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MISS HUTCHINSON'S BRUTAL TREATMENT; BUFFALO POLICE SHARPLY CRITICISED

The American Press Unite in Denouncing the Despicable Methods Employed by Chief Cusack.

Young Woman Was Mentally and Physically Tortured.

POLICE USE "THIRD DEGREE"

Miss Hutchinson Tells How She Was Placed in a Cell and Subjected to the Grossest Examination.

The shameful treatment accorded Miss Marion Hutchinson, of this city, by the Buffalo police in conection with the Burdick murder, was yesterday the subject of very severe comment by the press of that city, and great indignation prevails throughout Buffalo at the brutal methods of the police investigation.

Buffalo, March 8. — The police department yesterday made its first positive move in its effort to solve the mystery surrounding the murder of Edwin L. Burdick, and apparently the attempt came to naught. Miss Marion Hutchinson, of No. 19 West Tupper street, was taken—she says, under arrest—to police headquarters, where she was detained over four hours in an effort to glean from her some clue to the mystery that has aroused the horror, and the interest as well, of the entire community.

Miss Hutchinson says that Assistant Supt. Cusack flatly charged her with the murder of Mr. Burdick.

"I am sorry for you, poor girl, that you were forced to do this awful deed," she charges Mr. Cusack with saying.

For two hours Miss Hutchinson was subjected to the severest of cross-examinations at the hands of Supt. Bull, Chief of Detectives Cusack and District Attorney Coatsworth. Seemingly there was nothing that would warrant the officials in holding Miss Hutchinson, for shortly after noon she was released. However, this was not done until Philip V. Fennelly, attorney for Miss Hutchinson, had applied to Justice Truman C. White, of the supreme court, for a writ of habeas corpus commanding Supt. Bull to produce her before him. This writ was secured only after District Attorney Coatsworth and Assistant Abbott had been appealed to in vain for relief. When the writ was served upon Supt. Bull he did not resist it, saying that it was unnecessary and that Miss Hutchinson was free to go, not having been under arrest at any time.

IN CELL WITH SPY.

Miss Hutchinson, on the contrary, says she was locked in a cell for two hours. Her company was a female police spy. In addition to all this she says she was stripped of every inch of clothing and subjected to a mortifying search for some evidence that would convict her of the murder. Her attorney, Philip V. Fennelly, threatens to sue those responsible for her detention at police headquarters for heavy damages. The amount has not yet been fixed, but it was hinted that it would be for nothing less than $75,000. Miss Hutchinson's friends are very indignant, and say they will champion her cause.

Detectives who refused to be quoted said that Miss Hutchinson might be again summoned to police headquarters if certain expected developments materialize.

Miss Hutchinson is prominent in musical circles, having been for several months a member of the choir of the First Baptist Church at North and North Pearl streets. Her father lives in London, Ont., but her mother and sister live with her in this city.

TAKEN FROM THE ITHACA.

At 8 o'clock yesterday morning several officers, including Chief of Detectives Cusack, Capt. Kilroy and Specials Coughlin and Cornish of the tenth precinct, went to the Ithaca, a private hotel at No. 19 West Tupper street, between Main and Pearl streets, where Miss Hutchinson boards. She was summoned from the breakfast table and asked to accompany Mr. Cusack and Capt. Kilroy to the office of Supt. Bull. She was told, she says, that they had reason to think that she might know something that would lighten up the dark mystery of Edwin L. Burdick's death. A hack was at the curb and in this she was whirled off to police headquarters.

CHARGES SHAMEFUL TREATMENT.

The police say that Miss Hutchinson was treated with the utmost respect at police headquarters and that she was never at any time under arrest. They admit, that as a former employe of Mr. Burdick in his envelope factory in North Division street, she was questioned about some points on which she was supposed to be able to give some vital information. Miss Hutchinson tells a different story. She says that she was subjected to the greatest ignominy. She said to a reporter for the Courier:

"My treatment was of the harshest. I was taken upstairs, where I was turned over to a woman whom I was told was a police matron. She took me into a room by myself. There I was required to remove every stitch of clothing. The examination did not end there, but I cannot say more. This mortification over, I was thrust into a cell with a woman, whom I confidently believe to have been a police spy. She told me that she was from Scranton, Pa., and that she was detained on a charge of vagrancy. She endeavored to draw me out about the murder, but I was too much distressed about my own horrible situation to think about anything else. Thank God, it is over.

DIDN'T KNOW BURDICK.

"I told the police all I knew about Mr. Burdick, which is certainly little enough. It all amounts to this: that for three months I was in his employ as a clerk addressing envelopes for the Roller Mill Magazine, in which he was interested. I did not know him at all. He was very reserved and rarely spoke to me. Absolutely I had no relations with him outside the office. Why the police should so single me out is a mystery. It is more; it is a shame."

Miss Hutchinson says that her police inquisitors plied her with all sorts of interrogatories concerning her relations with and knowledge of Mr. Burdick. They wanted to know if he was attentive to her at the office or elsewhere; if he invited her to accompany him to places of amusement; if he made her presents of candy, flowers and things more substantial; if he took her riding in his automobile and a hundred other questions of similar tenor. It was in the midst of these that Miss Hutchinson avers that Chief of Police Cusack said in sorrowful tones:

CUSACK'S DIRECT CHARGE.

"I am sorry for you, you poor girl, that you were forced to do this awful deed."

This charge, says Miss Hutchinson, was made with dramatic effect, but failed of its purpose because of her own conscious innocence.

Shortly after Miss Hutchinson was spirited away from her home, her sister, Miss Florence L. Hutchinson, who was formerly connected with the Bryant Street Exchange of the Bell Telephone Company, but is now unemployed, hunted up Philip V. Fennelly and enlisted his services in behalf of her relative. Mr. Fennelly had a hard time locating Miss Hutchinson; in fact, he was unable to do so until after he secured a writ of habeas corpus. His first step was to apply to Supt. Bull and Assistant Superintendent Cusack, of the police department, and neither would give him any satisfaction, as he avers. Then he appealed to District Attorney Coatsworth, and the latter said that he knew nothing of the matter, referring him to the police.

Mr. Fennelly then threatened to get out a writ of habeas corpus.

"Go ahead and do it," the district attorney is reported by Mr. Fennelly to have replied.

GETS HABEAS CORPUS WRIT.

Mr. Fennelly lost no time in appealing to Justice Truman C. White in court chambers for a writ of habeas corpus and obtained it. Armed with this, he again went to Supt. Bull and demanded the privilege of seeing Miss Hutchinson.

"By what authority," demanded the superintendent.

"By virtue of this," was the reply of the lawyer as he showed the writ.

"When is it returnable?" asked the superintendent.

"Forthwith," was the response.

Supt. Bull remarked that he would see about it and after a little further conversation Mr. Fennelly returned to the City and County Hall. He had hardly reached the Delaware avenue entrance of that building when Miss Hutchinson and Special Coughlin of the tenth precinct came up the steps. They proceeded to the chambers of the justices of the supreme court, expecting to find Justice White, before whom the writ was returnable. By this time, however, Justice White, tired of waiting, had gone out to lunch, leaving word that he could be found at the Ellicott Club. Mr. Fennelly called him up there over the telephone.

Justice White answered and Mr. Fennelly said Miss Hutchinson was present in company with a detective. Mr. Fennelly was ready to argue for the release of his client. Justice White wanted to know if the police and district attorney were represented by counsel.

"There seems to be no opposition, your honor," replied Mr. Fennelly over the telephone.

Asking Justice White to hold the telephone for a moment Mr. Fennelly hurried across the room and had a short talk with Detective Coughlin. Then he took up the received of the 'phone again.

"I am told by the detective that the young woman is not under arrest, and that she may go away with me now," is what Mr. Fennelly said to Justice White.

"She is free," said Justice White.

Mr. Fennelly thanked Justice White for the issuance of the writ and then started to leave the office with the two Hutchinson sisters. When they reached the corridor, Miss Hutchinson discovered that she had lost one of her gloves. A search in the private office of Justice White did not locate it.

ON SISTER'S PETITION.

The writ of habeas corpus was issued on the petition of Florence L. Hutchinson, the sister. In making out the writ Mr. Fennelly charged that "Marion W. Hutchinson has been arrested, charged with the alleged murder of one Edwin L. Burdick, and she has been arrested under no mandate."

In legal phraseology Mr. Fennelly charged that the arrest was illegal and said:

"That said Marion W. Hutchinson has not committed said alleged offense and no warrant has been issued therefor."

After leaving the city and county hall, Mr. Fennelly and the Misses Hutchinson went to the lawyer's offices on the tenth floor of the D. S. Morgan building, where a short conference was held. Then the young women returned to their homes. Their mother was at the door waiting for them, and the greeting between Mrs. Hutchinson and Miss Marion was pathetic. Both gave way to a torrent of tears. When a reporter for the Courier called later in the afternoon he was told that Miss Marion Hutchinson was prostrated by the excitement of the day and could not see anybody. However, after a few moments she appeared, and in a very straightforward way told of such of the incidents of the day as are here credited to her.

"OUTRAGE ON DECENCY."

Miss Hutchinson characterized the whole proceeding as an outrage upon decency and the rights of citizenship. She was for the most part conservative in her utterances, but evidently felt keenly her position.

Miss Hutchinson is about 23 years old and is a very prepossessing blonde of good figure and fair face, who knows how to make the most of each. She would generally be termed stylish. She has a fine voice and is well known in local musical circles, having sung at a number of concerts. She is also a member of the First Baptist Church choir at North Pearl and North streets, one of the most fashionable sections of the city. She has lived in Buffalo about a year, having come here from London, Ont., where her father is health officer. She was accompanied



LAWYER PHILIP V. FENNELLY, Counsel Who Obtained the Quick Release of Marion Hutchinson from the Police, Also Counsel for Mrs. Seth T. Paine.

but her mother and sisters, Florence and Katharine. When they first came to Buffalo they made their home at the fashionable Cornell apartment house in Main street, near Summer street.

MOTHER AND SISTER PERSECUTED.

It was learner last night from an official in the police department, and afterwards confirmed by Philip V. Fennelly and the district attorney, that Miss Hutchinson was not the only member of her family to be brought in connection with the case. Her mother and sister were also visited by the police and yesterday morning, while the unfortunate young woman who had worked for the murdered man was at police headquarters building, her mother and sister were being taken to the third precinct in Pearl street. There they were confronted by Assistant Supt. Cusack, who questioned them at length about the whereabouts of Marion on the night that Burdick met his death.

They answered the questions convincingly, saying that Marion was asleep at the house in West Tupper street and that her sister slept with her.

The arrest of the Hutchinson woman caused great excitement early in the day. The blazing announcement in the afternoon papers that the authorities had taken the decisive step of making an arrest had an early tendency to bring about the relief that some real detective acumen had been secretly expended, and the results had been fruitful. But when in a short time it was learned that Justice White had granted a writ of habeas corpus and that the authorities had promptly freed the young woman and had soon afterwards strenuously claimed that she was not arrested, but merely "invited to come to police headquarters to see if she could throw any light on the mystery," there was a burst of indignation. It was freely stated that Miss Hutchinson's detention was an outrage, and that the fact that she was less well financially endowed than other men and women whose names had been more prominently mentioned was the only reason that the police dared place her in a cell and attempt to force her to talk.

MAY GO ON STAGE.

"My only experience on the stage," she said to a reporter for the Courier last night, "was a short one as a member of Jessie Alexander's company, if it may be so-called. Jessie Alexander is the leading elocutionist in Canada, and gives entertainments in towns all over the Dominion. I was a soprano singer in her company for a short time. That, in brief, is my entire stage experience. I have contemplated going on the stage and may do so later on."

[Buffalo Courier.]

That the police yesterday should have taken it upon themselves to detain in connection with the Burdick case an innocent young woman, and then, after subjecting her to the humiliation of the "third degree" examination and its consequential exposure of her private affairs, allowed her to go "exonerated" because no evidence existed against her, is a cause of regret to the entire community. Indeed, among conservative people, the regret increases to indignation. Of course, the police believed they had some reason for their action. The burden of complaint is that they did not fathom their reason sufficiently, before making the mistake. There was no necessity for exigent steps. The woman was not boarding a train for parts unknown. She was not cloaking herself with suspicious secrecy. The chief reason for casting the eye of suspicion upon her was that she had been an employe of the murdered man. Why was it then that the police were so hasty in taking Miss Marion Hutchinson into custody, when women higher in society and more prominently mentioned in the case have been spared the annoyance, not to say shame, of detention which in this instance, amounted, as far as her personal liberty was concerned, to arrest? Do the police discriminate between Elmwood avenue and West Tupper street residences? Has social standing anything to do with questions of haste in making arrests? The most unsatisfactory part of the proceeding was that after releasing Miss Hutchinson the police failed to give any plausible reason for her detention.

It is a source of gratification to note that District Attorney Coatsworth had nothing to do with the young woman's detention. He did not order or advise it. Throughout the course of the investigaion Mr. Coatsworth has acted with a cool head and no hasty steps have marked his action in the matter.

THE POLICE NOT DISCOURAGED.

Buffalo, March 9.—Not a particle cast down and not in the least bit discouraged represents the attitude of the police today toward the mystery of the murder of Edwin L. Burdick.

Although ten days of investigation have failed to reveal the hiding place of the person who committed the murder in the den at 101 Ashland avenue, the police are continuing the work today with as much determination as ever.

"The situation is about the same today as it was a week ago today," said Supt. Bull.

"Smoking Out" Is New Plan in Third Degree

[Buffalo Courier.]

A subtle form of the third degree was practiced by the police yesterday morning in the examination of Marion W. Hutchinson. It was as cruel and heartless as many of those other unnameable things which are countenanced behind prison walls.

When Miss Hutchinson, after being searched and held in a prison cell, was brought into Supt. Bull's office, her lungs were assailed with tobacco smoke. A dozen cigars in the mouths of a dozen detectives, who surrounded her, were puffed continuously until the room was so full of the foul fumes that even a hardened smoker would be compelled to cough.

Reason for this smoke is evident. It was designed to make Miss Hutchinson sick, to cause her brain to reel, to make her dizzy and thus to help to force some expression from her lips which might be construed into an admission of guilt.

A TIME OF PEACE IN THE COMMONS

Nationalists and Government on Best of Terms.

MAY MEAN LIBERAL TREATMENT

Thought in Some Quarters That England Will Give Ireland Some Form of Home Rule.

London, March 7.—Whether or not the Irish Nationalists and the Ministry really are in league, as many allege, it certainly is becoming increasingly common to find the Nationalists in the Ministers' division lobby.

This has given rise to all sorts of remarks. It is even said that Secretary Wyndham has convinced himself, as he is convincing the Cabinet, that it may go further than a generous land bill, and inaugurate a new Anglo-Irish era of good-will by such a measure of self-government as would be called home rule if it were proposed by the Liberals; in other words, some such provincial councils proposal as formed Mr. Chamberlain's alternative to Gladstonian home rule. Some Radicals even protest that home rule, when it does come, will probably come on the initiative of the party which controls the House of Lords, namely, the Tories. It would be a happy circumstance if the outcome could be an agreement of both great parties, as was the present English franchise. That is a possibility of near politics.

T. W. Russell, M. P. for South Tyrone, opened a debate on the Irish land question at the National Liberal Club on Friday night. Judge Adams, chairman of the Limerick quarter sessions, made the closing speech, and said that the empire had in the past trusted the fiery valor of Irishmen. The empire now had a King full of generosity and benevolence towards his Irish subjects, and Irishmen felt towards King Edward as they never felt towards any King since they held the crumbling wall of Limerick for King Shamus.

Nothing has transpired regarding the provisions of the land bill, and will not until Mr. George Wyndham, the Chief Secretary for Ireland, explains the bill in the House of Commons. Meantime the Nationalist members are lying low. The Daily Express takes the ground that, in view of recent hostile votes of Unionist members in the House of Commons the fate of the Government depends on the Irish, and that if the land bill is not satisfactory to the Nationalists the Government's position may be seriously imperiled.

THE FISHERMEN RESCUED

Now in Safety After a Perilous Voyage on the Ice.

Menominee, Mich., March 7.—There is rejoicing in Menekaunee, the little fishing hamlet, over the news that the eight fishers who were carried out into Green Bay by an ice floe are safe. The rescue was made by parties in sail sleighs and boats, who found the marooned men on Whaleback Reef, now merely a mass of ice. They had been floating around for days on the floe, which, in spite of the mild weather, had fortunately held together, and safely carried them to the spot that afforded them a chance to escape drowning. The men had camped upon the reef, and were in an exhausted condition from exposure and hunger, having been without cooked food from the time they broke away from shore.

Winnipeg Free Press: The funeral of the late Thomas McLaren took place one day last week from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Fogg, 322 Alexander avenue, to the C. P. R. depot, and from thence the remains were sent to his old home in St. Marys, Ont., for burial. His brother-in-law, Conductor Fogg, accompanied the body east. The deceased, besides his mother in St. Marys, leaves three brothers—John, of that town; R. A. McLaren, C. N. R. agent at Makinak, and Alexander, of St. Thomas, Ont.; two sisters—Mrs. Morris, of London, Ont., and Mrs. Fogg, of Winnipeg. Six of the deceased's friends acted as pall-bearers, and Rev. Joseph Hogg conducted the service.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Monday, March 9.

Sun rises..6:42 a.m. Moon rises....2:06 p.m.
Sun sets...6:15 p.m. Moon sets....3:51 a.m.

Tomorrow: Mild and Showery.

Toronto, March 8—8 p.m.

Rain has fallen locally today in Ontario and Quebec, and generally in the Maritime Provinces. The weather is cooler in the Northwest Territories, but there is no present indication of the cold spreading eastward.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 32—40; Calgary, zero—2; Qu'Appelle, 2 below—18; Prince Albert, 16 below—8; Port Arthur, 14—30; Parry Sound, 32—40; Toronto, 36—42; Ottawa, 34—42; Montreal, 28—42; Quebec, 34—40; Halifax, 24—44.

Monday, March 9—8 a.m.

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate to fresh easterly winds; fine and mild.

Tuesday—Fair to cloudy and mild; local showers by evening.

Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	0	—22	Clear
Winnipeg	26	24	Cloudy
Parry Sound	26	22	Clear
Toronto	36	32	Clear
Ottawa	34	30	Fair
Montreal	32	30	Clear
Quebec	32	28	Clear
Father Point	30	28	Clear

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather is decidedly cold in the Northwest Territories, but there is no present indication that the cold will spread eastward.

Local temperatures: Saturday—Highest, 52°; lowest, 22.5°. Sunday—Highest, 52°; lowest, 35°.

STEAMBOAT AFIRE NEAR MONTREAL

Dock Shed Fell Under Crowd Watching the Flames

AND TWO PERSONS ARE KILLED

Over Half a Hundred Persons Were Very Severely Injured, Some of Them Fatally, It Is Feared.

Montreal, March 9.—The Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company's finest steamer, the Montreal, which was lying in the custom house dock, was burned to the water's edge Saturday night. The fire started shortly before 9, and when the firemen arrived the vessel was a mass of flames. The firemen could do little, and it gradually burned itself out.

During the fire a shed of the Allan Line on the top of which was a large number of people, gave way, and many were thrown into the shed on top of a big crowd in the shed. A panic followed, and two people were crushed to death and many injured. Two dead bodies were taken to the morgue and there were over 30 injured people removed to the hospitals.

The steamer was valued at $350,000, and was fully covered by insurance.

Montreal, March 8.—One man killed and several severely if not fatally hurt and over 50 suffering minor injuries are the victims of the Allan shed disaster of last night while watching the steamer Montreal burning. A portion of the Allen Line shed supported by light framework offered a point of vantage to view the fire, and hundreds climbed up the rafters on the shed, while others crowded beneath. The weight was too much for the frail structure. Suddenly there was a crash and down came the supports, carrying the debris and hundreds of people with it. There was an indescribable crush and panic, and dozens of people were taken out badly crushed and injured and removed with all possible speed to the hospitals. Nicholas Giounne, aged 40, was taken to the general hospital with a fractured skull and died shortly after arriving.

THEY LIMIT HIS WIVES

The Ameer of Afghanistan Makes Radical Reforms.

London, March 9.—Mail advices from Cabul say the Ameer of Afghanistan has divorced all but four of his wives. The women are allowed to re-marry at their pleasure, and the Ameer has promised life-long support to those who do not marry again. He also has decreed by beat of drum that none of his subjects shall hereafter have more than four wives, and that all in excess of this number must be divorced. The Ameer also is suppressing evil-doers with an iron hand. In a recent proclamation he ordered that anyone convicted of taunting another on account of his religion shall be blown from cannon's mouth. This punishment already has been inflicted. Robbers are placed in cages, which are hung prominently in the thoroughfares as a warning to others. Another proclamation, evidently aimed against those who attempt to corner grain, decrees that everyone possessing grain in excess of what is absolutely necessary for the support of his family for four months shall sell it. If he fails to do so his whole supply will be taken by force.

LORD LOVAT'S TIMIDITY

Was a Lion in Africa, But Broke Down in a Speech.

London, March 9.—An interesting feature of this week's army debate in the House of Lords was the collapse of Lord Lovat, who, on rising to make his maiden speech, said: "My Lords, I venture to think this army corps system, by producing a definite scheme"—and then sat down, unable to utter another word. His failure in the House of Lords was such a contrast to Lord Lovat's gallant work in the South African war, when he raised and commanded a corps of scouts and won the Distinguished Service Order, that it has produced much good-natured comment. His lordship's lost contribution to the debate is regretted, as his practical experience would, according to general opinion, have illumined an otherwise useless discussion. One writer points out that Lord Lovat can console himself with the reflection that only a short time ago the Duke of Devonshire rose from his seat in the House of Lords, looked slowly round, intending to speak, and then sat down without uttering a word.

The plant of the Ontaro Asphalt Block Company, above Walkerville, is about completed. The company expects to begin the manufacture of bricks in May.

Farmer Eames, of Beverly, left $90,000, of which $30,000 was to next of kin, the rest to charitable purposes. Rev. Thos. Geoghegan is one of the executors. The estate is now in the courts.

WABASH EMPLOYES REPLY TO COMPANY'S INJUNCTION

File a Denial of the Charges Made—Say the Union Has Not Conspired to Force Men to Join the Organization—Wabash Not Confined to Union Men.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9.—The answer to the Wabash Railroad injunction was filed in the United States district court this morning.

The answer, as filed, is a joint or several answer of all the defendants named in the bill of complaint and against which the injunction issued. It is a specific denial that the Wabash Railway was ever a union or brotherhood road, employing exclusively union or Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, the organizations involved in this proceedings, ever made any demand or attempt to compel the Wabash Railway to place any restrictions upon its employes as to their connection with any brotherhood or union.

The answer stated that the several employes engaged in the train service of the Wabash Railway Company frequently have presented their grievances for adjustment and settlements and that the officers have persistently refused to discuss such grievances or make any reasonable permanent rules or regulations, governing the service of their respective employes, and that this continued vacillating policy on the part of company finally culminated in presenting the grievances and complaints to the several boards of adjustment and grievance committees of two labor organizations, known as the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

The defendants deny that the organizations have unlawfully or maliciously conspired; deny that they have attempted to compel the unionization of Wabash employes or that any attempt has been made to prevent the Wabash from dealing directly with its employes.

Many letters passed between President Ramsey and the committee having the adjustment of grievances in charge. Copies of these letters were filed as an exhibit.

COX TO THE RESCUE

He Buys Office Building in Montreal for the Methodists.

Montreal, March 9.—Senator George A. Cox, in his personal interest Saturday concluded arrangements for the purchase of the Temple building, situated in St. James street, next to the Canada Life building.

The building was owned by the trustees of St. James' Methodist Church, and was heavily mortgaged by the Standard Assurance Company. Had it not been for the action of Senator Cox the sale of the building would have been forced by the Standard Assurance after May, or taken in by them at a very low figure. By the action of Senator Cox the trustees get a good figure for the building, and will be able to use it in relieving the heavy debt on the new St. James' Methodist Church. While the building and site is assessed at $350,000, the price paid was a little over $225,000.

ELEVEN WERE CREMATED

Fatal Fires in West Virginia and at Dawson City.

Seattle, Wash., March 9.—A special from Dawson says: Five persons were burned to death in the Aurora roadhouse on Hunker Creek at 2 o'clock Thursday morning. Charles Bernsie, who owned the house, his wife and two children and Thomas Baird, who was in charge of one of the Government roadhouses, were burned to a crisp. Neighbors who saw the burning building were unable to enter on account of the smoke. The Bernsie family came from Portland, Ore. Baird was from Ontario.

Cumberland, Md., March 9.—Six persons were burned to death and one was fatally injured as the result of a fire yesterday morning in a small hotel at Leiter, a mining town near Elkins, W. Va.

FED BEARS WITH MEN

Horrible Crime Unearthed by the Arrest of Gypsies.

Stole Children of the Villages and Gave Them to the Animals.

Budapest, March 9.—Despatches from Malaczka, near the Austrian frontier, report the sacrifice of seven or more human lives to keep up a gypsy tribe's menagerie. Two wood cutters, noticing that a gypsy tribe with eight dancing bears entered the forest where they worked, fled for safety. One climbed into the branches of a tree and concealed himself, but the other was caught by the gypsies, who immediately removed the bears' muzzles and allowed them to tear the man to pieces.

When the body was devoured the brutes were muzzled anew, and the gypsies made them do a dance, in which the bears engaged with apparent gusto. Then the party took to the road again, and the wood cutter slid from the tree and ran to the nearest village, where he gave the alarm. A detachment of horse gendarmes, happening to be stopping at the inn, took up the pursuit, and caught the gypsies within an hour.

While the men were held, one of the bears was shot, and portions of human flesh, bone and hair were found in his stomach. The gendarmes then killed the other seven bears, and made the same horrible discovery. Thereupon several of the gypsies were taken back over the route they had traveled, and it was found that six children were missing in as many Hungarian villages through which they had passed.

One of the gypsies was persuaded to turn state's evidence, and confessed that the children had been abducted to serve as food for the bears, which the band was unable to keep alive otherwise. It is feared that such has been the practice of the gypsies for a long period, which would explain the many cases of absolute disappearance of children.

The Austrian Government lately put the institution of dancing bears on the index, and kills all such animals found on Austrian soil. The Hungarian Government will now frame a law to the same effect. The whole gypsy band—20 men—will die on the gallows.

MR. WADE'S APPOINTMENT

Will Assist in Preparing Alaskan Boundary Question.

Winnipeg, March 9.—Mr. Fred C. Wade, K. C., of this city, has received notice of his appointment as one of the Candian counsel engaged in the preparation of Canada's case for the Alaska boundary commission. Mr. Wade left here today en route to Ottawa, Washington and London. He was for several years crown prosecutor and legal representative of the Canadian Government at Dawson, and has a most intimate knowledge of the Alaskan and Yukon territory in dispute between the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

Shooting With Intent.

Ottawa, March 9. — In the county police court, Wilfrid Noll was committed for trial on a charge of shooting at Albert Laroque with intent to murder. The motive is said to be a difference over a woman Laroque is living with.

T. W. Scott, formerly principal of the Lucan public school, but more recently one of Blyth's most progressive merchants, has been appointed manager of the Bank of Hamilton at Blyth.

A POSTMASTER ARRESTED

Some Strange Incidents of the Poison Candy Case.

Letters of Chifferton Throw Light on a Recent Robbery.

Ottawa, March 9. Sensational developments may spring from the poisoned chocolate case, which has of late been exciting much speculation in Rat Portage. The sweetmeats were received by George Chifferton, a miner from New Brunswick. Not caring much for candy himself, he partook very sparingly, and passed the box around among his mates. All who partook of the chocolates were taken ill and the symptoms were those of poisoning. Chifferton fell under suspicion, and search of his effects led to the discovery of letters from Dalhousie, N. B. These letters threw light on a robbery of $500 which occurred last August in the postoffice of the little New Brunswick seaside resort. On that occasion Lieut.-Col. Sherwood, commissioner of Dominion police, and Detective Chamberlain, of the secret service, investigated the robbery, but although they were convinced that the thief must have been someone thoroughly familiar with the postoffice, they were unable to bring the crime home. The correspondence found on Chifferton, however, seemed to point to the guilty party, and the arrest of J. A. Johnson, the postmaster at Dalhousie, on suspicion of being implicated, was resolved upon. Yesterday Col. Sherwood was advised that the arrest had been carried out. The letters which led to this unexpected turn of events were found by Inspector Greer, who handed them to Mr. John R. Cartwright, deputy attorney-general, by whom they were transferred to the commissioner of Dominion police.

TRADE WITH COLONIES

Development of American Trade Is Jealously Watched.

London, March 9.—The development of American trade in the British colonies is watched jealously yet by many people in this country. Complaints are raised that the Americans have of late monopolized the markets of Malta for flour and oil, to the disadvantage of British trade. Formerly these articles reached Malta from London, Liverpool and Hull, but the cheaper prices quoted from New York have ousted British goods. This result is attributed to the direct service inaugurated last year by the Deutsche, Levant and Hamburg-American Lines.

O. A. C. Third Course Extension.

Toronto, March 9.—It has been decided to extend the third year course at the O. A. C., Guelph, to include nature study for two months.

Printers Ask for Increase.

Ottawa, Ont., March 9.—The Printers' Union on Saturday night decided to ask for a raise of wages, not only at the Government Printing Bureau, but from all publishers, the new scale to to into effect June 1. The demands are to raise hand setters from $12 50 to $15 a week, day machine operators from $15 to $16 50, and night operators from $18 to $20 a week.

Bold Hold Up Men.

Detroit, Mich., March 9.—Three masked highwaymen boarded a Detroit United Railway car in Delray Saturday night, and stole a gold watch from Motormen Fred Follette. Conductor Gillman Mara beat the men off with a brake iron, and did not lose anything, though one of the highway men fired three shots at him. There was only one passenger on the car, an old man, who was not disturbed.

WESTERN POINTS OF THE PROVINCE

An Important Meeting of Fruit Growers and Carriers.

GOOD PRICE FOR USBORNE FARM

Cheese Factory Reports—Sugar-Making Started at Melbourne—Pioneers Pass Away.

The Port Elgin fall fair last year had a surplus of $131 25.

A Farmers' Association has been organized for the south riding of Huron.

James Craig, Warwick, has a sow that gave birth to 47 pigs at three litters.

The ward system will be abolished in the election of public school trustees in Chatham.

The Guelph City Council has made a grant of $600 to the Thirtieth Regiment Band, of that city.

According to the Tiverton Watchman, Rev. W. P. Reekie has accepted a call to Sparta Baptist Church.

The Galt Board of Health, discussing the vexed question, decided to drop the enforcement of compulsory vaccination.

Cards are out announcing the wedding on the 11th of Miss Maud McIntyre, of Muirkirk, to Mr. Archibald R. Campbell, of Lobo.

The farm of the late Samuel Madge, in Usborne Township, was sold the other day to Mrs. James Wilson, of the London road, for $6,500.

The 35th annual convention of the Perth County Sunday School Association will be held in the Methodist Church, Listowel, on April 7 and 8.

Mr. Moses Dundas, of Ingersoll, an old resident, has died after twenty months' illness. He had lived in Ingersoll for nearly 50 years. The decesed was born near Peterboro, Ont., and was in his 78th year.

Essex has a case of smallpox, and the schools have been closed. The patient, Patrick Warren, of Ridgetown, contracted the disease some weeks ago at Ridgetown.

Sugar-making is the present occupation of the enterprising farmers in the vicinity of Melbourne. Already some have tapped several hundred trees, and are making preparations to tap as many more.

Word was received at Sarnia on Wednesday to the effect that John R. Major, formerly of that place, had died in Rock Island, Ill. Many relatives and friends will hear of his death with regret.

John Middleton, of South Dorchester, died on Saturday at the family residence in his 70th year. He came to Canada in 1883, and settled in the vicinity of Springhill. His six children survive him.

The St. Bernard dog, "Mayor of Watford," which was bred and shown with success by Mr. H. Stableford, of Watford, has just been sold to Mr. Isaac Seligman, the New York banker, for $1,000.

Councillor W. F. Vanstone has purchased the fine farm of Duncan Stewart, within the limits of the corporation of Wingham. The price reported is $5,700. The property is a valuable one, and excellently situated.

At the home of Henry Welford, east of the city, this afternoon, a pretty wedding ceremony was performed, when his daughter Ida was married to Edward Meek, son of Peter Meek, Ingersoll.—Woodstock Express.

It is learned that John Wesley Griffiths has fallen and broken his neck at Moosejaw, N. W. T. He was a son of Richard Griffiths, formerly on the repair staff of the M. C. R., St. Thomas. Both father and son went to Moosejaw last spring to work for the C. P. R.

A meeting between the fruit growers of South Essex and the express companies will be held at Kingsville on Saturday, March 14. M. K. Cowan, K.C., M.P., will be present to look after the fruit growers' interests. All who have grievances are invited to attend and bring proof of the same with them.

Mrs. George Burkholder, of Burlington, was in Sarnia last week straightening up matters with the G. T. R. attorneys in connection with the death of her husband at the recent Wanstead railway catastrophe. For the loss of her husband Mrs. Burkholder received as damages from the G. T. R. the sum of $4,800.

The auditors' report presented at the annual meeting of the Union cheese factory showed: Milk received during 1902, 1,686,905 pounds, manufacturing 161,705 pounds, or 80⅝ tons, of cheese, an increase over last year of 19½ tons; pounds of milk to make a pound of cheese, 10.43; average price for the year, $10 18; value of 100 pounds of milk, $97 16. The following officers were elected: Michael Hepburn, president and treasurer; George Hunt, secretary; J. S. Donnelly, maker and salesman; Harry Cross and Henry Suttonfi auditors; managing committee, Messrs. Parish, J. Sutton and T. Olde.

Summary of Mapleton cheese factory's annual report: Total pounds of milk, 8,957,690; cheese, 377,572; receipts, $38,845 78; paid patrons, $34,956 21; paid maker, $3,775 72; expenses, $113 85; average pounds of milk to make a pound of cheese, 10.481; average price, 10.288 cents; secretary, $50; auditor, $30; insurance, $32 85; gross value per 100 pounds, $98 15. Mr. John Brodie, proprietor agreed to make the cheese for $1, when delivered at factory, and $1 60 upon routes. Abram Charlton was re-elected secretary; E. Culver, treasurer; L. M. Brown, auditor; directors, Messrs. McCallum, Luton, Warwick, Finch and McCaully.

At the annual meeting of Prouse's cheese factory, Dereham Center, the auditors' report showed the total pounds of milk received to be 3,944,945; total cheese manufactured, 184 tons 1,596 pounds; average milk per pound of cheese, 10.67 pounds; average price, 10.24 cents per pound. The patrons decided to have the milk paid for during the coming season according to reading of Babcock tester, with 2 per cent added. The year 1902 was a very successful one. The patrons regret that the proprietors, Messrs. J. Welford and W. J. Atkinson saw fit to sever their connection with the factory, and in leaving they take nothing but their best wishes. The new proprietor, Mr. Lachapelle, comes highly recommended, and there is no doubt that he will make a success of the business.

William Aitken, Cairngorm, has disposed of his handsome team of horses for the splendid sum of $400.

Mr. Joseph Wildfong, of Arkona, has moved to Clandeboye, to engage in the butchering business there.

Mr. A. H. Lofft was elected president of the St. Marys Board of Trade for 1903, at the annual meeting a short time ago.

Rev. P. C. L. Harris, pastor of the Ross Memorial Church, Port Huron, has resigned, having accepted a call from the Congregational Church at Guelph.

Mr. James Martin, Granthurst, held a very successful sale recently, and realized the handsome sum of $2,314. C. W. Robinson, auctioneer, wielded the hammer.

The creditors of Misener Bros., who assigned at Brantford a short time ago, have agreed to accept 35 cents on the dollar. The liabilities of the firm amount to $13,000.

The Guelph Board of Education will be asked to appoint Mr. D. A. Glassey, B.A., now classical master in the St. Marys Collegiate Institute, as successor to Mr. H. E. Wilson.

The Provincial Orange Grand Lodge of Western Ontario will meet in Wingham on March 10, 11 and 12. The Grand Chapter, Royal Black Preceptory, will meet on the 10th.

The Congregational Church property at Wingham was offered for sale by public auction recently. The highest bid received was not up to the bid already on the property.

The South Dumfries Council has decided to reduce the number of licenses under its control from three to two. At present St. George has one license and Harrisburg two.

She engagement is anounced of Miss Low Edna Karn, daughter of Mr. D. W. Karn, of Woodstock, to Mr. Drew Smith, of Toronto, son of Mr. T. G. Smith, of Mount Forest.

R. Paddoch, Guelph, sold a Clydesdale colt, 4 years old, to the Forbes Company, of Hespeler, for $205. Mr. John Paddoch sold a fine team of agricultural horses to Mr. Davidson, of Galt, for $375.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kirkpatrick, of lot 16, con. 16, West Williams, celebrated their golden wedding in a quiet way at their home on March 1. They were the recipients of many congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walden and family, of London Township, formerly of St. Marys, left last week for Manitoba; Mr. Walden purchased a farm last year near Lander, Man., and is moving on to it.

The customs returns for Ingersoll for February are: Value of dutiable goods, $29,886; free goods, $10,556; duty collected, $5,510 55. This was an increase over the corresponding month last year of $3,034 87.

Among the farmers who intend to go into the raising of sheep near Fernhill during the coming summer season are Messrs. James Fletcher, John Moore, Dugald Campbell, George Clark and Arthur Cowle.

One hundred pitch-holes were counted on the two and a half miles of road north of Brussels one day last week. The interested municipalities should take action on this main traveled road both north and south.

Rev. Thomas Manning, pastor of the St. Marys Methodist Church, has asked his official board to release him at the end of the conference year, on account of the ill-health of Mrs. Manning. His request has been granted.

An executive meeting of the East Lambton Teachers' Association was held a few days ago in Petrolea, when arrangements were made for holding the annual meeting on the 21st and 22nd of May, in the latter place.

A sawing match will be held in the Franklin House yards, Parkhill, on March 17, St. Patrick's Day. Five prizes will be given, and besides these there will be a special competition for those of 55 years of age and over.

Miss Ida Bennett, who lives at the home of Mr. J. S. Loughead, Sarnia, in looking for a pair of rubbers in a closet, dropped a lighted match into a package of gunpowder. The powder exploded, burning her quite severely.

Orville McCandless, whose home is near Petrolea, has been visiting friends in Lobo near Poplar Hill, and left on Tuesday for his home where he will spend a few days prior to his departure for Moosejaw, N. W. T., next week.

Sarnia Canadian: Owing to recent developments along the blind line between farms facing north and south, to the 10th and 12th concessions of Enniskillen and Moore, the drill is being called in requisition. There is goood reason to believe that the extent of the oil belt to the south is as yet undefined.

At Osgoode Hall, Toronto, in the case of Beattie and Town of Seaforth, W. Proudfoot, K.C., appeared for applicant; J. H. Moss for town corporation; W. W. Vickers for one John Dick, who is lending money under the bylaw. Motion to quash a municipal bylaw. Order to go, confirming the bylaw, in terms of consent to be filed.

The plant of the Farmers' Co-operative Harvesting Machine Company, Limited, will not be erected in Brantford, says the Expositor. It was formed recently with a capital of $1,000,000, and it was hoped that it meant another new factory for Brantford. But it is announced that the plant, covering some acres, will be built at Swansea. Building operations will be commenced as soon as weather permits.

Apple Cores Translated.

There was some fruit raised in the United States last year. The number of bushels of apples exported to Europe had passed the two-million mark on the first of the week, the exact total since the season opened being reported at 2,004,-668. This was against 674,490 barrels for the same period in 1901 2, and 1,211,234 in 1900-1. The total shipments for the week ending Feb. 7 were 49,691 barrels, of which 11,977 were from Portland. This was more than five times as many as were sent in the same week last year. It is no wonder in view of these figures that the apple market is drugged and that shippers are feeling sore. But although millions have been exported, more millions remain behind. The estimated apple storage in the United States and Canada on Feb. 1 was 3,124,689 barrels, against 1,153,000 in February, 1902. Of these 2,139,949 were in cold storage, and 748,740 barrels common; and there were in Maine 125,000 barrels, against 20,000 last year.

Among the articles of export from Portland may be noticed now and then a quantity of apple cores and skins. It may seem at first hardly worth while to ship over sea such stuff, which is usually regarded as worthless refuse. But they know a thing or two in France which we do not. Large quantities of cores and skins accumulate at the apple-evaporating factories. These are dried, compressed and shipped across the water, where cunning cooks make from them a jelly which becomes the basis of currant jelly, raspberry jelly or any kind of jelly you want. It is only a matter of getting the right flavoring, and the French chemists will see to that. Moreover, there is a shrewd suspicion that the same apple product is used in fixing up light wines; so that the exported apple cores may come back next year disguised as fine French jellies, cordials or wines.—Portland Press.

High Rents in London.

Some parts of London are the most highly rented places in the world, far exceeding the most expensive localities of Paris or New York. Cornhill is absolutely the dearest rented district in the world. One room near the Exchange was let a short time ago at £2,500 per annum. Six rooms on the first floor of a house at Throgmorton street were advertised recently to be let at a rent of £2,000 per annum. Bond street is the dearest neighborhood in London for a man to start business in. A small shop in Bond street will cost its tenant £1,000 per annum, and, be it observed, the word shop has strict limitations, and only includes the shop and basement, the rest of the house being let separately. The rents in the Strand have increased hugely during the last 25 years, and a lease of a shop renewed lately costs the tenant an increase of £200 per annum on his rent.—The Tatler.

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FERRY CAPSIZES; 19 MEN DROWNED

Panic-Stricken Italian Laborers Overturn Boat.

A TERRIBLE STRUGGLE FOR LIFE

The Current of the River Was Unusually Swift and Swept the Men Away Beyond Hope of Rescue.

Glen's Falls, N. Y., March 9.—Nineteen men are said to have been drowned as the result of the capsizing on Saturday of the ferryboat used by workmen at Spier Falls, about ten miles west of Glen's Falls, on the Hudson River.

The drowned—Michael Kennedy, married, leaving a widow and four children; Fred Forran, Italian interpreter, married; "Cigarette," the Italian boy who started the panic. Sixteen others missing.

Over 1,000 men are employed there at present in the construction of the power dam of the Hudson River Power Company. The laborers and many of the managers are Italians, who live in shanties on the north shore of the river. The main portion of the work is carried on at present on the opposite side of the river. The men have been in the habit of crossing a small bridge where the river flows through the unfinished portion of the dam, but the river has been rising for several days, and the company, fearing that the bridge was unsafe, destroyed it with dynamite.

Below the work about a half-mile is a ferry. The boat is a scow-shaped affair. 30 feet long and 13 feet wide, and is operated by means of cables. It is large enough to carry a heavily-loaded team, and as many as 150 men have been taken across at one time.

While the men were being ferried across on Friday, an Italian boy known as "Cigarette," became frightened and fell overboard, but was rescued. On Saturday morning 70 or 80 men got aboard and the boat started, leaving a big crowd on the bank waiting for the next trip. When 80 feet from the shore the water splashed against the rail and the Italian boy who had fallen over the previous day, seized one of the tackle ropes which ran from the overhead cable to the stern of the boat. Some of the men started toward him, and instantly the boat careened and filled, everyone being thrown into the water.

The Hudson, swollen by the freshet, bore a score or more of the struggling men down the stream. Many others succeeded in catching hold of the boat, which had righted, and they clung there until pulled ashore. The wildest excitement prevailed, but the current carried many of the men in toward the shore, where they were rescued.

Teams were sent down along the river to points where the bodies would be likely to land. Dozens of dinner-pails, hats and coats were fished out, but it was nearly 4 o'clock before the first body was found. This was found in a log jam two miles below the dam, and was recognized as that of Fred Forran, an Italian interpreter.

The river for miles is being watched and dragged in hope of finding bodies of the other victims. There were but two or three English-speaking men on the boat. The Italians were all designated by number. The rolls were called, and everybody had been accounted for except sixteen men, and it is certain that these were drowned.

It is unlikely that all the bodies will be recovered. The river is full of logs, and at the big boom, five miles down the river, there are many thousands of them.

Canceled the Strike.

Winnipeg, March 9.—The Brotherhood of Railway Employes met Thursday night and decided to strike to assist the Vancouver strikers. Later a message was received that the Vancouver strike was on the way to settlement, and early this morning the Winnipeg and Calgary strike was canceled. The Brotherhood men claim the extent of the strike here would astonish the public.

Plan "Drunkards Strike."

Brussels, March 9.—Because the Government recently passed a law increasing the tax on all kinds of alcoholic spirts, the Socialist leaders issued a manifesto today requesting workingmen to become teetotalers for the purpose of causing a deficit in the public treasury. Conservatives laugh at the manifesto, asserting that the "drunkards' strike" will never take place.

Count de Smet de Naeyer, the Minister of Finance, who is the promoter of the new tax, says: "The Socialists will never imitate their leader, M. Vandervelde, who is a total abstainer, but will rather copy the rank and file of the Socialist deputies, who like to brag that they are hearty drinkers."

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A proposition to perfect or improve the digestion and assimilation of food is one which interests not only every man of 50, but every man, woman and child of any age, because the whole secret of good health, good blood, strong nerves, is to have a stomach which will promptly and thoroughly digest wholesome food, because blood, nerves, brain tissue and every other constituent of the body is entirely the product of digestion, and no medicine or "health" food can possible create pure blood or restore shaky nerves, when a weak stomach is replenishing the daily wear and tear of the body from a mass of fermenting, half-digested food.

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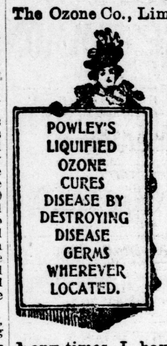
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Mr. E. W. Boyle, druggist, advised me to try Powley's Liquified Ozone. I bought a bottle and began taking it according to directions. I had not taken it long before I began to get better. I have now taken four bottles and I am completely relieved of the asthma and have not had an attack of my old troubles for over two months and am in perfect health. My neighbors all tell me I am a different woman, and I feel that I am, as I have not had such good health for nine years. I think there is no other such medicine on earth

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BOUGHT GULF ISLANDS

British Syndicate Makes an Important Deal in Real Estate.

Halifax, March 9.—One of the most important and extensive deals in real estate that has taken place in British North America for years was consummated in London last week, when a syndicate of British capitalists acquired possession of the group of Magdalen Islands, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. A number of Canadian capitalists are also interested in the deal. he first issue of bonds, aggregating several hundred thousand dollars, has been already placed in the market. The object in buying these islands is to establish a fish industry of more than ordinary proportions. A large number of Norwegian and Scottish fishermen have already been engaged for this purpose. The company will erect stations on the different island and build houses, for their fishermen, as well as equip them with boats and small vessels and all requisite fishing gear.

KING AND PRESIDENT

The British Ruler Will Confer With Mr. Loubet at Paris.

Paris, March 9.—The Echo de Paris says that when King Edward starts for the south of France at the end of this month or the beginning of April he will land at Cherbourg, and have an interview with President Loubet either at Paris or on his way to the Riveria.

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Bill Introduced in British Commons by John Redmond.

London, March 9.—A bill has been introduced in the House of Commons by Dr. Robert Ambrose, M. P. for West Mayo, and supported by John Redmond and John Dillon, to remove the disabilities of the Jesuits and members of other religious orders, and place them in the same position in respect to the right to acquire property as is now occupied by religious communities of women.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH

Great Change in French Feeling Towards Great Britain.

London, March 9.—Referring to the speech by M. Cambon, French ambassador here, at the dinner of the Association of Chambers of Commerce, the Times' Paris correspondent says there is undoubtedly the commencement of a striking evolution of French public feeling towards England corresponding with the recent change of English sentiment towards France, and unquestionably due to the same causes. M. Cambon's speech will make a profound impression on thoughtful Frenchmen, and will act as a powerful stimulus to the existing movement. The common rivals of Great Britain and France have asserted that an Anglo-French war is unavoidable in the not distant future, but with a little good-will and diplomacy perhaps the two countries will not have to wait so long for an Anglo-French entente cordiale as a few incorrigible skeptics are inclined to think.

A Sick Rothschild.

Naples, March 9.—The state of the health of Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild, who has been suffering from intestinal trouble for some time past, has grown worse.

Kruger Takes a Walk.

Paris, March 9.—A dispatch from Cannes says Mr. Kruger, who has been suffering from a light attack of grippe, remained in his room for three days, but he has entirely recovered, and today resumed his outdoor promenades.

Canada's Exports to Britain.

London, March 9.—The imports from Canada during February were made up as follows: 7,641 cattle, valued at £135,552; 4,024 sheep, valued at £6,317, 33,774 cwt. of bacon, valued at £85,-429; 8,514 cwt. of hams, valued at £21,-824; 1,735 cwt. of butter, valued at £8,-236; 37,118 cwt. of cheese, valued at £112,642; 2,333 great hundreds of eggs, valued at £829, and 35 horses, valued at £1,040. Compared with the same period of 1902, the past month's imports, show a very large increase.

A Birth On Shipboard.

New York, March 9.—The American steamer Philadelphia arrived today from Southampton and Cherbourg. She had westerly gales to longitude 44, thence fine weather. Saturday afternoon, March 7, a woman, steerage passenger, gave birth to a child. About 70 dressmakers, cabin passengers, set to work and made the child a complete outfit of clothing. "I never saw such enthusiasm as was displayed, and I guarantee no child was provided with a better outfit."

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FRANK—McINTYRE—At the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Duncan McIntyre, Lobo Township, on Wednesday afternoon, March 4, 1903, by the Rev. W. A. Wyllie, Hyde Park, Richard C. Frank, of Komoka, to Isabell, daughter of the late Donald McIntyre, Lobo.

DIED.

SALTER—At her late residence, Sarnia, on March 7, 1903, Anne, relict of the late Dr. Salter, aged 84 years.

Funeral today (Monday), on arrival of 1:50 train for Sarnia, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

REAVY—In this city, on Sunday, March 8, 1903, Mary, mother of Mrs. Felix Kenny, of 253 Grey street, at a ripe old age.

Funeral from her son-in-law's residence, Mr. Felix Kenny, 253 Grey street, on Tuesday morning, at 8:30, to St. Peter's Cathedral; Mass at 9 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

GRANT—In this city, on March 8, 1903, Sarah Ward, the beloved wife of Nicholas Grant, aged 40 years and 6 weeks.

Funeral from her late residence, 712 Lorne avenue, on Tuesday, March 10, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

Chicago and Port Huron papers please copy.

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CHARLES CLARKE,
Clerk Legislative Assembly.
30c-wzz

EXECUTORS' NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Estate of Margaret McKenzie Lumsden Duff McCormick, late of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Margaret McKenzie Lumsden Duff McCormick, who died on or about the twentieth day of January, 1903, are required on or before the first day of April, 1903, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Messrs. Purdom & Purdom, of the City of London, solicitors for J. D. Smith and Francis Love, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addreses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And further, take notice that after said last-mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

Dated the second day of March, 1903.

PURDOM & PURDOM,
33k-z Solicitors for Executors.

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TORONTO, OTTAWA AND MONTREAL—
Leave—*4:30 a.m., *5:25 p.m.
Arrive—*11:30 p.m., *11:30 a.m.

WINNIPEG AND PACIFIC COAST (VIA NORTH BAY)—
Leave—**8:40 a.m.
Arrive—**8:00 p.m.

CHATHAM, DETROIT, CHICAGO, ETC.—
Leave—*11:35 p.m., *11:35 a.m.
Arrive—*4:25 a.m., *5:20 p.m.

ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS, DULUTH—
Leave—**8:40 a.m.
Arrive—**8:00 p.m.

LOCAL TRAINS.

WOODSTOCK, ST. THOMAS, TORONTO—
Leave—**8:40 a.m.
Arrive—**8:00 p.m.
*Daily. **Week days.

GRAND TRUNK.

Trains arrive and depart from Grand Trunk station, Richmond street, near York street.

Up-town ticket office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets, E. De la Hooke, city passenger and ticket agent.

MAIN LINE EAST.

Leave London—
12:35 A.M.—* New York Express.
3:32 A.M.—*Lehigh Express.
8:10 A.M.—Express.
10:25 A.M.—*Atlantic Express.
2:10 P.M.—Express.
4:35 P.M.—*New York Express.
6:40 P.M.—*Eastern Flyer.

MAIN LINE WEST, VIA SARNIA.

Leave London—
3:05 A.M.—*Chicago Express.
7:40 A.M.—Sarnia Accommodation.
11:05 A.M.—*Lehigh Express.
2:20 P.M.—Sarnia Accommodation.
7:52 P.M.—*Pacific Express.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Leave London—
6:30 A.M.—Accommodation.
11:15 A.M.—*Express.
2:30 P.M.—Accommodation.
7:45 P.M.—*International Limited.

ARRIVE FROM EAST—
*3:00 a.m., *11:00 a.m., 11:35 a.m., *6:15 p.m., *7:40 p.m., 9:50 p.m.

ARRIVE FROM SARNIA—
*12:32 a.m., *3:27 a.m., *10:10 a.m., 1:55 p.m., *4:30 p.m., 7:20 p.m.

ARRIVE FROM WINDSOR—
*10:20 a.m., 4:20 p.m., *6:35 p.m., 10:45 p.m.

* Daily, Sundays included.

ST. MARYS AND STRATFORD BRANCH.

Depart—7:10 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 3:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m.
Arrive—10:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 5:45 p.m., 10:40 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Depart—8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.
Arrive—9:45 a.m., 6:20 p.m.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

Trains arrive and depart from Michigan Central depot, corner Clarence and Bathurst streets. Up-town ticket office, 395 Richmond street. John Paul, city passenger and ticket agent.

9:10 A.M.—For St. Thomas, Dutton, Bismarck, Rodney, Ridgetown, Tilbury, Comber, Essex, Windsor and west. Connects at St. Thomas for east.

2:20 P.M.—Through train all stations to Detroit. Connects at St. Thomas with mail train for all stations east.

7:15 P.M.—Connects at St. Thomas with fast Eastern express for Buffalo, New York and eastern points; also with Pacific express for west.

Arrive at London as follows:
7:45 A.M.—Local from St. Thomas.
10:55 A.M.—Mail train from Detroit, and intermediate stations; also from Buffalo and intermediate points.
6:05 P.M.—From St. Thomas, local.

LAKE ERIE and DETROIT RIVER RY.

Trains arrive and depart from Grand Trunk depot, Richmond street. Up-town ticket office, Masonic Temple, Richmond street. C. C. Young, local agent.

DEPARTURES FROM LONDON.
6:00 A.M.—For St. Thomas, Port Stanley and Walkerville.
9:45 A.M.—For St. Thomas.
2:30 P.M.—For St. Thomas, Port Stanley and Walkerville.
6:30 P.M.—For St. Thomas and Ridgetown.

ARRIVALS AT LONDON.
8:40 A.M.—From Port Stanley and St. Thomas.
10:20 A.M.—From Ridgetown and St. Thomas.
1:40 P.M.—From Walkerville and St. Thomas.
5:40 P.M.—From Port Stanley and St. Thomas.
10:05 P.M.—From Walkerville and St. Thomas.

Wind Wheel Lights Train.

A novel idea in lighting trains, by electricity, is the "Gullott" system, which has been experimented with successfully on a small scale on an important road, and is now to be applied to an express train. As in the case of the "axle light," the motion of the train is used to generate the electricity. Infrom the car axle, it is furnished by a rotary fan attached to the front end of the locomotive.

stead, however, of taking this power The fan is located close to the boiler head and presents a moving and cutting surface to the air pressure, causing the air to travel to the outer end of the fan's blades until discharged. No air pressure is massed on the flat surface of the boiler head, but the curved surfaces of the fan utilize the traveling air and thereby generate power. The fan cutting through the air revolves swiftly and does not add to the resistance of the air nor retard the speed of the train. No gale of wind is required to cause the fan to operate; the ordinary pressure of the train moves it sufficiently to generate the electrical energy required to light any train and leave a large surplus for ventilating fans and other purposes. The apparatus so located does not obstruct the view of the engineer nor offer any objectionable complications.

The dynamo is located either on or under the pilot and is direct-connected to the fan by a special device. A storage battery is located on the tender or underneath each car, and so equipped automatically with cut-outs as to properly govern the flow of current from dynamo to battery. It is evident that the cost of illumination will be only the expense of installing and maintaining this apparatus.—Engineering Review.

TOOK DOSE OF POISON

St. Thomas Woman Makes an Attempt Upon Her Life.

St. Thomas, March 9.—Mrs. Lillie Batty, a woman between 50 and 60 years of age, wife of William Batty, city chimney-sweep, residing at the corner of Hiawatha and Curtis streets, attempted to take her own life about 4:30 Saturday afternoon by swallowing a quantity of laudanum. She was removed to the Amassa Wood Hospital in an unconscious condition, and little hopes are held out for her recovery.

PERRY DIES IN JAIL

A Negro Charged With Murder Is Dead From Worry.

Cambridge, Mass., March 9.—George L. O. Perry, the negro lad indicted for the murders of Agnes McPhee, at Somerville, and Clara Morton, at Waverly, commonly referred to as the "Jack the Slugger" cases, died at the Cambridge jail today of nervous exhaustion. Perry survived an attack of typhoid fever, and death is announced to have resulted indirectly from worry, which prevented a complete physical restoration from the condition in which the fever left him. Though he was persuaded Friday that his end was near, it is not known that he made any formal statement, and it is believed that he protested his innocence to the last.

THE SULTAN GIVES IN

The United States Is Given Several Important Concessions.

Constantinople, March 9.—The United States legation has finally obtained official recognition of the examinations at the American Medical College, Beirut, on the same lines as the French examinations, and also the settlement of the long-pending question affecting the rights of the wives and children of Armenians who have become naturalized Americans to leave the empire. They are now able to join their husbands and fathers in the United States without hindrance. The council of ministers has agreed to recognize the American educational, charitable and religious establishments, and they are now awaiting imperial approval.

It is expected that authority will shortly be given to the American archaeologist, Mr. Banks (who has been waiting the necessary permission here for three years) to undertake excavations at Tel-Abraham, Mesopotamia, the supposed site of the tomb of Abraham.

KING MAY NOT YACHT

Many Social Events in London to Help the Tradesmen.

London, March 9.—Truth announces this week that it is probable that the King will now abandon his projected cruise in the Mediterranean, in which case his majesty will join the royal yacht Victoria and Albert at Portsmouth towards the end of this month for a cruise in nearer waters. From the Riviera comes some confirmation from certain fashionable persons who, up to quite recently, expected to see his majesty on the Cote d'Azur, but who now say that he is not coming. The King greatly enjoyed his cruise last spring along the coast of Devon and Cornwall, and may very likely follow the same course, including another visit to the Scilly Isles.

The King's wish that London's great hostesses should exert themselves to make the season a success is bearing fruit. It is now possible to mention some important social functions that will be given in the big London houses. The Duchess of Devonshire is to give one if not two dances at Devonshire House. One will certainly be in honor of the debut of her grandaughter, Lady Mary Hamilton, who is 18 years old, and one of Scotland's greatest heiresses. She is likewise heir in general of the line of princely Hamiltons and sole representative of the Earl of Arran, who, in the time of Queen Mary, was designated as next in succession to the throne should the Queen die without issue. Had the Dukedom of Hamilton not been a strictly male fief her ladyship would now have been Duchess of Hamilton in her own right.

There is talk of Lady Londonderry giving a dance in her beautiful town house. Lady Lansdowne is the first of the great hostesses to fix the date of an entertainment. A big reception will be held Friday, March 13, at Lansdowne House.

CANADIAN TEACHER DEAD

One of the South African Contingent Dies of Enteric Fever.

Montreal, March 9.—A cablegram from Johannesburg, South Africa, announces the death at Paris, near that place, of Miss Sylvia Lee, one of the seven teachers the Province of Quebec supplied to the contingent Canada sent to South Africa. Death was due to enteric. Miss Lee was a granddaughter of the late Ven. Archdeacon Lindsay, of Waterloo, Que., and the daughter of Mr. Ralph Lee, of Brandon, Man.

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Slavery in the Philippines.

Two girls were sold into slavery in this city a few days ago by Georgia Torres, one bringing 150 pesos, and the other 100 pesos.

The Thirteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States declares that involuntary servitude shall not be permitted, that the Stars and Stripes shall stand for "Virtue, Liberty, and Independence," but the American flag continues to float over slavery in these islands.

A number of cases have been reported from time to time where young girls have been bought and sold, and where they have been sold even by their own parents into a life of shame in order to satisfy a small claim of some debtor.

Girls can be bought in the provinces at an insignificant figure, especially if the parents are in debt, and there are a number of human vultures in this city that are engaged in the business of buying and selling girls, something that should receive the attention of the authorities.—Manila Cable News.

He Wasn't a Gentleman.

Congressman Adamson, of Georgia, lives at the Hotel Varnum when he is in Washington, and there, too, lives Congressman Lloyd, of Missouri, who tells this story at the expense of his clleague:

"If there's a Congressman who loves children it is Adamson, and while at the Varnum he spent much of his time playing with the youngsters, with whom he is a general favorite. One morning, just as Adamson was starting for the capitol, a five-year-old girl walked up to him, and asked him to 'et her ride on his back. The child's mother objected, saying, 'Why, Mabel, you shouldn't make a horse of the gentleman.'

"'Oh, mamma,' answered the child, 'he isn't a gentleman; he's a Congressman.'

"The child's remark appealed to Mr. Adamson with peculiar force, and the desired ride was freely given."

Freezing Process for Tunnels.

Freezing the earth by artificial process in order to cut tunnels through it is a development of modern engineering that should excite popular interest to an unusual degree. This is a feature of the plan proposed by an eminent American engineer for digging the Pennsylvania Railway tunnels under the North and East Rivers and under Manhattan Island into New York city. One does not need to be an engineer to perceive the difficulties in the way of locating a tunnel in the treacherous silt or sediment of the Hudson River bottom. By a process of chemical refrigeration—the same as is employed in the manufacture of "artificial" ice—it is proposed to solidify this silt and sand so that cutting through it may be made safe and easy.

It is claimed that while this freezing process has been employed in numerous difficult excavations in Europe, the only noteworthy instance of its application in this country was in sinking a shaft at the Chapin iron mine at Iron Mountain, Michigan, where a cylinder of water-bearing strata 54 feet in diameter and extending 100 feet below water level was first frozen and the perpendicular tunnel then excavated through it. The freezing was accomplished by sinking vertical pipes arranged in a circle around the site of the shaft. Through a smaller pipe in each of these was circulated brine, cooled in an ice machine to zero temperature until the mass was frozen.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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A Case of Discipline.

For some time past it has been understood that the medical health officer had fallen under the displeasure of the machine. He had generally been considered a Conservative, but for some reasons appears to have failed in giving satisfaction. Possibly he was not sufficiently liberal in those pecuniary contributions to the party funds that might be expected from a loyal Conservative office-holder. However, for whatever reason, it seems to have been decided in the councils of the city's governing "Club" that he was a suitable case for discipline. The axe was understood to be in process of sharpening; and now it has fallen.

At the meeting of the board of health on Saturday the mayor approached the subject in a roundabout way. He had evolved the idea that an important part of the work of the health officer—the inspection of dairies and herds—could be much better performed by a veterinary surgeon. As a matter of fact, with his professional knowledge, and his many years' experience at that kind of work, the health officer can inspect dairies, test cows for tuberculosis, and investigate the sanitary condition of the buildings, the water supply, and the apparatus of milkmen as well as any veterinary surgeon. The only complaint ever heard in this connection was from people who thought he had been too severe in his reports. But this would serve as a plausible device for effecting the desired end. The board of health, which is now completely under his worship's control, decided that a veterinary inspector should be appointed at a salary of $300 a year, and that the health officer's salary should be cut down $500. So, ostensibly in the interests of economy and efficiency, the salary of one of the oldest officials in the city was reduced one-third.

So far as the medical health officer individually is concerned, we hold no brief to act in his defense. That would be a work that should devolve on his personal friends. But when a professional man had been in the service of the city some sixteen years; when he has acquired an amount of experience in the performance of his duties that must give him qualifications for serving the city that no new official could possibly have; and when, in consequence of occupying an office of that kind he has been necessarily retired from private business, which would be a means of support; if, then, he is summarily deprived of one-third of his salary, the action of the authorities does not appeal to the average man as being very fair, nor as being a course calculated to encourage the city's employes.

Complaints are often made about the health officer of any municipality. He is an official who, if he does his duty, is all the time offending people. He will give offense by what he does, as well as by what he does not do. He is expected sometimes to do things that are beyond his power; to abate supposed nuisances over which he has no control; to enforce laws which can only be enforced by the police and the magistrates. And then, where he has power and exercises it, whatever citizen is incommoded thereby is sure to be very much offended. More than that, as every man is fallible, a health officer will occasionally make a mistake, and no matter how trifling, it will be remembered to his disadvantage, while all the good he does will be forgotten. But, so far as our local health officer is concerned, the probabilities are that he has filled his position as faithfully and effectively as any physician the city could have secured for the office.

Of course, there is no legal objection to the health officer, making an effort to supplement his salary by getting all the practice he can. But he is no longer a young man. At his time of life, and in a city so well supplied with physicians as London, his chances of securing business will be very slim. And if he did succeed, and in following his practice neglected the city's business by absenting himself during office hours, and by not attending promptly to every demand for his official services, there would be just cause for fault-finding. The health officer of a city the size of London cannot attend to private practice and the city's business at the same time. He must neglect one of them. And in view of the treatment meted out to the present incumbent, there is no doubt that whoever occupies the office in future will take care to give his own affairs the preference.

Now, if Dr. Hutchinson would only resign the position, and try to begin life over again, the objects of the machine would be fully attained. The "Club" would then be able to provide for some favorite, whose qualifications would be more satisfactory from a "Club" point of view. And in the meantime the city's affairs can be made the shuttlecock for political battledores.

Radical Changes in Assessment Law.

The announcement is made that the Ontario Government will grapple with the assessment law at last. It is said a bill is to be introduced as a Government measure, and will embody all the recommendations of the assessment commission. The commission was appointed in 1901, but submitted its report too late for adequate consideration at the last session of the Legislature. The present law is full of anomalies and contradictions, and requires to be thoroughly overhauled. For years there has been no settled basis for the taxation of franchise corporations; it has been alternately shifted by the courts and the Legislature, the municipalities being the losers all the time.

The changes recommended by the commission are fundamental. The most radical is the abolition of the personalty tax, which is unsound in principle and cannot be enforced with any approach to justice, no matter with what powers the assessor is armed. It is proposed to tax manufacturers, merchants and business men generally upon the rental value of their premises, but supplementary to this is a tax to be levied in cities, towns and villages upon all occupiers of houses. This house tax will be assessed on the annual rental value of a dwelling place, and will be graded according to the population of the municipalities. Where the population is 4,000 or less, the occupier will pay on the amount of his rent above $70. Where the population is 4,000 or less, the exemption is $105; from 10,000 to 20,000, $140; from 20,000 to 75,000, $175; more than 75,000, $245. This would mean that every tenant in London would be assessed on the amount of his annual rent exceeding $175. The theory underlying the tax is that the rent paid by a person fairly reflects his earning power. Under the new law the income tax would also be greatly modified. Where a person's income is derived from trade, manufacture, a financial or commercial business (private bankers or brokers excepted), he would not be taxed upon income at all, but upon the rental value of his business premises. Persons following other callings, including private bankers and brokers, would be also taxed upon the rental value of their business premises, and in addition upon all income above $4,000 a year. People who derive incomes from investments and not from their business and callings, would be taxed directly on income as at present. Real property would be also assessed as at present. Franchise corporations such as gas, electric light and power, waterworks and similar companies, in addition to the tax on their real property, would be assessed on the right to use the highways and other public places, and on the structures placed thereon. It is also proposed to appoint a Provincial Board of Tax Commissioners to assess the land of railway companies, the income of express companies and the special franchises of other persons, the tax to be distributed among the municipalities, after deducting the expenses of the board.

It is surprising that a measure of such importance has been so little discussed in the Province. It has been before the public a year, so that there can be no pretext that the Government is not giving time for consideration.

The Buffalo Outrage.

The treatment of Miss Marion Hutchinson, of this city, by the Buffalo police has called out the severest strictures from the Buffalo press. If the police had desired to question anyone they might have done so with decent secrecy. But they seemed chiefly concerned to advertise their own smartness and cleverness. They had no thought for the reputation or feelings of an innocent and defenseless young woman; they thought it no part of their duty to spare her the ignominy of being publicly named in connection with a foul crime. They let it be known that they were on the track of a mysterious woman. The superintendent of police swelled his own importance by giving out interviews in which he announced that the police were sure of their ground; that there would be no mistake when they made an arrest. When Miss Hutchinson was taken into custody he is reported by the Associated Press as saying: "We strongly suspect this woman." This statement was sent broadcast over the continent. Innocence is no shield against so terrible a stigma; it will be a life-long anguish to the young woman, which no material compensation, granted by the courts, can mitigate. To this outrage, her persecutors added the torture of the sweatbox, a feature of American police methods which is a disgrace to civilization. The aim of the sweatbox is to break down the nervous system of a suspected person and extort a confession, and very often victims who may be entirely guiltless, have been known to equivocate or make incriminating statements, through sheer mental agony. It is a miserable quibble to pretend that Miss Hutchinson was not under arrest. After the inquisition by the police officers, she was stripped and searched by a female detective, and thrust into a cell with another woman, supposed to be a police spy. Could indignities go further? Frima facie, Miss Hutchinson has a case for heavy damages, although these cannot redress the wrong that has been done her by the callousness of those who are supposed to be working in the interests of justice.

Rural School Consolidation.

[Toronto Star.]

The consolidation of rural schools is an innovation which is well worth giving a careful trial. By means of it the present type of graded school may be extended from town to country. The consolidation represents an experiment, and experiment is essential to progress.

Soaking Newfoundland.

[Ottawa Journal.]

If Newfoundland finds itself so hot at the rejection by Congress of the Bond-Hay treaty as to bar United States fishermen from its seaboard, the chief sufferers will be the Gloucester, Mass., fishing interests. These are the interests which blocked the Bond-Hay treaty. Canada thanks the Gloucester men for giving a new chance to confederation between Canada and Newfoundland, and at the same time Canada cheerfully hopes to see Newfoundland soak Gloucester.

A Sure Sign.

[Toronto News.]

Times are so good that almost everybody in business met the 4th of March, the great "settling day" of the year, without a tremor.

A Fine Poem.

The Spectator quotes from a recently published book of verse, "Poems, Lyrical and Dramatic," by W. G. Hole, the following fine poem:

CAPTIVE IN LONDON TOWN.

There comes a ghostly space
'Twixt midnight and the dawn,
When from the heart of London Town
The tides of life are drawn.

What time, when spring is due,
The captives dungeoned deep
Beneath the stones of London Town
Grow troubled in their sleep.

And wake—mint, mallow, dock,
Brambles in bondage sore,
And grasses shut in London Town
A thousand years and more.

Yet though beneath the stones
They starve, and overhead
The countless feet pace London Town
Of men who hold them dead,

Like Samson, blind and scorned,
In pain their time they bide
To seize the roots of London Town,
And tumble down its pride.

Now well by proof and sign,
By men unheard, unseen,
They know that far from London Town
The woods once more are green.

But theirs is still to wait,
Deaf to the myriad hum,
Beneath the stones of London Town
A spring that needs must come.

Angel Raiment.

[Philadelphia Press.]

Tess—She's sorry enough that she married him, I'll wager.

Jess—The idea! How can you say that? He thinks her a perfect angel and treats her—

Tess—As though she really were one. He doesn't buy her anything to wear.

The Way to Shadowtown.

[Eugene Field.]

Sway to and fro in the twilight gray,
This is the ferry for Shadowtown,
It always sails at the end of day,
Just as the darkness closes down.

Rest, little head, on my shoulder—so;
A sleepy kiss is the only fare.
Drifting away from the world we go,
Baby and I, in the rocking-chair.

See, where the firelogs glow and spark,
Glitter the lights of the Shadowland.
The raining drops on the window—hark!
Are ripples lapping upon its strand.

There, where the mirror is glancing dim,
A lake lies shimmering, cool and still;
Blossoms are wavering o'er its brim—
Those over there on the window-sill.

Rock slow, more slow in the dusky light,
Silently lower the anchor down.
Dear little passenger, say "Good-night!"
We've reached the harbor of Shadowtown.

Not Without Reason.

[Boston Christian Register.]

Sunday School Teacher—Well, who was sorry at the return of the Prodigal Son?

Little Girl—The fatted calf.

The Queen's Kiss.

The following poem by Sir Edwin Arnold appears in the English magazine Lady's Realm. It was inspired by Queen Alexandra's visit to the hospital named for her, where as she bent over the cot of a boy, the little fellow embraced the queen and gave her an affectionate kiss.

Baby, glad and wise and bold,
Did your tiny arms enfold
India's Empress, England's Queen?
Lucky baby you have been!

Daring, fearless little chap,
If goodhap fall or illhap,
You will always have to say,
"Yes, I kissed the Queen that day."

But what's this we further read,
When you did the desperate deed?
Can it possibly be true
That her Majesty kissed you?

Rogue! you answer, "Well, I thought
'Twas an angel they had brought."
Ah, but just supposing this,
Mortals must not angels kiss.

Never mind. That kiss will be
All through life a memory,
Tender, lovely, strong to make
A good man of you for her sake.

Nay! and there was more than this,
Baby, in that royal kiss;
For, pressed on your pallid cheek,
Very plainly it did speak—

Unto English girls and boys,
How she shares their griefs and joys;
Not Queen alone, but mother, too,
She kissed them all in kissing you.

An Avowal

[Washington Star.]

"I suppose," said the man with the searching eye, "that drink was your downfall."

"It was," answered Meandering Mike, "I took a drink o' water dat had microbes in it, an' dat's what damaged me healt' so I can't work."

Though We Repent.

[Scribner's.]

Though we repent, can any god give back
The dear, lost days we might have made so fair,
Turn false to true, and careless unto care,
And let us find again what now we lack?
Oh, once, once more to tread the old-time track,
The flowers we threw away once more to wear!
Though we repent, can any god give back
The dear, lost days we might have made so fair?
Who can repulse a stealthy ghost's attack,
Silence a voice that doth the midnight dare,
Make fresh hopes spring from the grave sod of despair,
Set free a tortured soul from memory's rack?
Though we repent, can any god give back
The dear, lost days we might have made so fair?

Where Jack Gets Busy.

[London Punch.]

A German Jack Tar for murdering a petty officer, has been sentenced to death, to penal servitude for six years, to dismissal from the navy and to perpetual loss of civil rights. A movement is on foot to get the latter part of the punishment remitted.

G. T. Pacific Directors.

Ottawa, March 9. — Among the directors named in the bill incorporating the Grand Trunk Pacific Company are George A. Cox, senator, Toronto; Wm. Gibson, senator, Hamilton; John R. Booth, Ottawa; C. M. Hays, Wm. Wainwright, Frank Morse, now of the Grand Trunk, Montreal, and Mr. Pellatt Toronto. The capital is fixed at $75,000,000.

Death of Rev. R. Walker.

Elora, March 9.—Rev. Robert Walker, a retired Methodist minister, died here today, aged 64. He spent 42 years in the active ministry, during which he occupied about a dozen different charges in Eastern and Western Ontario.

Ithaca's Typhoid Epidemic.

Ithaca, N. Y., March 9.—There is now a marked increase in the number of new typhoid fever cases in Ithaca, and the general situation is very much improved. Physicians agree that the chief danger at present lies in secondary infection. Mrs. Julia McClunea, junior in Cornell, was discharged from Cornell infirmary. Hers was the second case of typhoid fever to be discharged cured.

A Violent Eruption.

Colima, Mexico, March 7.—The volcano again erupted, the demonstration being the most violent yet. The people at Tuxpan are in consternation. According to advices from that point the eruption was accompanied by showers of ashes and dense clouds darkening the sky. Some residents have fled to neighboring hills. Many houses and stores have been closed.

An Expert Commission.

Montreal, March 9. — A commission of experts, composed of H. Vantelet, of the C. P. R. engineering staff, and P. W. St. George, former city surveyor, have been named by the harbor board to examine the wharves in the port of Montreal, to determine whether they are strong enough to support the proposed steel sheds to be erected on them, and the enormous pressure of freight which they will have to sustain.

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The companies having steamers in the Alaskan trade offer to subscribe for stock enough in the Marconi Company to furnish money for the immediate establishment of wireless telegraph plants along the dangerous coast of British Columbia.

GREAT MEDICINE.—Tonti, one of the pioneers of French Canada, lost a hand and wore an iron hook as substitute. He was in the habit of boxing the ears of refractory Indians with this iron hand, and they have remarked that it was "great medicine." Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is great medicine, it takes hold of pain with an iron hand and knocks it out of the system.

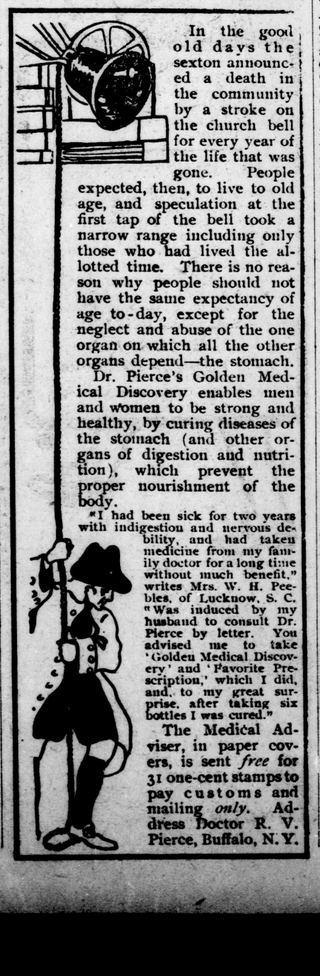
The Isle of Pines, south of Cuba, is the original of Robert Louis Stevenson's "Treasure Island." Professor John Finey has been visiting the island, and in writing of the experience says that, even at this late and unromantic day, he found men digging for treasure there.

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Tipping is getting to be a nuisance in the United States, but is not nearly as bad as in Austrian restaurants, where one is expected to pay three waiters—the one who brings the food, the one who receives the pay and the "piccolo" who serves the drinks.

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Kingsmill's

"Uncle Tom" Is Dead.

Chicago, March 9. — Norman Argo, said to have been the original "Uncle Tom," is dead at Paint Lick, at the reputed age of 111 years, says a dispatch to the Tribune from Lancaster, Ky. Argo was born a slave and belonged to Gen. Samuel Kennedy, a wealthy planter of Gerrard county and a former member of the Kentucky Legislature. Mrs. Stowe obtained most of the material for "Uncle Tom's Cabin," from the Kennedy plantation.

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to Canadian Northwest will leave Toronto every Tuesday during March and April, 1903, at 9 p.m., and the "Pacific Express" will leave Toronto at 1:45 p.m.

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MOST CASES ADJOURNED

Defendants Were Not All Ready to Proceed.

William Hicks Given a Week for Stealing Trousers.

A coterie of drunks and vagrants, of both the combatant and non-combatant kind, faced the police magistrate this morning. George May's name was the first on the list. He was again remanded till March 12, the time being given to allow his relatives to take him back to Niagara Falls, his home, whence he wandered to London in a demented state of mind. William Hicks, who was observed by Detective Nickle to have taken on abnormal proportions, the reason for which was found to be the concealing of a pair of Mara's trousers beneath his waistcoat, was sent to the common jail for seven days. The case of George Winslow, accused of fraud by his partner, Ray R. Bruce, was adjourned till Thursday, when it is expected that the defense will be prepared to go on. John McGregor was fined $3 for being drunk, while his more fortunate companions, Ludoic Adams and William Jeffries, were discharged for the same offense. Three men who became quarrelsome while "bowling up" were bailed to appear tomorrow on a charge of being drunk and fighting.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"THE CONVICT'S DAUGHTER" TONIGHT.

As was announced on Saturday, the Glick Stock Company remain over another week, opening tonight with "The Convict's Daughter," one of the strongest plays of their repertoire. Ladies will be admitted free, if accompanied by the holder of a 30c ticket. Prizes will be distributed this week, of which announcement will be made from the stage. Mrs. Taylor, of No. 3 Hyman street, secured the barrel of Hunt's Diamond flour on Saturday night. This company have become great favorites, and any person who likes a clever, clean production at popular prices should not miss seeing them this week.

"THE GAY LORD QUEX" TONIGHT

There are several things about "The Gay Lord Quex," to be presented at the Grand tonight, that will appeal to every theater goer as decidedly unusual. Pinero has written many peculiar plays, and among them only one comedy—this one—so that it is not strange that Quex should be different from other plays of a like nature. He introduces a heroine and hero, who are seldom, if ever, found in plays of any sort. One is the proprietress of a fashionable manicuring establishment, and the other an English lord. Two acts of this comedy are played in the parlors of a fashionable manicuring establishment, with a bevy of pretty girls cutting, filing and polishing finger nails while the action of the play proceeds. The piece is without a "love scene" in the generally accepted meaning of the term.

"LAZARRE" IS WELL STAGED.

Otis Skinner in "Lazarre" is the offering at the Grand tomorrow evening. Those who have been delighted with the popular actor's work in various plays during the past decade, notably "Francesca da Rimini," "Prince Otto," and "The King's Jester," will be eager to see his interpretation of the difficult part he has now chosen. Incidentally, it is said that the stage settings and scenery are first-class, as might be expected in a play which goes to one of the picturesque periods in American history for its material. The scene on the shores of Lake George, where "Lazarre's" identity is revealed to him, is said to be one of the most perfect stage illusions in recent years.

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Louis A. Parnell, eldest son of Sydney Parnell, of Grantham Township, Lincoln County, was crushed to death on Monday under timbers from a barn, which he and his brother were taking down. The brother was also buried in the collapse, but escaped with slight injuries. Deceased was 31 years of age, and leaves a widow and one child to mourn his demise.

From Kingston Postoffice.

James McGuire, letter-carrier, who was almost totally disabled by corns on the soles of his feet, has been cured by Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. It's the best.

WHEN ALL other corn preparations fail, try Holloway's Corn Cure. No pain whatever, and no inconvenience in using it.

Port Elgin Times: Horses are away up in price this year. Alex. Galbraith paid $550 for a team near Kincardine. George Craig paid R. Morrison, of Walkerton, $400 for a span of drivers, $380 for a draft team, and $200 for a draft horse.

Valuable Advice to Mothers.

If your child comes in from play coughing or showing evidences of an approaching attack of grippe, sore throat or sickness of any kind, first thing get out your bottle of Nerviline. Rub the chest and neck with Nerviline, and give internal doses of ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water every two hours. This will prevent any serious trouble. No liniment or pain reliever equals Polson's Nerviline, which is a necessity in every household. Large bottles cost only 25c.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

March 7-8.—At New York—Prinzessin Victoria Luise, from Havana; Philadelphia, from Southampton; Cevic, from Liverpool.

At Liverpool—Devonian, from Boston; Bovic, from New York.

At Queenstown—Etruria, from New York.

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DEATH IN RUNAWAY

One Person Killed and Another Badly Injured Near Belleville.

Belleville, Ont., March 9.—A runaway accident occurred Saturday afternoon close to the village of Foxboro, which resulted in the death of one person, and serious, possibly fatal, injury to another. It appears that John Lithgow, of Chatterton, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Miss Johnston, of this city, was driving home after a visit to Belleville. While trying to pass another rig on the road, the two conveyances collided, frightening his horses, which started to run away. After going a short distance the wagon struck a bad piece of road, and both occupants were thrown out. Miss Johnston had five ribs broken in her fall, the splintered ribs penetrating her heart. She died in twenty minutes. Mr. Lithgow was also badly hurt, and the doctors are not yet able to state whether he will succumb to his injuries or not. He is a well-known and prominent farmer, who has many friends in this county. Miss Johnston was a sister of School Inspector Johnston, of this city. She was about 50 years of age.

FACTS FOR BUSINESS MEN.

PERSISTENT ADVERTISING ESSENTIAL TO SUCCESS.

It is strange that advertisers should need to be reminded that trade is going on every day of the year. Equally inexplicable is it that they should deem it good policy to advertise only when trade is brisk. If advertising brings trade, it should follow that there is most need to use it when trade is lightest. When there is least trade there should be greater effort put forth to secure it. When trade is abundant it comes into one almost without effort on his part. There is trade in March as well as in December — not so much of it, to be sure, but trade there is, for the seeking. The same is true fo every month of the year. It might not be good policy to advertise as freely in the dull as in the busy months, but it is poor policy to decline to advertise at all in the dull months.

JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

WILTON GROVE.

Wilton Grove, March 9.—The funeral of the late William Carrothers on Saturday was very largely attended, notwithstanding the terrible rainstorm and the bad roads. His tragic death is deeply felt by the whole community.

Mr. Harold Jarvis, of Detroit, who sings at the concert in the South Westminster Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening of this week, will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Munro at their beautiful new home, Glanworth.

Mrs. Nell Munro, sen., who has been quite ill for some time, is slightly better.

It is stated that marriage bells will ring this week.

BYRON.

Byron, March 6.—Joseph Frank has moved into his new house.

William Neno is moving to London Township.

Isaac Cronse was in the village this week.

Mr. R. Mackay, of Keewatin, is visiting friends in Byron.

Mr. Colege, of the town line, is recovering from his recent illness.

PETROLIA.

Petrolea, March 9.—Evangelist William Pugsley, known as "the Young Men's Evangelist," began a series of special Gospel services at the Baptist Church here on Tuesday last, the 3rd inst. The meetings are being well attended, a number already having expressed a desire to live a new life.

Rev. Thomas Wilson, of London, lectured on the life of John G. Paton among the South Sea islanders to a large and delighted audience in the Presbyterian Church here on Thursday evening last, the 5th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Englehart were in Detroit last week. The many friends of Mr. Englehart will rejoice with him in his complete restoration to health after his recent serious and prolonged illness.

The Topic Printing Company have just installed a fine new printing press for job work, which is one of the best of its kind in this western district.

"Oil From the Rock" is the striking title of a creditable monthly paper just issued by the Baptist Church here, with pastor L. Brown as editor.

The Hamilton Bridge Company have obtained the contract for the new steel bridge over Bear Creek, at the sum of $8,965.

The oil men of Petrolea are puzzled to know what the Raleigh oil men of Chatham do with all their oil. Every few days we hear of some big find of the greasy fluid, and the wonder is where all this oil goes. The L. E. and D. R. Railway are supposed to convey all this oil for the Standard Oil Company to their refinery at Sarnia. It is stated by those in a position to know, that only 23 car lots of Raleigh crude oil, all told, have reached Sarnia, and only three car lots since the new year. Abe Lincoln was right when he said: "You can fool all the people some of the time, and some of the people all of the time, but you can't fool all of the people all of the time."

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured.

MRS. STEWART WAS UNABLE TO WALK.

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Rheumatism is having a hard time in Canada these days. Cripples have thrown away their crutches; stiffened arms and legs have been made well, lame backs relieved, and many men and women restored to health. "My remedy neutralizes the acid," said Prof. Munyon, "enriches the blood and drives every vestige of the disease from the system." And so it does. Statements are being received every day from the people Munyon's Rheumatism Remedy has cured. Investigate each one. Drop a postal card and find out if they have actually been cured. Prof. Munyon says: "I would not ask a more convincing way of letting you know the value of my remedy."

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Mrs. J. Stewart, 160 Franklin street, Toronto, says: "One year and six months ago I was a sufferer from inflammatory Rheumatism, chiefly affecting the ankles. The pain was excruciating, accompanied by great swelling and tenderness, and I was unable to walk. After one month's trial of different remedies I heard of Munyon's Cures. After using two bottles of his Rheumatic Cure I was entirely well, and have remained so ever since.

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Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price, 25c.

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Personal letters addressed to Prof. Munyon, Philadelphia, U. S. A., containing details of sickness, will be answered promptly and free advice as to treatment will be given.

LODGE OF INSTRUCTION

Masons Hold One for St. Clair District No. 2 at Stratford.

Strathroy, March 9.—A lodge of instruction for St. Clair district, No. 2, was held here Saturday afternoon and evening, in the Masonic Hall, under the warrant of Beaver Lodge, No. 83. Among the prominent Masons in attendance were: M. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, K. C., of Lindsay, Grand Master; Rt. Wor. Bro. E. T. Essery, London, D. D. G. M. of London district, No. 3; Rt. Wor. Bro. J. E. French, Glencoe, D. D. G. M. of Erie district, No. 1; Rt. Wor. Bro. J. B. Martin, Alvinston, D. D. G. M. of Huron district, No. 2. The first degree was exemplified by Lorne Lodge, No. 282, Glencoe, and the second by Arkona Lodge, No. 307. The work was done in a most satisfactory manner, the Grand Master and Grand Lodge officers giving the teams the highest praise. At the evening session an address was read from Beaver Lodge to the Grand Master, and a P. D. D. G. M.'s regalia was presented to Rt. Wor. Bro. Alex Saunders, of Watford, by the different lodges of St. Clair district. The third degree was exemplified by Beaver Lodge officers. After the business sessions were over Beaver Lodge gave the visiting brethren a grand banquet at the Queen's Hotel, when upwards of 200 sat down. The toast list was in the hands of P. D. D. G. M. R. W. Bro. W. S. Calvert, M. P., of Strathroy.

A large and successful auction sale was that of Mr. George Sebben, West Oxford, on Wednesday afternoon. Cows in particular came in for keen bidding, and several sold as high as $62 and $64. Mr. Sebben is moving to his other farm in Dereham.

THE THAMES SWELLS UP

Has Its First Attack of Spring Misbehavior.

It Was Five Feet Above the Dam at Midnight.

The river had its first attack of spring misbehaviour on Saturday night and Sunday, but today it was settling down again with a prospect that in a few hours there would not be anything to indicate that it had been on at tear.

The stream began to rise on Saturday evening. Ever since the first freshet of the season there has been a jam of ice at the Country Club, half a mile above the waterworks, and it was the collapse of this ice that caused the river to go up. The way for it was cleared by the ice directly above the dam going down the day previous, and it was fortunate that it did, for had the ice jammed there the damage to the new structure may have been serious.

With the break at the clubhouse the ice came down with a rush, and last night there were 5 feet 4 inches going over the dam. The flood continued until midnight, when it began to recede. The water went down rapidly. This morning there were only 3 feet 2 inches registered at the dam, and no alarm was felt that the dam would suffer any injury. While the flood was at its height, however, the waterworks officials watched the structure with anxiety, for much of the ice was unusually heavy. The high water made it necessary to shut down the hydraulic pumps altogether, and revert to the new Blake-Yates machinery. The former cannot pump the entire supply of the city at any time, and under ordinary circumstances they have to give way to the steam machinery for at least seven hours daily.

JOHNSON—MATHESON

Residence of Mr. Geo. Matheson, East Nissouri, Scene of a Wedding.

A very interesting event took place at the home of Mr. George Matheson, 12th line, East Nisouri, at 1 o'clock on Wednesday last, when his daughter, Miss Christine, was married to Mr. Alonzo V. Johnson, of Thorndale. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. A. Watson, of Thamesford, and was witnessed by a number of invited guests from Detroit, London, Brantford and other places.

The bride entered the parlor with her father, and her sister, Mrs. James Snell, as matron of honor, while the groom was assisted by Mr. James Snell. The wedding march was played by Miss Edythe A. Saylor, of London.

The bride wore a lovely gown of white organdie, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. Her going-away gown was of Oxford gray, with white silk waist and black velvet picture hat. The many gifts testified to the high esteem in which the young couple are held by their many friends. The groom's gift to the bride was a solid gold fleur-de-lis, set with pearls.

After a choice wedding dinner Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left on the evening train for Detroit and London, amid showers of rice and the best wishes of their many friends. At home after April 6, on the sixth concession of West Nissouri.

WATERLOO WAKING UP

A Vigorous Factory Policy Has Been Adopted for 1903.

Waterloo, March 9. — The Waterloo board of trade and the town council have adopted a vigorous factory policy for the year 1903. Already two new industries have been added to the town. Yesterday the ratepayers voted on a bylaw for a boot and shoe factory. The new factory will cost over $6,000 and give work to over 35 hands. The bylaw carried by a large majority, 419 voting for it and only 8 against. The Rhaer Company will begin building operations as soon as possible.

TOOK ROUGH ON RATS

Suicide of Peter Ostrander, of Mapleton, on Saturday.

St. Thomas, March 8.—Peter A. Ostrander, formerly of this city, committed suicide on Saturday at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. W. Luton, of Mapleton. He had been despondent, and while, it is thought, temporarily insane, took a dose of rough-on-rats about 9 a.m., and died at 7:30 p.m. Dr. Meldrum, of Belmont, was called, but could not save him. Dr. Luton, coroner of this city, was notified, but upon inquiring into the facts, and Ostrander having admitted that he took the poison himself, decided not to hold an inquest.

Ostrander was 64 years of age, and was born in Yarmouth, where he owned and worked a 100-acre farm. About eighteen years ago, when the roller skating craze was on, he moved to the city and built and conducted a roller skating rink. For some years he had been engaged in mining in Nevada, returning here last fall. He leaves a wife and one son, Roy, a miner in Nevada.

Mrs. William Batty, wife of a city newsdealer, on Saturday took an overdose of laudanum, swallowing about an ounce. The stomach pump was used. She was removed to the hospital, and is now recovering.

Trade by Cable Flash.

In "The Work of Wall Street," Sereno S. Pratt, financial editor of the New York Times, shows what a revolution has been made in stock market transaction since the introduction of the trans-Atlantic cable. The difference in time between London and New York is four minutes and one second less than five hours. As the New York Exchange opens at 10 a.m., it is then four minutes of 3 o'clock in the afternoon in London, and by two minutes after 3 the full New York opening prices are known in London, only six minutes being required to make the sales in New York, to gather the quotations, to put them in the hands of the telegraph operator, to transmit them to London and to publish them there. The hour for closing business in the London Exchange is 3 o'clock, but the trading goes on till 4, and on the curb much later. The London 2 o'clock quotations are received in Wall street shortly after 9 a.m., London can trade by cable in American stocks during all the time the New York Exchange is open, as when it closes it is only 8 o'clock in London. The London orders executed in New York are often large. They have amounted to as many as 100,000 shares and over in one day, and they are frequently an important factor in the market.

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The Fear of Fat.

Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, is distressed at the thought of getting fat. He is, it is said, approaching the 200-pound mark, and he is of the opinion that a man of his height cannot weigh 200 pounds without being fat. So it will be seen that he shares the unaccountable prejudice against flesh. "Without being fat"—well, suppose he is fat. We remember that the great Caesar said, "Let me have men about me that are fat," and though the inference is perhaps not wholly complimentary, inasmuch as Caesar held that lean men thought too much, yet his testimonial must stand. Falstaff again identified fat with goodness; for he said, "There live not three good men unhanged in England; and one of them is fat and grows old." Dryden makes one of his characters say: "I am resolved to grow fat and look young at 40." It is true that Thomson thinks that poets should not be fat, for he remarks: "A bard here dwelt more fat than bard beseems." But Mr. Roosevelt, as far as the world knows, has no ambitions in the line of poetry. And Thomson's implication is that anyone not a bard may be as fat as he pleases.—Indianapolis News.

A Sick Rothschild.

Naples, March 9. — The state of the health of Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild, who has been suffering from intestinal trouble for some time past, has grown worse.

THE FLAGGING ENERGIES REVIVED.—Constant application to business is a tax upon the energies, and if there be not relaxation, lassitude and depression are sure to intervene. These come from stomachic troubles. The want of exercise brings on nervous irregularities, and the stomach ceases to assimilate food properly. In this condition Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will be found a recuperative of rare power, restoring the organs to healthful action, dispelling depression and reviving the flagging energies.

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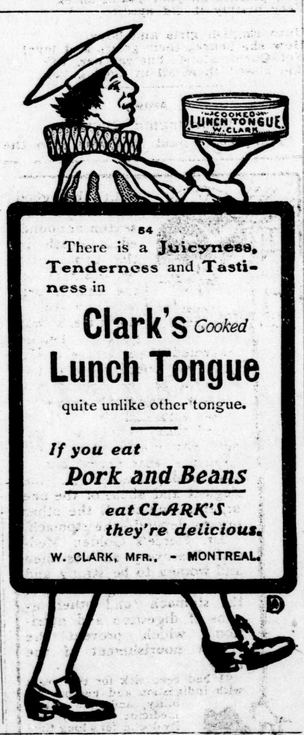
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20 dozen pairs Corsets, the kind you always pay 50 cents for. Sizes 26, 27, 28, 29 only. Sale price the pair..... **20c**

HANDKERCHIEFS 12½c.

10 **dozen Ladies'** Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular 25c, sale price 2 for..... **25c**

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20 **dozen Ladies'** Fancy Trimmed Border Handkerchiefs, regular 5c, sale price 3 for..... **10c**

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15 **dozen Ladies'** Fancy Embroidery Trimmed Handkerchiefs, regular 15c, sale price..... **10c**

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5 **dozen Children's** all-silk Windsor Ties, in all the popular Tartans, regular 20c, sale price..... **15c**

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THE MARKETS.

STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO MARKET.

Toronto, March 9.

	Ask.	Off
Montreal	..	254
Ontario	138	136
Toronto	259	256
Merchants	..	..
Commerce	166½	165½
Imperial	241	..
Dominion	249	246
Standard	..	253
Hamilton	235	..
Nova Scotia	..	275
Ottawa	222	219½
Traders	..	142
British America	..	95½
Western Assurance	..	95½
Imperial Life	..	145
National Trust	..	140
Toronto General Trusts	65	..
Consumers Gas	..	213
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	..	80
Canada Northwest Land, Pref	111	99
Canada Northwest Land com	..	..
Can. Pacific Railway Stock	127	126¾
Can. Pac. Railway Stock, new	..	..
Canada Life	..	..
Royal	..	..
Toronto Electric Light	155	150
General Electric	206½	201
General Electric, pref	..	..
London Electric	..	..
Commercial Cable	166	162
Dominion Telegraph	..	118
Bell Telephone	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co.	99	98
Niagara Navigation	132	130
Northern Navigation	145	142
St. Clair L. and C. Navigation	146	144
Toronto Railway	113½	113
London St. Railway	..	..
Twin City Railway	116	115¾
Winnipeg St. Railway	..	..
Sao Paulo Tramway	94	92⅞
Luxfer Prism, pref	..	..
Carter Crume	104¾	103
Dunlop Tire, pref	106	104
W. A. Rogers, pref	104	103
Packers A	102	99
Packers B	100	98½
Dominion Steel, com	54½	54
Dominion Steel, pref	..	..
Dominion Coal, com	125	124
Nova Scotia Steel, com	109½	109
Lake Superior, Com	5	4
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
Colored Cotton	..	..
Crows Nest Coal	..	250
War Eagle	..	15
Republic	..	..
Payne Mining	..	..
Cariboo (McKinney)	..	..
Canada Salt	..	121
British Canadian L. and I.	78	72
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv.	..	107
Canada Permanent	123	..
Canada Savings and Loan	..	119
Central Canada Loan	..	156
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	70
Hamilton Provident	..	121
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	180
Imperial L. and Invest	..	..
Landed Banking and Loan	..	121
Lon. and Can. L. and A.	..	..
Manitoba Loan	..	70
Toronto Mortage	..	..
London Loan	120	116½
Ontario Loan and Deb	..	121
Toronto Savings and Loan	..	129½
Real Estate Loan and Deb	..	..
Cable Coup. Bonds	..	..
Cable Reg. Bonds	..	..
Dominion Steel Bonds	87	85½
Nova Scotia Steel Bonds	111	110

SALES: Ontario, 260 at 137½, 100 at 137¼, 100 at 137, 50 at 136½; Commerce, 50 at 166½, 20 at 166, 5 at 166¼; Canada Northwest Land, preferred, 25 at 99¾; Canadian General Electric, 1 at 205; Toronto Electric Light, 25 at 153; Niagara Navigation, 10 at 130; Twin City, 25, 25 and 75 at 115¾, 10 and 25 at 116, 125 at 115⅞; Canada Landed, 4 at 107½; C. P. R., 250 at 137⅛, 75 and 25 at 137¼, 75 at 137½, 450 at 137, 10 at 137¾, 100 at 136⅝, 425 at 136½, 125 at 136⅝, 690 at 136⅞, 25 and 375 at 137, 200 and 150 at 136¾, 25, 50 and 400 at 136⅞, 70 at 136⅝; British-American, 10 at 144; Toronto Railway, 50 and 25 at 113; Crow's Nest, 50 at 300; Toronto Mortgage, 9 at 92; Steel, 25 at 53¾, 125 at 53½, 100 at 53¾, 25 at 54; Coal, 25 and 50 at 124, 25 at 103½, 25 at 102½, 25 at 104¼, 25 at 104⅜, 25 at 104½, 25 at 104¾; Nova Scotia Steel, 95 at 110, 200 at 109¼, 25 at 109½; Sao Paulo, 50 and 10 at 94, 25 at 93½, 5 at 93¾; Superior, 50 at 4½, 50 at 4¼, 10 at 5.

MONTREAL MARKET.

Montreal, March 9.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	127⅛	127
Canadian Pacific, new	..	..
Duluth, Common	..	..
Duluth, preferred	..	..
Winnipeg Electric	200	160
Montreal Street Railway	274	270
West India	60	50
Toronto Street Railway	114	113
Halifax Street Railway	105	100
St. John Street Railway	130	115
Twin City Transit Railway	116	115⅝
Twin City Railway, new	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario	100	98
Commercial Cable	168	160
Montreal Telegraph	167	159
Bell Telephone	..	..
Dominion Iron and Steel, com	54¼	54
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref	95	92
Montreal Heat, Light & Power	88¾	88½
Nova Scotia Steel, common	110½	..
Detroit Railway	85¼	85
Laurentide Pulp, ex	..	..
Montreal Cotton	..	128
Dominion Cotton	50	48½
Canada Colored Cotton	..	..
Merchants' Cotton	70	..
War Eagle	..	..
Payne	..	..
Montreal Street Bonds	..	105
Republic	..	5
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
National Salt, Common	..	..
Dominion Coal, Common	125¾	..
Dominion Coal, pref	..	..
Int. Coal	..	..
B. C. P. A.	..	..
Int. Coal, pref	..	..
Bank of Montreal	..	255½
Ontario Bank	..	131
British North America	..	..
Molsons Bank	..	..
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants Bank	171	..
Ogilvie Milling Co., pref	132	..
Ogilvie Bonds	119	116
Marconi	..	..
Windsor Hotel	..	..
Bank Nationale	..	..
Lake Wood Mfg. Co.	175	..
Royal Bank	..	..
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	..
Eastern Townships	..	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	140	..
Bank of Commerce	..	..
Hochelaga	..	..
Northwest Land	..	..
Northwest Land, pref	..	..
Imperial Bank	..	..
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds	87	85
Colored Cotton	..	..
Dominion Coal	..	..
Laurentide	..	..
Cable Coupon	..	..
Halifax Railway	..	..
Cable Registered	..	..
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	..
Toledo Bonds	34	30

SALES: C. P. R., 50 at 127¼, 50 at 127⅛, 775 at 127, 25 at 126⅞, 100 at 126⅜, 125 at 126¼, 50 at 126½, 50 at 126⅜, 25 at 126⅝, 325 at 126¾, 300 at 127, 100 at 127¼, 50 at 127⅛, 275 at 127; Iron, common, 25 at 54½, 800 at 54¼, 200 at 54, 100 at 54¼, 625 at 54½, 25 at 54⅝, 25 at 54½, 100 at 54¼; Scotia, 25 at 110¾, 50 at 110; Toronto Railway, 25 at 113¾, 200 at 113¼; Montreal Cotton, 7 at 130; Iron bonds, 1,000 at 85; Dominion Cotton, 100 at 49; Union Bank, 25 at 135; Commercial Cable, 6 at 162; Iron, preferred, 25 at 95, 50 at 94; Power, 25 at 88½, 50 at 89, 150 at 88½, 175 at 88¾; Detroit Railway, 425 at 85; Laurentide, 9 at 25; Twin City, 300 at 115½; L. W. M. Co., 2 at 175; Bank of Montreal, 10 at 250½, 4 at 251; Bank of Commerce, 70 at 166⅞, 10 at 167; R. and O., 225 at 98½.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 9.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 pm.
Anaconda	118	..	..	..
Amal. Copper	71	72⅞	71	72¾
American Sugar Co.	125⅛	126¼	125	126¼
American Locomotive	27¾	27⅞	27½	27⅞
American Foundry	38	..	..	..
American Refining Co.	48	48½	47¾	48¾
Atcheson Com	80¼	81⅞	80¼	81⅝
B. & O.	91	92½	91⅜	92⅝
Brooklyn Tran	65	65	64¼	65
C. P. R.	127¼	128⅛	126½	127½
Chesapeake & Ohio	45⅜	45½	45⅛	45¾
Chic. Great Western	23½	24	23½	24
Col. Fuel & Iron	65	66½	63⅛	64⅞
Delaware & Hudson	169	..	..	..
Erie	34	35	34	34¾
Erie Pfd	66	66¼	66	66½
Illinois Central	138	139⅞	138	139½
Kan. and Tex. Com	24¾	25	24¾	25
Louisville & Nashville	118	118¾	117¼	118½
Manhattan	141⅛	142¼	140¾	142¼
Metropolitan St. Ry	134⅜	135	134¼	138⅞
Mexican Central	26½	27¼	26½	27¼
M. P.	107¼	108¾	107	108¾
N. Y. Central	140½	141⅝	140¼	141⅝
Norfolk and W	70	71⅛	70	71⅛
Ont. and West	29¾	30⅛	29¾	30
Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	39⅜	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	143⅛	144⅝	143	144¼
People's Gas	100¾	101	100¾	101
Reading	57½	58½	57¼	58½
Republic I. and S.	19¾	20	19½	20
Rock Island	41	43	41	43
Southern Ry	31¼	31⅞	30⅞	31⅞
Southern Ry., Pref	92¾	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	59⅜	62¼	59	62⅝
St. Paul	168¾	170⅛	168¼	169¾
Texas	37	37¾	37	37¾
T. C. I	61½	62⅞	61½	62½
Union Pacific	89¾	92⅞	89½	92¾
Union Pacific, pref	90¾	90¼	90	90
U. S. Leather	12¼	12½	12¼	12½
U. S. Leather, Pref	..	..	..	..
U. S. Rubber	..	..	..	..
U. S. Steel, com	36⅛	36⅞	36⅛	36⅞
U. S. Steel pref	85½	86¼	85⅜	86¼
Wabash Com	27⅛	28¼	27	28½
Wabash Pfd	48	48⅝	47¾	48⅝
W. Union Tel	88½	..	..	..
Wisconsin Central	25	25	24¼	24¾

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LOCAL MARKET.

London Monday, March 9.

There were 15 loads of hay on the market here this forenoon and sales were very slow, at $8 for inferior hay and $9 to $9 75 for fair and choice.

Three loads of straw sold at $5 50 per ton.

Ten loads of oats sold at 91c to 92c per cental.

Live Hogs—Mr. D. McIntyre purchased one carload here today, for which he paid $5 75 per 100 pounds.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, March 9.—Wheat—The market is dull and easier; No. 2 red and white winter are now quoted at 70½c east and 69½c to 70c middle freights; goose is quiet, at 65c for No. 2 east; spring is steady and easier, at 70c for No. 1 east; Manitoba wheat is easier, at 84c for No. 1 hard, Owen Sound; 87c for No. 1 hard, 85½c for No. 1 northern, and 84½c for No. 2 northern, all rail, North Bay. Flour—The market is quiet, at $2 65 to $2 70 for cars of 90 per cent winter wheat patents in buyers bags, middle freights or east; these prices are for ordinary export, but the export inquiry appears to be slow at the moment; choice brands are quoted 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Easier, at $17 for cars of shorts and $16 for bran in bulk, east or middle freights. Barley—Easier, at 45½c to 46c for No. 3 extra and 42c for No. 3 extra, middle freights. Buckwheat—Dull, at 47c to 48c asked for No. 2, middle freights and east. Rye—Steady, at 50½c for No. 2 east and 49½c middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 45c for Canada mixed and 45½c for yellow west; American is nominal, at 52c for No. 3 mixed and 53c for No. 3 yellow in car lots on the track at Toronto. Oats—The market is easier, at 32c for No. 1 white and 31c for No. 2 white east; No. 2 white is quoted at 30c, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 71c for No. 2 east, 69c high freights west, and 70c middle freights. Butter—The offerings are quite liberal, but contain a good deal of poor grades, which sell slowly; there is a fair demand for choice goods, which sell well at top-notch figures; creamery prints, 21c to 23c; creamery solids, 19c to 20c; creamery solids, held, 17½c to 18c; dairy, best tubs, 17c to 17½c; dairy, medium, 14c to 15c; dairy, common, 10c to 12c; dairy, pound rolls, 17c to 18c; dairy, large rolls, 16c to 17c. Eggs—There is a good demand for new-laid and the market is steady, at 16c per dozen; cold storage are quoted at 9c to 10c. Hogs—The market for live hogs has been firmer the past week on a good demand, and higher prices are predicted for the present week; choice bacon hogs are quoted at $6 10 and heavy and light fats at $5 85 per cwt; dressed hogs are dull, in the absence of car lots here; farmers' lots on the Toronto market are quoted at $7 75 to $8 25 for heavy and $8 to $8 50 for lights.

HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, March 9.—Baled Hay—In moderate demand and steady; cars of No. 1 timothy on the track here are quoted at $9 50.

Baled Straw—Steady; cars on the track here are quoted at $5.

BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, March 9.—The bean deal is firm. Offerings are small. Quotations: Cash, $2 10; May, $2 20.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 7.—Wheat—There was a continued liquidation in wheat today, carrying the May price down from 76⅛c to 74⅝c, and making the market late in the session substantially 1c lower than yesterday. We incline to the belief that the bulk of wheat in weak hands is now out of the way, and that after the liquidation, which has been the feature of the market for the past couple of days or so, the price ought to do better. The local market is in a particularly nervous and unsettled condition, any concerted selling breaking the price quickly and turning the trade bearish. On the other hand, the break has been so substantial that good buying is done on any bull news. Cars for Monday, 30.

Corn—There was a moderately firm opening in corn. The May price early went up to 47⅝c, losing all the advance later. Offerings of the May option are coming from people who are buying the July. Cars for Monday, 250.

Oats sympathized more or less strongly with corn—firm early and going off towards the close. We believe they are a purchase. The cash demand is good, and country offerings are light. Some heavy buying of the May option is being done by larger commission house interests. Cars for Monday, 210.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., March 7.—Wheat—Weak; cash, 74½c; May, 76⅞c; July, 73½c. Corn—Easier; March, 45c; May, 44¾c; July, 44¾c. Oats—Dull; May, 35½c; July, 32c. Rye—No. 2, 54c. Clover seed—Steady; March, $7 15; April, $7; Oct., $5 45. Prime timothy, $1 85. Prime alsike, $8, nominal.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 9.—Flour—Receipts, 28,945 bbls; sales, 3,000 pkgs; flour was inactive and lower to sell; Minnesota patents, $4 10 to $4 25; winter straights, $3 50 to $3 65; Minnesota bakers, $3 20 to $3 40; winter extras, $2 80 to $3 10; winter patents, $3 70 to $4; winter low grades, $2 60 to $2 90. Buckwheat flour—Dull, $1 90 to $2 15, spot and to arrive. Rye flour—Quiet; fair to good, $2 90 to $3 30; choice to fancy, $3 35 to $3 55. Wheat—Receipts, 32,250 bu; sales, 30,000 bu; wheat sold off under weak cables, liquidation and bearish crop talk; May, 79c to 79 7-16c; July, 76 3-16c to 76⅝c; Sept., 75c. Rye—Quiet; state, 57c to 62c, c.i.f., New York; No. 2 western, 62c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 138,000 bu; sales, 120,000 bu; corn was firmer on provision house support, bad weather and big clearances; May, 52 15-16c to 53 3-16c; July, 50⅝c to 50⅞c. Oats—Receipts, 97,500 bu; oats were steadier with corn; track, white state, 44c to 48c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 5-16c; centrifugal, 3¾c to 3 13-16c; molasses sugar, 3c to 3 1-16c; refined was steady; crushed, $5 40; powdered, $4 90; granulated, $4 80. Coffee—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c. Lead—Quiet; exchangep rice, 4⅛c. Wool—Firm; domestic fleece, 28c to 32c. Hops—Quiet; state common to choice, 1902 crop, 26c to 35c; 1901 crop, 23c to 26c; olds, 8c to 12½c; Pacific coast, 1902 crop, 26c to 30c; 1901 crop, 23c to 26c; olds, 8c to 12½c.

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CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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Chicago, March 9.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	74¾	74⅞	73¾	74⅛
July	71¼	72	70⅞	71½
Corn—May	47⅛	47⅝	47	47⅛
July	44¾	45	44¼	44⅝
Oats—May	34⅝	35	34½	34⅞
July	31⅝	32	31⅛	31⅞
Pork—May	18 35	18 37	18 17	18 32
July	17 72	17 90	17 70	17 85
Lard—May	0 17	10 17	10 10	10 10
July	10 05	10 07	10 05	10 07
S. Ribs—May	9 87	9 92	9 87	9 92
July	9 75	9 77	9 72	9 72

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 7.—Oil opened and closed at $1 50.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., March 7.—Credit balances, $1 50; certificates, no sales.

LONDON.

London, March 7.—Petroleum, American refined, 5⅝d; spirits, 7¼d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, March 7.—Petroleum, 21 francs.

BREMEN.

Bremen, March 7.—Petroleum, 6 marks 35 pfennings.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 7.—Beeves—Receipts, 21 head; dressed beef steady; city dressed native sides, extreme range, 6¾c to 9½c per lb. Exports, 1,076 beeves, 201 sheep and about 3,700 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 106; slow; state veals, 15c to 17c; city dressed, 10c to 15c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,613; all grades of sheep, $5 30 to $5 62½; lambs, $6 to $7 12½; dressed mutton, 7½c to 9c; dressed lambs, 9c to 11½c.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,048; no sales.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, March 7.—Today Canadian cattle are unchanged at 10½c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; American cattle, 12c to 13c per lb; sheep are 14c to 15c per lb; refrigerator beef, 9½c to 10c per lb.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 30,000; slow and lower; good to prime steers, $5 10 to $5 65; poor to medium, $3 50 to $4 75; stockers and feeders, $2 75 to $4 75; cows, $1 50 to $4 60; heifers, $2 25 to $4 75; canners, $1 50 to $2 60; bulls, $2 to $4 25; calves, $3 50 to $6 65.

Hogs—Receipts, 36,000; strong to 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $7 to $7 40; good to choice heavy, $7 40 to $7 60; rough heavy, $7 10 to $7 40; light, $6 70 to $7 15; bulk of sales at $7 10 to $7 40.

Sheep—Receipts, 23,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $5 to $5 65; fair to choice mixed, $4 to $4 75; native lambs, $4 50 to $7.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 7.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 18c to 27½c; dairies, 14c to 24c. Cheese—Steady, 12½c to 12¾c and 13c to 13½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 7.—Butter—Strong; receipts, 4,424 pkgs; creamery, held, firsts, 19c to 21c; western factory, held, finest, 15c to 15½c; do, lower grades, 13c to 14½c. Cheese—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 1,743 boxes.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 7.—Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm. Molasses—Quiet.

LONDON.

London, March 7.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 9s; centrifugal, 9s 9d; beet sugar, March, 8s 4½d.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, March 9.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 1½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 8¼d; No. 1 California, 6s 10d. Futures dull; March, 6s 3d; May, 6s 1¼d; July, 6s ⅞d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, steady, 4s 6½d; do, old, no stock. Futures quiet; March, 4s 6½d; May, 4s 3½d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 5½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter quiet, 8s 3d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £7 to £7 10s.

Beef—Easy; extra India mess, 89s.

Pork—Steady; prime mess western, 81s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 54s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, strong, 53s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, strong, 55s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, strong, 53s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, strong, 53s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, strong, 53s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 54s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, strong, 45s.

Lard—Strong; prime western, in tierces, 51s; American refined, in pails, 51s.

Butter—Good United States steady, 80s; finest United States nominal.

Cheese—Steady; American finest white, 64s; do, colored, 63s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city steady, 27s 3d; Australian (in London) dull, 32s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 43s 9d.

Rosin—Common firm, 5s 4½d.

Petroleum—Refined firm, 6½d.

Linseed oil—Steady, 26s.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool last week were 47,300 quarters from Atlantic ports, 17,000 from Pacific, and 79,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports last week were 31,400 quarters.

AT HIS OLD SPEED

Durham Brown Nailed Barrels After Dodd's Kidney Pills Had Cured His Rheumatism.

Vernon, Ont., March 9.—These are the days when Lame Back and Rheumatism are almost epidemic, and when the story of Durham Brown of this place is the best news that can be carried to the afflicted.

"I was troubled with Lame Back," says Mr. Brown, "and had Rheumatism in my right leg and hip so that I suffered agonizing pains while at work. I worked at cheese box making. After taking one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills I found an improvement, and by the time I had finished six boxes my Lame Back and Rheumatism were gone and I was working at my old speed, driving 500 one and one-quarter inch nails in 18 minutes.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are all and more than is claimed for them."

Mr. Shambleau Released.

Chatham, March 9.—A. L. Shambleau, the ex-treasurer of Kent county, whose shortage was some $16,000, was discharged from custody at 4:30 Saturday afternoon.

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NO. 3 COMMITTEE WILL INCREASE FIREMEN'S WAGES

Rate Has Been Raised But Men Feel that It Has Not Been Made Sufficient.

A meeting of the fire and light committee of the city council has been held to consider the application of the firemen for an increase of wages.

An advance of ten per cent all round was asked in the petition recently submitted to the aldermen, but the increase which has been agreed upon does not amount to that for some of the men. The aldermen are said to have been unanimously of the opinion that the men deserved higher wages, but the condition of the finances and the needs of the city were looked upon as making a ten per cent advance impossible.

The scale which is said to have been decided upon is an advance of the chief from $1,000 to $1,100 a year, Assistant Chief Aiken from $630 to $750 a year, and each of the station foremen an advance of $50 a year. It is proposed by the committee to have an assistant foreman appointed for each station at an increase of $50 a year over the present rate of pay for first-class men, and to give the men in all other grades $25 a year more than they are now receiving.

An endeavor will be made to have the council grant the ten per cent for the rank and file.

Twenty-five dollars a year would simply mean an increase in the pay of 48 cents a week. First year men at present receive $1 16 a day, second year men $1 43 a day and third year men $1 57 a day. The increase asked would simply bring this up to $1 28, $1 57 and $1 73 a day respectively.

With the cost of living advanced so much during the last two or three years the firemen feel that they are entitled to at least ten per cent more than they now receive, which is considerably below the scale paid in some other Canadian cities.

GOT LEAVE TO APPEAL

Street Railway Company Gains Point in Suit With City.

A dispatch from Toronto says that Chief Justice Moss this morning granted leave to the London Street Railway to appeal from the recent judgment of Judge McMahon in the suit between the company and the City of London in favor of the city. Meantime, action on the judgment is stayed.

THE MAN FROM GALWAY

Mr. Devlin Elected to Replace Col. Lynch in the Commons.

Dublin, March 9.—Mr. Devlin, Irish Nationalist, formerly Canadian commissioner in Ireland, has been elected without opposition to represent Galway in the House of Commons, in place of Col. Lynch.

THE JIG WAS NOT UP

Admiral Dewey Does Not Recall Using Any Slang.

An Interesting Story About the Admiral and Manila Bay.

Toronto, March 9.—Mr. Albert E. Jones, of Buffalo, one of the guests at the Anglo-Saxon dinner held in Toronto last fall, has obtained from Admiral Dewey confirmation of all his Manila story, save and except that portion thereof which convicted the admiral of slang and uncertainty unbecoming a man of high degree. The report of the story ran: "Mr. Jones told an interesting story of the battle of Manila, saying that Admiral Dewey noticed the warships of foreign nations forming in a suspicious line. Admiral Dewey said to his officers that if the British ships joined these others 'the jig was up.' The British fleet slowly moved down between the American and the foreign fleets, and as the British flagship passed Admiral Dewey's flagship it hoisted the American colors and the band played 'The Star-Spangled Banner.' Admiral Dewey hoisted the British flag and his band played 'God Save the Queen.' This, Mr. Jones said, was surely a real Anglo-Saxon unity."

The London Spectator of Jan. 31 had a reference to the report of the battle of Manila incident, and commented that while they could not vouch for the truth of the gallant Admiral Dewey's words, that the "jig was up," they had no doubt of the substantial correctness of Mr. Jones' version of the affair.

Mr. Jones sent both papers to Admiral Dewey, and has received the following reply from the admiral's secretary:

"Washington, March 5, 1903.

"Dear Sir,—Admiral Dewey directs me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd inst., with inclosures, which he has read with much interest. The admiral asks me to say that your statements are in the main correct, though he does not remember that he ever used the expression 'The jig is up,' for at no time when in the waters of the Philippines did he ever think the jig was up."

AN ABBESS SENTENCED

She Attempted to Poison Her Servant Girl With Acids.

Berlin, March 9.—A dispatch from Munich announces that Elizabeth Von Haeussler, lady abbess of the Old Woman's Asylum, who was on trial for attempting to poison a servant girl, has been sentenced to six years' detention in a penitentiary. According to the testimony given at the trial the servant girl, Emma Wagner, was for eight years the intimate friend and confidante of the abbess, who told her many alleged slanders against members of the Bavarian royal family. A few weeks ago the abbess and the servant quarreled, and then, it was charged, the abbess, fearing the girl would divulge the stories and injure her in court circles, poured muriatic acid into the girl's coffee, which made her violently ill.

KILLED THE POLICEMAN

Strike Rioting Breaks Out Afresh at Waterbury, Conn.

Waterbury, Conn., March 9.—Rioting has again broken out in this city, and as a result Policeman Paul Mendelssohn is lying dead at police headquarters, having been shot to death while riding on a car on North Main street. The officer died while being attended by a phycician in the police station. The motorman of the car was also injured by another bullet, and the conductor is missing.

Death of a Windsor Lady.

Windsor, Ont., March 9. — Mrs. Ellen Laing, aged 78 years, widow of the late Alfred Laing, of the customs department, died yesterday afternoon. She was born in Dublin and came to Canada with her father, the late Capt. John Harley, of the Eighty-First British Regiment, while she was still a little girl. Capt. F. H. Laing, of the Essex Regiment, is a son.

WILL HONOR OFFICERS

Presentation To Be Made by Members of the I. B. S.

The annual meeting of the Irish Benevolent Society will be held tonight in Duffield block. Besides the election of officers for the year, other matters of importance will be taken up, such as the reports on the work done by the branches of the organization during the year. A feature of the meeting will be the presentations which are to be made to several of the retiring officers. A full attendance is expected.

A REAL REVOLUTION

Government Forces of Honduras Are Badly Defeated.

Panama, March 9.—A cablegram from San Salvador states that the Honduras Government forces, under the command of Gen. Ezequiel Ferrera and Gen. Lopez, have been defeated at Talgua by the revolutionists supporting Gen. Bonilla. Gen. Ferrera was killed and Gen. Lopez and his staff were taken prisoners.

ABUTMENT UNDERMINED

Big Hole Was Torn in Blackfriars Dam.

Owner Says That There Is No Danger From It.

One of the abutments at the Blackfriar's dam became undermined yesterday, and a report went round that something serious had happened. This should not cause the public the slightest alarm, as repairs can be left until the river goes down. Although the undermining of the abutment caused a considerable opening through which the water could pour, the timbers are so stout as to yield to none but a tremendous force.

"There is not the least cause for alarm," said Mr. Saunby, of Blackfriars Mill, to The Advertiser this morning. "The dam was built partly in 1870, and the other half in 1883, when the flood took the biggest part of the original dam away. I think that the dam will hold out for a good long time. Yesterday the hole was caused by the water undermining one of the abutments and carrying off the gravel that it was filled with. The dam is perfectly secure, and as it has stood the spring freshets of twenty years there is no cause to worry about it now. The water fell about 3 feet this morning, and is running smoothly."

POLITICS AT THE SOO

Mr. Smith Will Again Be the Liberal Standard Bearer.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 9.—The political tension has been relieved by the decision of the court in the election trial unseating Mr. Miscampbell. The Liberal Association, of which Dr. McLurg is president, will call a meeting early next week, and it is expected that Mr. Smith will again be chosen as the Liberal standard-bearer. It is stated in several quarters that Mr. Miscampbell will not be a candidate again, but so far no other person has been named as an opponent to Mr Smith. Under the circumstances, and especially as the Government is secure in office, it might be the best policy for the constituency to return the Liberal candidate unopposed.

MYSTERY AT THE SOO

A Well-Known Dentist Dies Under Strange Circumstances.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 9.—The death of Dr. Alexander, dentist, took place here on Saturday afternoon. He retired to bed early the night before apparently in good health, his room mate, Mr. Scott, of the Imperial Bank, stating that he was as cherful as usual. About 9 o'clock Mr. Schwartz, barrister, who rooms in the same block, heard groans. He hastened to Dr. Alexander's rooms and found him fighting for breath. Several doctors worked over him with artificial respiration, but the patient died at half-past one. The announcement of the medical attendants was that Alexander was suffering from paralysis of the respiratory organs.

A post-mortem examination was made last night by Drs. McCaig and Webb, but no traces of poison were discovered. A coroner's jury will meet tomorrow morning. It is possible that deceased's stomach may be sent to Mr. Ellis, Toronto, for chemical analysis of its contents.

It has developed that Dr. Alexander probably made his will two days ago. The attorneys employed are said to have been Simpson & Rowland. When asked if this were not the truth, Mr. Simpson stated that Dr. Alexander had not consulted with him, but might have done so with Mr. Rowland, who was at the time out. He, however, asked his stenographer if such were the case, and after she had replied in a whisper, stated that he did not think under the circumstances he had better tell what the business between Mr. Alexander and the firm had been.

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At the customary oil field reckoning of one well to an acre, the probable output from these properties is almost beyond computation. The Wheatley property adjoins the several wells drilled and operated by the Union Gas and Oil Company, and is considered a very valuable acquisition; while President Woodward, of the Dominion Company, advises us that by the installation of the air compressor he expects to increase the output of the famous Gurd Gusher to 400 or 500 barrels a day—and this product is now bringing a higher price than any other petroleum oil on the North American Continent. Contracts are also under way for the immediate development of both the new properties, where a very high grade quality of oil has been found.

In view of these facts, as well as the sound financial position now occupied by the company, the directors have decided that the sale of stock shall

Close at 35c Saturday, March 14,

and that the price shall

Advance to 50c Monday, March 16.

The company is now paying dividend of one per cent monthly on par $1 00 per share, fully paid and non-assessable), which at the present figure of 35c, is practically 36 per cent per annum on the investment. The next dividend will be payable April 1, to all stockholders of record March 26th; but those who subscribe by March 14th will secure a 3 per cent monthly investment. We earnestly advise all who desire an interest in these wonderful fields to subscribe now, and thus make sure of the greater income, and the greater profit possible by the advanced market value of the stock.

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TALES OF LONDON TOWN

—Mr. Reginald Callard, of the uptown G. T. R. office, is spending his holidays in Chicago.

—The jurors for the coming sessions of the peace were chosen this afternoon at the court house.

—Toronto Globe: A very pretty wedding took place at London on Wednesday last, when Miss Mabel Underhill was married to Mr. Charles Musson, of this city.

—The funeral of the late Mr. James Tilson, of the Wharncliffe road, took place this morning to the Roman Catholic Cemetery. High mass was said at St. Peter's Cathedral by Rev. Father Aylward at 10 o'clock in the presence of many friends of the deceased.

—The regular spring training of the Seventh Regiment will shortly commence, and preparatory thereto the recruits are being drilled Monday evenings. There is an opportunity for a few eligible young men to join the regiment, and Col.-Sergt. Treleaven will be at Company E armory, drill shed, on Monday night to receive applications.

—A gang of a dozen boys, ranging in age from ten to fifteen years, spent the greater part of Sunday afternoon riding on freight trains in the local yards. They were repeatedly warned by conductors and brakemen, but took no heed to the warnings, simply waiting until another train would come along. If the practice continues the company will have an officer on duty in the yards and the offenders summoned.

—The committee appointed by the directors of the London Horticultural Society has decided on a splendid premium to be presented to each and every member. It will consist of a half dozen of Groff's choice gladioli bulbs and some montbretia. Besides this Mr. John Balkwill, the father of the society, will present to each member some specially choice oxalis. That this will be a valuable and very satisfactory premium is proven by the fact that Mr. Groff, who is a well-known resident of Simcoe, Ont., with his exhibitions of gladioli, has "swept the board" wherever he has shown in Canada or the United States.

NEWSPAPERS FOR BRITAIN.

Under the new arrangement newspapers up to four ounces in weight can be sent to Great Britain for a 1-cent stamp. This will promote the sending of Canadian newspapers to the old country.

BRAKEMAN INJURED.

A Grand Trunk brakeman was brought into the city this morning, suffering from severe cuts about the head, which he had received by a fall from a freight car on to a coal car. His train was proceeding to Sarnia and he was taken back to this city, where Dr. Drake dressed his wounds, which were of a painful but not serious nature.

GAVE HIM DRESS SUIT CASE.

Mr. Fred Riley, of this city, leaves next week for Calgary. Mr. Riley has been a member of the choir of the First Methodist Church for ten years, and is held in high esteem by the other members, who on Friday, presented to him a handsome dress suit case.

WATER COMMISSIONERS' ESTIMATES.

A meeting of the water commissioners was held this morning to consider the estimates for the year. The figures were not completed, but they will be in shape for the next meeting of the council, when the rate may be struck for the year. The commissioners are figuring on handling over about the same amount to the council this year as they did in 1902.

CONDUCTOR DORE'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Conductor Dore, who was instantly killed at Paris station on Saturday morning, was held today to Dundas, where the family burying-plot is located. The services were conducted at St. Peter's Cathedral here, Rev. Father Egan saying high mass. There was a large attendance. The pall-bearers were chosen from the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, many of whom accompanied the remains to Dundas.

OLD BOYS OF NEWARK.

A number of the residents of Newark, N. J., who formerly were Londoners, are working industriously to get together a big delegation of London Old Boys to join the New York contingent on its trip to London this summer. Messrs. T. B. Cryer, of 249 High street, of that city, Edward Blackmore, William M. McKay, G. T. Boles and others are the active spirits in the movement, which the Newark Call says will result in a large delegation of former Londoners returning to their old home this summer.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Mr. J. H. McMechan has sold the brick residence and lot, No. 711 Queen's avenue, to Mr. Freeland. This week he closed a sale with Mr. B. F. Lewis for the dwelling and lot, No. 119 Clarence street, and with Mr. R. Frouse, of Delaware, for the house property, No. 117 Clarence street. Mr. Elliott, late of Cobourg, has concluded a purchase of Mr. McMechan's brick dwelling, No. 368 King street, and Mr. James Greenaway has bought from the same owner the brick residence, No. 370 King street. Mr. T. Cambridge has bought Mr. Greenaway's store and dwelling, and will occupy the premises next month.

FORMER LONDONER'S PROGRESS

At the 31st annual exhibition of the Ontario Society of Artists, open this week in Toronto, altogether 214 works are displayed, 118 oils, 93 water-colors and 3 pieces of sculpture. Of the 86 exhibitors 36 are women. The average excellence of the pictures is greater than ever before. Among those honored with a place in this exhibition is Miss Jean Geeson, recently of this city, whose work in oil was accepted without a dissenting voice by the committee of examiners. It is well known that hundreds of pictures every year fail to gain admission, so that the honor is all the more gratifying to those who are noting Miss Geeson's progress in art. Her work, which on the present occasion has won her warm encomiums, is a flower study—large yellow chrysanthemums.

RUN-OFF.

Three cars of a G. T. R. freight train left the rails near Hamilton this morning. Little damage to rolling stock resulted, and none of the crew were injured.

"SANDY" SMITH RETURNS.

"Sandy" Smith, the tailor, who disappeared from Wolseley Barracks some months ago, and was never again heard of, returned to the city today. He was as well as ever and gave no reason for his leaving as he did. Since Smith left London he has been working at Petrolia.

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One Minute Interviews.

Dr. Hutchinson—Those detectives in Buffalo are trying to get out of the blame of having arrested my daughter. They say now that she was not arrested, but we intend to push our case against them to the full extent of the law.

Sergeant McGuire—I remember a year 'way back when the International baseball players were here, we had a spring come in early like this, and it remained fine too.

Provincial Appointments.

Toronto March 9.—The following Provincial appointments are announced: T. A. Snider, of Cayuga, to be local master of the supreme court for the County of Haldimand during the absence on leave of His Honor Judge McMillan; S. H. McKay, of Walkerton, to be a notary public; John McIntyre, of St. Thomas, to be clerk of the second and third division courts for Elgin County.

Eyesight and Digestion.

A man of science announces the discovery that indigestion may be cured by properly-adjusted spectacles. Defective vision is known to be caused by gastric disturbance; why may it not be possible that dyspepsia is sometimes due to bad eyes? If one can go to an optician and secure a prescription for a pair of glasses that will enable him to enjoy his hot sausage, fried potatoes and baking powder biscuit, science will be credited with one of the grandest triumps.—Minneapolis Times.

The United States Government and foreign governments as well have quite recently, for the purpose of ascertaining the migratory habits of the cod, released the fish with checks attached for the purpose of later identification.

In regard to the time required for sleep, eight hours may generally be considered sufficient for the average person. Some, of course, can do with less. In keeping the body in good physical condition sleep is next in importance to food.

A pair of women's shoes made in Lynn, Mass., to establish a record for rapid shoemaking required 57 different operations and the use of 42 machines and 100 pieces. All these parts were assembled and made into a graceful pair of shoes ready to wear in 13 minutes.

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BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

BY MRS. C. N. WILLIAMSON,

Author of "Lady Mary of the Dark House," "The Woman in Gray," "Queen Sweetheart," "Fortune's Sport," "The Barn Stormers," etc.

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"No, he didn't," Margot admitted, dully. Then, brightening with an effort: "But there's no reason why he shouldn't go. I'm not his keeper; I don't want to be. And why should he be going to see Mademoiselle de Nevers? There are plenty of other people——"

"He is going to see her, that's why," I persisted, doggedly. "I heard him say so. Lord Reckworth said: 'I envy you in Paris. You will see the divine Juliette in her new play.' 'Yes, and I hope to congratulate her on her success,' returned Mr. Brent, almost as if he were boasting of his friendship with that woman."

As I spoke Margot was looking me straight in the eyes, and I wouldn't let mine drop before hers. Still, I couldn't control a faint, nervous fluttering of the lids. The girl caught at it. "I can't believe you, Marion," she cried out.

I could have struck her. But I only shrugged my shoulders. "Well, my conscience is clear—I've told you," I said. "Now, as you're so angry—and so unjust, I suppose you will tell Mr. Brent and uncle and everybody that I let out what I overheard by accident. Maybe it was dishonorable, but you ought to be the last to punish me. I did it for your sake."

"You know I wouldn't do that," she ejaculted. "But—I must have it proved. If—after last night—if, after all he said then, he could go to Paris and see Juliette de Nevers, that would be an end at once to everything between us."

"Ask him," I said. "I give you leave to do that. Ask him when he comes to you next time to tell you truly, truly, whether he didn't go to Paris, and especially to see Mademoiselle de Nevers. I don't think so badly of Noel Brent as to believe him a liar. I think he'd speak the truth."

"If you give me leave to ask him so much I will ask him before he goes," exclaimed Margot. "I will drive down to Charing Cross and see him at the train if he is there. I have a right to ask him a question now, after what passed between us last night, and I will."

"Well, if you don't think it would look too marked, and show your anxiety—not to say jealousy—too flatteringly," I said. "But remember your promise to me in fairness. You are not to speak to Uncle Gordon, and you are only to ask Mr. Brent that one question: 'Is he going to Paris with the special object of meeting Mademoiselle de Nevers?' If you mentioned the lost ring and anything of the conversation I overheard he would know someone in the house must have told you, and sooner or later he would think of me. If you only ask the question it will be all right, as others outside might have heard him speak of his intentions. And Margot, don't go down to Charing Cross station alone. If you were seen with him there it might make talk. Take me with you."

She thought a minute and then she agreed to this proposition.

Just at this moment the soft-voiced Japanese gong that sounded before meals sweetly moaned out its call to breakfast. I asked Margot if she were going down, and with a rather defiant look she said that she was. "So will I, then," I remarked, and went first, with the view, in case Noel were still in the house and I should catch sight of him, with or without the proposed disguise, of making some pretext which should send Margot back.

But I saw no sign of him. I had been with Margot for nearly half an hour, and in all probability he had got away in the fashion proposed by Uncle Gordon.

I was a little afraid that, after all, Margot's father might drop some hint to her, though it would have been most unlike him to do so. And I was afraid that something might come out if Lord Reckworth had stayed to breakfast, and Uncle Gordon didn't mention Noel.

It was a quarter to ten precisely when we sat down at the table, and my uncle, who appeared rather absent-minded, had left the house in the brougham which usually took him to Downing street, by a quarter past ten. A few minutes later Margot asd I had our hats on and were in a hansom.

She scarcely spoke at all as we drove to the station. Once we got caught in a block of traffic, and then she showed her nervousness by the coming and going of her color, but in no other way. We had to drive from Berkeley Square to Charing Cross, and we were just ten minutes in getting there. By this time it wanted five and twenty minutes to eleven, the hour for the train to go out. But the station was very crowded with intended passengers and porters rushing frantically about with trucks piled high with luggage, so that perhaps five minutes more passed before we got to the right platform.

Meanwhile I had been casting my eyes about for Noel, but could see him nowhere. My heart was beating fast. I hardly know whether I wished to have Margot meet him or not. If she did, there was danger for me—more or less. If she didn't, she might believe that I had lied to her out of spite, and perhaps the fact of his departure might never be quite satisfactorily proved. On the whole, now that we are here, I thought I should prefer to have them come face to face: and as I was making up my mind to this I was conscious that Margot—standing close beside me—gave a slight start. I had been looking in one direction, she in another; and it was she who saw him first. But it was not that which had made her start, I fancy. Although I had the clue to this curious change instantly discerned in his personality, I had forgotten it, and was almost as much surprised as Margot to see that he had shaved his moustache.

Of course in a few seconds I remembered how he was to have been smuggled out of the house, but quick as a flash a thought darted into my brain which made me glad that Margot should see this alteration in her present mood. It certainly looked as if Noel had removed his moustache because he was on the way to do something of which he was ashamed—something which made him wish not to be recognized.

He was walking fast towards the train, and whether by some magnetic influence or not, out of all that crowd Margot's gaze caught his. He looked radiant with delight at first, then one could see an idea that was not wholly pleasant growing in his mind, carrying a flush with it over his brown face and white forehead. No one knew better than I that he was innocent of any desire to deceive Margot; but innocence often appears the twin of guilt, and it was so with Noel now. After the first flush of joy he looked horribly uncomfortable, and though he came up to us boldly, his hat in his hand, I'm sure he wished himself at least as far away as Victoria.

I had wondered how Margot meant to account for our presence at the station, for her coming was, to say little, unconventional. I received a bow and constrained smile, of course, but I don't think Noel's real self saw me at all; it was only the mechanical part that bowed.

"Are you and Miss Sitgreaves going to France this morning?" he asked of Margot when they had shaken hands.

"No," she answered, looking with her clear hazel eyes, like wells, with truth at the bottom, up into his face. "Are you?"

"Yes," he said, with a slight nervousness of manner, unusual with him—for he was fond of hiding the warmth of his nature in almost all circumstances under an appearance of sangfroid. "I decided to go very suddenly—after parting with you."

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German Child Suicides.

Berlin, March 9.—During the five years, 1869-73, the percentage of suicides among children between the ages of 10 and 15 was just over 31. From 1884 to 1888 the percentage was over 44, while from 1894-98 it ha dincreased to 52. This increase of suicide among children is attracting serious attention. The motive in most cases appears to be the dread of punishment, and many cases which have been investigated show that suicide was resorted to when a child expected to be punished for some trifling misdeed.

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ADVANCE GUARD TO BE SOLD.

New York, March 9.—Advance Guard is to be sold at auction in Madison Square Garden within two weeks if the joint owners, Roy Carruthers and Alec Shields, cannot agree what a half interest in the horse is worth. Friction between the two over the fact that Carruthers entered Advance Guard under his own name will cause a dissolution of the partnership. Shields left for Toronto last night to confer with Carruthers. He will offer a price for the half interest, leaving Carruthers the option of paying it or taking it. Foxhall Keene recently offered $25,000 for the horse.

THE LOUISIANA MEET.

New Orleans, March 7.—Weather clear; track heavy. Summaries:

First race, selling, 1 mile—Choice, 110 (Winkfield), 6 to 1, 1; Hucena, 96 (Fuller), 2 to 1, 2; Eliza Dillon, 101 (Monroe), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:51.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Redan, 109 (Winkfield), 2 to 1, 1; Miss Aubrey, 108 (Munroe), 30 to 1, 2; Katie Gibbons, 108 (O'Neil), 30 to 1, 3. Time, 1:13.

Third race, selling, 1 3-8 miles—Compass, 98 (Fuller), 6 to 1, 1; Latson, 104 (Gannon), 6 to 1, 2; Ruby Ray, 92 (Phillips), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 2:34.

Fourth race, Sweepstakes, Oakland Handicap, 1¼ miles — Telamon, 107 (Winkfield), 8 to 5, 1; Marshall Neil, 102 (Gannon), 4 to 1, 2; St. Tammany, 106 (Davison), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 2:16 3-5.

Fifth race, handicap, ¾ miles—Barkelmore, 102 (Davison), 7 to 1, 1; Mrs. Frank Foster, 111 (Odom), 1 to 2, 2; Orpheum, 98 (Lindsey), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:20.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Thane, 101 (Fuller), 1 to 2, 1; Stratton II., 102 (Otis), 6 to 1, 2; Jove, 90 (Davison), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:48 3-5.

Seventh race, ¾ mile—Arachue, 110 (Hicks), 1 to 2, 1; Sister Kate II. 102 (Hall) 12 to 1 2; Peter Duryea 113 (McJoynt), 20 to 1, 3

THE 'FRISCO MEET.

Oakland, March 7.—Weather clear; track good.

First race, selling, Futurity course—Little Margaret, 95 (W. Waldo), 5 to 2, 1; Alice Carrie, 95 (Reed), 3 to 1, 2; Snare, 90 (Bonner), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:11¼.

Second race, selling, ½ mile—Selected, 105 (Wilson), 6 to 1, 1; Silent Water, 97 (Reed), 3 to 1, 2; Bombardier, 102 (Birkenruth), 3 to 1, 3. Time :49.

Third race, ¾ mile—Huachuca, 108 (Kelly), 4 to 1, 1; Mimo, 97 (Bonner), 12 to 1, 2; Mexicanna, 90 (Wilson), 6 to 1, 3.

Fourth race, Waterhouse Cup, 2¼ miles—Siddons, 108 (L. Jackson), 2 to 1, 1; Nones, 118 (Jenkins), 3 to 2, 2; Col. Ballantyne, 95 (W. Waldo), 12 to 1, 3. Time, 3:58.

POOLROOMS MUST CLOSE.

Cincinnati, March 9.—A sweeping order affecting poolrooms was issued by Judge Hodge in the Campbell County Circuit Court at Newport, Ky., Saturday. In the order George Easton and others interested in a poolroom known as the Tuxedo Garden in that city, are directed to cease operations This is the room which John J. Ryan, of turf investment company fame, is said to have been backing financially.

RECORD OF PLATE ENTRIES.

In view of the record entry for the King's Plate of 1903, the following table showing entries for 20 years and starters for 19 will doubtless be found interesting:

Year.	Ent's.	St's.	Year.	Ent's.	St's.
1884	22	15	1894	24	11
1885	26	14	1895	26	10
1886	19	10	1896	24	9
1887	22	13	1897	27	10
1888	21	10	1898	30	9
1889	19	10	1899	27	14
1890	17	7	1900	41	15
1891	24	12	1901	36	15
1892	26	16	1902	41	18
1893	26	9	1903	50	..

Last year the field was a record one and it is hardly to be doubted that that also will be beaten in 1903.

JOCKEYS' LICENSES GRANTED.

New York, March 7.—At a meeting of the stewards of the jockey club last night the following licenses were granted:

Jockeys—Robert Boieson, J. Byer, William Brennan, H. Callahan, Harry Cochran, Charles Creamer, W. Crimmins, J. Chappell, William Curtis, William Doyle, Andrew Dorsey, Kenneth Force, William Gannon, Charles Houbre, Lucien Lyne, Thomas Meade, Michael Miles, H. Michaels, J. Miller, C. W. McCafferty, Frank O'Neil, John O'Brien, Daniel O'Connor, Al Perry, Bruce Rice, William Shea, Cash Sloan, Edward Walsh, Gustav Weisse, William E. Haack, W. F. Mulholland, Jesse H. Mathews, James McFadden, John McCauley, David Murray, Joseph Moran, William Nelson, W. W. Pickering, Conrad Snyder, Melbourne Thompson, T. Walsh, Richard Waugh.

The following applications for licenses were denied: John Blair, John Cunningham, J. C. McGlasson, John G. Patton and Harry Wilson.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR DERBY.

Louisville, March 9.—The list of final qualifications for the Kentucky Derby and Oaks was announced by Manager Price, of the Louisville Jockey Club, Saturday. The list in the Derby includes J. E. Madden's Onatus, Pat Dunne's Early, five belonging to E. Corrigan, and J. F. Schorr's California Oaks winner, Esherin. There are 36 in number, as follows: Bardolph, Sheriff Bell, Prince of Endurance, Shooting Star, Woodlake, Onatus, Beautiful and Best, Manyon, Mother Bluenthall, McGee, Dream, Dan McKenna, Marin Lavana, Irby Bennett, Sanfoin, McGowan, Raven, Judge Himes, Guardian, Stakeholder, Blandos, Manru, The Picket, Santon, Bourbon, Treacy, Valeat, Banter, Rightful, Spencer Reiff, Gold Bell, Esherin and Early.

The Kentucky Oaks qualifications are: Hindi, Rheta, Seige, Lemco Vestry, Two Lick, Avoid, Mary Lavana, Miss Eon, Florita, Florika, Grace Banta, Grand Mary, Flora Willoughby, Esherin, Maizavena, Ilmarinon, The Crisos, Sanctissima, Special Tax and Mudlavia.

BOOKIES HAVE STARTED.

Toronto, March 9.—Two, if not more, winter books will be made on the King's Plate, so that everyone will get a chance to play any horse he fancies for this classic exent. "Rod" McMahon, of Buffalo, has decided to enter the local field, and will lay against the horses in the plate. It is said that a couple of well-known local Knights of the Chalk will have an interest in McMahon's book. It is expected that the first quotations on the plate will make their appearance in a day or so. It will be the offering of a well-known Toronto concern. Fly-in-Amber, from the Seagram stable, will, as expected, be the favorite, at 2 to 1, with 10 to 1 at least against the second choice or choices. The fact that Fly-in-Amber ran second in last year's guineas and that the mare is one of Mr. Seagram's nominations may be the base of the belief that the public will be satisfied as it has on many other occasions, to take such an absurdly short price against the King's Plate favorite.

ARNOLD'S HORSES SOLD.

New Orleans, La., March 9. — The horses belonging to the racing stable of E. J. Arnold & Co. were sold at public auction Friday by the sheriff and receiver to satisfy claims against the firm. Those bringing $500 or more were: Flintlock, $2,300; Ben Lear, $925; Terra Incognito, $950; Blanco, $510; Light Hunt, $500. The other horses, nine in number, sold for $1,450.

NEW STABLES.

Toronto, March 9.—Announcement was made here Friday of the advent to the Canadian racing world of a new establishment, which in years to come, may be the rival of the Seagram and the Hendrie institutions. The new stable will be named the Kirkfield, and the proprietors are Messrs. Rod and A. W. Mackenzie, sons of the president of the Toronto Railway, the Canadian Northern and of other important business enterprises. The two young men are going into the sport of kings with all the ardor of youth, and have already in the charge of their trainer, John Nixon, three horses, Malden, Heather Bee and Wire In. It was the purchase of the latter Thursday that brought the new firm before the public.

FINAL GAME.

The final game in the City League hockey series will be played tonight tween the Aberdeens and the Seventh Regiment teams. It promises to be fast, as the ice is good and hard and the Seventh Regiment team have all the fast Waterloo juniors on.

HOCKEY.

DON'T WANT THE CUP.

Waterloo, Ont., March 9.—The impression that the Waterloo Hockey Club refused to hand over the Carling Cup after the Seventh Regiment Hockey Club won it is rather misleading. The reason the cup remained here was that the management here is under $200 bond to deliver the cup only when requested by the trustees. The trustees had instructed the management to hold the cup on account of London's challenge. The Waterloo management has returned the cup to the trustees at London. Waterloo lost the cup to the Seventh Regiment team and wish to see them get it.

PLAYED A TIE.

Montreal, March 9.—The first match between the Ottawas and Victorias for the hockey championship, which was played at the Arena Saturday night, resulted in a draw, each team scoring one goal. The next match to be played will be played at Ottawa. A big crowd witnessed last night's match. The ice was in poor condition and prevented good hockey being played.

MONTREAL JUNIORS WON.

Ottawa, March 8.—The hockey match here on Saturday night between the Montreal juniors and the Aberdeens, for the championship of the intermediate C. A. H. L., was stubbornly contested. The Montrealers won out by a score of 3 to 2.

BASEBALL.

CITY LEAGUE TALK.

There is considerable talk in baseball circles just now regarding the formation of a city league. As yet no meeting has been held and nothing decisive done, although among themselves the last year's clubs and some new ones that contemplate entering the league are picking out their players and allotting them to their positions. It is said that every available practice field in the city has been spoken for and that good players are in demand. Together with most of last year's teams it is expected that nines representing the Seventh Regiment, and the McClary Manufacturing Company will be seen in the field. The personnel of some of the old teams will be changed considerably. Everything points forward to a good year. Baseball is regaining its hold in London.

THE AMERICAN SCHEDULE.

East against east and west against west is the order at the start of the American League schedule. Detroit opens, with Cleveland, follows with Chicago, then makes a round of the west and comes home to play the eastern teams, New York being the first of the lot to make its appearance. The New York team, in fact, makes its western debut in Detroit. As the east plays in the west at the start of the season, the west winds up in the east, Detroit's last game being in New York. The season closes on Sept. 29, and Detroit plays only four home games after Sept. 1.

SUNDAY DATES FOR BOSTON.

One of the features of the National League schedule worthy of special attention is the allotment of Sunday games to the Boston team, which has never before been scheduled for Sabbath day play. It has frequently happened that Boston, when playing a Sunday town, has remained idle while some other team jumped in, the Hub players watching the game from the grand stand and speculating upon the amount of money turned away from their employers. While the National was the only league the Boston owners, with a money-making club, were true to their principles, for the refusal to play on Sunday was a matter of principle. But when the American League cut in and took all of the money in Boston it made things look different. For the past year the Boston ownership has been preparing to ask for its share of the western Sunday money. This winter it has come out boldly, and the result is the allotment of some Sabbath day games.

WILL CAPTAIN DETROIT.

New York, March 9. — Manager Barrow, of the Detroit team, today concluded a deal by which George Smith, of the New York National club, will join Detroit, playing second base and acting captain. In exchange for Smith, New York is given "Kid" Gleason, the Detroit second baseman and former player at the same corner for the Giants. Gleason is a favorite with New York crowds, and though a much older player than Smith, is regarded here as a winning ball player. Barrow himself believes that he has much the better of the trade.

Detroit will retain Carr and Clements, first baseman and outfielder, whom Jersey City claims and whom Barrow has signed. This matter was to come up for discussion before the American League today. Angus and Barrow, however, had a conference last night and today Angus proposed to President Johnson that Detroit shall pay for the disputed players whatever draft price may be scheduled in the new National agreement when the latter instrument is drawn and signed. This struck Johnson as a happy solution of the difficulty. Without bothering to consult Powers, he accepted the suggestion.

WENT TO THE COAST.

Chicago, March 9.—The local National League club left Saturday for Los Angeles for spring training. The party went out over the Rock Island road at 6:05, and if the train runs on schedule time will arrive in Los Angeles next Wednesday morning. Manager Selee and his wife have already gone to the coast and will join the team at the training quarters.

Two weeks will be spent at the coast city and then the team will start back east, playing a series of games on the way. The first stop on the homeward trip will be made at El Paso, Tex., where the team will play two games on March 28 and 29. Following this game will be played at Albuquerque on March 30 and 31; Colorado Springs, April 2 and 3; Denver, April 4 and 6, Omaha, April 8, 9 and 10. From Omaha the team will come to Chicago to play the White Stockings on April 13 and 14 if it will be possible to make arrangements. The Orphans will open the season at St. Louis on April 15.

WILL BE HEARD TODAY.

New York, March 7.—The American League held its third day's session of the annual meeting today, and adjourned until Monday without having made public the expected announcement concerning the new grounds in Manhattan.

The protest of the Jersey City club of the Eastern League against the Detroit club over Outfielder Oakes was considered, and President Angus, of Detroit, agreed to pay the Jersey City club for the players in question.

President Pulliam, of the National League, sent out a notice today that Pittsburg had released Catcher Zimmer to Philadelphia.

THE RING.

SHARKEY AND MUNROE MATCHED.

Butte, Mont., March 9. — Guy Adams, manager of the Butte A. C., has received notice that his $10,000 bid for the fight between Jack Munroe and Tom Sharkey has been accepted, and that $5,000 forfeit will be posted as a guarantee of good faith. The fight is to take place in Butte in June.

FOUGHT A DRAW.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 9. — Kid Abel, of Chicago, and Hugh McPadden, of Brooklyn, went six rounds to a draw before the Badger A. C., Friday night. McPadden was overweight, and it was decided a draw would rule if both men were on their feet at the finish. McPadden had the better of the fight after the second round.

FITZ HAS BEEN MATCHED.

Mahoney City, Pa., March 9. — Bob Fitzsimmons, who is in the city, has received and accepted Philadelphia Jack O'Brien's challenge to fight for the middleweight championship of the world.

GARDNER VS. ROOT.

New York, March 7. — A match has been arranged between George Gardner, the light heavy-weight of Lowell, Mass., and Jack Root, of Chicago. They were matched by Jack Hermann, the matchmaker of the International A. C., of Fort Erie, to meet in a 24-round bout before his club on March 31. This bout should result in one of the best battles between big fellows ever witnessed in Canada. Both men are clever boxers, good ring generals and stiff punchers.

RUHLIN TO BOX EVERETT.

New York, March 7.—Gus Ruhlin was matched yesterday to meet Mexican Pete Everett at Philadelphia next Monday night in place of Peter Maher. The Irish pugilist somehow has been unable to get into condition and so Ruhlin was substituted. They are to box six rounds.

THE AUTO.

FOUR ACRES OF AUTOS.

Berlin, March 9.—Emperor William was saluted Saturday evening by four acres of automobiles, massed in ranks 30 wide and 10 deep, in the Lutsgarten, opposite the old palace. The great square blazed with 1,200 electric torches, each machine having four of them, while the garden was rimmed with immense cheering crowds. This was the finale of the automobile parade. The procession was formed on the race course in the west end and proceeded through the Thiergarten, Brandenburg gate and Unter den Linden to the palace. The Duke and Duchess of Ratibor were in the foremost car and in others immediately following were Prince and Princess Henry of Pless, the two Counts Von Sierstorf, the Prince of Hohenlohe-Ochringen, Count de Talleyrand-Perigord, Count Von Thile-Winckler, a Persian prince, who is visiting Berlin, and a large company of other distinguished persons, including the managing directors of the automobile works of Germany. The Duke of Ratibor, who is president of the Association of German Automobile Clubs, presented the Emperor with an album containing illustrations showing the progress made by the automobile industry. Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia were in the imperial party.

The mass of machines, decorated with flowers and electrical devices, then dissolved and proceeded in order to Charlottenburg, where an automobile exposition had been opened in the afternoon under the patronage of Prince Henry. The prince, replying to the president, Major-General Von Becker, said he loved automobiling as a sport and perceived in it also a tremendous industrial and material agency. Prince Henry, accompanied by the princess, went around the exhibition, examining especially the war department's commissary wagons, powder carts and the heavy transport wagons.

The exhibition is confined to German manufacturers, with the exception of one American exhibit, which is in the name of German agents.

CRICKET.

CANADIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Canadian Cricket Association will be held at Toronto on Monday evening, March 23, at 8 o'clock.

ATHLETICS.

INDIAN WON TILTING CONTEST.

New York, March 9.—Only one day more remains for those who wish to see the Sportsmen's Show before its close. In the canoe tilting contests on Saturday, Shawanoe, the Indian champion tilter, and the victor in over 100 consecutive tilting contests, defeated Francis West, the winner of the Pan-American championship, with ease. The bout, which was scheduled to go 15 minutes in two halves, lasted about 12 minues. In the first half both men stood up in the bottom of the canoes. For the second half they mounted the gunwales. Shawanoe was more stable on his feet, and had West off the gunwale all through the bout. Shawanoe, who is a sturdily-built Indian, was stripped to the waist, as was his paddler, Mokwu, who did far better work than G. M. Richards, of the New York University, West's paddler, in handling the canoe. West used up part of his strength in paddling his canoe with the end of his spear. Finally, amid great applause, Shawanoe pushed West over backward and out of his canoe.

Philip M. and Marion Seixas met E. Harry and Albert Seixas in a bout for the championship of the family at canoe tilting in the evening. Mere family relations were not considered, and the bout was the hottest of the show, the contestants banging each other with the spears in energetic style. After two periods of fast work, neither side had scored a fall and it was called a draw.

J. B. Dunn, jun., and J. A. Robinson, of the Weekapaugh Yacht Club, met C. A. Beck, of the Atlanta Boat Club, and R. F. Abercrombie, of the Deerfoot Athletic Club, in the regular contests. Dunn and Robinson did better work with the spear and paddle than their opponents. Beck's attachment to his canoe, however, was close, and it was not until time was nearly up that the Weekapaugh men drove their opponents up against the island, where a thrust sent Beck overboard.

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GOLF.

ROSEDALE GOLF CLUB.

Toronto, March 9. — The annual general meeting of this club was held on Saturday, March 7, when the following officers were elected: President, M. McLaughlin; directors, James E. Baillie, W. E. Chalcroft, Dr. F. C. Hood, James Ince, C. C. James, L. W. Manchee, Arnold Morphy, H. F. Petman, and C. T. Robin; captain, James E. Baillie; secretary-treasurer, D. W. Baxter; green committee, Messrs. William Ince, jun., H. F. Petman and L. W. Manchee.

STUDENTS OWN ANN ARBOR LINKS.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 9. — The Ann Arbor Golf Association, which really includes nearly all the university enthusiasts, has purchased the golf links occupied by them for the past few years. The purchase price is $4,000 and a new club house will be erected this spring. It is probable that after the stock subscribed has been retired by initiation fees and annual dues the links will be turned over to the regents.

TRIGGER.

GRAND AMERICAN HANDICAP.

Kansas City, March 9. — Elmer E. Shaner, secretary and manager of the Inter-State Shooting Association, has announced the programme of and the conditions governing the Grand American handicap at inanimate targets, to be held at Blue River Shooting Park, in this city April 14 to 17. The conditions governing the handicaps are:

One hundred blackbirds, unknown angles, handicap 14 to 25 yards, high guns, not class shooting. The Interstate Association will add $200 to the purse, which will be $110, including the cost of targets. In addition to first money the winner will receive a sterling silver trophy. Regular entries must be made on or before April 10 to Elmer E. Shaner, secretary and manager, Pittsburg.

The programme for the tournament is as follows: First day, eight 20 target events; second day, four 20 target events, preliminary handicap open to all; third day, four 20 target events, Grand American handicap open to all: third day, four 20 target events, Grand American handicap; fourth day, four 20 target events, consolation handicap.

TENNIS.

BRITISH TEAMS CHALLENGE.

Boston, March 7.—Secretary Palmer E. Presbrey, of the United States National Tennis Association, announced that he has just received an English challenge for the Davis international championship trophy, the official copy reaching him yesterday. The document is dated in London, Feb. 18, and is signed by G. R. Mewburn, the secretary of the English Lawn Tennis Association. It challenges the U. S. N. L. T. A., the present custodians of the cup and the international champions, in the name of the English L. A. A., for another series of international matches, to be played during the season of 1903, in America.

The international regulations governing all contests for the Davis cup fully cover all details, and there is no question of conditions raised in the challenge, which is absolute, and which will be accepted at once without delay or further negotiations. The executive committee meets on March 13 at the Hotel Waldorf, when the challenge will be formally accepted, and President Dwight will appoint a committee to arrange for all details. Under the regulations, the challengers are not required to name their players until three weeks before the date set for the first of the international matches, and the defenders of the trophy will not be named until then, either. The only questions of importance to be decided are those of time and place, and the wishes of the Britishers will be considered in regard to both details.

There is likely to be some competition for the privilege of holding the international matches this season, for the Longwood Cricket Club of Boston, the Crescent Athletic Club of Bay Ridge, the St. George Cricket Club of Hoboken, and probably also the Kenwood Country Club of Chicago, will all put in bids for the tournament. However, the visitors were so much pleased last season at the fine reception and conditions they had at Bay Ridge that their support is all likely to be thrown in this direction, and this may turn the scale in favor of the Crescent Athletic Club. The Dohertys declared that they had never played on better courts than those of the Crescent A. C. Incidentally, the average attendance at the Bay Ridge matches last summer was nearer ten thousand than five, while in Boston, three years ago, the attendance averaged about 1,500 for the international matches and at Hoboken, in 1897, there were not over 1,000 a day present to see Eaves, Nisbet and Mahoney meet the American players.

Although nothing is officially known yet of the visiting team, it is generally understood that the Dohertys will be the nucleus of the British delegation, and if the U. S. N. L. T. A. executive committee next week acts favorably on the changes asked for by the English association in the international regulations, there may not be any third player sent over. For the defense, Whitman, Larned, Wright, Collins, Ward and probably Davis, will all be available, and it would not be surprising to see the opposing teams next summer in the international matches made up of almost exactly the same men opposed to each other as fought out the contest last year.

BOWLING.

MADE NEW RECORD.

Chicago, March 9. — The world's bowling record for a five-man team was broken here Friday night by the Empires, of Chicago, who scored 1,150 points. The new mark was made in a regular scheduled game in the Chicago League. The former record was 1,141.

BASKETBALL.

GOING TO TORONTO.

A team from the Y. M. C. A. will play the West End basketball team of Toronto on Friday, and on Saturday night will meet the Center team. The local team, which is one picked from the strongest players, consists of the following: L. Skinner and Percy Williams, forwards; E. Nelles, center; G. McBride and G. Tambling (captain), defense.

CHESS.

MAROCZY LEADS MASTERS.

Monte Carlo, March 9.—In the sixth round of the second half of the international chess tournament Saturday Mieses beat Albin, Danish gambit, in 28 moves; Maroczy beat Wolf, Ruy Lopez opening, in 24 moves; Teichmann beat Moreau, Ruy Lopez opening, in 58 moves. The game between Aubernhaus and Mason, Vienna opening, was drawn after 31 moves. Schlechter beat Rebbio, Cuioco piano, in 50 moves; Tarasch beat Marco, Ruy Lopez opening, in 46 moves. The Marshall-Pillsbury contest, center counter gambit, was drawn in 63 moves.

The scores up to date are: Maroczy, 13½; Schlechter, 13; Teichmann, 13; Pillsbury, 12½; Tarrasch, 12½; Mieses, 12; Marco, 10½; Taubenhaus, 9; Marshall, 8½; Wolf, 8; Albin, 7½; Mason, 7; Rebbio, 5; Moreau, 0.

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Mr. Mason, of the Bank of Commerce staff, is on the sick list, and has gone to his home in Toronto. H. J. Melville, of Woodstock, is taking his place here.—Goderich Signal.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

—Mr. James A. Shopland, of William street, has gone to Chicago to assist his brother in the management of a brass works.

—Mr. James L. Murray, buyer in Europe for Smallman & Ingram, has returned from a purchasing trip to foreign markets.

—Mrs. Clinton M. Woodburn, of 367 Dufferin avenue, left today for Ottawa, where she will spend a couple of months with her parents.

—After an absence of two years, Mr. Arthur Freeland, of Lorne avenue, has returned from Calgary, N. W. T., where he went to improve his health.

—John Lewis, of Adelaide, celebrated his 75th birthday on March 4. On that day his daughter, Lottie, was united in marirage to Hiram Zavitz, Caradoc.

—Mr. Harry R. Hawkey, who has been with the firm of James Cowan & Co. for the past year, has left for Grand Forks, N. D., where he has secured a lucrative position.

—Mrs. Homer Jackson, of Hanna, N. D., who has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past few months, has returned home, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. J. Hawkey, of Parkhill, who intends making a few months' visit with her brothers there.

—Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, president of the London Historical Society, will deliver a lecture before the Westminster Guild in the lecture hall of Knox Presbyterian Church, South London, this evening. The subject is "Robert Gourlay." The public are cordially invited.

A HINT TO EVERYBODY.

Toronto Globe: During the past five days the Globe has received for publication letters enough to fill more than 25 columns. There would be some hope for their appearance if such letters as are of public interest were greatly condensed, relieved of all unnecessary matter and confined to points of real importance. To publish long letters is quite impossible.

ARRESTED FOR FRAUD.

On a charge of defrauding his partner, Ray C. Bruce, George Winslow, of 133 William street, was arrested on Saturday by P. C. Monaghan. The two men ran a grocery store at the corner of Pall Mall and Alfred streets until a short time ago.

EARLY BLOOMS.

Local flower growers have reported to The Advertiser today the unprecedented earliness of bloom in their gardens, snowdrops, crocus and pansies all being welcomed and admired yesterday. Several enthusiasts have already planted sweet peas. Buds on lilacs and other shrubs are ready to burst open; in fact, the season is like the latter part of April rather than the first of March.

SPOKE AT ST. THOMAS.

Mr. Talbot Macbeth, K. C., spoke at the annual alumni banquet of Toronto University at St. Thomas on Friday night. The Journal of that place says that Mr. Macbeth, "with excellent taste, cut his remarks to suit the hour—now almost 1 a.m.. He congratulated the Elgin Alumni Association and hoped to see the day when the Middlesex Association would be its equal. Mr. Macbeth was well received and his address was concise and pointed."

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

The Western Ontario Alumni of Queen's, Kingston, held their third annual banquet at St. Thomas on Friday night, many interesting addresses being delivered upon the occasion. The alumni chose the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. D. M. Gordon, D. D.; honorary vice-president, Rev. Prof. McNaughton; president, Rev. D. R. Drummond, M. A., B. D.; vice-presidents, Rev. J. G. Stuart, B. A., London; George Malcolm, B. A., Stratford; J. W. Marshall, B. A., Ridgetown; Jas. Newell, M. D., Watford; secretary-treasurer, R. Lees, M.A., St. Thomas; executive committee, J. A. Taylor, B. A., Dutton; J. H. Mills, M. A., Waterford; A. H. D. Ross, M. A., Tilsonburg; Jennie Drennan, M. D., St. Thomas; A. E. Harvey, M. D., Wyoming; R. W. Anglin, M. A., Essex; C. B. Edwards, B. A., London; Rev. P. A. McLeod, M. A., B. D., Atwood; Rev. A. McAuley, B. A., Woodstock; A. D. Griffin, B. A., Woodstock. The next meeting will be held in St. Thomas.

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TELEPHONE COMPANY'S RIGHTS ON THE STREETS

Important Decision by Judge Meredith—Fort William vs. The Bell Telephone Company.

The interim injunction issued on the 12th of February, restraining the Bell Telephone Company from erecting any further poles or stringing wires for telephone purposes in the town of Fort William, came up for hearing before Judge Meredith at Osgoode Hall on the 19th. Mr. Holman, acting for the town of Fort William, asked to have the case enlarged for two weeks to enable him to cross-examine those who had made affidavits in the case. Walter Cassels, Esq., K. C., for the Bell Telephone Company, asked to have the injunction dissolved so far as the stringing of wires is concerned, stating that the company had no present intention of erecting any further poles on the streets of the town. The judge amended the injunction so that its prohibition affects only the erection of new poles, allowing the company to proceed with stringing wires on existing poles until the case comes to trial.

MARRIED AT DENVER

Miss Jessie Gurd, of Sarnia, Wedded to Dr. Keating, Former Londoner.

The following is from the Denver, Col., Republican, of Wednesday last, and refers to Dr. Keating, formerly of this city: At St. John's Cathedral, yesterday afternoon, a wedding was solemnized that is of interest to many Denver folk. The bride is a charming Canadian girl, Miss Jessie Talfourd Gurd (daughter of the late Robert S. Gurd, barrister, of Sarnia), while the groom is a young Denver physician, Dr. Bertrand H. Keating. Owing to the prolonged illness of Dr. Keating's sister, the wedding took place in Denver, the doctor being unable to leave his sister, and both the young couple disliking to change the date of their marriage. The ceremony was performed at St. John's Cathedral by Rev. Edward Eustis. The bride's mother and sister, who accompanied her to Denver from their home in Sarnia, Ont., were present at the ceremony. The bride was gowned in a handsome gray tailored costume, and she carried a large bouquet of violets. The young couple have gone to Colorado Springs for a few days and on returning to Denver will be at home to friends at the Melrose, No. 1742 Sherman avenue. Dr. Keating has resided in Denver for nearly two years. He is a graduate of McGill College at Montreal, and stands well in his profession in Denver, where he has many friends. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. R. S. Gurd, and her family is a prominent one. She is exceedingly pretty and accomplished and will be a decided acquisition to Denver's social circles.

Township Clerk Holwell, of Baden, has sent word to the Berlin health authorities that ten families in the vicinity of Petersburg have been quarantined. Smallpox is epidemic in Wilmot.

SMALL, HIDDEN SINS, AS OFFENSIVE AS GREAT ONES

Wrong-Doing in Those Who Can Evade the Law as Offensive as Sin in Others.

The darkest picture of the world, yet the brightest also, as painted in the words of Isaiah, 53, vi., was the subject of the sermon delivered at the King Street Presbyterian Church last night by Rev. Joseph Watt, of Toronto, who was filling the pulpit pending the induction of the new pastor, Rev. James Rollins. In that verse were found painted side by side the bitterness, the depth of sin, and the hope, the assurance of salvation and eternal life. In part, Mr. Watt said:

NO SINS ARE SMALL.

"How we are tempted to look lightly upon sin, and to think of some sins as small, light, insignificant, as if all sin is not offensive in the sight of Almighty God. We, of course, think of what we consider the big sins, in the business world, in the general concerns of the community, the drunkard, the blasphemer, the dishonest, the unclean. We look upon all these great outstanding sins in the community as a great calamity. All people are concerned about these things. They are alarmed about them, but sins, the small sins, the hidden sins of the great community, are as damnable in the sight of God as are the great outstanding blunders of the public. Sin in the polished, in the refined, in the intellectual, sin in those who can evade the law, is just so offensive in the sight of the Lord as the other.

SIN TRAVELS EVERYWHERE.

"The heart is deceitful above all things. Sin is as deep as hell. Scripture does not paint the picture in the text too darkly. There is no extravagance. All have gone astray, each in his own way—the highly educated, the refined as well as the uncultured. Sin has traveled everywhere. It has permeated the whole mass of humanity, it has stained, corrupted and alienated men from God. There are none righteous.

"I get impatient with people denouncing the sin of others and overlooking their own, having hard names for others and failing to recognize the worst side of heart and mind in their own lives. Each soul is guilty. We are compelled to believe this. The best born of us, the best blooded, and those who have come into the world under the best circumstances, bring with them an evil nature, a heart of dissipation, sin that works out in some way. Therefore we need to gaze at this picture until we are humbled before God. It is a sad thing when the young soul wakes to the bitterness of sin, but the sinner must keep humbled. Let any one of us go over our life tonight, and in shame we will have to fall before God. It is easy enough to go over the sins of some other man in church or state or civil life, but we must not forget to pronounce upon our own sins our condemnation. Our sins must be faced. They touch our life everywhere, and must be watched."

ORGAN OPENING.

The pipe organ recently installed at the King Street Presbyterian Church was used for the first time yesterday. The instrument is of the Scribner make, with an oak case and pipe trimmings of cream, pale blue, terra cotta and gold, and it has a splendid tone. It replaces an organ which has been in It replaces an organ which had been in had become worn out. The new organist, Mr. Roselle Pococke, presided at the instrument yesterday, and gave great satisfaction. The choir of 30 voices was assisted in the evening by Mr. Ernest Moule, who sang a solo, "The Home Land." An expense of $1,000 has been incurred by the purchase of the organ, and the societies of the church are going to do their share to wipe out the indebtedness. The Ladies' Aid Society is already on the move and will have an "At Home" tonight at the residence of Mrs. Richmond, King street east, the proceeds to be devoted to the organ fund.

SPECIAL SERVICES.

A series of special evangelistic services to be conducted at the Hamilton Road Methodist Church, were begun yesterday by Miss Mossop.

Rev. Walter Russell will conduct Bible readings at St. Andrew's Church every afternoon at 3 and every evening at 8 o'clock during the week. The special services under the direction of the pastor are to be continued on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, this week.

Educational sermons are to be preached at the Dundas Street Methodist Church on Sunday next by Rev. Thos. Manning.

The induction of Rev. James Rollins, of Elmvale, as pastor of the King Street Presbyterian Church, will take place on Thursday evening, March 19.

The pulpit of Christ Church was occupied yesterday morning by Rev. Wm. Daunt, of Alvinston, a retired clergyman.

The missionary vice-presidents of the London district will hold a convention in the Wellington Street Methodist Church this afternoon and evening. Sessions will begin at 2:30 and 8 p.m., the afternoon session being addressed by Revs. Budd and Coulter, of this city, and the evening session by Rev. Mr. Horton, of Toronto.

LONDON HOMES BEREAVED

Death Comes to Residents of This City.

Mr. Percy Beresford Succumbs to Attack of Heart Failure.

The death of Mr. Percy Beresford took place at the family residence, 114 Wellington street, on Saturday afternoon. The news will come as a surprise to his many friends, and will cause general sorrow, for Mr. Beresford was a young man of admirable character, who had a host of acquaintances, among whom he was exceedingly popular. He had been ill only six weeks, his death being due to an affection of the heart. Mr. Beresford was only in his 24th year. Of late he had been traveling for the Beresford Oil Company, of which his father is the head. The bereaved family will have the sincerest sympathy of the community in their great bereavement.

EARLY SETTLER DEAD.

London Township lost one of its oldest settlers on Saturday afternoon by the death of Mr. William Robson. The deceased was 70 years of age. He was an active member of St. George's Church, on con. 13, and was for 30 years churchwarden and lay delegate to the synod. He leaves a wife, four daughters, two sons, one brother and three sisters, one of the latter being Mrs. Henry L. Schram, of Euclid avenue. The funeral will take place this afternoon from his late residence at Ilderton. Service will be held at St. George's Church.

DEATH OF MRS. DAVIS.

After an illness of six months from inflammatory rheumatism, Mrs. Melissa Davis, wife of Eli Davis, died on Saturday at the family residence, Tempo. Mrs. Davis was born in Westminster Township 62 years ago, and was a daughter of the late W. Sutton. She leaves, besides her husband, two sons, Roy L. and Orlando; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Morden, of Lambeth, and Mrs. Joseph Sifton, of Metcalfe, and one brother, Samuel Sutton, of Burford. The funeral takes place today to Hunt's Cemetery.

LORNE AVENUE RESIDENT DEAD.

Mrs. Sarah Grant, wife of Mr. Nicholas Grant, died on Sunday at the family residence, 712 Lorne avenue. Mrs. Grant, who had been ill only three weeks, is survived by her husband and one child. She was in her 40th year, and had been a resident of the city for a long period. The funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon to Woodland Cemetery.

DIED IN WISCONSIN.

Information has been received of the death of Boaz, Wis., of Mr. Thomas Johnston, a former resident of London Township. The late Mr. Johnston, who was in his 38th year, was born and raised in London Township, but left there ten years ago. He was a cheese manufacturer. A widow and one child, a girl 8 years of age, survive, also four brothers—P. C. Rowland Johnston, of this city; Charles, of Glanworth; Robert, of St. Thomas, and Edward, of Innerkip. The remains will be brought here for interment.

BURIED AT NEW HAMBURG.

The funeral of the late Mr. H. L. Peine, of Byron avenue, took place this morning to New Hamburg, where the deceased formerly resided. The services were conducted at the residence by the pastor of the German Lutheran Church, with which Mr. Peine was identified. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. Heaman, W. Riley, W. S. Lockhart, A. Woonton, James Wilkins, P. C. R., and A. Searle, the chief ranger of Court Pride of the Dominion, A. O. F. The deceased was once chief ranger in the order.

RULES FOR COMPETITION

Conditions That Govern City Garden Contest.

Five Prizes Will Be Offered This Year Instead of Three.

The conditions drawn up to govern the city garden competition this year are as follows:

Class 1—Best front lawn and surroundings.

Class 2—Best back garden.

Class 3—Best new premises showing the greatest amount of improvement where the house was not occupied before October, 1902.

Class 4—Best window boxes in business premises.

Class 5—Prizes of plants will be given to the residents in a block which as a whole presents the best appearance during the season.

1. Intending competitors must send in their names and addresses in writing to one of the judges not later than May 1, stating in which classes they desire to enter. In Class 5 anyone resident in the block may be deputed to make the entry.

2. Before any prize is awarded, a declaration must be made by the successful competitor that no hired labor has been employed since May 24.

3. Competitors may enter in more than one class, but shall not receive more than one prize, exclusive of the premiums in Class 5.

4. Those who won first prizes in 1902 shall have 5 per cent deducted for the maximum number of marks.

5. The judges reserve the right to refuse admission to the competion to such entries as those who were placed in the Premier Class last year, and to those who make a large proportion of their income from the produce of their gardens; also, they shall be at liberty to take other circumstances in individual cases into their consideration in debarring from the competition.

6. Competitors will not be informed of the number or times of the judges' visits.

7. The following points will be taken into consideration by the judges: (a) Originality and taste; (b) general effect; (c) neatness and order; (d) variety of plants; and (e) in Class 2 only, utilization of land as shown by the production of vegetables and fruits.

The judges will be Messrs. Saunders, Bethune, Rennie and W. H. Hamilton.

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The above is the title of a new booklet which we have issued, dealing with cancer in its various forms, and the new method of treatment, which does away with the knife and plaster. It has saved the life of many a cancer sufferer who has taken the trouble to read it carefully, and we will be pleased to send it to any address on receipt of two stamps.
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Alex. Cattanach, of Southwold, has sold his "Paddy Breen" farm, on the Lake road, consisting of 108 acres, to William Stacey for $2,500.

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A branch of the Traders' Bank has been established at Thamesford, and will be open for the transaction of business within a week. Donald Brown, who for some time has been accountant at the Ingersoll branch, has been appointed manager.

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Mr. William Flood has sold the Grand Central Hotel, Paisley, to Mr. Stanley, the present occupant, for $8,000.

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QUESTION OF POWER WILL BE A VERY IMPORTANT ONE

Will Engage Much Attention at Coming Parliament.

Mr. Dan McGillicuddy Speaks of Radial Railways.

"With electrical development proceeding at the rate it is, it will be a very short time before this western part of Ontario will be gridironed with radial railways," was the expression of Mr. Dan McGillicuddy in a conversation on Saturday evening with an Advertiser reporter, who had recognized the familiar face of the Goderich politician and editor of the Signal, of that place. Mr. McGillicuddy was stopping at the Grigg House for a short time on his way to the Provincial capital, and when seen was asked as to what he thought would be the most important things dealt with at the coming session of the Legislature.

The matter that would engage the most attention, he said, would be that of electrical power. Of course it would be hard to tell just what would be done in this matter or what should be done, as it was a great question as to what power was available at the Niagara River and as to the cost of power. These matters would be factors in the question whether the western towns could make use of it. The Government were wise in appointing the commission to look into these matters and report, and there was no doubt that there would be important legislation passed at the coming session.

RECOGNIZE VALUE OF POWER.

"You see," said Mr. McGillicuddy, "this problem has arisen as it has not before. We have got to that point where the people of the country are recognizing the value of electrical development, and soon every available place of power will be put to use, and the enterprises will mean a great advance for this part of the Province. The question of power is directly connected with that of radial railways, for the importance of these roads to the country is beginning to dawn on the people, and as soon as they see fully their value they will do all they can to encourage them.

"I see that London is interested in having a new road come into the city, and it is to be hoped that the city will soon be entered by a number of these radial roads, for they will all bring business and stimulate it. I am a provisional director in a company that is applying to the Legislature this session for permission to extend their line into the city of London if desired, and that is what will be wanted as soon as the road has reached the boundaries of the County of Middlesex. Last year we were granted our charter. At that time we applied for a charter for a radial road to be known as the Huron, Bruce and Middlesex, to run out of Goderich and down through to London. Strenuous opposition was put up against this at the time by the three gentlemen who then represented the city and surrounding county, the claim being that it would be inimical to the county's interests. However, the more roads there could be the better, and this was pointed out, but the opposition was strong enough in the railway committee to make us change our plans. Another reason put up against us was that too much mileage was asked. The committee therefore granted us the right to come down to the southernmost boundary of the County of Huron, also giving us a charter to extend the line north into the County of Grey, thus tapping Owen Sound and that district. The road was therefore called the Huron, Bruce and Grey.

"The initials, 'H., B. and G.' might be conflicted with the 'H., G. and B.,' the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville road, and this is one reason we have since decided that the name should be changed. At the same time we are going to make an effort to be granted permission to extend our line, and we think that this session the railway committee will see that it is in the best interests of London, as well as the country through which this road will pass, that the extra mileage should be allowed. Speaking of the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville, that road has made money for itself, and at the same time made money for its patrons. The people through that part of the country would not be without it for anything. It competes with two other roads, and the other roads do not suffer, either, for the increase of business in that quarter has followed the building of the H., G. and B. Encouraged by the latter's success and also the success of its own line, the Hamilton and Burlington radial railway are preparing to lay tracks this summer to Oakville. They have decided to lay their track, not on the road proper, but along the side of the road, for which they have purchased a frontage of the farms, by which they will pass. That is what the radial railway from Woodstock to Ingersoll did, and it was far the better way. I see in one of your contemporaries that it is suggested that the municipality and the company interested in a road from London to Lucan should get together and make arrangements by which the company could get over the matter of the toll road. Now, that is entirely unnecessary. The difficulty presented itself to the projectors of the Woodstock-Ingersoll line, and instead of making terms with the owners of that toll road, the company just bought a certain portion of the frontage of the farms, and the result has been much better than if they came to some arrangement with the corporation that had the right to charge tolls. In the first place the farmers who have to drive along the road and pay to get out of, as well as into the country, see how much better it would have been when possible to have taken the cars. In this way the company get more patronage. Then the company are not interfering in any way with those who wish to drive, and can govern their own speed and many other things better than if they were on the public highway. If a road is to be built to Lucan, I think it would be better to purchase a certain number of feet along the roadside than to attempt to come to terms with a toll road. We haven't had toll roads in the County of Huron for 40 years, so that that problem does not perplex our company and still the chances are that we may buy our own way, anyway.

TAP HURON COUNTY.

"If we get the charter amended as we wish it, and I see no reason why we should not, it is the intention of the company to construct a road out of Goderich and up through the northern part of the county into the County of Grey, as well as Bruce. We shall, therefore, tap Kincardine and Owen Sound. Then there will be a belt line through the heart of the County of Huron, touching at all the important places and bringing many unimportant places into touch with the centers, thus stimulating a development which will of necessity be of great advantage to the county and to Western Ontario. We shall also have a branch line running northeast to Dugannon and Wingham, where connection can be had with the C. P. R. It is our intention to use standard gauge and rails of sufficient weight to carry the heaviest freight cars. We do not mean to confine ourselves to passenger cars, though the only motive power will be electricity.

"The application I mentioned is for permission to bring the road into Middlesex County, having the cars enter the City of London, coming by a branch via Parkhill, from which place there will be another branch running on to Forest and to Sarnia. This is what we are asking the Government to grant us at the coming session, and also to let us change the name of the company to The Ontario and West Shore Railway."

"You cannot get your power from Niagara, can you?" inquired the Advertiser man.

RIVER POWER AT GODERICH.

"No, the Niagara power is not the only one which is to receive attention very shortly. We have a source of power near Goderich that few people except those about that part of the country seem to be aware of. The Maitland River there has a sufficient force to answer all our purposes. Last summer we had an expert engineer make a thorough examination and his report is that in the dryest time of the year, that is during the last two weeks of August and the first two of September, when the water is at its lowest, there is a sufficient fall in the River Maitland to furnish power for the running of an electric railway for 200 miles out of the Town of Goderich, and turn, as well, every wheel in every factory in that town. It was the apparent possibilities of the River Maitland that led us to think of utilizing the electrical energy and start a system of radial railways in that part of the country. That the people of the Town of Goderich are interested in the scheme is shown by the fact that in November they voted to take stock in the company to the extent of $50,000, and a bylaw is to be submitted to the taxpayers of the Township of Colborne on March 17, providing for the taking of $25,000 stock in the enterprise, and the indications are that the bylaw will be passed, as the people there are very much in favor of the road, which they think will not only be of value to the country through which it will pass, but will also pay those who undertake the work. With the rate of electrical development at present, it will be but a very short time before this western part of the province will be gridironed with radial railways. The question of power is therefore paramount to the public interest. It will no doubt occupy a good deal of time and attention when the Legislature meets in a few days."

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