick, of Bartonville, will take the evening service and administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 8 p. m. Special collections on behalf of educational and missionary funds. All cordially welcome.

MONDAY, MAY 10, 1909 SHEA'S BARGAIN DAY Women's Rain Coats \$6.50, for \$3.95 Women's Dress Skirts \$2.69, Worth \$5.00 Women's Suits \$4.95 Women's Spring Coats \$2.95 Cream Serge Skirts \$2.95 Bargain in Hat Shapes Women's Waists 50c Bargains in Dress Goods



GRIMSBY AND BEAMSVILLE.

Provincial Officers Failed in Their Search For Whiskey.

Entries For the Maddox Race Are Coming in Well.

Beamsville High School Tenders Have Not Yet Been Made.

Grimbsy, May 8.—Acting under a search warrant issued by Magistrate Kidd, a provincial whiskey detective, accompanied by Constable Springstead, of Stoney Creek, and Constable Swayze, made descent last Friday on two premises, but were disappointed in their search.

The Grimbsy Bowling Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing season: A. H. Pettit, President; Dr. Clarke, Vice-President; L. Woolverton, Secretary-Treasurer. The treasurer's statement showed a balance in hand of \$32.63. A limit of twenty-five members for 1909 was made. The meeting was held at the home of Mr. A. G. Pettit.

Mr. David Allan occupied the chair at the annual distribution of plants and bulbs to the members of the Horticultural Society on Friday evening last, and Mr. C. W. Van Duzer, secretary, acted as distributor. There was a very fair attendance of members, and the



MADAME YULISSE HARRISON, Grimbsy.

Grimbsy orchestra enlivened the proceedings with several selections.

John H. Gibson has disposed of his fruit land on Maple avenue to J. H. Forman.

Entries close of the Maddox race on May 20. Be sure and get in on time.

The baseball club will practise on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays in the evening, and request all those interested in the game to turn out.

H. J. and Mrs. Schwab returned from their honeymoon on Wednesday.

A regular old time debauch and free for all time took place on Main street in the wee sma' hours of last Saturday night. One man pushed his fist through a pane of glass in one of the store doors. The sounds and sights were a disgrace to Grimbsy.

George Boos, Chicago, Ill., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Boos for a few days during the past week.

Miss M. Smith is visiting relatives in Hamilton.

Murray and Mrs. Snyder have left town and will reside in Hamilton, where Mr. Snyder has a situation.

The marriage of Miss Alice Genevieve Irvine, niece of Mr. and Mrs. John Hewitt, to Mr. B. F. Upham, of Boston, takes place at the home of Miss Irvine's uncle in Chicago next Wednesday.

Mr. Harry Morrow has lately purchased a fine new touring car.

Mr. Maddox is much pleased with the manner in which the boys are entering for his road race on the 20th. The official distance will be three miles seven hundred and thirty-eight yards, and the start will be made at 5.15 p. m. The prizes are now on view in Mr. Maddox's store windows.

Mrs. C. Carpenter, Winona, while traveling to Hamilton on an H. G. & R. car on Thursday afternoon to visit some friends, was seized with an epileptic fit. On reaching the city an ambulance was called, and Mrs. Carpenter was conveyed to her brother's home, where she shortly recovered.

It has been a number of years since Grimbsy citizens have had the pleasure of listening to Mrs. Yulisse Harrison in concert work. All this time her beautiful high range soprano voice has been listened to with delight in many parts of the United States, where Mrs. Harrison's success was phenomenal in all the great music centres. She is now taking a much needed rest at her home here, and in the interval giving the Methodist Church choir the benefit of her wide-world practical experience in chorus work.

Next Thursday evening Mrs. Harrison will appear in one grand concert, and the choir and several other first class artists will assist. The event is being eagerly looked forward to, and this excellent singer has consented by request, to give several of her earlier, popular numbers, besides her programme selections.

BEAMSVILLE.

William Beatty, New York City; John H. Beatty, of Woodstock, and Mrs. Smith, of Middleport, N. Y., were in town this week, visiting their mother, who is very ill.

Miss Russell, Main street east, Hamilton, spent Sunday and Monday with friends here.

Mrs. Kelly, with her family, will remove to Hamilton in a couple of weeks.

Mrs. and Miss Phinney, Ottawa, who were the guests of Senator and Mrs. Gibson during the past few weeks, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Sanderson and Miss Francis Carroll, Hamilton, were the guests of Mrs. J. M. Osborne on Monday.

Mr. E. D. Smith, Winona, spent Sunday with E. A. and Mrs. Armstrong.

Frank Gayman, Spruceville, is in town and vicinity for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Russ, Grimbsy, and

Miss Lizzie Beamer, were visiting friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. S. R. Davey, with her family, of Fergus, has been spending a few days visiting relatives here.

Mrs. William Brown, of Hamilton, spent the week end with E. J. and Mrs. Amis.

Mr. Harry Prudhomme is suffering with a slight touch of pneumonia.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education on Thursday night, the matter of accepting tenders for alterations to the High School was again laid over for consideration. Several of the trustees are now wondering whether the present walls can support the extra addition.

The following report of the Public School for the month of April is interesting.

Room 4, senior honors—Roderick Stewart, Clara Lister, Pass—Stanley Bartlett, Willie Wood, Bella Manson, Grace Blain, Genevieve Durham, Kenneth Keith, Evelyn Robertson, Frances Trevelyan.

Junior, honors—Helen Whipple, Pass—Junior, Pass—Junior, Pass.

Room 3, senior, honors—Florence Terryberry, Dorothea Sharpe, Pass—Ellen Allen Douglas Stewart, Bella Bartlett, Leta Anderson, Romaine Dean, Marjorie Henry, Elsie Cousins, Ben Bartlett.

Junior, honors—Harry Lewis, Delbert Keith, Clarence Huntsman, Clarice Trevelyan, Pass—Rena McIlhargie, Remus Hobden, Eric Lawrason, Andrew Myers, Clayton McIner, Vernal Crooks, Constance Kendall, Alice Hobden, Jessie Konkle, Margaret Terryberry, Sadie Pilby.

Room 2, senior, honors—Ronald Sturgess, Elsie Barron, Myrtle Sterling, Edna Beachman, Norma Southward, Mina Culp, Fern Furler, Ned Kew, Annie Barker, Cora Coleman, Eddie Walters, Joseph McIntosh, Flossie Konkle, Pass—Ned Fairbrother, Lena James, Tom Robertson, Vera Tufford.

Junior, honors—Alfred Sturgess, Percy Anderson, James Manson, Harold Gibson, Alex. Fairfield, Ernest Gibson, Ina Leadberry, Pass—Verna Russ, Emily Kennedy, Willis Tallman, James Crowe.

Room 1, senior, honors—Albert Hitchman, Albert Hillier, Blanche Huntsman, Kelly, Clifford Bartlett, Eddie Ryekman, Pass—Dora Fraleigh, Stanford McIntere.

Junior, honors—Myra Huntsman, Terence Fairbrother, Paul Jones, Reta Hewitt, Alfred Hillier, Rex Anderson, Pass—Jane Bently, Dolly Allen, Lorraine Biles.

Many old friends will regret the death of Nellie Snyder, beloved wife of Mr. A. P. Walker, Toronto, at the family residence, Rusholme Road, on Monday night. Besides being a former Beamsville, she was a relative of the Oldham family, and had many friends not only here, but throughout the district. She leaves, besides her husband, a daughter and mother to mourn her demise.

VICINITY.

There is still an epidemic of diphtheria and scarlet fever in Interm.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mozer have returned to Vineland from their wedding trip.

The wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Comfort's only daughter, Effie, to Mr. V. Coon took place at the home of the bride's parents, Interm, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Jackson (nee Miss Lottie Walker), formerly of Beamsville, have another little son, at the home in Jordan.

Rev. A. L. Snider, St. George, will deliver a lecture in Victoria Hall, Vineland, on Monday night, entitled, "The Fun of Being an Irishman."

FLOUTED THEM.

Armenians Aroused Anger of the Turks.

Paris, May 7.—A letter received here from an official on board the French armored cruiser Victor Hugo, at Messina, dated April 24, while fully confirming the horror in the recent massacres, says that the previous attitude of the Armenian population undoubtedly was provocative.

The writer declares that after the proclamation of the Turkish constitution in July, last year, the Armenians became insolent and quarrelsome. They boasted openly of their separatist intentions, and of their purpose of re-establishing the Armenian Kingdom. At Armenian theatres plays were produced flouting the Turks, the authors of these pieces going back to the days of Tamerlane and find subjects with which to inflame the hatred against Mussulman oppression. Consequently, when the signal for reaction was received from Constantinople, the worst passions of the mob were unleashed.

TORONTO POWER.

Contract For Plant Given to English and American Firms.

Toronto, May 7.—The contracts have been awarded for the cables and conduits for the city's electrical distribution for a plant. The decision was reached at a meeting of the Board of Control yesterday afternoon, when Mr. K. L. Aitken, city electrical engineer, was present. In both cases the contract was given to the lowest tenderer. The contract for the cables goes to the British Insulated and Helsby Cables, Limited, of London, England. The prices vary from 29 cents to \$1.34 per foot, according to the different sizes and voltages. From seventy-five to one hundred thousand feet of cable will be used. The contracts for the conduits will go to the American Sewer Pipe Company, of Akron, O., the price being 4.7-10 cents per foot. The single duct conduit will be used. There were no Canadian tenderers, as none of this kind of work is done by Canadian manufacturers. These contracts cover the southern portion of the city from Dufferin street to the Don and south of Queen street.

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The organization of a corps of school cadet instructors is authorized by the Department of Militia.

THE KICKERS' COLUMN

PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Allow me an opportunity through your columns of saying a few words with regard to the selling of the Public Library building. I think it is up to the interests of the city (Greater Hamilton, as we call it) to keep what we have got, rather than to part with it, as the officials are apparently trying to do. It would be much better for us to keep the building ourselves as citizens, even if we have to borrow the money to buy the land on which to build a new library. I see no reason why we should sell a building worth at least \$40,000 for \$25,000, practically throwing \$15,000 away. I have no doubt we could raise the amount required to retain this building by voluntary subscriptions if necessary. I am willing to give my little mite.

If some one more capable than the writer would take hold of it and urge the removal of the public library for an art gallery of its own, where students could regularly visit and see the works of other artists, it would be a great help to those who are unable to go away from home to see these things. It would also be a place for visitors who come to Hamilton. A small outbuilding could be charged with the exception of one day in the week, when the art gallery could be thrown open to the public absolutely free, as it is in other cities that I have visited. I know of no better place than the rooms that will be vacated by the removal of the public library for an art gallery. With the expenditure of a very small amount of money it could be converted into a first class art gallery, and many works of art to fill it with. I am quite sure that a number of our citizens would be pleased to loan valuable paintings from time to time, till the permanent collection became sufficient in itself to be an attraction.

In the hands of a gentleman like Mr. Neyland such a gallery would be a great advertisement for Greater Hamilton. That would still enable us to keep the Art School where it is, and I believe there is some room in the country for its special work than our own Art School.

We, therefore, now have an opportunity of securing an art gallery at comparatively little cost. I am quite sure that if Hamilton continues to progress there is a need for such a gallery. It is a movement on an foot to establish an art gallery at an expense of perhaps five times what it would cost us to have it established now under these circumstances.

RE PALMER EPISODE.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Will you permit me through your columns to state that I have been misquoted in the above matter, as reported in the local press last night? I did not say that the employees of the basket factory, nor anybody else, were hoodlums or rowdies, and were largely responsible for the troubles of the Palmer family. What I said about Palmer being a sober, honest man so far as I have known him, I will stand by. I have had no conversation with him since Tuesday. His wife came to me on Thursday evening and said that they were going away as they feared to stay at night. I advised her to stay, as I did not anticipate any further trouble. I have not seen them since. In reference to the factory hands, I said to the reporter that as he was a stranger, they would suspect him of being the Provincial officer on trail. As to the charity, that was carried out in a friendly spirit, and is a usual event in this vicinity, no violence being done to either person or property, and although I am a stranger, they would suspect him of being the Provincial officer on trail. As to the charity, that was carried out in a friendly spirit, and is a usual event in this vicinity, no violence being done to either person or property, and although I am a stranger, they would suspect him of being the Provincial officer on trail.

INTERNATIONAL LODGE.

At the meeting of International Lodge, I. O. G. T., held in the C. O. O. F. Hall last evening, R. Morrison, D. G. T., assisted by Mrs. A. H. Lyle, P. V. T., and W. Brown, of Britannia Lodge, installed the officers-elect for the ensuing term. The reports of the various officers were most encouraging, showing the lodge to be in a prosperous condition, both numerically and financially. The address of the chief templar-elect, A. H. Lyle, outlining his policy for the ensuing term aroused the utmost enthusiasm. Previous to the installation of officers one candidate was initiated and two propositions for membership were received. Next Friday evening the programme will be in the hands of J. H. Taylor.

CANADIAN CLUB ANNUAL.

The Canadian Club will hold its annual meeting on Thursday evening, May 13, at 8 o'clock in the museum room of the public library. The reports of the treasurer and secretary will be received and the election of officers for ensuing year will be held. It is hoped that members will make an effort to be present as the future success of the club largely depends on elections of next Thursday.

Decorations.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Will you kindly inform me through the medium of your valuable paper as to whose authority reigns supreme? The reason I ask you this question is because it has come to my knowledge that orders bestowed upon any person in uniform by his most excellent Majesty King Edward the Seventh does not entitle any one in this city, which forms one part of His Majesty's dominions, and especially with the boundaries of this, the city of undiscovered mysteries, and officials of the land of sleep. I was always given to understand that decorations bestowed to Britishers by the monarch of the nation, no matter in what station of life the recipient may be, should be worn in and on all uniforms of Government pattern or dress. Yet the chief of dreamland says that we should wear no decorations or imitations of same, no matter should it be a king himself who presented thee with this piece of silver, for I am your chief, and thou shalt know no other chiefs but me; therefore I command you not to attempt to adorn thyself with king's or queen's decorations of human slaughter or British protection. For I am your chief, and I have said those things unto

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So beware of silver decorations in future. Perhaps His Worship Mayor McLaren, who, I believe, is an enthusiastic Tommy Atkins, will have a say in this matter. Yours respectfully, Honor Your Monarch.

TEST FOR ARSENIC.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Is it easy to discover whether there is arsenic poison in food or drink? What is the process? Interested.

It is comparatively easy. There are several methods, all requiring more or less skill and care. Perhaps the simplest is Reinsch's test, which is: Acidulate the fluid to be tested with a little pure hydrochloric acid. Then suspend a strip of bright copper foil in the liquid and boil. If a deposit forms on the copper foil, remove it, wash in pure water and dry, being careful not to disturb the deposit. Coil up the strip of foil and place in a clean, dry glass tube open at both ends, and heat at the part where the copper is. If arsenic be present the end part of the tube will show a mirror, which the microscope will show to be composed of crystals of arsenic trioxide.

RE PALMER EPISODE.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Will you permit me through your columns to state that I have been misquoted in the above matter, as reported in the local press last night? I did not say that the employees of the basket factory, nor anybody else, were hoodlums or rowdies, and were largely responsible for the troubles of the Palmer family. What I said about Palmer being a sober, honest man so far as I have known him, I will stand by. I have had no conversation with him since Tuesday. His wife came to me on Thursday evening and said that they were going away as they feared to stay at night. I advised her to stay, as I did not anticipate any further trouble. I have not seen them since. In reference to the factory hands, I said to the reporter that as he was a stranger, they would suspect him of being the Provincial officer on trail. As to the charity, that was carried out in a friendly spirit, and is a usual event in this vicinity, no violence being done to either person or property, and although I am a stranger, they would suspect him of being the Provincial officer on trail.

FOR PRISON FARM.

Resolution in House to Ameliorate the Tramp Evil.

Ottawa, May 7.—Mr. E. N. Lewis, M. P. for West Huron, has given notice of the following resolution: "Whereas, the tramp evil is fast becoming a nuisance to Canada, and whereas, the present system of herding all prisoners within stone walls, where they cannot have proper occupations or any occupation without interfering with organized labor, tends to making more vicious those who might otherwise be reclaimed. Be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the Government of Canada should set apart 10,000 acres in northern Ontario and 10,000 in northern Quebec contiguous to each other as a prison farm, where all offenders and criminals, except those convicted of the most heinous crimes, may be imprisoned on indeterminate sentences at hard labor and kept there either at farming, making roads or metal for roads, or any other employment which will not interfere with free labor; until the inspector certifies that the prisoner is able and willing to earn his own living and it is proper to give him a chance to do so."

NEWSPAPER FIRST FOR BANK "ADS."

In a recent address to the Kansas City Advertising Club a bank representative said: "The day is here when the bank must realize that it can no longer publish only its capital and surplus, have only its name on the door, and use its cut-and-dried statement when the comptroller happens to call for it; for the bank must make its presence known, just as any other business." Somebody asked the speaker what he considered the best medium for financial advertising. His reply was: "I consider, first, the newspaper; second, the circular letter; and third, the booklet."

For bank advertising there is no better medium in Hamilton than the Times, because it reaches the people who have banking business to transact.

Newfoundland's election campaign ended last night. Polling takes place today.

Stanley Mills & Co. LIMITED

SATURDAY, MAY 8th, 1909

Sewing Notions—An Opportune Sale

Chances are that right in the midst of housecleaning time you'll have a "hurry up" call to sew a button on—or put a dress shield in a waist, or run a piece of tape through a curtain or do a little darning here or a little mending there. Just see that the sewing basket is well stocked and you'll save a lot of time and worry. That's what this notion sale is for—to help you.

- Sewing Silk: 3 gross Sewing Silk, in navy, red, sky, and all colors, 50 yards on a spool, Monday... 2 for 5c. Dome Fasteners: 3 gross Black or White (brass plated) Dome Fasteners, in smallest, medium or large sizes, regular 10c dozen, Monday... 5c dozen. Cotton Tape, white... 6 for 5c. Cotton Tape, black... 3 for 5c. Cotton Tape Twill... 5c roll. Linen Tape, white... 5c roll. Seam Binding... 5c roll. Bias Seam Lawn... 15c dozen yards. Common Sewing Needles... 5c paper. Self Threading Needles... 5c paper. Machine Oil... 5c bottle. Machine Needles... 10c each. Pearl Buttons, for blouses, to sew through... 10 to 75c dozen. Pearl Buttons, with self or metal shanks... 20 to 75c card. Pearl Buttons: 2 gross White Pearl Buttons, two or four hole, small, medium and large sizes, Monday... 5c dozen. Belding's or Corticelli Sewing Silk, 5c spool... 50c dozen. Coats' Sewing Cotton, 5c spool, 50c dozen. Twist... 3c spool. Button Hole Twist, in black, 5c yard. Spool Holder and Thread Cutter... 25c each. Skirt Hemmer... \$2.50. Skirt Belting, single... 3c yard. Skirt Belting, double... 4c yard. Skirt Belting, mercerized... 7c yard. Skirt Binding Corticelli Braided... 4c yard. Skirt Binding Silk Braided... 5c yard. Skirt Binding Velvet Braided 6 and 7c yard. Brush Braid... 7c yard. Common Hooks and Eyes (black)... 2c card. Common Hooks and Eyes (white)... 2c card. Safety Hooks and Eyes... 4c card. Safety Hooks and Loops... 5c card. Loops, separate, 3c card, 2 for 5c.

MAY CLEARING SALE OF Spring Dress Goods

As the Spring Dress Goods season draws to a close you will find the values in this section becoming more and more interesting. A half dozen lines go on sale Monday at prices that will make it well worth your while to visit this section on that day.

- Shantung Suiting: 27 inch Colored Shantung Suiting in shades of navy, Copenhagen, blue, grey, brown, green and helio. On sale at... 75c yard. Chiffon Broadcloth: Chiffon Broadcloth in brown, navy, black, cream, grey, taupe, suitable for tailored suits, separate skirts, etc., 44 inches wide, Monday... 75c yard. Satin Cloth: Satin Cloth, 42 inches wide, in fancy stripe effects, shades of navy, green, old rose, ashes of roses, greys, etc. for princess suits, dresses or children's wear, special for Monday... 50c yard. Wool Taffeta: 42 inch Wool Taffeta in old rose, navy, black, cream, grey, taupe, etc., a splendid weave for princess dresses, shirt waist suits, separate skirts, etc.; on sale Monday... 50c yard. Covert Coating: 54 inch Covert Coating in light fawn with stripe effects for spring coats, at... \$2.00 yard. Military Serge: 54 inch Military Serge for children's wear, all wool and correct weight, at... \$1.25 yard. Shantung Silk: 34 inch Natural Shantung Silk for shirt waist suits, coats, etc., worth regularly 75c yard, on sale Monday... 50c.

STANLEY MILLS & CO., LIMITED

BIG ALTERATION SALE OF Mantels and Fireplaces

Our stock must be reduced by June 1st. Big alterations will take place at that time, and our heavy stock must go. Starting Monday, May 10th, until June 1st, we will sell at prices never before known in the Mantel and Fireplace business. Select your Mantel now and we will store it until your home is ready for same. The Floors and Walls at greatly reduced prices.

KENT, GARVIN & CO., SUCCESSORS BEGONS, SANFORD HARDWARE, LIMITED.

Phone 2178 160 KING STREET EAST

FINED \$50.

Former Hotel Man of Rockton Convicted at Dundas.

Dundas, May 8.—Mr. James Massey, formerly of Dundas, who, it will be remembered, was found stricken with paralysis in a hotel at Rodney, near St. Thomas, two or three weeks ago, was again stricken some ten days after, from which he did not recover. He was buried near Rodney, where he had just purchased a house and lot. A brother and son of deceased were here this week looking after his property. Mr. Massey was a highly esteemed old gentleman and had, during his few years' residence in Dundas, made many friends. He leaves a family by his first wife.

Mr. Blakeley, a former hotel keeper at Rockton, was charged yesterday by Judge Mayor Lawson on two charges of violation of the liquor law. Before Beverly passed local option he held a license. Two or three weeks ago his premises were searched by Chief Twiss and other officials, who found liquor, which defendant claimed was non-intoxicating. Samples were sent to Toronto, when it was shown that it contained over 7 per cent. of alcohol, hence the prosecution. Two charges were laid, one for illegal selling and the other for keeping liquor for sale. The latter charge was withdrawn and on the other charge defendant was fined \$50 and costs.

The annual meeting of the John Bertam & Sons' Mutual Benefit Association was held on Tuesday evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlors. There was a fair attendance, and much interest was manifested in the society. The receipts for the past year were shown to be \$707 and the disbursements \$670. The sick

payments amounted to \$519 to about 43 beneficiaries. The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: President, Col. Bertram; Vice-President, D. M. Finlayson; Secretary, J. A. Thompson; Treasurer, Spencer Briggs. Sick Visiting Committee, J. Campbell and H. Chatland. Auditors, Wm. Male and John Murray, sen.

There is at present \$319 in the treasury, \$10 beyond limit. After reaching \$200 the assessments cease until the balance is reduced to that amount.

The association made a number of changes in the by-laws, one of the most important being that hereafter when any member is quarantined owing to family sickness he shall receive the same benefits as if he were sick himself.

GAS PLANT.

Municipal Ownership in Manchester Said to be a Success.

Washington, May 8.—Municipal ownership of the civic gas plant has been proven to be not only a profitable undertaking for Manchester, England, but economical for the customer as well.

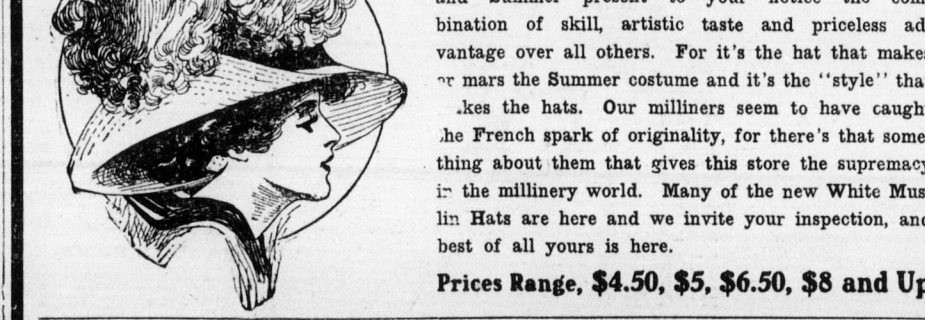
The city's profits since the works were taken over 25 years ago have been \$67,500.75, while the price of gas in the Manchester district at present is only 55 cents per thousand cubic feet, according to a report to the Bureau of Manufactures from United States Consul Howe.

To illustrate the growth of the business it is stated that the producing capacity of the works is 26,000,000 cubic feet per 24 hours against 13,000,000 in 1883. An investment of \$13,382,875 capital is represented. Manchester has a population of about 600,000, being about the size of Boston and St. Louis.

Showing of the Summer Hats

Just as the budding of the Spring blossoms, the appearance of the new, brings to your thoughts the beauty and goodness of it all—so does the creation of our own beautiful assemblage of Hats for Spring and Summer present to your notice the combination of skill, artistic taste and priceless advantage over all others. For it's the hat that makes or mars the Summer costume and it's the "style" that makes the hats. Our milliners seem to have caught the French spark of originality, for there's that something about them that gives this store the supremacy in the millinery world. Many of the new White Muslim Hats are here and we invite your inspection, and best of all yours is here.

Prices Range, \$4.50, \$5, \$6.50, \$8 and Up

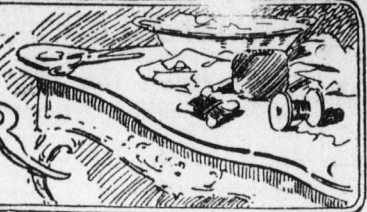


"We Dress Those Who Care" FINCH BROS. 29 Years of Growth in Merchandising





# FOR THE HOME DRESSMAKER



## THE LATEST MODES IN LINEN GOWNS

BY RUTH HAMILTON

HERE'S cheering news for the woman of few inches. Too long has she been thrust into the back ground by her stately sister of classic lines, who triumphantly wore the sweeping draperies so long in vogue, with never a thought for the woman not blessed with such heroic proportions. But now comes the turn of the dainty little woman. She may smile in her sleeve—her up-to-date, long sleeve—for surely on her and none other are fixed the thought of those tyrants across the water, the great fashion designers. For her are being designed the quaint new clothes which will soon take the world sartorial by storm.

Imagine, if you can stand the picture, our present type of beauty, the woman of long, slender sinuous line, in a frock which looks as if it came off a Watteau fan—short fitted skirt, displaying generously little black slippers worn over white stockings, great puffed panniers over either hip and a bodice extending in a long point in front. For that is a type of costume which fashionable dressmakers are already urging upon their customers, and each week brings for the new models over which the tall and slender beauties moan.

Already overskirts of all kinds have been sighted in the office. The dress of the unnaturally long waistline, which cuts in somewhere between knee and hip is everywhere to be seen. Hip-high flounces, put on with a quite undisguised heading, are a feature of Summer frocks. Each day the skirt extends in width around the foot and gains in fullness at the waist.

It requires no prophetic eye to discern that the days of the hours, of that atrocity, the sheath dress, are numbered. Although it cannot be hoped that it will disappear at once, no woman ordering Summer gowns will tolerate its suggestion. In fact, her eager question is likely to be, "How full may I have my skirt at the hem?" Certainly, "times is changed"—not so long ago she was insisting on a skirt so narrow that the thought of sitting down was one to be approached with caution.

The muslins, fine gauzes, chiffon voiles and all the charming hot-weather fabrics, which have been making the dry goods counters dedicated to them look like gardens of delicately-tinted flowers, take very kindly to this more generous mode of making.

The woman who fashions her Summer wardrobe with her own nimble fingers or with the aid of a seamstress at home, should rejoice accordingly. For every woman who has ever constructed her own gowns knows the difficulties and the pitfalls of the dress of seemingly simple lines. Simple the lines may be, but they must also be perfect, and the fashions of the past eighteen months have allowed no skirt trimmings to hide deficiencies. But soon she can flounce and frill to her heart's content, and no one will be the wiser if a seam pulls a little bit or the skirt does not hang quite correctly.

The one-piece linen dresses, worn with or without a white guimpe, have been adopted enthusiastically by women of all ages. They have completely put the favorite coat and skirt suit in the shade and it cannot with truth be denied that they are a very attractive mode of attire.

Of different materials and on varying models are these one-piece dresses made. The gown buttoning from

shoulders to skirt-hem, with a long row of decorative buttons, made plainly, almost like an ulster, is a style which makes a strong bid for popularity. This is the redingote, exploited by smart French women in heavier materials during the past Winter and taken up by women on this side in the Spring. I saw a charming dress of this design in the window of a dressmaker. It fitted perfectly, but with hardly any suggestion of curve at the waist line. Cut exactly like a long coat, it buttoned up one side, the buttons ending

characterized by their simplicity. Many of them have a tub effect, the linen being brought up to an under waist of net of the same color as the linen of the dress. This is a cooler style than the one where the linen covers the shoulders—something to be considered with torrid weather so near.

Hand embroidery, done in large effective designs, and fine Soutache braiding are favored ornamentations for one-piece linen gowns, and it doesn't seem to matter how many buttons are used—apparently the more the merrier! A square cut out, showing a white yoke of fine embroidery of joined

The Dutch neck, beloved of school-girls and now taken up by women of all ages, will reign supreme this season. We have been treated to visions of uncolored necks rising showily from fur collars during the zero weather of the past Winter—and we have read without surprise of the alarmingly great increase of deaths from grip and pneumonia. If bare necks presented to icy breezes and insufficiently clad limbs had not been responsible for that then we should have been amazed. So if the capricious feminine must present an uncolored neck to the world let her, by all means do it during the hot-weather months—and tire of it before Winter comes again!

There is nothing more charming than a bare youthful neck, white and round, and there is much to recommend this collarless fashion in the country during the Summer. To the woman of uncertain years who will bare her neck in the city streets we must close our eyes.

Anticipating this sudden vogue of turn-down collars, the shops are full of really delightful collars made of almost every kind of washing materials, from real baby Irish linen to sheer

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Maize-colored crepe de chine, with bands of lace, insertion and tucking, was used to make this model. It is also adapted to messaline, taffeta, satin, voile, lawn or batiste. The yoke may be omitted.

Almost invariably the sleeves, whether made of the linen or of the material of the guimpe, are long, ending in some ornamentation at the wrist—a bit of the same embroidery that embellishes the gown elsewhere and a button or two.

Occasionally the linen sleeve ends just below the elbow, an undersleeve, of white appearing below. But this is rather too suggestive of last year's gown made over.

One fashionable dressmaking establishment is making a specialty, this year, of very simple little gowns of striped linen for morning wear. These frocks are made with a plaited skirt and plaited waist, pinned under a two-inch belt of the linen. They are absolutely untrimmed and are finished at the neck with a round turned-down

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Don't bother him with troublesome trifles that happen during the day. Don't whine and complain over household difficulties.

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### DEAD, LIGHT SILK BLOUSE; BORN, SOME NEW BLOUSES



The separate, light silk blouse which is now passed, Dame Fashion has ruled it out, and only a few faint, dying gasps are heard from it now.

However, a large net with touch of the suit colors, is much liked, and separate blouses the exact color of the suit remain in high favor.

on the left shoulder. The sleeves were long, scant coat sleeves, with turned back cuffs. The only attempt at trimming was on the collar and rather wide revers, which were of black and white striped silk, the stripes being half an inch in width. The buttons of linen bore some slight hand embroidery, done in black silk. Under this was worn a white guimpe.

This would be a dress quite simple enough for home construction, but, indeed, most of these one-piece gowns are

There is a liking for diamond-shaped buttons used for trimming purposes, and many of these, black covered, are seen on white linens. By using a dozen or so of these buttons and adding a little braided net, last year's white linen gown can be made presentable for this season.

Many new weaves of linens have appeared this year. The hand-woven French linens are beautiful but very expensive, and there are plenty of other weaves to be had at much less cost which look almost equally as well. A

new corded linen, closely woven with fine little cords running through it, makes the claim of not crushing easily—something much to be appreciated. All the coarsely-woven linens, almost like crasses but more supple and pliable, are in demand.

As to colors, the colors worn during the Winter just past are reproduced in this Summer's linens and are considered much smarter than the more delicate shades. Peacock blue, all the dull rose shades, taupe and golden browns are all seen and are advocated by reliable dressmakers.

This fashion of darker-toned linens should prove a blessing to the woman who must spend part of the hot-weather season in town, for the constant visits of delicately colored frocks to laundry or cleaners are often a great tax.

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collar of white pique, with scalloped, buttonholed edge and a black silk tie, carelessly knotted in front.

For this simple morning attire sixty dollars is asked. Girls who are only fairly clever with their needle could duplicate one of these dresses for ten dollars or under. Truly one pays dearly for the name, sometimes.

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### HOUSE GOWN TRIMMED AND DAINTY



The dainty house gown follows the lines of the long, straight mode and is elaborately trimmed. Light wools, foulards and summer silks—all are used.

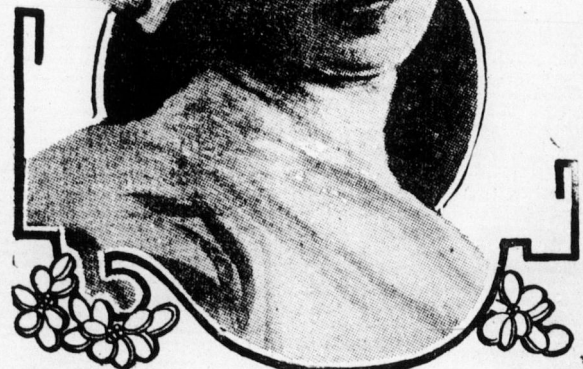
Separate long coats of linen will be much worn this summer. Here again we see the touch of black of which the French are so fond and which is rapidly making its way here.

Coats of tan linen of a weave closely imitating rajah silk have collars and revers of black satin, or water silk, and the buttons are also black-covered. A black silk tie, knotted under the

spoken of in the advertisements of garment shops, by the addition of a coat of the same linen as the dress.

Separate coats are characterized this season, by the lines of trimming, emphasizing the low waist line, instead of the raised waist line of last year's models, which is only one more omen that the days of the Empire line are fast drawing to a close.

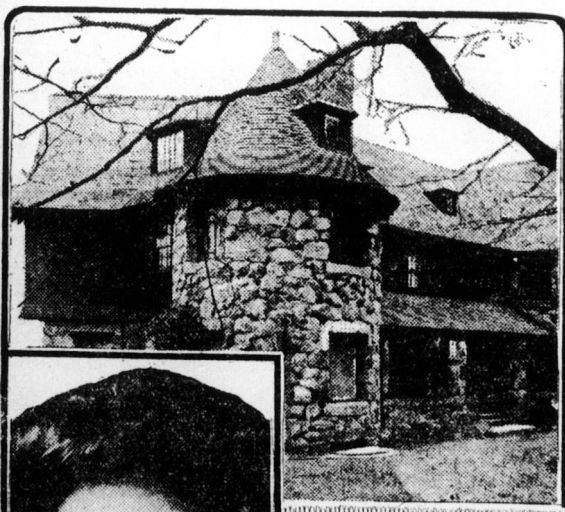
### Keen Fraulein Gets Big Contract; After Another Now From Jim Hill



Pretty Fraulein Carolina Stoett, who passenger coaches and convert them into pastboard on which tickets can be printed. In exchange for the privilege, she's willing to furnish the railroad with all the tickets it needs.

There's money in this unique business. The company she heads over here is earning 15 per cent. per annum on its contract with the Belgian state newspapers left in American railroad

### STORK'S COMING TO MAKE "PRINCESS" ALICE HAPPIER



Isn't This a Nice Place for a Stork to Visit? The Longworth Summer Home.

The course also includes numerous other matters pertaining to the proper bringing up of a juvenile Nick or Alice, and is being imparted by all the wise old dowagers in her wide circle of acquaintances.

And they also do say that Mrs. Alice expects the visit of the stork before many weeks. At any rate, caretakers of the Nicholas Longworth summer home, not far from President Taft's new summer home, at Beverly, Mass., have resolved orders to open up the house big as in readiness for the coming of Mrs. Alice, who will arrive there early in June.

The house is beautifully situated, and commands a magnificent view of Massachusetts Bay. It is sufficiently extended from the noise of the multitude, in the middle of a large estate, to be an ideal resting place for a young mother.

### A NEAT AND PRETTY WAIST MODEL



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MRS. NICHOLAS LONGWORTH.



TOMORROW IN CITY CHURCHES

ANGLO-CATHOLIC
Christ's Church Cathedral.
James St. North, between Robert and Barton.
Rev. Canon Almon Abbott, M. A.
215 MacNab Street North.
Communication services every Sunday at 8 a. m. and the first and third Sundays at 11 a. m.
Matins first Sunday at 10.15 a. m. and the second, third and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m.
Evening at 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m.

ART SCHOOL DISCUSSED.

Trades and Labor Council Considered Subject Last Night.

Communication From England re Workmen For Hamilton

Bakers' Union to be Asked to Discuss the Label.

Art School and Immigration matters were discussed at some length at the regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council last evening. The members took a deep interest in both.

The Art School matter was discussed in an informal way, during which Delegate Halford, the council's representative on the Art School Board, took occasion to correct an impression made at the last open meeting of the council, that in computing the number of pupils, those taking instruction in the day and evening classes were counted twice.

Whereas, the Trades and Labor Council of Hamilton, Ont., Canada, has noted the communications of the East End Emigration Society and the Charity Organization Society, of London, England, in the Times, Post and Telegraph of that city, stating that there was an opening in the Hamilton factories for a large number of workers and general laborers, and

Whereas, these statements are absolutely untrue, and contrary to facts, as the hundreds of skilled and unskilled workers in Hamilton are idle, who have been so all winter, many actually in want, and being assisted by public charities; be it

Resolved, that we condemn in no uncertain terms the unreasonable and cruel methods of inducing our fellow workers in Britain to emigrate to this city, with a view of securing ready employment, when so many men are idle, of which there is more than an adequate number to fill prospective vacancies of the spring opening; and be it further

Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the London Times, Post, Telegraph and East End Emigration Society, the Charity Organization Society, and to W. R. Trotter.

The convention call for the Labor Educational Association, which meets May 24th, in Berlin, Ont., was received and the election of delegates to it resulted in the selection of Messrs. Atchison, Brittain and Halford.

President Atchison reported the result of his visit to Toronto in reference to the entertainment of delegates to the A. E. L. convention. The plans of the entertainment committee were not advanced sufficiently to enable it to give details, but they were worked out at an early date.

A delegate from the Garment Workers reported union label agreements having been signed with several clothing firms in the city, and that an overall factory using the label was in prospect. The barbers' delegates reported two barber shops as having been unionized during the month.

The request of Federal Labor Union No. 11 for the co-operation of the Council in securing for the city firemen the privilege of free transportation on the street cars while in uniform was referred to the municipal committee, with instructions to assist the firemen in their application.

The carpenters' delegates brought up the matter of the difficulty experienced by the members in securing employment at the Maple Leaf Amusement Company's work, but it was decided that the matter was one for the Building Trades Council.

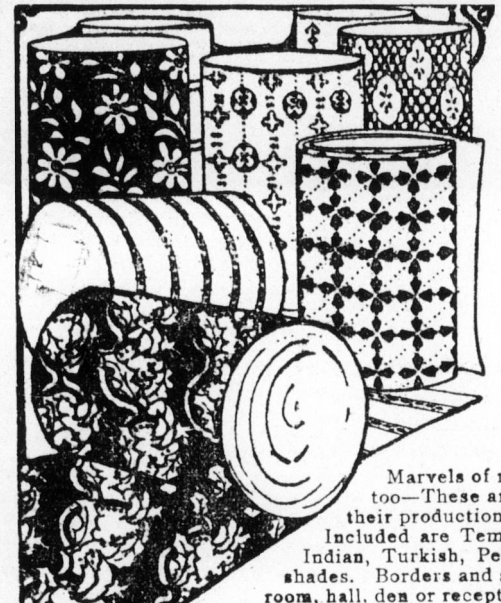
Some discussion over the difficulty in getting union-labeled bread resulted in the secretary being instructed to notify the bakers' union to have a delegate present at the next meeting.

Annual reports of the Ontario Bureau of Labor were received, and the delegates instructed to notify the secretaries of their local unions to be more prompt in sending in the reports requested by the bureau.

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Society

Iron, John S. and Mrs. Hendrie returned from Europe.

Mrs. John Gould was hostess of a delightful tea on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Champ have returned from their honeymoon, and are staying with Mrs. H. H. Champ at "Undercliffe."

Miss Frances DuMoulin was hostess of a small tea on Wednesday afternoon.

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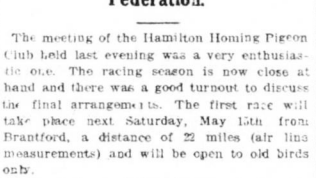
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GOLFER TRAVIS' NARROW ESCAPE.

Garden City, N. Y., May 8.--Walter J. Travis, former national and international champion, narrowly escaped defeat yesterday afternoon in the annual tournament of the Garden City Golf Club.

The final to-day will be between Travis and Seckel.

GIRL KEEPS IT.

Norfolk, Va., May 8.--After a jilted fiance may not legally recover the engagement ring, and his only redress is by way of a breach of promise suit, holds Justice Andrew Jackson Dalton, of the Norfolk Magistrate's court.

TWO-CENT FARE.

Figures Show That the Railways Have Lost Money by It.

Recent figures compiled on behalf of the railway companies of the United States by Sisson Thompson manager of the Bureau of Railway News and Statistics, indicate that as a result of two-cent passenger fare legislation in the United States, the railways lost in gross earnings \$25,000,000, although more passengers were carried. This is accounted for by a reduction in average receipts per passenger mile on 94 per cent of the mileage from 2,014 cents in 1907 to 1,932 cents in 1908.

A further comparison shows that where the passenger travel has increased 192 per cent, in 20 years, the passenger revenue has increased only 140 per cent.

The total passengers carried were 854,255,377, the average distance carried being 33,577 miles in 1908, against 837,905,133 passengers, an average of 51,277 miles, in 1907. The average passenger receipts per mile decreased 16.9 per cent.

CASTRO MEETS WIFE.

Santander, Spain, May 8.--Senora Castro, wife of the deposed President of Venezuela, arrived here today on the steamer Gaudoujou from the West Indies. She was met by her husband who came down from Paris.

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# WOULD YOU CONVICT ON CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE? The VETERAN'S CASE A TRUE STORY

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**JOHN F. MCINTYRE**, formerly Assistant District Attorney for New York county for twelve years, prosecuting 716 cases of homicide during that period, including the Kennedy and other famous trials, says:

"I regard circumstantial evidence as the best kind of evidence, chiefly because it does not admit of perjury. Personally, I have never known of a case of circumstantial evidence in which a man suffered the penalty for a crime of which he was afterward proved to have been innocent.

"Persons that deny circumstantial evidence do not understand it, they do not know what constitutes circumstantial evidence. A man stands in the doorway and sees me holding a revolver. It is discharged and you fall dead. Ninety-nine out of a hundred men would say that the testimony of the man in the doorway would be direct evidence. On the contrary, it would be circumstantial evidence. He could not have seen the bullet in its flight. The prosecution would have to show that the bullet was of the same calibre as the revolver, the course taken by the bullet and other circumstances.

"If the man saw me strike you with a knife that would be direct evidence, but observe the chance for perjury here. A false value would very likely be attached to his testimony and he might be lying. Circumstantial evidence deals with the tangible facts surrounding an act. And facts are not so apt to lie as individuals.

"The accused is amply protected in cases of circumstantial evidence by the provisions of the law, which say that when the circumstances point equally to guilt and to innocence the verdict must be for acquittal. There must be no shade of a chance for any other hypothesis than that of guilt."

**J**UST as gray dusk, when the surface of the Mississippi seemed to give more of light from its tawny, glistening stretches than the overcast sky above, a raft wing with massive precision above a run where the bluff shelved down to a soft tilted rice field. It was the empty hour, in which sounds carry clear and the pulse and breath of open day are still.

A group of the crew sprawled along the side of the raft that bore toward the western bank, idly contemplative of the slowly shifting panorama. The only activity beyond the ponderous, irresistible flow of the current was the occasional, leisurely step of a steersman at the fore, or after sweeps, as he corrected the course.

Suddenly, from the field of rice, fringed with a deep red of reeds that dwindled into the edge of the channel not a hundred feet away, the report of a firearm shattered the evening quiet with a crashing staccato note. A wisp of thin smoke trailed up from the waving tops of green, spread out in a gossamer veil and was gone. As those on the raft, intent for an explanation of the incident, watched the shore, the screen of tall water grasses parted and a canoe shot swiftly out into the river. A young man knelt near the stern, paddling with swift rapid strokes that whirled the canoe almost to the raft before he glanced up and saw it. He checked his course with a startled thrust of the paddle while one of the group hailed him.

"Kinder late fer duck, ain't it, young feller?" The man in the canoe looked at the raftsmen with wide eyes and a face that showed white across his forehead. He answered after a pause, while his craft rocked and floated opposite them.

"Did—did you hear it, too?" There were smiles about the group. The spokesman nodded approvingly.

"Not so bad for one so young," he commented. "But there ain't no game warden on board here, s'posin' there's any still loose. What we, as genuine, dyed in the grain sportsmen, want to know is did you land it?"

"Land what?" "How do I know? Whatever you was shootin' at. Praps a dandelion top 'r a clay pigeon." "I didn't do any shooting," said the canoeist, with a strangely earnest expression. The raftsmen's gesture denoted admiration.

"Oh, all right, you didn't then. We jest heard the sunset gun about a thousand miles off, 'r maybe it was a bullfrog." "No, I didn't," repeated the young man, with emphasis. "Don't you see I have no gun?"

"No more you haven't," said the man on the raft, altering his tone of banter. "That's queer." The canoeist dug his paddle and thrust on ahead of the monster island of lumber, making quick time about the next bend below. It was almost dark when the raft reached that point and those on board saw an empty river before them. The canoe had vanished.

Three days later a party of men and boys in skiffs and dugouts moved slowly up the western shore of the stream, starting from the little town about three miles below the rice field and pausing at each bayou to enter and push among the reeds. Another party kept abreast of them along the shore, spreading out so that one wing passed over the swampy, uncertain verge of the firmer ground. They occupied several hours in reaching the field, covering the intricate, thick growth expanses of river land with sedulous care.

When the band on shore had gone half way through the rice field there was a shout from one of the outermost searchers that brought the others hurrying about him.

They had been looking for the body of Wilson Smith, one of the most considerable planters of the section, and they had found it. It lay half in, half out, of the water, on its face, the arms huddled across underneath. Smith had fallen away from the water toward the bank and had slipped back several feet. When they turned the body over the cause of death was apparent. There was a bullet wound in the right breast. The planter must have died instantly, it was afterward established, since the bullet had passed through his heart.

There was one man in the awe-struck, curious crowd who noted the details with a calm, understanding eye and to whom the others turned naturally for the direction of affairs. He had tacitly been allowed the command of the searching party, a concession not so due to his training, which would have served

to qualify him, nor to the powers deputed him by the authorities, as to his unstrained assumption of that position.

William Howard had been a member of the detective force in several Eastern cities and had retired after an honorable career with the esteem and high regard of all his associates. Still an active man at sixty-five, retaining his bodily vigor as he did his force of mind, he had come down the big river and purchased a small plantation with his savings, content to pass his remaining days in rural seclusion. Nothing could have been further from his thoughts during the two years of his life as a planter than that he should ever be induced to resume the tracking of criminals and the collecting of evidence. His place adjoined that of Wilson Smith, a man near his own age, whom he had learned to respect and admire in spite of his crotchets. When his wealthy neighbor had been missed he had returned without effort to the habits of former years and taken upon himself, with the consent of the Sheriff, the organizing and disposition of the search.

Under his orders the body was lifted from the ooze and placed in one of the skiffs, in which it was taken down a mile below to the landing at the plantation

weapon that had been used for the murder of Wilson Smith.

Late the same afternoon the veteran detective appeared at the Smith homestead to pick up such threads of circumstance as might be found to cling about the home life of the planter, and to make himself familiar with the details of the situation on the day he went to his death. Some part of what he knew supplied him with a framework for what he learned.

Wilson Smith had lived a bachelor and alone, save for a swarm of servants, white and black. He had inherited the house and the estate, and with them a fine, crusty reserve and pride of name that kept him much to himself in the absence of congenial acquaintance. Some few friends he had, Howard having been the only one of recent acquisition, to whom he occasionally dispensed reminiscence and superior sherry of an evening. He was possessed of considerable wealth, which he valued wisely but not solely. It afforded him a real pleasure to augment the value of his lands by careful husbandry, although, as he frequently grumbled, the total result "would likely some day be squandered by some dissolute, worthless dog of an heir."

"As a matter of fact, I did hear enough to catch the drift," admitted Dixon, "and unless I am much mistaken Mr. Smith was threatening to change his will if Mr. Boynton did not alter his habits."

"Dixon," interrupted Howard, suddenly, "have you ever seen Mr. Boynton carry weapons?" "It was his custom to go armed," was the answer. "I have had a glimpse of a pistol once or twice, but Brown, the groom, would know. He cleaned the young man's arms for him."

Brown was summoned and questioned. He knew Mr. Boynton's weapons, he said. There were two revolvers of the same pattern, forty-fours, and a Winchester. He was sure he would know them. The detective whipped a hand to his hip pocket, and under the strong light of a hanging lamp, flicked the weapon he had found in the rushes into view.

"Was that one of the revolvers?" Brown looked at it a second as it lay in Howard's palm.

"I could swear it, sir," he answered. "There are marks on it one couldn't forget. It belongs to Mr. Boynton."

Perhaps the pressure of his years had worn down



THERE WAS A SHOUT FROM ONE OF THE OUTERMOST SEARCHERS.

and thence to the old Smith homestead. The crowd gradually dispersed, its members turning back toward the town, comparing opinions on the way and bent upon spreading the news. Howard, with a negro to row his skiff, stayed in the rice field. He proceeded with his preliminary investigation.

The spot, as was inevitable, had been tramped somewhat by the searchers, and the old detective had little hope of discovering footprints or other traces that would aid him in the matter. In analyzing the surrounding features of ground and growth, however, he saw opportunities for devising, in some part, a working hypothesis of the manner in which Wilson Smith had come to his death.

The natural explanation of Smith's presence in the rice swamp, as it occurred to him, was that the planter had been upon one of his periodic rounds of his properties. If there were a specific reason for his visit to this place it was not immediately indicated and the investigator would have to look elsewhere for proof of it. There were no signs of a struggle, and it was plain that the body had sunk among the grasses where they were otherwise undisturbed.

To his mind this argued an ambush, a complete surprise, to which the character of the place lent every opportunity. A man concealed at the edge of the field, where the stalks rose high, need but wait his victim, if he were certain of the path to be followed. Or, again, he could come close upon the other under cover of the rustling that would fill his ears as he trod away. Howard cast about for some indication of a place that might show where the murderer had lain hidden, but in this he met with no success.

Another possibility occurred to him. The river was shallow for thirty feet from the shore where the reed thicket grew. Passage through this with a boat would be a matter of some difficulty, but the skiff that had taken the body away had been forced within a few yards of where it lay. His own craft, as he proved by experiment, could be poled to a position whence, through the intervening growth, he could see the figure of his negro servant, standing where Smith probably had stood. As he dwelt upon this phase he regarded with increasing favor the theory that the murderer had accomplished his design from a small boat hidden among the rushes.

He manoeuvred from side to side, bent upon discovering, if possible, the exact angle from which the shooting had taken place, and making mental note that the physician's testimony as to the direction taken by the bullet would be of importance. With alert glance he was sweeping each object within his vision, examining it individually and in relation to those about it, with the gaze for minute observation that had led him to success in many a previous pursuit. So it was, as he backed and filled in the shallow, clogged bed of water grasses, that his eye caught a sharp glitter, the quick flash of a reflection from something under the surface, like the silvery dart of a fish.

It was gone on the instant, but Howard patiently experimented with his craft until it came again. Marking its source he brought the skiff to a favorable position and raked along the slimy bottom at the point he had noted. Almost instantly his grasping fingers closed familiarly about the butt of a revolver, and he stood upright, exulting in the value of the clew he had found.

It was a five shooter of modern design. Four of the chambers held uncharged cartridges. The fifth held an exploded shell. There were no evidences that it had been in the water for any length of time. For another matter, it must inevitably have sunk completely from sight in the silt had it lain there long. He had no doubt that he was holding the

This phrase, as Howard knew, applied to John Boynton, the planter's grandnephew, whose recent career since reaching his majority gave broad grounds for uneasiness on the part of his surviving relatives. It had been Howard's part to stand between the young man, whom he had last seen a year before, and Smith when the latter raged against him. Word of Boynton's doings reached the Mississippi plantation at intervals, usually in the form of a demand for money, and on these occasions the wealthy grand-uncle would denounce his heir in no uncertain terms and Howard, if present, would plead for him.

This he did through a certain sympathy with one absent and maligned, and in part because he knew the elder man's affections were in truth wrapped about his crying grandnephew. For the rest he knew Boynton for a weak character, but, as he conceived, free from viciousness.

Howard had not visited the Smith house for two weeks previous to his own disappearance, and was surprised to learn on his arrival there that Boynton was present. Dixon, who had been Smith's valet and confidential man, met the detective with this information.

"A sad blow to Mr. Boynton, Mr. Howard," was the man's first comment. "And him come back after so long."

"Boynton? Is Boynton here?" "Full two weeks now. Since Mr. Smith was missed three days ago he's been that uneasy and despairing there was no comforting him. He's up stairs now. He heard the body had been found when one of the men came back about an hour ago."

A servant was sent up for Boynton and the young man presently appeared. Constrained greetings having been exchanged, the veteran turned to his task.

"Mr. Boynton," he said, "I should regard it as a favor if you would tell me anything of interest you may know in connection with this sad affair. I have charge of the investigation."

"I am afraid I can help you but slightly," was the reply. "My granduncle went away in the morning, three days ago. We expected him home by tonight, as usual, but he did not appear. From what I hear I can only suppose that some bandit or person who nourished a grudge against him waylaid him on his round. It is most unfortunate."

The young man was obviously nervous and ill at ease. His final word rang strangely in the ears of Howard, who regarded him keenly.

"It is unfortunate," he remarked, with a trace of irony. "May I ask if you knew of any quarrel the deceased may have had with any one before his death?" Boynton flushed under the inquirer's tone.

"Do not," he answered, abruptly, and left the room.

Howard turned to Dixon when the retreating footsteps had passed up the stairs.

"It's not such a hard blow as you seemed to think, Dixon," he commented. "I suppose he finds some solace in reflecting upon his accession to fortune."

the keen edge of the veteran's decision, perhaps the affair had developed with a rapidity that made him doubtful or he was moved to delay by his conception of Boynton's character. In any case he made here the first mistake in his calculation, bound the two servants to secrecy and returned to his home. He spent some hours in mapping out a diagram of the report of the matter for his own study, as had ever been his practice.

The structure of circumstances seemed impregnable. He made arrangements with the prosecutor to arrest Boynton the next morning. But when he came with an officer the young man had disappeared.

Before starting on the trail the aged detective, bitterly self-accusing for his unpardonable oversight, avoided one more error. He made a thorough search of the little room on the top floor that had been occupied by Boynton. Among other significant indications of a guilty flight that he noticed was a little heap of paper ashes in the grate. He bent over these, detaching piece from piece and studying them. He was no stranger to the fact that certain grades of heavy paper, when burned in a quick blaze, retain a degree of cohesion and show printing or writing in ink with perfect clearness. Some of the crinkly mass had been torn and he could make nothing of the words he could pick out here and there.

In one corner of the grate, curled into a cylinder, but still nearly whole and with one side intact, he found a leaf that he could lift out with care. It was a receipt and the few phrases thereon were still distinguishable.

"Received from Wilson Smith," it ran, "the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) as payment in full for cotton delivered at watch to date. MARLIN WILLIAMS."

The date attached was that upon which Smith had disappeared. Ample provided with funds and well equipped for the work by his close connection with the police throughout the country, Howard tracked Boynton from State to State and from town to town for the best part of a month. He ran the fugitive down at last in Key West as he was about to leave for Cuba. The young man, thrown into a condition of hopeless despair by his capture, was brought back and placed in jail at the county seat to await trial.

Once more upon the ground of the crime, Howard's first step was to seek out Marlin Williams, a small grower of cotton, and question him as to the receipt. He was clear in the matter and said that on the day in question Smith had called upon him to make payment for cotton purchased for shipment. Smith was used to carry on such dealings with other planters in the neighborhood owing to the favorable position of his steamboat landing, and it was an ordinary transaction. Smith had not been accompanied by any one, he said.

In his search for persons who were in the vicinity of the rice field at the probable time of the murder Howard made extensive inquiries. Word of the shooting of Smith had travelled far up and down the river, and a week before the trial of Boynton the detective was able to add the final, crushing circumstance to the case of the prosecution.

Three raftsmen, returning northward, volunteered their testimony and told of having passed the place on the day of the killing. They described the field and the appearance of the canoeist from among the reeds. Upon being confronted with Boynton they positively identified him as the man in the canoe. The fact that he had called attention to his lack of a weapon in itself counted against the accused.

The only additional point brought out at the trial was furnished by the physician who examined the body. His testimony as to the direction taken by

the bullet, coupled with Howard's diagram of the scene of the murder and the position of the body when found, satisfied the jury completely. They returned a verdict of guilty after brief deliberation.

The scene at the execution was a trying one for the spectators. Boynton, who had maintained a sullen reserve throughout his trial, awoke to a sense of his position while being led to the scaffold. He broke wildly from the officers and incoherently pleaded his innocence. He was hanged at sunset.

Six months later a criminal, Gus Webber, was tried and convicted in Ohio for highway robbery with murder. In his death cell this man wrote a confession in which he declared he was the murderer of Wilson Smith. Making his way by easy stages up the Mississippi, he had stayed for some time in the neighborhood of the Smith plantation and had been led to believe the planter habitually carried a considerable sum.

The distance had stated at the trial that Boynton had lost the revolver with which the fatal shot had been fired. This was shown to be true by Webber's statement. He had found the revolver in prowling about the estate some days before the murder. He had tracked Smith from the home of Marlin Williams into the rice field and had killed him there, rifling the body and obtaining about a hundred dollars.

One sentence in Webber's confession explained Boynton's possession of the receipt. While following Smith he had seen the planter pause on a bluff and wave to some one on the river in every effort to get the body and obtaining about a hundred dollars.

The canoeist had come ashore and there was some conversation which he did not hear, after which Smith handed the other a package of papers. Supposedly the planter had intrusted his grandnephew with some small business affairs, and had given him, among other things, the Williams receipt.

As to Boynton's presence in the reeds at the edge of the rice fields about an hour later no specific explanation could be advanced. It was known, however, that he was fond of padding idly along the shores, pushing into bayous and unrequited places in his daily trips in his canoe. He must have been within a hundred feet of his granduncle when Webber fired the shot. Surrounded as he was by the tall grasses he could not have known the portent of the sound and might easily have mistook the boat from which it came, which would account for his dash out into the river.

His subsequent actions, his strange demeanor before the detective, his destruction of the incriminating receipt and his flight, to which such weight had been given in the series of events that went to make up the circumstantial case, were the result of his fear that he would be accused of the murder and the peculiarities of his nature. William Howard, the veteran detective, died soon after these facts were brought to light.

## Cites Remarkable Case

To the Editor:—"WOULD you convict on circumstantial evidence?"

One summer afternoon in about the year 1876 the whole countryside near Boardman, Ohio, was aroused by the discovery of an atrocious murder. Horsemen galloped through the village spreading the alarm that a girl had been strangled in the big woods to the eastward and that a stranger man had been seen in the vicinity. Only a few hours had elapsed when my grandfather observed a stranger drinking at the town pump in the centre of the village. The man answered the description given by the constables. My grandfather, who was a very large and powerful man, went over to him and, laying a hand on his shoulder, said:—"I shall have to detain you."

The stranger seemed somewhat surprised, but did not appear excited, and willingly accompanied my grandfather into the house. I have a very dim recollection of how he looked. He was a young man of good proportions and had red hair. While he had the appearance of a tramp, his manners showed good breeding, and there was some semblance of character in his face not in keeping with the brute that would commit the crime of which he was suspected.

However, the officers were notified as quickly as possible and he was taken away and lodged in the jail at Youngstown. The man steadfastly refused to tell his name or anything about himself. Believing that he came of some aristocratic family, every effort was made to discover his identity. His pictures were distributed broadcast and published in all the papers, and a wealthy woman of Canada journeyed to Youngstown, believing that the prisoner was her husband and who had been away from home. She showed him in his cell she was positive it was her boy and broke down completely.

At the trial his own defence was against him. He admitted he was a tramp. He said he had fallen in with another of his kind, some one who attended that trial believed that they travelled together for a while, but separated near Poland, Ohio, which is about two miles and a half from Boardman, he taking the highway and the other wayfarer choosing a back road. Afterward they met again, he said, and they were again together when they were arrested. There were a number of witnesses who had seen him as they drove along the road on that summer afternoon, and some who saw the girl as she entered that part of the road which intersected a wooded about half way between Poland and Boardman. Others who passed along later saw him at the other end of the stretch through the woods.

No one could be found who had seen any other trace in that immediate vicinity, and the connecting link in the chain of circumstantial evidence was blood stains found on the prisoner's clothing when he was taken. Although the jury convicted him on the evidence, and he was executed, I have heard it said that from his demeanor every one who attended that trial believed that he was innocent. My grandfather said if he had been on that jury they never would have convicted the man. My grandfather died in 1890, and it was not until about three years ago that the truth was made known. The morning of a man who had hanged himself to an apple tree in his own orchard. I don't remember the name now or the place, as I was very busy at the time I saw the story, and I did not stop to cut it out and the paper was mislaid. However, I recall that the man's own son cut him down, and in his pocket found the reason for his self-destruction.

In his confession he said that he chanced to meet a young man the day of the crime who had run away from his home and was tramping over the country like himself, and that they were together a few hours. After leaving his companion at Poland, he said, he had circled around and come out on the road near the big woods just as the girl was approaching. A sudden impulse seized him, he declared, and he dragged her into the woods, strangled her with a green veil she had worn, and left her dead. Soon after committing the crime his new found companion came along that way, and without arousing his suspicions he induced him to trade shirts by offering a quarter of a dollar to boot. This accomplished, he made tracks as fast as possible to parts unknown.

The thought of his crime, he declared, awakened in him the desire to lead a better life, and although he knew that the other man was being tried for the murder he had committed, he did not come forward, because he did not believe that an innocent man could be convicted. When he was, however, the confession continued, the real murderer lost his nerve entirely and could not bring himself to justice. He had prospered since, married and raised a family, and in time freed his mind of the horrors which he had long suffered. One day while rummaging about in a trunk, he told about finding part of the green veil with which he had strangled his victim and by strange fatality had kept and stowed away, also an old newspaper with an account of the murder and execution of his chance acquaintance for his crime.

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STAKE ENTRIES, 316.

A Record For Hamilton Jockey Club.

High Class Runners Are Entered.

Summer Meet Will be the Best Ever.

The summer meeting of the Hamilton Jockey Club, which opens on June 22 and runs till July 3, promises to be a record breaker. One thing is certain, the racing will be of a higher order than ever before, as horses of a better class—the very best class of United States thoroughbreds—will be here for the races. This is indicated clearly by the entries received for the various stakes, which closed a few days ago. Many of the present United States stakes will be represented, not only at Hamilton, but on the whole northern circuit, which will hang up more money in purses than ever before. In the Tuckett selling stakes a record is established—73 entries. This has always been a popular event, and serves to keep green the memory of one of the best supporters of the sport of kings in these parts—the late Mr. George E. Tuckett.

Following is a list of the stakes: Hamilton Derby, for 3-year-olds, 134 miles; Tuckett Stakes, for 3-year-olds, 1130 miles; National Handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/2 miles; Grant Spring Brewery Stakes, for 2-year-olds, 3/4 mile; Dominion Plate, for 3-year-olds foaled in Canada, 1 1/2 miles; Barton Steeplechase, for 4-year-olds and up, about 2 1/2 miles; Total 316, average 52.

The average entries are larger than those for the O. J. C. Stakes, which is the total entries for the fourteen stakes at the spring Woodbine meeting at the Woodbine is 599, an average of 42.

AT THE WOODBINE. Toronto, May 8.—The early birds at Woodbine yesterday found a wet, but not deep, track, and the dogs were set up so that work had to be done well out from the rail. The mist that rolled in from the lake faded away at the morning advance. Some very interesting work was shown by Plate horses, and Mr. Simon Dymont was on hand to see Fort Garry do his turn. This colt is the only dependence remaining for the orange and green jacket. Courtown II was yesterday declared out. Fort



Gossip and Comment

Mr. J. H. Madigan, Vice-President of the Niagara Racing Association, is at the Royal Hotel. He says the prospects for a record breaking meeting at Fort Erie are very bright and that the northern circuit will have a lot of the best horses in training in America on it this season. Secretary Loudon, of the H. J. C., showed him the figures in the stake events and Mr. Madigan said: "I am not surprised. Hamilton is popular with the horse owners and your meets are always successful."

Regarding the Marathon at New York and the Longboat-Shrub race at Montreal this afternoon, Tom Flanagan said: "It looks, on form, like St. Yves, as his recent work winning the Derby has been just what is needed to keep him stayed up. He is a young man, who has done everything asked of him since his appearance in America, and looks the best of a good lot. Svanberg is a man of more than ordinary ability and should fight it out with St. Yves and Marsh at the finish, but owing to the fact that his victory over Simpson was accomplished after the latter quit half way, we are not sure how he would act in a pinch."

With regard to the Longboat-Shrub duel, the best Alfie can look for is a victory by not more than three-quarters of a lap. It must be borne in mind that the M. A. A. track is three laps to the mile, and I do not think that in the early part Shrub can gain more than a lap and a quarter, and that, with Tom's ability to close in at the finish, should reduce that advantage by half a lap. Had it not been for Tom's son, he would have given a still better account of himself, and with the contented frame of mind the boy is now in since he is in his own house it is my belief that in a couple of weeks he will be as good as ever. I am sorry that poor Longboat has so many knockers."

Sol Mintz is in Montreal to-day, to see that Tom Longboat does his best in the race with Shrub.

A wireless message from Brantford this morning says that Simpson, Burke and Shea changed their minds and did not leave for Brantford, but will play in the Brantford-Hamilton League.

This is the young baseball fame's busy day. The opening of the Junior League is almost as good as the visit of a circus to them.

Mother—What? Fighting again! Such a black eye. If you'd only follow the lead of the minister's little boy— Tommy—Aw! I did try ter follow his lead, but he led again wid his left, an' dat's where he hit me.

It will cost Regina \$5,000 to make the Westminster trip, says the Toronto Telegram, but if the advertising only brings a real estate boom, what about a little thing like that? A few stones picked off the corner of one of the main streets will pay the entire bill.

Billy Carroll says Svanberg, being a Swede, may "turn up" the winner in to-day's race.

ENTRIES FOR THE KERR MEET.

Over thirty entries were received on the first mail this morning for the Bobby Kerr games on May 15th. The entries close this evening and judging from the manner in which they are coming in, the list will total 125 athletes. The Central Y. M. C. A. sent up an dozen, as follows: George Barber, 100, 220 and high jump; A. M. Knox, 880 and mile; E. P. MacDonald, 2 mile walk; George Goulding, 2 mile walk; H. Weiler, 2 mile walk; B. S. McGraith, high jump; G. C. Near, five miles; Frank Schofield, five miles; Weston, broad jump; J. G. Brydon, 880 yards; Alex. Cameron, jumps and pole vault; Alex. Trisdier, boys' mile; C. Simpson, boys' 100 yards.

Tom Flanagan also forwarded his entries this morning, as follows: Chuck Skene, 2 mile walk, 1 mile run and 880 yards; Harry Lawson, 5 miles; Black, 5 miles; E. Woods, 5 miles; Lou Kyle, 100 yards open; Jim Corneek, 5 miles; E. Carroll, boys' events; Chummy Wells, 100 yards open.

Several bicycle entries were received this morning, the first to hand. They were all from Toronto. The local riders have been handicapped by the weather and have been unable to get in much training, but will be on hand, making out their entries last evening.

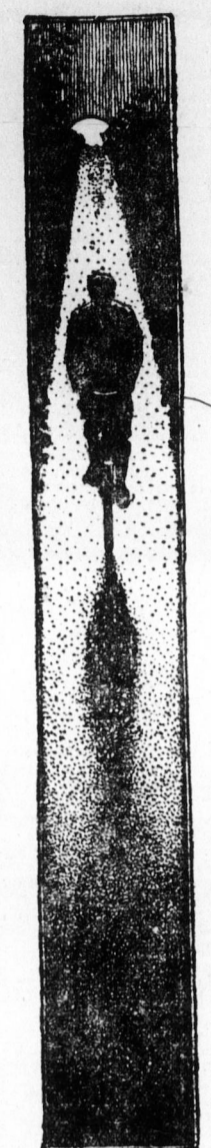
HENDRIE HAY JUN. CHAMPION.

Toronto, May 8.—The annual steeplechases at Upper Canada College were run yesterday. The Hendrie Cup for the seniors was won by MacLean, who also got a silver medal. The bronze medal for second place was taken by Muntz. The next in order were Henderson, Palmer, Kingsford, Blackstock and Millman, the two first named getting prizes.

The winner of the junior championship was Hendrie Hay, who gets a bronze medal. Burkart (II) was second and Kittermaster third. Following in order came Degruy, Lennox, Smythe and Toy.

Fast Cabling Promised. London, May 7.—Speaking at the Imperial Colonial Club to-day Mr. Henniker Heaton hopes that within a few months it will be possible to cable to every part of the Empire at a cost of two cents a word. He had the particulars of an invention whereby 6,000 an hour could be transmitted.

Get Right With Nature



With Spring just about to bud; with miles of good city pavement and country roads that show recent attention, how can you refuse the call to "get right with nature"?—To ride a bicycle.

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MILES TOWNSEND ON ENGLISH CREASE.

The spring number of the Highfield Oracle, the well written and timely magazine of Highfield School, contains an excellent letter from Mr. Miles Townsend, who was a member of the faculty of the school for a year and who, while here proved himself one of the best of cricketers and a fine coach. Writing from the Royal Grammar School, Colchester, Essex, England, to the Highfield first eleven, Mr. Townsend says: "Dear Old First Eleven,—I have just heard of your splendid idea of a monthly magazine, and I wish it the very greatest success."

I had, last summer, the most successful batting season. Of course I played nearly every day for four weeks, but there are three matches which stand out among the rest for real sport. I was able to take part in the Master's match here against the town. I am going to tell you about this one, because there is a great deal to learn from it besides the fun. Two of the masters could not get off so we had to play two of the First Eleven boys. One of these boys was Webb, Ma., and he was the hero of the match. The town won the toss, and the captain came in first. While he was taking guard, he turned to our headmaster (Mr. Jeffrey), and asked if a quarter-to-seven would do for drawing stumps. The head replied in a joking way, "Oh, we will play till quarter-to-eight if you like"—of course not meaning it. The town put up a total of 208, and were all out at 4.45. Mr. Jeffrey had been kind enough to ask me to be captain, which was rather awkward for me, as I did not know how good the

masters were. I put myself in sixth, and a half making one, not out. I was in for two hours and a quarter. Of course if I had known that we were going to play until so late, I should most likely have gone for the runs; as it was not knowing this, the game was to just poke. We finished with 121 for seven wickets—not very fast scoring, was it?

I know that the Head made special mention of this boy's innings on Speech Day in the large Town Hall, crammed with people. I wish you could have been there to hear the cheering; it would have done your hearts good. Mr. Townsend then devotes a little space to each of the individuals of the first eleven, in a fatherly way pointing out their strong points and their weak ones as well, and giving them sound advice. He winds up with: "Well you chaps, I must close. I wish you all the very best luck, not only in cricket, but in everything else you undertake. Help the smaller boys in their games. There is an awful lot of good you big chaps can do in your school. You may not know it, but there are many kids simply longing to be coached in their games and I tell you, you will leave school much happier if you have helped others besides yourselves."

May I suggest that you turn up to nets and matches in whites. It may sound rather soft, but an eleven should be proud of how they look, and a team in whites and caps cannot be beaten as regards smartness. I know you won't let dear old cricket go down. Keep it going—it is a fine clean game. All games are splendid, but cricket is the best of them. So keep it going. It may have been that I came on a talented lot, but I certainly was greatly surprised at the quick way you all took to the game. Who knows but some of you may be the cause of regular test matches between you and us. I sincerely hope so, for that would be great. Once again—Good luck to you all.

Editorially the Oracle refers to Mr. Townsend as, next to Dr. Grace, probably the best cricketer who ever visited Canada. While there can be no doubt of his splendid ability as an all round cricketer, the statement is probably a little extravagant when one remembers that Duff and his celebrated English players; Dr. Grace's famous team, and other strong English and Irish elevens have been here, to say nothing of such men as Ottaway, Ward, Simons and others who were members of the H. C. C. in the olden days. Princeton, N. J., May 7.—Donald McKag, 1910, of Pittsburg, won the annual punting contest held by the Princeton Football Association, which ended to-day, after a week's competition. His kicks averaged over sixty yards.

FIXTURES OF HAMILTON C. C.

Practice on Monday and First Game Next Saturday.

- Owing to the backwardness of the season a week in May is over without an opportunity for practice on the crease, but the Hamilton Cricket grounds will be open on Monday. The club has arranged a good list of fixtures for the season, as follows: May 15 vs. Highfield at Hamilton, half day. May 22 vs. S. O. E. at Hamilton, half day. May 24 vs. Toronto at Hamilton, whole day. May 29 vs. Ridley College at St. Catharines, half day. June 5 vs. Niagara Falls at Hamilton, half day. June 12 vs. Toronto at Toronto, whole day. June 18 or 24 vs. Haverford Col., at Hamilton, whole day. June 18 or 24 vs. Haverford Col., at Hamilton, whole day. June 19 vs. Deer Park at Hamilton, half day. June 26 vs. Mimico at Mimico, whole day. July 1 vs. Toronto at Hamilton, whole day. July 3 vs. Rosedale at Rosedale, half day. July 10 vs. T. A. A. C., at Toronto, half day. July 17 vs. Brantford at Brantford, half day. July 24 vs. Niagara Falls at Niagara Falls, half day. July 31 vs. W. O. C. L., at Hamilton, half day. Aug 2 vs. Toronto at Toronto, whole day. Aug 7 vs. T. A. A. C. at Hamilton, whole day. Aug 9 vs. Toronto at Hamilton, whole day. Aug 14 vs. Rosedale at Hamilton, half day. Aug 21 vs. Mimico at Mimico, whole day. Aug 28 vs. Galt at Galt, whole day. Sept. 4 vs. S. O. E. at Hamilton, whole day. Sept. 6 vs. Toronto at Toronto, whole day. Sept. 11 vs. S. O. E. at Hamilton, half day.

Pugilist in Trouble

Houston, Texas, May 7.—Jim Hall is in the county jail here, charged with an attempt to kill his friend, Jack Clarkins, on Monday night. Hall claims in the dispute he struck Clarkins with a shovel when he thought Clarkins intended to stab him. Frank Kronwinkler, a pugilist, identified Hall as the once famous pugilist, who fought Bob Fitzsimmons. Hall admitted his identity and gave facts about his fight with Fitz. Sporting men are working for Hall's release.

FRENCH RAILWAY STRIKE.

National Railway Workers' Union Decide to Take a Referendum. Paris, May 7.—The Prefecture of the Seine to-day transmitted to the procurer of the Republic the by-laws deposited with it yesterday by the formers of a trades union among the postal, telegraph and telephone employees of the Government. The Senate understands that the procurer intends to demand from the tribunal of the Seine a decision dissolving the union as having been illegally constituted.

Should the courts decide that the law of 1888 does not permit such a union its members, should they continue to meet, will be liable to imprisonment and fine.

The National Railway Workers' Union, in congress to-day, voted to take a referendum on a general railway strike. A strike committee was nominated.

JUDGES FOR ONTARIO.

Mr. Aylesworth Gives Notice of Resolution to Add to Bench. Ottawa, May 7.—Hon. Mr. Aylesworth has given notice of a resolution providing for the payment of one additional County Court Judge in Ontario. Each is to receive \$2,500 a year during their first three years of service and \$3,000 a year after the expiration of that period.

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WHY NOT OWN AN AUTOMOBILE? If automobiles are needed anywhere at all they are in the country. One of the speakers of the Women's Institute, at Guelph, recently predicted that the time was near at hand when farmer's wives would run their own automobiles. Nor is the prediction a visionary one. Like the telephone and the trolley, the automobile seems destined to add to the comfort of country life, and the cost will not interfere with your buying. We can sell

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HOW TEAMS IN THE BIG LEAGUES STAND.

Table with columns for Eastern League, American League, and National League, listing clubs, wins, losses, and percentages.



# The Quiet Hour

FOR THOUGHTFUL PEOPLE

FAR OFF.

The murmur of the quiet wave-washed beach.

Brings in its monotone of silver speech, Monitions throbbing from a far off land, And tokens touch the ever shifting sand.

Tokens from afar, from lands we do not know, Bidding us trip the anchor, turn the prow, And hoist the mainsail to the freshening breeze.

Ho! for the land behind the far off seas.

Strong is the fervor of a far off joy, Where tossing surf-boats sing out, "Ship Ahoy!"

Something we learn, something yet to hear, 'Tis new, 'tis old, 'tis round of human care.

THE SPIRIT REALM.

Is not the spirit realm real, ancient, honorable? Is not the spirit realm in dust, creative, progressive? Is there discovery, enlargement, embodiment? Do minds project, and wonder and worship? Have they complacency with dignity, compassion with restoration? Does the spirit realm suggest a system? "Nature is a system; the order observable in this system is absolutely universal, eternally enduring, and infinitely exact." The spirit of man, seated at the door of carnal life, stepped into the place of command, to swim a seraph or sink a fiend, but not to die. We repeat, is not the spirit realm real? Is not the grass green in front of the palace of the great King? Is the reign of law found in the heavens, in the animal economy, in the tides, in the tendrils of the vine, and not in the spirit world? Why, here God is at home; once they say He lived alone, then He began to gather, then to build, to create, then the Carpenter, God, because He first makes a plan, then works. He is the Spirit—embodied in Christ. He claims the right to rule the spirit of man, because man is His offspring.

PRAYER.

Ever blessed God, our heavenly Father, Thou hast ordained that by the ministry of men the knowledge of Thyself and of Thy salvation in Christ Jesus should be carried through the whole earth. We humbly pray to Thee on behalf of all the ministers of the gospel. May they be filled with the Holy Spirit; may they know Jesus Christ well; may their faith in Him be clear and strong, and their love as a flame of fire. Deliver them from self-seeking and fear, and with affection, fidelity and a good understanding, enable them to proclaim the gospel of the grace of God. And may the word spoken be abundantly blessed, and may many be brought to the Saviour. For His name's sake. Amen.

SOMETHING BETTER THAN GOOD MOTIVES.

It is possible to make such a god of our motives that our duty to God gets shoved into the background. There are people who pride themselves more on their motives than on their duty doing. With them, duty does not often get done. Such persons, for example, say with evident pride that they won't go to church unless they feel a desire to help the ship, or to get some special help; that to go merely from habit is too perfidious for them, and would destroy the real purpose of the church service. So they stay away. If they feel like giving to a good cause, and can give from a conscious motive, or desire, to help that cause, they will give; but under no other circumstances. At other times, when their motive happens to be exactly in the line of their duty, they will actually refrain from doing it lest people should think their motive was an unworthy one. They will not put a large bill on the contribution plate for fear they would be suspected of doing it for "show." This motive, or seeming motive, comes to be only a perfunctory form of self-examination or actual self-pleasing, and blocks progress at every turn. It is dangerous to waste much time or thought over our motives. We need never be afraid of doing our duty; whether from enthusiastic determination to do it anyway, instinct and high minded motive, or from makes little difference.—S. S. Times.

THE SANGUINARY ISLANDS.

(By a Banker.)

The birthplace of the "Source of Europe," of the man responsible for a greater immolation of the human race, more widespread havoc and devastation, and more pitiable and appalling misery than perhaps almost any man who ever lived, Corsica, that lovely gem of the ocean, is indeed a nature-favored spot upon which her bounty has been bestowed with lavish hand.

THE ILLS OF CHILDHOOD HOW TO CURE THEM

In thousands of homes throughout Canada Baby's Own Tablets is the only medicine used when the children are ailing, and the mother who keeps this medicine on hand may feel as safe as though there was a doctor constantly in the home. Baby's Own Tablets cure all stomach and bowel troubles, break up colds, destroy worms, and make coughing easy. Guaranteed free from opiates and poisonous drugs. Mrs. George Wilson, Wilson's, N. B., says: "I began using Baby's Own Tablets about five years ago, and since then have used no other medicine for my children. They never fail to bring relief, and I would advise all mothers to try them." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

THE EVERY-DAY GIRL.

She is not beautiful, as far as features go, but she is beautiful with the expression that sweetness and nobility of tone lend to her steadfast eyes and tender face.

She is not marvellously clever, but she knows just how to hold the love of the husband and children, around which all her ambitions centre.

Her face may be lined by many anxious vigils over restless little fever-racked bodies, her hands roughened by toil for those she loves, but her blessed mother heart is as fresh and pure and eager as that of a child.

Or perhaps she is not a mother, nor a wife, but just a loving woman with a heart big enough to hold the joys and sorrows of others and to sympathize with them.

But, whatever her station in life, thank God, she is not scarce; there are millions of her type.

The every-day woman is the home-

maker, and she is not restlessly seeking a career and stretching out groping, unsatisfied hands for the unknown. What she wants is love and home, and fortunately for her she usually gets it.

The every-day woman is the backbone of the world.

If she is a mother, she rears her children wisely and tenderly, teaching her sons to be honorable, manly men, and her daughters to be good women.

If she is not a mother she is interesting herself in the cause of her sex and taking an intelligent stand on the issues of the day. She may like pretty clothes, but she is not frivolous, and she is not so complex but that her friends may understand her; and she is not brilliant but loving.

I do not know that the every-day woman ever inspires a great passion, but she does inspire a very true and lasting affection.

Men of genius usually fall in love with women of the average type. It may be a question of the law of opposites—restfulness and peace appeal strongly to the nervous, excitable mind of genius.

The average woman has her hours of depression, when she feels that she is commonplace and envies her more brilliant and beautiful sisters.

But she need not feel that way, for the world could not get on without her. Her sweetness and common sense are indispensable to mankind in the making.

The every-day girl is wise when she tries to beautify herself, for every woman has the right to make the most of herself, but she should never try to be witty; wit must be spontaneous.

She is good and she is sweet and she is intelligent, and men revere and love her. The every-day woman is not to be pitied, but congratulated.

## The Sunday School Lesson

LESSON VI.—MAY 9, 1909.

Paul at Antioch in Pisidia.—Acts 13: 13-52; Acts 13: 13-16, 38-46.

Commentary.—I. Missionary journeyings (vs. 13-15). 13. They came to Perga.—When the apostles left Paphos they sailed north to Perga, the capital of Pamphylia, which was one of the southern provinces of Asia Minor. John returned.—No reason is given, but several have been suggested, as that he dreaded the perils; that he was dissatisfied with Paul's leadership; that it was the sickly season and he feared the malaria; that he was homesick; that his mother in Jerusalem needed his attention. Whatever may have been his reason, Paul did not consider his course justifiable (see chap. 15: 37, 38). 14. Came to Antioch.—Evidently the missionaries did not remain long at Perga, but soon continued their journey north to Antioch in Pisidia. They now entered into the unevangelized regions, encountering many dangers and enduring many privations. "To this journey, without doubt, belong many of the perils which Paul afterwards mentioned (2 Cor. 11: 23-27). The distance from Perga to Antioch was eighty to one hundred miles by road; the roads were very bad and the country swarmed with desperate characters. Antioch was an important city, inhabited by many Greeks, Romans and Jews, in addition to its native population. Here was a synagogue of the Jews, and when the evangelists reached the city their first work was to attend the services on the Sabbath day. Synagogue—Jewish place of worship.

## FINDS HIS WORK A PLEASURE NOW

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured the Postmaster's Kidney Disease.

Alberta Man Tells How His Troubles Vanished When He Used the Old Reliable Kidney Remedy.

"Soma, Alta., May 7.—(Special).—I can not do all my work without pain and with pleasure. Those are the words of Postmaster Andrew B. Nelson, of this place. As all the postmaster's friends know, he has been troubled with kidney disease for several years past, and has been doing everything in his power to find a cure for it. He has found the cure. It is Dodd's Kidney Pills. "Yes, I tried all kinds of medicines for my kidney trouble," the Postmaster joyfully states. "None of them seemed to do me any good till I commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Two boxes of them cured me completely. I highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from kidney disease. I would not be without them."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all diseases of the kidneys, from Backache to Bright's Disease. They also cure all diseases caused by disordered kidneys: failing to strain the impurities out of the blood, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Rheumatism and Heart Disease. If you haven't tried them yourself ask your neighbors about them.

## TIMES PATTERNS.

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Justified from all things—Paul declares, I that the forgiveness (Christ procures a complete and extends to all sin). 2. That the law was not sufficient to free them from sin. 40. Beware—Having shown them the way of salvation, Paul warns them of the danger of rejecting it. In the prophets—Verse 41 is a quotation from Hab. 1: 5. The meaning here is, that if they rejected the benefits now brought to them through Christ, they would have reason to expect such judgments to come upon them as came upon their forefathers (Heb. 1: 10). 42. The rebellion of their city was taken and they were carried away captive. 41. In no wise believe—The evil-doer will not heed even the most solemn warnings.

## GIRLS' EMPIRE DRESS.



No. 3330.—This dainty and becoming model is especially adapted for the soft clinging materials now in vogue, and the style is girlish and pretty. Blue cashmere was used for its development with cream peau de soie for the underwaist. The waist is cut wit had added tucked sleeve, and is gathered to the skirt under a ribbon sash or girlish sash. The pattern is cut in 5 sizes, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16. It requires 1 yard of 27-inch material for the underwaist and 5 1/2 yards for the dress for the 8-year size.

Pattern illustrated will be mailed to any address upon receipt of 10c in stamps or silver.

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## Why I Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

The Particulars of a Remarkable Cure Told by a Presbyterian Clergyman—The Sufferer Brought Back from Death's Door.

St. Andrew's Mans., Cardigan, P. E. I., Jan. 1908.

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During a visit to my home in Merigo-mish, N. S., some years ago, I was grievously to find our next door neighbor and friend, Michael Olding, very low. He is not expected to live, my mother informed me, "And you must go over and see him as he is liable to pass away at any moment." "Not expected to live," that was the opinion not only of the doctor who attended him, but of his wife and family as well. Upon visiting my mother I found abundant evidence to confirm their opinion.

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III. It causes division. The Jews contended and blasphemed. The Gentiles were glad, and glorified the word of the Lord. The Jews "were filled with envy." "The disciples were filled with joy." The Greeks believed, but the unbelieving Jews stirred up the Gentiles. The waves that do not beat down the shore harden the sands. The same sun melts wax and hardens clay, makes the living plant grow and bloom, but causes the one that is devoted to decay. The preaching of the gospel is a blessing to the one who receives it, and a curse to the one who rejects it. The sermon which does not soften the heart, hardens it. The world is divided; part holds the devil, and part holds with Jesus.

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# In the World of Amusement

## General Gossip

By her recent attack on men as teachers of voice culture, Mme. Melba has brought upon her head a deluge of criticism. The famous prima donna declared it her opinion that many promising female voices were ruined by male teachers. In reply the accused ones are raising loud voices of protest.

Allen Gill, the conductor of the Alexandra Palace Choral and Orchestral Society, of England, was seen immediately after the meeting of the executives of the Musical League for the settlement of the programme for the Liverpool festival. "My experience has been," he said, "that male teachers of singing are most careful with regard to young voices. The results achieved depend entirely upon the excellence of the teacher and the obedience of the pupil. To say that male instructors have a special tendency towards the destruction of female voices is too absurd a statement to sing at almost every hour of the day, and have almost as many female pupils as males; but the first complaint in the direction indicated by Mme. Melba has yet to reach me."

"It is, of course, with much diffidence," said Dr. W. G. McNaught, who was interviewed on the subject, "that I place my opinion in opposition to that of Mme. Melba upon this subject, but the experience of many years compels me to do so. If she had warned her friends against incompetent teachers of singing, without regard to sex, I should be in hearty agreement with her, for it is quite certain that no profession is more overrun by incompetent pretenders than ours. The historical facts, however, are dead against Mme. Melba's warning when directed against male teachers as such. Most of the greatest singers the world has seen have been trained by men, and the women themselves show a marked preference for the instruction of the opposite sex so far as singing is concerned. Proof of this latter assertion is to be found at the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, where there are few women teachers, because so many of the women pupils prefer to be taught by men."

A recent report as to the sums spent in amusements in Paris during the past year said that receipts at the theatres, music halls, concerts and public entertainments, including boxing, aggregated \$9,171,400.

This sum is \$20,000 in excess of that of the preceding year. But it includes some \$200,000 of receipts at museums and exhibitions which did not figure in the previous year's showing.

Analysis shows that the Opera received \$626,000, a decrease as compared with the previous year of \$17,400. The Opera Comique, the Comedie Francaise, the Chatelet, the Gaite, and Gymnase and the Odeon also showed similar decreases, while Sarah Bernhardt's theatre had receipts of \$224,200, a decrease of \$1,400, and the Theatre Rejane with receipts of \$181,000 showed a decrease of \$29,400.

The other prominent theatres enjoyed increased receipts. The Varieties, which shows the greatest increase, had the very successful comedy, "Le Roi," Antoine's Theatre owes its increase to "Sherlock Holmes," and the Athenee to a like work, "Arsene Lupin."

Music halls took in \$1,154,600. The Edges Berger leads the list with receipts of \$224,200, a decrease of \$1,400, and the Theatre Rejane with receipts of \$181,000 showed a decrease of \$29,400.

Henry Miller is passing the recess term at his farm in the east. In September he will take "The Great Divide" to London, where Miss Edith Wynne Matillson will play opposite to him in the role of Ruth Jordan. Mr. Miller's other plans for next season include the presentation of "The Servant in the House" in London, and the introduction of "The Family" and the new Moody play, "The Faith Healer," to New York audiences.

In a recent London interview Maxine Elliott professed much surprise and disappointment at the failure of "The Conquest" to find favor with the London public, and the consequent necessity for substituting "The Chaperone." She said: "My chief disappointment rests in the fact that I had hoped to produce the play in America. There were several who found out what chances to make, if any, before presenting it in New York. I have an option on the American rights for two years, and that alone accounts for my appearing in it in London. I came over two weeks earlier than usual for my yearly rest solely for this purpose. I shall stay with my sister in the country until the middle of September." Miss Elliott said that she would continue in "The Chaperone" next season, but just before she left New York she had obtained a new contract raised by an American, Elizabeth Goodnow, of which she has a very high opinion. The theme is Japanese, and the interest grave and heart-touching. The title is "Sayanara," which in English would be rendered as "Good-bye."

Bishop Greer, at a dinner to the National Conference of Church Clubs at the Hotel Astor, spoke, in part, as follows: "I have in mind the evil, great and growing, working its way into the drama and the theatre. I am not an enemy of the drama or the theatre, but I do condemn the immodest, the salacious and the indecent of the drama and the innuendoes on the stage. It is time for the church and the churchmen to speak out in opposition, to protest and to make the protest loud and strong. This is one of the things that the church clubs can do, to cut out this cancer for the sake of the drama, and for the sake of society, the rising generation, the growing youth of both sexes."

Coming to America next winter for a tour of one hundred concerts will be Fritz Kreisler, recognized as master-violinist among the greatest. Fritz Kreisler's reputation has been made on purest merits, as interpreter of the loftiest ideals of the great composers, without resorting to the trickery so common among the so-called virtuosi of this generation. James Huneker, in the number of "Everybody's Magazine," in an article on "Heroes and Heroines of the Violin," refers to Kreisler as a "master among masters."



MISS ALICE YORKE, Who will be seen here the week after next in "A Broken Idol."

## A Yale Professor on "Tendencies of Drama."

Professor William L. Phelps, of Yale University, lectured recently at the Art Museum, Springfield, Mass., on "Tendencies of the Drama," and matters running in the mind of so distinguished an educator on this subject, as recorded by the Springfield Republican, are worthy of attention.

Professor Phelps, on the whole, is an optimistic as to the theatre. He says he sees much to commend on the stage today as well as ground for hope that great things are in store for its future followers. The last twenty-five years, to his mind, has seen the production of more and better dramas than any other twenty-five years since the last of the Elizabethan drama in 1642. He regards several of the recent plays that have won attention as beautiful and bearing the marks of great drama without being, perhaps, quite literature. He notes how immeasurably behind France and Germany this country is in the opportunities afforded to see good drama, and indicates how close to the national education and theatre in those countries is. He says that the so-called musical comedy is an exorcism which reached its climax about 1903, and is falling off. He even thinks that there is a chance to revive the comic operas of Gilbert and Sullivan.

Vaudeville causes Professor Phelps little uneasiness, and its popularity, he thinks may have an important effect on the regular drama. It tends to force the drama to make a more characteristic and definite appeal than that made

by the variety show, which aims simply to entertain without making any mental effort necessary. This tends to draw more sharply the line between the two. The drama has suffered because people have been inclined to think that, like vaudeville, it was intended only to amuse. The turning of many novelists and men who have achieved distinction in other arts of the drama Professor Phelps regards as significant. The publishing of plays which the copyright law has made so general is another development that he thinks augurs well for the drama.

The influence of Ibsen, he believes, is the greatest of all modern influences. Professor Phelps says that there is often too much scenery in the modern drama. Adequate scenery is desirable but too much does not stimulate the imagination. On the contrary, it debases it. The Puritan could worship in a barn, not because they were without imagination, but because they had an imagination that showed them the glory of the saints, though they did worship in a barn. Too much scenery leaves too little for the imagination to do. There is mischief for the good of the drama in the writing of a play for one actor, Prof. Phelps contends, and he deplors a controlling commercialism in the drama, for art of all things must go free. He said that the rise in prices tends to hurt the drama; for some reason God has not given the majority of intellectual people a large amount of money. The dramatization of the novel Professor Phelps regards as debasing and with no better reason behind it than the making of actors out of prize-fighters. He believes it the duty of every one to find out something about dramatic art, to be thus made better able to appreciate it.

## At the Grand

That "An Englishman's Home," which Charles Frohman will present at the Grand here on May 19 and 20, is the work of "An English Patriot," the pen name under which the author, Major Guy Du Maurier, of the British army, chose at first to hide his identity, is strongly evidenced by the promise which he exacted from Mr. Frohman before selling him the rights to this unusual drama. Major Du Maurier wrote his drama for the sole purpose of showing the English nation as a whole the need of a more keen interest in the subject of national defence. To that end he exacted a promise from Mr. Frohman that that manager would give Canadian an opportunity to see this play immediately after it had been acted in New York. In pursuance of that promise Mr. Frohman was obliged to curtail the run of the play at the Criterion Theatre, in New York, in order to make his Canadian tour before it was too late in the season. For this reason the play has been brought to the most important Canadian cities before going to Chicago for a run.

A shrewd American fakir who lives by his wits, a gay old boy, and a professor of entomology who falls off the water wagon for the first time in his life, meet in Chinatown in Los Angeles and start the fun in "A Broken Idol," the laughing song play, which comes to the Grand shortly. It is during the Oriental New Year's celebration, and the three, getting into a row in a Chinese restaurant, break an idol, furnishing the title for the play, and evolving numerous comedy situations which keep the audience in a constant state of uproarious merriment from the opening of the first act until the final curtain. The trio, believing the idol to be a slant-eyed Oriental, are in constant fear of arrest until almost the end of the play, when it is discovered that instead of killing a Chinese, they have only shattered one of his numerous household gods. The dialogue is bright, snappy and full of clean wit. The music is unusually tuneful and bright.

"The Red Mill," the musical novelty seen here last season, returns to the Grand shortly. The story tells of Gretchen, the burgomaster's daughter, who is betrothed to the Governor of Zealand, an old rip and roue, and to escape this marriage she plans an elopement with Doris Van Dama, young sea captain. The Americans promise to aid the elopers in return for a passage to America. However, the plans are discovered by the burgomaster, and the prospective bride is locked in the red mill until the arrival of the Governor. Connor and Kidder rescue Gretchen by bringing her down on the sails of the windmill. The Governor has arrived, and his bride is missing. The father offers a large reward for the return of the girl, and on the advice of the sheriff sends to The Hague for Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson. Connor and Kidder intercept the wire and present themselves as the detective and his friend, and in a clever burlesque scene they take off the Gillette play. At the opportune moment Gretchen is returned as the bride of Doris, and the reward enables the Americans to return home.

The attraction at the Grand next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings will be "Brewster's Millions." The play comes here with the original cast, including Edward Abeles, who was seen here before this season. The plot is a decidedly novel one, and the play should prove an interesting comedy. The story of Montgomery Brewster, a young New Yorker, who is left \$10,000,000 by his grandfather. Just as he is starting to enjoy his fortune, he learns that an uncle has died in California, leaving him many millions of dollars, but under decidedly startling conditions. It appears that this uncle has cordially hated the boy's grandfather, and in order to show this leaves his money to his nephew under the proviso that he shall squander every cent left him by his grandfather within a year. He cannot gamble the million away, he cannot give it away, he must not do anything with it except spend it purely for pleasure, and if at the end of the year he has one cent left or any personal or property or real estate, he forfeits all right to his uncle's fortune, and, of course, has already lost the fortune he squandered. The troubles of the youth to "blow" \$10,000,000 in a year are humorous, and, at times, rather pathetic.

One of the best melodramas at popular prices is "Shadows of a Great City," which comes to the Grand next Friday



SCENE FROM "AN ENGLISHMAN'S HOME," Which will be seen at the Grand on May 19 and 20.

and Saturday. There are few plays which have been before the public for many years and have brought great profits to their owners; "Shadows of a Great City" is one of them. Like "Rip Van Winkle" and "The Old Homestead" it goes on without interruption, the reason for which is easily explained. It is a well written play, its story, while strong, is clean and wholesome; it contains a splendid heart interest, an abundance of comedy, and with it all it has the advantage of being well staged. "Shadows of a Great City" has always played to crowded houses in Hamilton, and it should be greeted by large audiences this time.

At the Grand last night the Fenberg Stock Company presented a weird and blood curdling drama, "The Hawk and the Dove," before a fair-sized audience. The company is presenting the beautiful southern play, "At Pine Ridge," this afternoon, and to-night the bill will be "The Pinkerton Detective," a story of New York life.

## Mikado

Nothing could have been more satisfactory than the performance of "The Mikado" last evening, when for the second time, the splendidly balanced chorus and capable principals presented this popular opera under the able direction of Dr. Harris. There was an unusually large house and the audience showed full appreciation of the work given by numerous encores.

Miss Sintzel again charmed the audience with her perfect representation of Katisha, the disappointed daughter-in-law elect of the Mikado, her voice is well suited to the part, and her manner charming. Particularly in duet and quartette work did Miss Millar sing to advantage and her solo, "The Moon and I," delighted all listeners. The work of all the male principals was excellent. Mr. Burkholder's humor and Mr. Garthwaite's immovable dignity causing much amusement. The male chorus cannot be too highly praised. All the members entering heartily into the work.

Among those occupying boxes were Col. and Mrs. J. E. Moodie, Capt. Roy Moodie and Miss Irene Moodie, Major and Mrs. Thomas Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Bostwick, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. Jackson, Miss May Jackson, Mr. Frank Walker, Mrs. Van Allan, Miss Alma Van Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mc-

## Salaries Paid to Some Great Artists.

At the head of all singers—in point of fees—stands the marvelous Patti, with her douceur of \$5,500 an evening, which works out at about \$200 a minute. There is, of course, a great difference between such a phenomenal fee as this and the high fees of other performers. Caruso comes next with \$2,500 each time he sings. Melba's fee is commonly \$1,750 an evening, which is closely approached by the new star, Tetrazzini.

Amongst musicians Paderewski easily takes the lead. Compare his fee of \$2,500 to the modest \$25 which easily tempted Mozart. Kubelik receives \$900 for playing a couple of pieces on his violin. But it is in the domain of vaudeville—the music hall—that prices and prizes have advanced so enormously. Grimaldi was the most successful droll of his day—a century ago—and he would have been quite content to have received a tithe of that paid to the successful London comedian of 1909.

It seems almost incredible that any manager could venture to pay any single performer \$4,000 a week and not go into bankruptcy. Yet such is the princely salary received by Mr. Harry Lauder. It is more than twice what the late Dan Leno ever earned and his salary was accounted prodigious. Miss Marie Lloyd delights her audiences to the tune of \$1,200 a week; while Miss Loftus has for a period commanded even more. Of the popularity of "Little Tich"—a London favorite—his salary of \$2,500 a week is eloquent; while Miss Maud Allan's success as a dancer probably made her the best paid exponent of the Terpsichorean art since the world (at least the world of the theatre) began.

An efficient actor received in 1635 as large a regular salary as \$900, of which sum \$720 is the modern equivalent. The lowest known salary set an actor's wages at 75 cents a day, or in modern money about \$1,800 a year. Shakespeare's emoluments as an actor before 1599 are not likely to have fallen below \$4,000 in our money; while the remun-

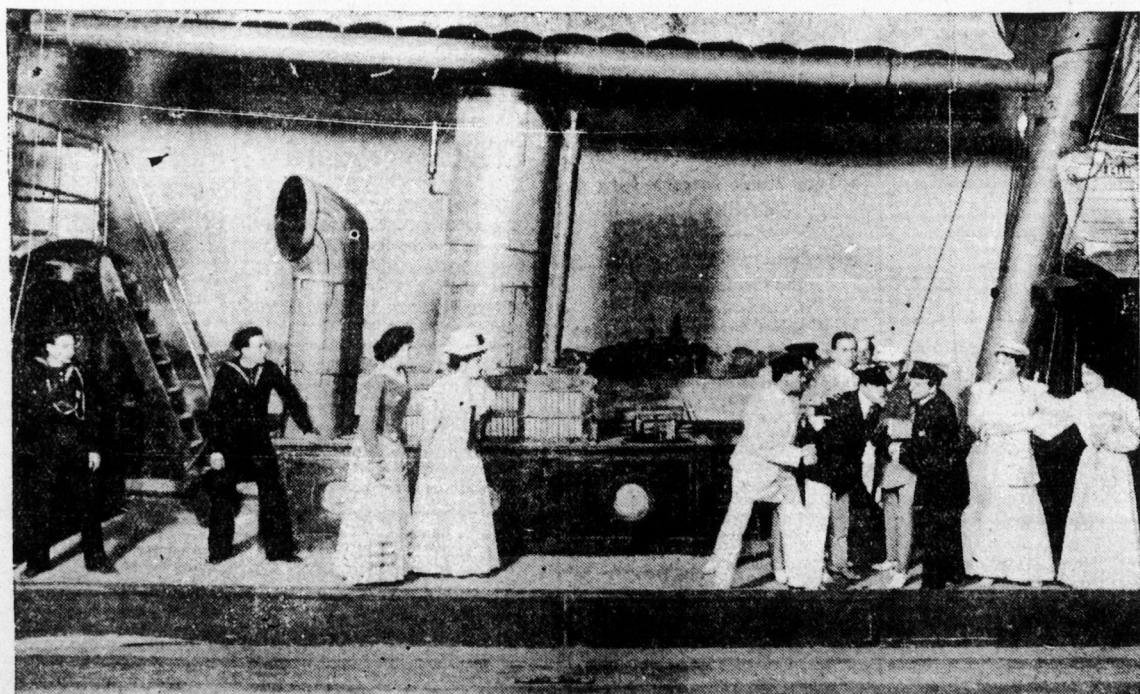
eration due to performances at court or in noblemen's houses, if the accounts of 1594 be accepted as the basis of reckoning, added some \$900.

Actresses did not appear until about 1602, female parts being previously taken by boys. Amongst the very earliest were Mistress Nell Gwynn, of the King's playhouse, and Mistress Knip. Both from having been "orange girls," earning a precarious existence about the theatre, were raised to the affluence of \$5 a performance—about \$20 in present value.

By the time we reach David Garrick the emoluments received by the successful actor had steadily increased. Garrick himself could command \$250 a week before he went into management, besides a benefit which would bring in virtually all that the house was worth—from \$2,000 to \$5,000 for the night. After he went into management his earnings were enormous, and he died leaving, at a low computation, over \$500,000.

Miss Farren's engagement cost the management at the height of her career \$250 a week, which was what Mrs. Siddons also consented to receive from Covent Garden Theatre at one period of her fame. But this was far below what she could and did demand elsewhere and in the Provinces; and in her biography we read that on tour \$150 nightly was the sum cheerfully paid for the great actress's services. It must be remembered that the value of money in the days of the three players just mentioned was double what it is at present, that is, \$250 then corresponded to \$500 now.

Great as the sum then seemed, it soon became common, \$250 a night being paid to Kean, Mesereau, and even Fechter; but it is, of course, dwarfed into insignificance by the emoluments received from the American public by such artists as Bernhardt, Coppin and Irving. Bernhardt was paid \$1,000 a night, which seems to have struck the Parisians dumb with astonishment. It is difficult to apportion Sir Henry Irving's receipts apart from Miss Terry's. But they undoubtedly were valued as high as \$600 a night on tour.



A SCENE IN "BREWSTER'S MILLIONS."

Intyre, Miss Burrows and Miss Wright. Misses Millar, Sintzel, Crerar and Armstrong were all recipients of several lovely bouquets.

## BOGUS CHEQUES.

Toronto Man Laid Careful Plans to Commit Plans.

Toronto, May 8.—When James W. Smiley decided to make a living by fraud in Toronto he laid careful plans to do so. He had a card printed which represented him to be "James W. Smiley, M. E., Ph. D., Grad. C. S. M. A. B. J., consulting specialist of Elk Lake and Gowganda." He made out a bank book which showed that he possessed \$9,000 in the Royal Bank of Elk Lake. Armed with the card and the forged bank book, Smiley started on his campaign. He passed a valueless cheque for \$100 to James D. Reesor, and another for \$25 to William E. Baldwin. Both these men found that there were no funds in the bank to meet the cheques.

Smiley was taken into custody and represented himself to be a native of Kentucky. He had a number of other cheques in his possession, which he evidently intended to use. Colonel Denison sent him to the Central Prison for ten months.

James E. Steen, one of the early residents of Winnipeg, and well known as a journalist all over the west, died at his home, William Avenue. He was formerly editor of The Commercial. Premier Clemenceau of France declares he will resign rather than yield to the revolutionary civil servants. Fleet of wet soles is the proper fish course for April.

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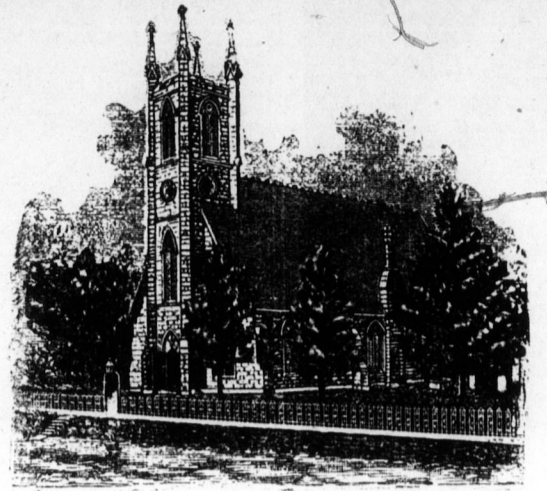
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Alas! what tidings reach my ear!
Our village church, to us so dear,
With all its beautiful windows round
Destroyed by fire, lies on the ground.
How o'er its bell on Sabbath day
Called us from earth to glory's way.
And oh! how oft its solemn toll
Spoke the departure of a soul.
With joy its sacred tones we trod
And listened to the Word of God.
While round its walls the loud "Amen"
Now rose and fell, now rose again.
And voice and organ sweet did raise
The songs of triumph, hymns of praise.
Oh, halcyon days, to memory sweet,
When, gathered round the mercy seat,
With hushed knee and solemn face,
The symbol of Christ's love to taste,
We felt His holy love inspire
Our hearts and souls with sacred fire,
And blessed Him for the symbol true
And for His mercy ever new.
Where are the friends who once with me
Before Thy altar bent the knee?
How many sleep beneath the sod.
Who worshipped here the Triune God.
Of burning timbers lying round:
They heaped not though our tears may flow
Like rain upon the melting snow;
They long since winged their flight
Above.

On May 5th, following the fire, the foundation stone of the present church was laid by Rev. Ralph Leeming, the first incumbent of Ancaster. Rev. Canon F. S. Osler, M. A., was rector and Messrs. Thomas Postans and Thomas Hammill were church wardens. The new church is of stone, costing over \$8,000, and will seat 350. In its foundation stone, hermetically sealed in a bottle, were placed the names of the rector, curate, wardens, building committee, architect and contractor; also of the Rev. Canon F. S. Osler, Bishop of Toronto, together with church and local newspapers and some current coin.

On May 9th, 1869, the church was opened for divine service, and four years later, May 1st, 1873, was consecrated by Dr. Behrens, Lord Bishop of Toronto, together with a new portion of the cemetery. Ancaster was set apart as a crown territory by King George IV., in 1836, and Rev. John Miller, M. A., who was in charge of the parish, was appointed first rector. On his death Ven. Archdeacon MacMurray, J.L.D., was appointed. He held the rectorship for about twenty years, and was succeeded, in 1857, by Rev. Canon F. S. Osler, M. A., who was succeeded by Rev. E. J. Fessenden, B. A., in 1895. Ven. Archdeacon Clark, M. A., was appointed in 1896 and was succeeded in 1903 by the present rector, Rev. C. E. Bell, M. A., formerly curate of the Church of the Ascension, in this city, and later incumbent of Stoney Creek.

The present church wardens are Messrs. E. Kenrick, B. A., and F. L. Gabriel. The lay delegates are Messrs. E. Kenrick, Walter J. Barr and J. T. Hamilton Regan. The energetic organist, Miss F. Porteous, is a granddaughter of the venerable church warden at the time of the fire. The services tomorrow will be at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m. In the afternoon there will be the consecration of the new part of the cemetery and a confirmation.

"Yes, there it stands, our own dear church.
Just where it stood before:
Its bell is ringing, come away
And worship here once more.
How fair and beautiful it stands,
Close nestled 'mid the trees,
While from afar its lofty tower
The weary traveller sees.
Oh, may it prove a landmark too
To point the way to Heaven;
A place where weary souls may find
Their many sins forgiven.
A place of rest—the very gate
Which leads to Heaven above,
A Bethel, where each soul may taste
Of Christ's redeeming love.

And you, kind sirs, who lend your aid
To rear this stately pile,
We thank you and may Heaven repay
Your offering, lent awhile.
And may you, too abide beneath
The shadow of His wings,
And find 'em here, that holy peace
Which faith in Jesus brings.
Oh may 'em in the courts appear,
Those mansions bright on high,
And walk those streets all golden paved,
Above the starry sky.
There many jewels may you find,
To crown your former low,
Whose hearts first caught the flame of love,
In this new church below.

Startling Weakness in Her Kidneys.

Undermined Strength, Caused Nervous Exhaustion, Languor, and Melancholia—Strange Case Cured by Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake and Butternut Pills. The treatment of sick kidneys has been reduced to an exact science by Dr. Hamilton. His pills relieve from the first dose and promptly effect a cure that is permanent and satisfactory in every particular. Mrs. M. P. Kenney, of Souris, writes: "Last summer I became weak and nervous and seemed to lose my grip. My health ran down steadily. I became morose and languid and had no ambition to do even the slightest household work. It was very fortunate I found out that weak kidneys were at the bottom of my trouble. I took Dr. Hamilton's Pills. In a few days I felt better and used them steadily for some time. They effected a complete cure and made me well after many doctors had failed. Your ill-temper, low spirits and dependency will soon be a thing of the past if you use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They cure the headache and arisal discharges, stop headaches and nervousness, change sickness into joyous health. Price 25c. per box, or five for \$1.00, at all dealers, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Hartford, Conn. U. S. A.

DROWNED AT GALT.

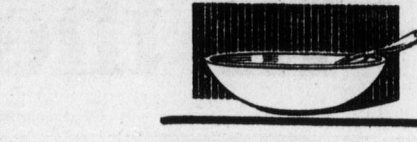
Two Students Went Out in Canoe and Upset. Galt, May 7.—The first drowning accident of the season in the Grand River occurred about 2 o'clock this afternoon. The victim was Carl Stahschmidt, son of Mr. W. Stahschmidt, of Preston. Clarence Goodfellow, son of Mr. B. Goodfellow, Galt, had a narrow escape. Both of the boys are G. C. I. students, and after luncheon to-day they engaged a canoe, intending to paddle a short distance up the river before the afternoon classes began. All went well until just back of the collegiate, when the canoe capsized. Goodfellow was able to swim, but Stahschmidt was not. The former made a heroic attempt to save his companion's life. He grasped him and held him above the water for some time. Finally Stahschmidt in his struggles carried Goodfellow down twice, and the latter was compelled to release his hold. He swam to the shore completely exhausted, and had to be assisted by the bank. Stahschmidt sank immediately. The accident occurred within fifteen feet of the shore and in about ten feet of water. The body was recovered at 6 o'clock.

OBJECT LESSON.

To Turn Scenic Niagara Park to Educational Use. Comprehensive Plan Suggested by the Commissioners. Toronto, May 8.—A Provincial project to utilize Niagara Park for educational effort along the lines of forestry, botany and kindred subjects is recommended by the Park Commissioners in their annual report just published. The commissioners express the view "that this great park and boulevard system should not only be used for the recreation and enjoyment of the public, but should also be utilized during its formative period, and for all time to come, as a Provincial school of practical forestry, horticulture, floriculture and botany, and last, but not least, an object lesson in good road building." In an interview with the Globe Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines, expressed the Government's approval of the suggestion, and the readiness of his department to co-operate in its working out. The Russian Douma passed the third reading of the agrarian bill.

HALF A MILLION.

Another Fine Gift For McGill Seems Under Way. Montreal, May 7.—The statement is made to-day on good authority that a gentleman who has already done a great deal for McGill, has signified his readiness to donate a further half million towards the completion of the new medical faculty which has begun some months ago and which is being hung up for want of funds. When Peter Lyall & Sons began the work they had \$400,000 as a starting fund, but that amount is as good as exhausted.



The Best of All Breakfast Foods

There's a reason behind all fads and fancies. We required light breakfast foods and the market was flooded with health foods (so-called.) But—the best breakfast food in the world is "Zephyr Cream" Soda Biscuits crushed in cream or fresh, sweet milk.

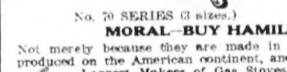
Christie's "Zephyr Cream" Sodas

have more original goodness than all other sodas manufactured on this continent. More than that, the original goodness of Christie's Biscuits is lasting. The flavor does not vary. All big biscuit makers buy a good brand of flour. We buy all good brands. Then we blend the best brands, sift and test the blend until we find a dough that will sustain the Christie reputation. Expensive! Yes—but we know no other way of starting to make biscuits up to our own high standards. Every ingredient entering into our "bakes" is the purest and best we can buy. Our "Zephyr Cream" Sodas crushed in cream, or fresh milk, certainly do make an excellent light breakfast. You test them.

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HAMILTON JEWEL GAS RANGES CANADIAN vs. AMERICAN

A STORY WITH A MORAL:—MRS. SLOW-TO-LEARN—Do you know we have waited just three weeks for a new Crown Bottom for our Gas Range, and we can't bake a thing. It is an American make, you know, and it takes so long to repair. MRS. WISEMAN—Well, that is provoking, but why didn't you buy a Canadian make, Mrs. Slow-to-Learn? MRS. SLOW-TO-LEARN—Well, my husband thinks the American is better, you know. MRS. WISEMAN—Well, my husband doesn't think so. We have had a Hamilton Jewel for several years, and it is as good as ever. The Oven Bottom is made of cast iron and will not burn out like sheet steel. MRS. SLOW-TO-LEARN—Well, I do wish I had known that. MRS. WISEMAN—Yes, and last fall, when we were moving, we broke one of the feet, and Mr. Wiseman just telephoned to the factory and it was delivered to our door the very same day.



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SHOT THREE MEN.

STARTLING DEED OF MAN ARRESTED AT WINDSOR. Accused of Stealing a Bicycle—He Ran Away, but Was Captured in a Lumber Yard—None of the Victims Fataally Wounded. Windsor, May 7.—Without a word of warning, Herman Martin, alias Kraft, a bicycle-thief, pulled a big 38-calibre revolver out of his hip pocket as the officers were about to search him at police headquarters to-night and fired five shots in quick succession, four of which took effect. George B. Quamby, caretaker of the City Hall, is the most seriously wounded, the bullet entering through the fleshy part of the arm and lodging in the back, behind the shoulder. Police Sergeant William Reid was shot twice. One ball took off a piece of the finger of his left hand, and another hit him in the right shoulder, making a bad but not serious flesh wound. Policeman William Lister was shot through the right arm. That none of the officers were killed is little short of a miracle, as the shots were fired at a range of less than five feet. Immediately after the shooting the prisoner ran out of the building and hid in McLain's lumber yard, close by, where he was captured a few minutes later by P. I. man Frank Cade. Martin made no resistance, and was taken to police headquarters and locked up. The news of the shooting spread like wildfire through the city, and rumors that at least two of the policemen had been murdered brought hundreds to the scene. After Chief of Police Willis had talked with Martin, he ordered that the prisoner be placed in solitary confinement, and that no one be permitted to see him to-night. As near as can be learned, the would-be murderer, who gives his name as Herman Martin, aged 23, but whose real name is thought to be Kraft, arrived in Windsor this morning from Chatham. He brought with him a bicycle, which he attempted to sell at a second-hand store. Martin looked suspicious, and the police were notified. On suspicion of having stolen the wheel, Sergeant Reid arrested Martin, and took him to police headquarters. Here he was registered and ordered to be searched. Officer Lister, who was on duty at the time, began to search in the usual way, feeling in the man's right-hand hip pocket for concealed weapons. As the policeman's hand went into the pocket Martin drew the revolver from his left hip pocket and began firing. George M. Quamby was sitting directly in front of where the prisoner stood and he received the first fire, going down with a bullet in his shoulder. The next man hit was Sergeant William Reid, who received two bullets, neither of which struck a vital spot. The fourth shot started wild, and Officer Lister, who had wanted to grapple with Martin, took the last ball in his right arm. The bullet was removed from Officer Lister's arm, but Quamby's wound is more serious, and the doctors were unable to locate the ball. Sergeant Reid's wounds were all superficial.

NO STRAW MAN.

The New Turkish Sultan Has Asserted Himself. New York, May 7.—A despatch to the Herald from Constantinople says: The new Sultan has given his advisers plainly to understand that it is not his intention to remain a man of straw. It is because of this stand on the part of the sovereign that the summary executions of revolutionaries have suddenly ceased. On Tuesday the Sultan sent for the Grand Vizier, Tewfik Pasha, and Generalissimo Scheikit Pasha, and declared to them: "I am willing to faithfully respect the constitution, but I also desire that my rights and prerogatives also be respected. My surprise was very great on hearing that no amnesty had been accorded on the occasion of my accession, contrary to all preceding usages, and that instead of fetes being held the population had contemplated the spectacle of hanging corpses of those executed without my knowledge, and whose sentences had not been submitted to me for my sanction, forgetful of the fact that I possess the right of pardon. I insist that in the future there shall be no repetition of this." As a result of the unsettled Government there is considerable disorder about Constantinople, and brigandage is carried on in the very suburbs.

The population of Windsor has about doubled within the past twenty years, there now being 16,000 people within the city limits. The total assessment exceeds \$8,000,000 against a trillion over \$2,000,000 in 1888.

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Fell Overboard

Harbor Beach, Mich., May 7.—The steamer A. L. Hopkins, of Cleveland, came into the harbor here yesterday afternoon to report the loss of Joseph Walder, of Cleveland, who was second engineer on the Hopkins. The last seen of Walder was when the boat was about four miles north of Port Huron. He was then sitting on the rail smoking. It is thought that he must have gone to sleep and fallen overboard. He was off watch, and was not missed until the crew was called to dinner.

bled to Death.

Tried to trim a wart with a razor, and severed an artery. The only wart cure is "Putnam's," which removes warts, corns, calluses in one day. Insist on getting Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor, it's the best. Premier Hazard, of Prince Edward Island, has been in consultation with Premier Whitney on text-books and other educational questions.



PROTESTS THE CONMEE BILL.

Hon. J. J. Foy's Statement Directed to Mr. Fielding.

Bill Reported With Important Amendments.

Proposal For an Eight-Hour Day on All Government Contracts.

Ottawa, May 7.—On the understanding that the rights of the Province of Ontario remain absolutely intact, Mr. Conmee's bill incorporating the Ontario and Michigan Power Company, was, after four hours' discussion, approved by the Committee of the Whole House to-night, and will be read a third time to-morrow. As a result of their communications with the Ontario Government the Opposition submitted a memorandum, prepared by Hon. J. J. Foy, Attorney-General for the Province, setting forth in clear and specific terms the position of the Provincial Government.

AN EIGHT-HOUR DAY. On motion to go into supply Mr. Ver-ville discussed the question of instituting an eight-hour day on all Government contracts. He pointed out that in the United States an eight-hour day had been established in twenty States. A short working day, he claimed, imposed less strain on the workers than a long day, and diminished the risk of accidents.

Mr. Turotte (Nioclet) said an eight-hour day would give the workmen a larger share of rest, comfort and liberty. Capital would not lose by the experiment, as shorter hours did not mean less production, while the efficiency of the workmen was increased. Mr. Girard also supported Mr. Ver-ville's views.

MR. LEMIEUX'S POSITION.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux said that while the proposal to institute an eight-hour day was one that appealed to their sympathies there were great difficulties in the way of its adoption. The question was worthy of careful consideration. He pointed out that the Trades and Labor Congress had passed a resolution in favor of applying the eight-hour principle not only to Government works, but to all industries, and that was a matter for Provincial legislation. If Dominion Government contractors only were put under an eight-hour system it would bring them into conflict with the prevailing local conditions and cause friction and disturbance. The reduction of hours from ten to eight generally would cut off one-fifth of the productive capacity of the laboring forces of the country, and would increase the cost of production by twenty per cent. Was it fair, he asked, to expect the workmen of Canada were handicapped by long winters they should seek to restrict the hours to eight a day? He believed that before adopting legislation of that kind they should give the question very serious consideration, and that in the meantime they should continue to operate at the fair wages clause.

VIEW'S OF MEMBERS.

Mr. Taylor (New Westminster) and Mr. Crosby expressed disappointment with the Minister's pronouncement, and favored the principle of an eight-hour day on Government contracts.

Mr. Henderson vigorously protested against the restriction of hours. He did not see why a man employed on a public building should not work ten hours a day as well as a man working in a factory or on a farm. Labor should not be disturbed by mischievous resolutions of the kind proposed. The House afterwards went into supply on the agricultural items and passed the appropriation for the experimental farms.

ONTARIO AND THE CONMEE BILL. In the evening consideration was resumed of Mr. Conmee's bill seeking to incorporate the Ontario & Michigan Power Company.

Mr. Lennox read a memorandum prepared by Hon. J. J. Foy, Attorney-General of Ontario, addressed to Hon. Mr. Fielding. In part it stated: "Even if we assume for the moment the jurisdiction of the Parliament of Canada to incorporate this company, we nevertheless contend that it has not an exclusive jurisdiction, and that it is also competent for the Legislature of Ontario to deal with the matter, and that the company being one with local objects, and proposing to deal with matters which affect the property of the Province of Ontario, the Parliament of Canada should stay its hand, nor does it deprive the Province of its jurisdiction over the stream. Neither the Dominion nor the Province has complete jurisdiction for all purposes over

such a stream, and that of the Dominion is no greater than that of the Province, except indeed, possibly, with reference to making some treaty or international arrangements with reference to it. Although a river may be international, it still remains, so far as it is Canadian, a part of the Province through which it flows, and subject to the jurisdiction of that Province. "The second ground is that the stream in question is a navigable stream. Assuming again that that is so, that circumstance does not oust the jurisdiction and authority of the Province; the river still remains a Provincial stream, except in respect to the paramount authority of the Dominion to regulate and provide for navigation thereon. In other respects, it is submitted, the river remains under the control and within the jurisdiction of the Provincial authority. "Hence therefore the Parliament of Canada may have the constitutional authority to incorporate this company and give it the powers suggested, it is submitted that the Province of Ontario has also that authority, and that for the reasons already stated the promoters should be remitted to the Provincial Legislature to deal with the matter.

"As I understand, it is not proposed to limit the compulsory powers of the bill to the right of way over the lands of the Province of Ontario for the company's transmission line. That still leaves the bill open to the objection of compulsory powers being granted by the Parliament of Canada over the property of the Province of Ontario. This we strenuously object to. The Niagara River can scarcely be said to be a navigable river, especially for anything but the smaller kind of light craft, but in any event by the order in Council of Dec. 12, 1894, a reserve was made of two chains on each side of the Niagara River throughout its entire length and along the shore of Lakes Erie, St. Clair and St. Catharines. It will therefore be seen that the Niagara River and the land on either side of it is the property of the Province of Ontario, and no powers, whether compulsory or of any kind, ought to be granted to the promoters in respect thereof. The Province desires to retain this land for the purposes of the Province. It forms an important factor in the general policy of the Government of the Province in connection with the generation of electrical power, and the Parliament should not, it is submitted, interfere with it. In this connection, it is submitted that the promoters should be instructed to apply to the Legislature of Ontario for their incorporation."

MR. LENNOX'S ARGUMENT.

Mr. Lennox submitted that it would be most unwise and unfair for the Dominion Government to give a private speculative company power to expropriate lands claimed by the Provincial Government. He called the attention of the Prime Minister particularly to the desire of the Provincial Government to retain the Niagara River in its integrity for the purposes of its policy. As to Pigeon River, he contended that it formed part of the chain of waters constituting the international boundary line, particularly to the desire of the Provincial Government to retain the Niagara River in its integrity for the purposes of its policy. As to Pigeon River, he contended that it formed part of the chain of waters constituting the international boundary line, particularly to the desire of the Provincial Government to retain the Niagara River in its integrity for the purposes of its policy.

SIR WILFRID'S SUGGESTION.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier suggested that the House should approve of the preamble of the bill, and then proceed to discuss what he claimed was the real question—that of the expropriation powers. So far as the question of jurisdiction was concerned the Minister of Justice had given the opinion that the Dominion Parliament alone had power to incorporate the company, though probably that point would not be finally settled until it had been determined by judicial authority.

ONTARIO MEMBERS OBJECT.

Mr. Claude Macdonell questioned the wisdom of giving to speculators authority to generate and use power without compensation, pointing out that the Commission on the Conservation of Natural Resources recommended that water powers should be retained under the jurisdiction of public authorities. Mr. Lancaester, while admitting Federal jurisdiction over international waters, argued that it should only be exercised for international purposes. Major Sharpe declared that he would vote against the preamble on two grounds: that it would alienate an asset without compensation, and that it was proposed to build a dam, which would impede navigation on a navigable river.

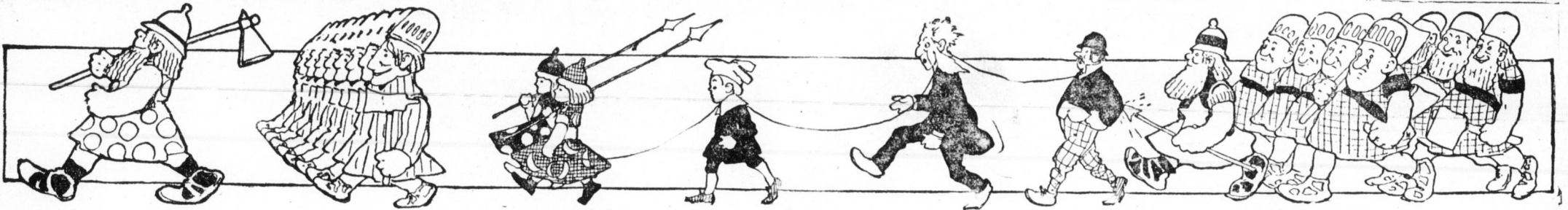
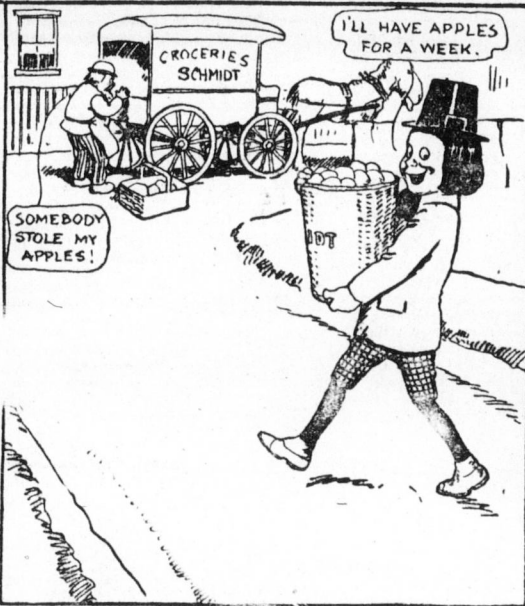
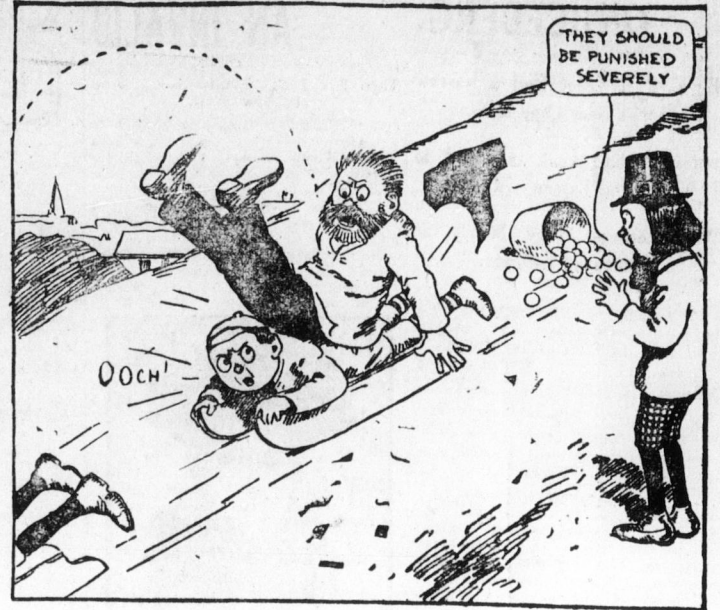
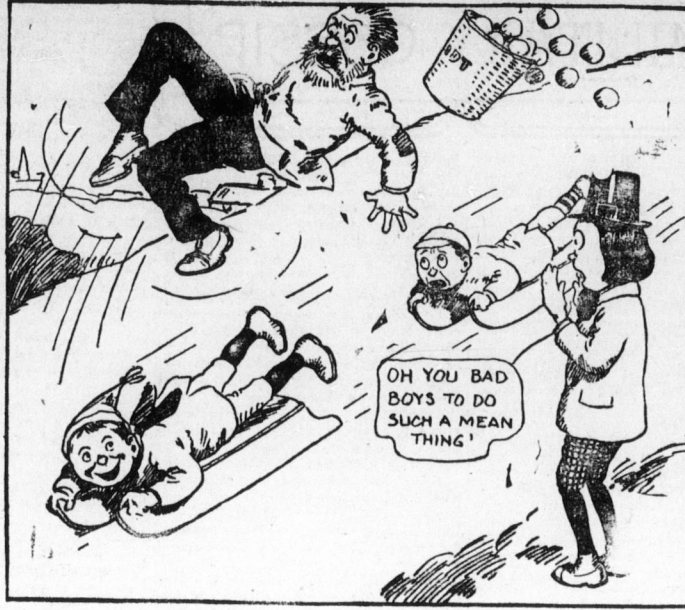
The up and rapid progress was made until the clause giving expropriation powers was reached. Hon. Mr. Graham pointed out that



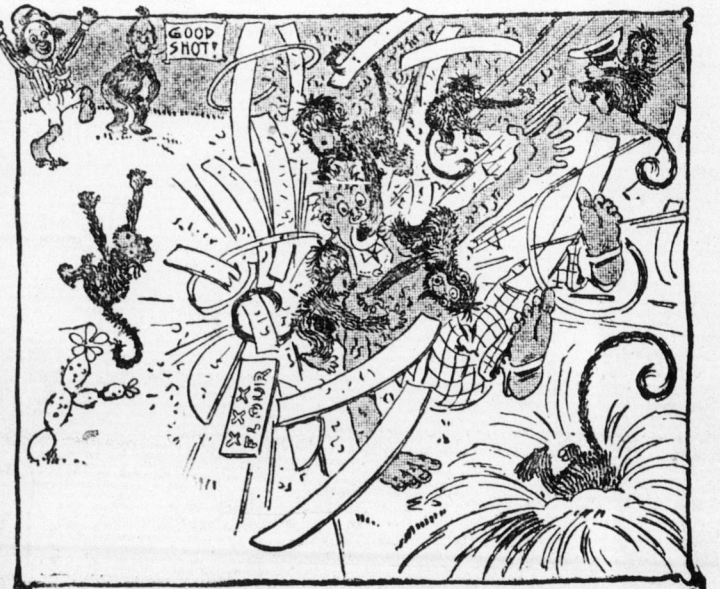




# BILLIE GETS INTO SOME TROUBLE



# PHILLY PENO AND KOKO HAVE SOME FUN WITH A BARREL OF MONKEYS





MARKETS AND FINANCE

Saturday, May 7.—Business Central market this morning was very brisk. Large quantities of pork, lard and other were offered and prices in these lines were a little lower. Potatoes are not so firm as yesterday. The market for flour is very quiet. The standard price at a. m. was:

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the surrounding country. In view of this situation it is worth while noticing the market in Chicago. Last year it was estimated to be from April there were 500,000 cases held in the combined local storages. This year estimates vary all the way from a third to a half of the holding at this time a year ago, and in the opinion of many experienced egg men in Chicago the reduced storage supply will cause a stringency before the end of this year.

SUGAR MARKET. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated 84.70 per cwt., in barrels, and No. 1 golden, 84.30 per cwt., in barrels. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots 5c. less. In 100-lb. bags prices are 5c. less.

OTHER MARKETS. NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. Sugar, raw, steady, fair refining, 3.36; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.86; molasses sugar, 3.11; refined, steady.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. Wheat—May \$1.24 bid, July \$1.24 bid, Sept. \$1.05 bid.

CANADIAN PRODUCE ABROAD. The following are the special cables from London to the Montreal Trade Bulletin, dated May 6, 1905.

Flour and Grain.—The market is quiet, buyers being extremely cautious, and taking only what they require from hand to mouth. Canadian spring patents, 23-64 to 34-64; bakers', 30-1 to 31-1 bid.

Wheat.—The market is firm, with a tendency to advance, but buyers are slow to follow the advance on this side.

Oats.—The market is quiet, since prices have advanced another 3d. since prices, 17s 3d to 17s 9d.

Butter.—The market is firmer and prices have advanced 1s, owing to decreased imports. Canadian creamery nominal at 95s to 98s.

Cheese.—The market is firmer at an advance of 1s. Canadian folders, 55s 6d to 56s c. l. f.

Bacon.—The market is quiet and is lower under liberal imports, Canadian bacon, 61s to 65s.

Hay.—The market is steady at 58s to 60s for Canadian clover mixed.

LONDON WOOL MARKET. London. A strong tone prevailed at the wool auction sales today. The offerings numbered 13,015 bales, principally scoured merinos and greasy cross-breeds. Competition was spirited between home and continental buyers, and prices were firm. There were few parcels suitable for Americans, but when offered they were taken by them at extreme rates. To-day's sales follow: New South Wales, 1,800 bales; scoured, 11 1/2 to 1s 9 1/2-2d; greasy, 6d to 1s 3d.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKET. London.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13s to 13 1/2c per lb. for Canadian steers, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1/2c to 10 1/2c per lb.

COBALT STOCK. The Toronto mining market was depressed of interest yesterday, the general tendency being downwards. Beaver sold off to 167 1/2, with the closing sale at 171 1/8. Temiskaming was fairly active the bulk of the trading being around 12 1/2, the closing sale being at 12 1/2. Kerr Lake sold up to 8 1/2 on the Toronto. Carb. Silver Leaf was traded around 12 1/4 and 13 1/2. The balance of the list was weak.

J. R. HEINTZ & CO. Have transferred their account to A. E. Carpenter. Office of above firm in Federal Life Building will be closed and all business transacted at 102 King street east.

A. E. CARPENTER, Stock Broker. Correspondents of J. R. Heintz & Co.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW. Montreal: There has been little of no change in the trade situation here during the past week. Some improvement in weather conditions has given a slightly better tone to the movement of seasonable lines, and the sorting trade in dry goods, clothing, etc., has been fairly good.

Winnipeg: General business here moves along satisfactorily. The demand for seasonable lines at wholesale has improved during the week, and the outlook for fall trade is brighter. Remittances are only fair, but may be expected to improve when seeding is finished.

Quebec: Backward weather has affected country trade; the latter is moderate in volume. Hamilton: Trade here has shown some improvement during the past week owing to better weather conditions. A fair sorting trade is in evidence, and wholesalers in some lines report a slight betterment in collections. Manufacturers of farmers' implements report good orders on hand, and the outlook for fall business is generally considered bright.

London: The sorting trade in dry goods, clothing, etc., has shown some little improvement during the past week.

although the movement is still considerably behind expectations. Ottawa: Business here continues on the quiet side, although stocks are moving more briskly than was the case a week ago.

MARKET EXPERTS TALK.

New York, May 8.—Town Topics say: The advance is rapid, but the top does not yet seem at hand. Still profit taking and selling on the reduction in the winter wheat stocks should not be bet spotted but stocks should not be bought on bulges, as a rule. Eastern trunk lines stocks should do much better, especially Mexican Central, and B. O. and N. Y. C. As April reports will be quite favorable, St. Paul and Hill issues will be helped by heavy spring wheat seeding, etc., may assume the lead at any time. For the long pull Hills Central is a most attractive issue.

Specialists should continue prominent. Buy Wabash stocks, M. Pac., Denver, Texas, Alton and K. S. U., which are still being accumulated among industrialists we prefer R. B. C., Corn products, gas stocks, P. R. S. A., P. Tenn and Utah Copper.

R. T. should work well into the 80's before the dividend comes off. We would buy lead and S. P. on soft spots. Reading and U. P. for breaks. Wait for a reaction to buy wheat.—Town Topics.

Baring says: All the stocks on which I have been bullish continue to advance. I still believe the copper will sell much higher. The Goulds and Hills are all going higher. Don't be afraid to buy them on dips. They are going much higher.—Baring.

New York, May 8.—The Government crop showed good condition and is construed favorably to stock exchange prices, and there was a general buying movement following its appearance which particularly affected Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, St. Paul, and R. I. shares. Generally on the floor tone favored higher prices throughout the early dealings. Reading was the most active issue with its total dealings during first three hours equal to that of U. P. Copper was in demand with the trading in it being among the lower priced issues. Wabash was the feature with traders bidding for it. Corn products, A. F. C. F. I. were also active specialties.—News.

Joseph says: Keep long of Reading and give your immediate attention to the R. I. issue. Harriman factions are accumulating them. Buy N. Y. C. and St. Paul. Joseph.

Summary: Bradstreet's reports a more optimistic attitude to trade. U. S. Steel places earnings on a basis of 67.5 of normal. Empty cars, April 25th, 282, a decrease of 14,355 in a fortnight. Banks gained on weekly currency movement, \$4,831,000. N. Y. weather clear and mild.—Dow, Jones & Co.

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NO BURGLARS. The police received a report last night that burglars had entered the house of W. H. Ginder, 97 East Avenue south. A couple of officers were sent down to investigate, but it was found to be a false alarm. A crowd gathered around the house and were somewhat disappointed when nothing exciting occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Ginder went away for a trip a few days ago. The police have been unable to ascertain who sent in the alarm, but it is thought that it was caused by seeing someone try the door.

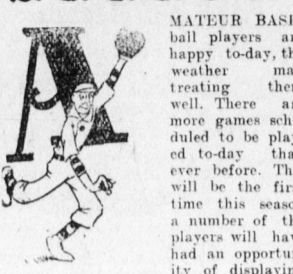
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FOR THE YOUNG AMATEURS. The City League recently formed will only allow each team to have three of last year's City League players.



MATEUR BASEBALL players are happy to-day, the weather man treating them well. There are more games scheduled to be played to-day than ever before. This will be the first time this season a number of the players will have had an opportunity of displaying their ability and all are eager for the fray.

The games which are attracting the most attention and have been the cause of much discussion among the boys in the east end, will be played at the

opening of the Church League. The games will be played at French's field, at the head of Wentworth street, and the diamonds were never in better condition. They are laid out under the plan of those in the big leagues, measuring the same and the infield is skinned, while the outfield is grass. Mr. Decew, the promoter and president of the league, has spent much time in putting things into shape before the opening. The teams seem evenly balanced, and the games being free of charges, should attract a good crowd. The first game will be between St. Andrew's and Kensington Avenue Church teams, and the second between the Ascensions and St. Thomas. The first game should be a fast exhibition, and will give many of the fans an opportunity of classing their playing.

The Junior A's will practice this afternoon on Sanford avenue.

Bill Rousseau will play second this year for the Baysides.

A new league will be formed, composed of the following teams: Mountainers, Cotter's Colts and the MacLaren Mission. Games will be played at Cotter's field. The following players are requested to be present at the MacLaren Mission at 2:30 this afternoon: Bedel, Young, Avery, Broome, Smith, Buchly, Livingston and any other players who wish to join. The average of the new league will be 18.

The Herald and Times teams play to-day.

The Keystones will drop a couple of young players who failed to make good.

Bill Moore will likely play for the Keystones. Bill shows some class at practice and Manager Himmen may sign him.

In a fast game of "soft ball" the Semmens & Evel team defeated the Van Allen nine by a score of 10-7. The batters were Markle and Jackson; Carey and Quimet.

The Baysides will play the Barristers at the city lot this afternoon.

The Asylum will play the Erskines this afternoon, and not the Broadviews, as was stated in a local paper.

The Alerts are at last rounding into shape. "Skin" Lucas will likely do the heavy and Jimmy Buckley the receiving.

Fred Skerrett has consented to supply to City League with one set of bases. It is up to some fan to present the other.

All forfeits of the City League must be posted by Tuesday night next.

ST. CATHARINES, May 8.—Between 500 and 600 witnessed the finals last night at the boxing and wrestling tournament at Phelps street rink, under the auspices of the Olympic Club. Some excellent bouts were put on during the evening, and there was wrestling between two well-known wrestlers, which continued for half an hour without a fall.

In the 105-lb. class, Toek Hoy, of St. Kitts, and Wilson, of Thorold, fought three rounds to a draw.

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Presentation to Parker—Camp For Dragoons—A Bigger Brantford.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, May 8.—Brant County did not escape damage from the electrical storm which visited western Ontario Friday morning.

IS APPOINTED. Mr. Norman Willets, a successful grocer here for a number of years, has been appointed liveried debt collector by the new organization, the Merchants' Protective Association.

FINE TIME ASSURED. The Brantford and St. Catharines regiments to visit Peterboro on Victoria Day are assured of a fine time.

WAS HONORED. Mr. A. G. Parker, formerly acting manager of the Bank of Montreal branch in Hamilton, and for the past three years manager in this city, was presented with a solid silver oil English tea service yesterday by a number of local customers.

THE 25th BRANT DRAGOONS have been notified that the annual camp will not be held at Niagara this year, but the Dragoons will have their camp in their own district.

A BIGGER BRANTFORD. At the annual meeting of the Canadian Club last night the new officers elected were all young men, and the organization may be turned into a 50,000 club for Brantford.

THE GENERAL NOTES. The local alliance has decided to hold a temperance Sunday here on May 30. Meetings will be held in 20 churches.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE wrestled with street railway problems last night, and it is stated has satisfactorily adjusted matters so that the company can proceed with local double tracking.

COBALT.

President Dunkin of the Commercial Mines in City.

Mr. John Dunkin, of London, president of the Cobalt Commercial Mines, Limited, was in the city yesterday on business in connection with the company.

Active work will commence at once upon the properties of the Cobalt Commercial Mines, Limited, as the company now about all gone, and enormous quantities of freight are waiting transportation by boat.

A great amount of work will be done in Southern Lorraine during the summer, as the camp is so easy of access, and it has been demonstrated by such mines as the Keeley, Jowsey and Halleybury Silver Mining Co. and others that this will be second to none.

Referring to the properties of the Cobalt Commercial Mines, Limited, Mr. Dunkin said the Hudson Bay Mining Co. spent several years and a good many thousand dollars before they had as good a showing.

Messrs. Kent & Garvin, two energetic young men, who have represented the Brooks, Sanford Limited, at 160 King street, for years, have taken over the business and by way of an introduction announce an alteration sale.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

The conductors and motormen of the street railway are being supplied with new uniforms, which are very smart in appearance, and are somewhat of an improvement on the former ones.

In re Kennedy estate, W. M. McClelland, executor, moved at Toronto yesterday, for an order permitting him to pay \$10,000 into court for the four infants, F. W. Harcourt, K. C., for the infants. Order made.

Mr. Joseph Lindsay, of this city, Field Secretary, Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip, is spending a week at St. Catharines and Niagara Falls, organizing additional branches of the Brotherhood. Mr. Lindsay will occupy the pulpit of Niagara Street Methodist Church, morning and evening, on Sunday.

A call has been extended to Rev. N. M. Leckie, B. A., D. D., Beverly Church, West Flamborough, by the Rev. Mr. Leckie will accept has not yet been definitely decided; if he does we will lose one of the best pastors this church has ever had. He has been here four years.

The council of the Hamilton Association met last evening to arrange for the annual meeting, which it was decided should take place on Friday next, the 14th inst.

SOLDIERS, TOO, May Turn Out at the Opening of the Park.

Two weeks from Monday the first Greater Hamilton Exposition will open and it will be a day that Hamilton may well be proud of.

Work at the park is progressing favorably and although there was a great deal of delay owing to the unfavorable weather, the sunbath of the last few days has enabled the work to be rushed to completion with rapid strides and it is expected that most of the buildings and amusement devices will be finished next week.

CADET INSTRUCTIONS Teachers in Public Schools May be Organized.

Ottawa, May 7.—A Militia Gazette issued today announces the authorization of the organization of a corps of school cadet instructors to be composed of teachers in the public schools of Canada.

THE DRAGOONS.

The above is the crest and motto of the new military unit in Hamilton, the Second Canadian Dragoons, C Squadron, which will be commanded by Major W. L. Ross.

Spring Lamb and Green Peas, Chickens, well-hung beef, Cambridge sausage, wax beans, asparagus, spinach, leeks, carrots, potatoes, celery, cucumbers, green onions, green peppers, rhubarb, ripe tomatoes, Maggi soups, strawberries, pineapples, grape fruit, limes, maple syrup, O. A. C. butter, O. A. C. cream cheese, live lobsters, fresh sea salmon.—Peelies, Holson & Co., Limited, King and MacNab.

Special Announcement. Dr. Knight, specialist, easy extraction of teeth, will remain in Hamilton all next week. Appointments may be made at Dr. Little's dental office, 9 James street north, and all patients will receive personal attention.

Pianos and Organs Cheap. We have a large selection of very fine square pianos, to be sold cheap, on terms of 75 cents per week. Good organs, cheap at 50 cents per week. Come in and see them. 127 King east. Opposite Terminal Station.

SOMETHING UP HIS SLEEVE.

James Boyle Says There Were Others in Whittla Case.

Sensation Promised Before the Trial is Over.

Mrs. Boyle Will Suicide Rather Than Go to Jail.

Merzer, Pa., May 8.—Relying entirely on their contention that the Pennsylvania courts have no jurisdiction in her case, counsel for Mrs. James Boyle, on trial charged with aiding and abetting the kidnapping of Billy Whittla, to-day refused to offer any evidence in her behalf. Argument will be made to-day.

The claim of the prosecution that Mrs. Boyle participated, while in this State, in the formation of a conspiracy to kidnap the boy, which was afterwards carried out, will be combated by the defence, which will endeavor to have her released in Pennsylvania and turned over to the authorities at Cleveland. The State completed its testimony this afternoon. It was mainly the same as that given yesterday in the trial of James Boyle, but there were some additional witnesses summoned for the purpose of connecting Mrs. Boyle with the abduction of the boy.

During the trial to-day Boyle endeavored to tell more than he had been asked. "I want to tell the whole truth about this case now," said he. "I want the whole thing cleared up. I was not to blame. The whole blame was on someone else."

After court adjourned Judge Williams stopped Boyle as he was being led from the room and asked him why he had made all the outbursts. Boyle said: "They've made a great deal of noise about the kidnapping, all right, but I'm not the whole thing, as they are trying to make out. There are others beside me in the case. I was over in Warren when the boy was brought to the man who brought him over to me. He did not know that he was kidnapping. He was the one who took the boy from the school building, but did not know what it was for."

"He did not plan it and I did not plan it, either. The man who did the planning lives right here in Merzer county, and he was to get half the money, too. Mrs. Boyle did not have any more to do with it than the man who brought the boy to me."

ELECTIONS TO-DAY. Newfoundland Trying to Break the Political Deadlock.

St. John's, Nfld., May 8.—Determined to bring to an end the deadlock which has caused such bitter political strife in the cities and "outposts" of this colony since the last election seven months ago, the citizens of Newfoundland went to the polls to-day to elect a Legislature which it is hoped will break the deadlock.

AHAIIR SINGE. Toronto Policeman Came Near Death Riding Through Storm.

Toronto, May 8.—Mounted Policeman William J. McKuen had an experience last night that, to quote him, "gave him a thrill." He was riding along Queen street east, about opposite Brant's brickyard, in the midst of the storm, when a streak of lightning struck so close to him as to singe most of his hair on the back of his head.

It will be a number of days before today's result will be known, as the ballots will have to be brought to this city from the towns all over the colony, many of which are isolated from railroads or other rapid means of transportation.

It seems to be an ill-timed occurrence when a doctor counts a sick person's pulse.

DEATHS.

McDONALD, James, 150 Locke street north, on Friday, 7th May, 1909, Thomas McDonald, in his 84th year.

IN MEMORIAM. CRERRAR—In ever loving memory of John Crerar, K. C., who died at Merivorth, Hamilton, Ontario, 8th of May, 1904.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Moderate east to south winds, fine and moderately warm. Sunday fresh east to south winds, a few local showers or thunderstorms, but mostly fair; not much change in temperature.

WEATHER NOTES. Pressure is low in the southwest corner of Lake Superior and highest in Alberta. A few showers have occurred in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces also in Manitoba. The weather remains unseasonably cold in the thunderstorm belt.

Western New York—Fair and warmer to-night; fair in east; showers in west portion Sunday.

Lakes Erie and Ontario—Moderate to brisk south to southwest winds, with partly cloudy weather to-night and probably showers Sunday.

Toronto, May 8, 11 a. m.—Moderate east to south winds; a few local showers, but mostly fair; stationary or a little higher temperature.

GREAT EVENT.

Second Annual Aquatic Carnival Announced For June 4. Arrangements are now all completed for the second annual aquatic carnival. It will be held on Friday evening, June 4.

BITTER FIGHT.

Struggle Between French Government and Employees. Paris, May 8.—Both the government and the state employees, including the men of the Department of Posts and Telegraphs, are to-day rapidly marshaling their forces for the impending struggle.

SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

Report That the Strike May be Extended to Include Others. Buffalo, May 9.—Officials of the striking lake seamen refuse to affirm or deny the report that the conference here to-day and to-morrow between officials of the great lake labor organizations presage an extension of the strike against the Lake Carrier Association's boats.

NOT KNOWN IN PITTSBURG.

Late Geo. Burn, Millionaire, Was Said to Have Lived There. Toronto Globe: What purports to be the last codicil to the last will and testament of one Wellington George Burn, formerly of the city of Pittsburg, Pa., and later of Australia, bequeathing large sums of money to one David S. Kidd, of this city, for the erection of a mission house and other charitable objects, was published in an evening paper yesterday. The codicil referred to is as follows:

"Clause 8. I direct my executors to pay to David S. Kidd, of Toronto, Ontario, the sum of \$25,000, and to my Star of Hope, a benevolent memorial to Lucy, \$75,000. I bequeath for building an endowment fund \$125,000 to buy the site and erect the building and to furnish the same, with \$5,000 extra for chimes complete to play the following hymns: 'Blest Be the Tie That Binds,' 'Rock of Ages,' 'Sweeping Through the Gates of the New Jerusalem,' 'The Holy City.'"

REPEALED CHARTER. Niagara charters are much in the minds of Ontario public men. That of England, which has been called the Great Charter, seems to have been repealed in the Province [of Ontario].

SUPERIOR BANKING FACILITIES.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the estate of EDENEZER WILLIAM BAYLEMAN, deceased. Notice is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O. Chap. 123, and succeeding acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Edenezer William Bayleman, deceased, of the County of Hamilton, in the County of Westchester, who died on or about the 28th day of February, A. D. 1909, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the executors of the said Edenezer William Bayleman, deceased, their claims.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All persons having claims against the estate of Patrick Crane, late of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Westchester, deceased, are required to send full particulars of their claims and proof thereof to the undersigned solicitors for the executor of the said Patrick Crane, deceased, on or before the twenty-eighth day of May, 1909, or any later date that the executor will consent to distribute the estate, having regard only to such claims as he shall have had notice of.

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