

INFLUENCES ON OUTSIDE

Being Brought to Prevent Fair Power Settlement.

In Favor of Swallowing the Latest Hydro Proposition.

Prospect For Plenty of Work During Winter Good.

The failure of an attempt at the power meeting on Saturday night to get the power contract endorsed, practically in its entirety, has not discouraged the influences that have been at work bucking the city since the first prospects of a settlement of the power question.



ALFRED POWIS, President of the Y.M.C.A. and director of the Thanksgiving campaign by which it is intended to raise \$15,000 for the Y. W. C. A. and \$10,000 for the Y. M. C. A.

U. S. STEEL'S SOLE RIVAL.

Wall Street Journal So Describes Canadian Steel Merger.

Deals With Immense Strength of Dominion's Ore Deposits.

Urges Preparation For War With a \$150,000,000 Combination.

The story of the Canadian steel merger, published exclusively in the Times several weeks ago, has aroused intense interest throughout the country and prominent financial journals are busy discussing the possibility of this giant consolidation becoming the United States Steel Corporation's sole rival.

The Wall Street Journal takes this view of it and foresees, through its Boston correspondent, the formation of a \$150,000,000 steel merger in Canada, and declares that the U. S. Steel Corporation should use the same amount of additional capital to defend itself in the new war now impending.

The article, which created great excitement in financial circles, reads as follows:—The hope of the United States Steel Corporation in the United States is not only in the Gary plant, but in more Gary plants. It is figured that the United States Steel Corporation could use \$150,000,000 additional capital advantageously in construction and reconstruction in the next few years.

It becomes interesting, therefore, to note as follows:—1. Charles M. Schwab has been this year down at Cape Breton looking over the coal, iron and steel situation thereabouts. When asked if he would give an opinion of these Canadian properties, he said, "All I can say is that I wish I owned them."

BAD FALL.

William Watling Injured at the Steamboat Wharf.

William Watling, King William street, fell on his head at the Hamilton Steamboat wharf, where he was working on Saturday evening. He sustained concussion of the brain. He was taken to the City Hospital in a critical condition.

POWER CONTRACT IS NOT WHAT CITY WAS PROMISED.

Not Satisfactory From Hamilton's Standpoint and Special Power Committee Will Demand Some Changes.

Ald. Cooper Could Not Get a Seconder to a Motion That Hamilton Should Swallow the Whole Thing.

The first attempt to make Hamilton bolt the Hydro-Electric contract practically in its entirety fell flat at the meeting of the Power Committee on Saturday night, when Alderman Cooper, who tried to thrust the pill down the city's throat, failed to get a seconder to his motion.

The people want Hydro power, there is no doubt about that," said Ald. Juttan, "and if the commission had said it would not give us any concessions I would have voted to accept the contract as it is. However, when they will give us a year or so to find out what the power is going to cost we should take advantage of it."

The City Solicitor drafted a clause to replace this. "It is very essential," he advised, "that this should go in. It is what the commission agreed to, and what I advise the aldermen to insist on."

BLYTHE GETS EIGHTEEN YEARS

Found Guilty of Manslaughter For Killing His Wife—Addresses of Mr. Robinette and Mr. Blackstock.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—"Guilty of manslaughter." This was the verdict delivered at 8:20 last night after one and a half hours' deliberation by a jury which after two days' trial in the shadow of the gallows for the killing of his wife, after three disputes under circumstances which have made the case the most notable in the history of Canada.

Mr. Blackstock immediately asked for sentence and T. C. Robinette, K.C., who has fought for Blythe during the case, pleaded for less than life sentence. "Walter Blythe, stand up."

"Have you anything to say why sentence should not be passed on you?" At these words from Judge Magee, Blythe shook his head and gave a barely audible "No."

Toronto, Oct. 24.—That the cider that Walter Blythe had been drinking the day his wife Amelia was done to death in their cottage at Agincourt was not hard, but soft cider, and therefore non-intoxicating, was testified by Constable Hobbs at the resumption of the trial before Mr. Justice Magee and the jury on Saturday afternoon.

The officer stated that there was no liquor in the jug found in the kitchen, but he smelled it, and the odor was the same as that which came from the cider in the cellar, which he tasted and concluded was of the soft variety. "Was he under the influence of liquor at all?" asked T. C. Robinette, K.C., in cross-examination.



MRS. WOLFKILL, President of the Young Women's Christian Association, which is to have the assistance of the Y. M. C. A. in raising the \$15,000 necessary to complete its new building.

JOE SUGAR IN THE TOILS.

Accused of Perjury In Connection With Recent Case.

Told Police House Is His But Woman Is Not.

Although He Swore That the Reverse Was the Case.

Joseph Sugar was arrested on Saturday night by P. C's. Cameron and Barrett on a charge of perjury. Joseph Sugar is charged that he did on the first day of October unlawfully commit wilful and corrupt perjury during the hearing at the Hamilton police court on a charge against him of selling liquor without a license, by falsely swearing that he was not the tenant of the house being occupied by him, and that the person who sold the liquor was his wife.

Sugar, who has had many experiences with the police, is now in the toils. He will come up on Tuesday. The arrest of Sugar on the present charge is evidently due to the police following up the suspicions they had at the time of the trial, on Oct. 1, about the woman really being his wife. The doubts of the police at the time were referred to in the Times.

Though the police say they had sufficient information immediately after the trial to warrant their arresting him on a charge of perjury, yet for reasons best known to themselves, they decided to wait until the Attorney-General had given his decision on the case.

Still Joe continued to swear that the house and all therein were his, and that the woman was the cause of all the trouble. On Saturday night, when Constables Cameron and Barrett called at Sugar's house on Rosedale avenue to arrest him, he was in an ugly mood, though he recognized that resistance was useless.

MRS. TURNER Sentenced to 15 Years in Penitentiary For Killing Baby.



Toronto, Ont., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Mabel Turner, who was convicted of manslaughter in connection with the baby which she adopted and threw off a train near Lewiston, N.Y., was on Saturday night sentenced to fifteen years in Kingston penitentiary.

HAMILTON'S OLDEST MAN.

Daniel Sullivan Has Reached Age of 106 Years.

Came to Hamilton In "Year of the Plague"

And Worked For the City Over Half a Century.

Probably the oldest resident of this city at the present time is Daniel Sullivan, who according to his own reckoning and that of his friends, is 106 years of age. At the House of refuge where he resides he is marked on the register as beyond the century mark.

Mr. Sullivan being a true Irishman, and like the majority of his race, is of a jovial disposition and even at his advanced age is extremely fond of and appreciates wit. After coming to this country he journeyed about in different parts of Ontario until he arrived at Hamilton, and it proved his stopping place. He claims to have worked for the city for over 50 years, and during that time he made many friends, both among his fellow employees and others.

He comes of a long living race, for as far back as can be traced, there were many centenarians among them. A point of which he often makes mention is "that he smoked since he was a boy, and drank since he could get it," but in his estimation, the liquor of the present day is not as good as it was half a century ago.

When asked if he was sure of his age, he said, "Well, I was a man when Mr. — was a boy, and he is now 88." All of the old man's family were born in this city. One of his daughters is at present residing in Rochester. She has granddaughters who are stopped working for the city he went to live with his daughter, but did not remain there long as he was afraid that he might die while there and preferred to spend his last days in the city which had so long been his home. His one wish is that when he passes away it will be in this city so that he can be buried beside his wife, who died a number of years ago, and was buried in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

WAS SERIOUS.

Accident to Mr. Geo. Rilett Still Keeps Him In Bed.

Mr. Geo. Rilett, the well known real estate man, is still lying at his home, Emerald street south, in a serious condition, as the result of the accident he met with a week ago to-day, when his auto skidded on the wet pavement at the corner of Main street and East avenue, and was struck by a car on the H. G. & B. Railway. Mr. Rilett didn't seem to be hurt much at the time, and proceeded to his office, but soon became so ill that he had to be taken home and he has since been confined to his bed, attended by three physicians. He suffered a great deal on Saturday night, but seemed better yesterday. The doctors are quite puzzled over his case, but hope for his complete recovery in time.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Ernest Wright, who narrowly escaped electrocution last Thursday evening at the Cataract sub-station, A. Victoria avenue north, was ordered to be taken to the City Hospital by Dr. Rennie on Saturday morning from his home, 399 Victoria avenue north. His condition proved to be more serious than was expected.

Each Week Our window dresser places in our show windows on MacNab and Market streets, many different articles which will interest you. Have a look at them. Many articles which you perhaps thought you could not get in the city we carry in stock.—Parke & Farke, corner Market and MacNab streets.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Prince Rupert, B.C., Empire says: A prominent New Brunswick citizen who has just returned from a trip in the interior says, "but little is known on the outside of the vast acreage of timber and agricultural lands of the upper country in British Columbia," and predicted that within a few years that part of the country would have a population far exceeding even the dreams of those who have long known of the country's great resources.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deary, of Galt, are in the city, visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Deary, Park street north.

The Man in Overalls

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The mountain toppers are kicking because the cement gang has not begun to finish the sidewalk on Clifton avenue. People are tumbling over one another in the dark. The loose and missing planks of the present walk are stumbling blocks to those who use the walk.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. Weaver—Late Mrs. Mitchell's Funeral.

Mrs. Frederick Weaver, 31 Crooks street, passed away early yesterday morning after an illness that had confined her to her home for about one year. She was a native of England and came to this city about fifty years ago, where she had resided ever since. She leaves besides a husband, four sons, Fred, of Chicago; Alfred, of Detroit; James, of Dayton, Ky., and Frank, of this city; also two daughters, Mrs. Jas. Archibald, Fort William, and Miss Harriett, at home. The funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and the interment will be in Hamilton Cemetery.

TYPHOON VICTIMS.

San Francisco, Oct. 23.—The Japanese liner Nippon Maru, which arrived here last night, reported that before leaving Hong Kong the British steamer Kwun-yang arrived there and told of having passed many human bodies at the entrance to the Haitian Straits.

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Stimulating the Appetite by Cheerfulness and Freedom From Worry. It is astonishing to one who has not studied the subject thoughtfully to learn how completely under the control of the nervous system, or rather of the emotions, the entire digestive apparatus is. It is a matter of everyday experience that the appetite is under the subjection of the feelings, although not of the will. The impulse to celebrate any good news by a dinner is founded upon the fact that when one is pleased and elated hunger is excited. In early times this hunger was gratified on the moment, just as the accompanying thirst too often is now, but the modern man usually defers his gratification to a suitable occasion.

READ THE TIMES

IF YOU WANT THE NEWS TELEPHONE 368 A LINER'S LARDER. Vast Amount of Food Consumed on Ocean Crossings. They do not vidual ocean liners on the "snack-from-the-joint-and-two-veg" principle. Here are some items culled from a large Atlantic liner company's food bill for one year: Meat: Fresh beef, pork, veal, mutton and lamb, over 10,000,000 pounds. Poultry and game: Ducks, fowls, turkeys, etc., more than 1,000,000 pounds. Fish, about 1,000,000 pounds, says the Washington Post. Beverages: Champagne, claret, minerals, etc., 800,000-odd bottles, besides 500,000 gallons of lager beer. The amount of bread consumed was 3,900,000 pounds. Potatoes stand at 20,000,000 pounds, butter at 1,200,000 pounds, and ice at 24,000,000 pounds. Cigars and cigars were smoked up to the tune of 2,327,223. Taking just this last item, and allowing three cigars and seven cigarettes as a daily dose per head, the number of smokers consumed in one single year in these liners would keep ten men in tobacco every day of their existence for a period of about 70 years.

HOUSEKEEPER

Take six roasting ears of corn and grate it up fine. Make a batter of one tablespoonful flour, one egg, pepper and salt to taste. Whip into the corn, then roll in cracker crumbs and fry in hot lard same as doughnuts. They are savory and delicious; have something of the flavor of fried oysters. For small family three ears of corn sufficient. GREEN CORN PUDDING. Grate two dozen full ears of fresh corn, to which add the well beaten yolks of three eggs, one cupful of cream or rich milk, three tablespoonfuls of softened butter, half a teaspoonful of sugar, half a teaspoonful of salt, and two tablespoonfuls of flour. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites, bake in a well buttered dish one hour. GREEN CORN PUDDING. Take one quart of sweet milk, five eggs, two tablespoonfuls melted butter, one tablespoonful white sugar, and a dozen large ears of green corn; grate the corn from the cobs; beat the whites and the yolks of the eggs separately; beat the corn and yolks together, stir hard and add the butter then the milk gradually, beating all the while, until the sugar, and a little salt, lastly the whites. Bake slow at first, covering the dish for an hour; remove the cover and brown nicely. CORN PATTIES. When making pie crust, if there is any left roll out very thin, put in muffin rings and bake. At dinner time take a can of corn, or fresh cooked corn, one cup of sweet milk, a piece of butter the size of a walnut, salt and pepper to taste. Stir in when it is ready to mix one scant tablespoonful of flour mixed with cream, and fill the patties, which have been kept warm. This is a nice dish. CORN RELISH. One dozen ears of sweet corn, one head of cabbage, two large red peppers, one cup granulated sugar, one teaspoonful salt, half teaspoonful of celery seed one-fourth pound mustard, two teaspoons less one cup of vinegar, one teaspoonful of turmeric powder. Boil thirty minutes; can while hot.

ROBIN'S APPETITE

Devours Hundreds of Bugs and Insects in One Day. Speaking on the conservation of wild birds, William L. Finley, of Portland, Ore., lecturer of the National Association of Audubon societies, declared at the Conservation Congress at Seattle that to destroy the wild bird was to destroy the food of the human race. He showed the importance of the bird in protecting the agriculturist and the horticulturist from the ravages of insects. He cited the robin, which has been found to devour 175 caterpillars in a day, and intimated the finding of over 100 photographs in the crop of one Bob White and two spoonfuls of chick bugs in another. A mother sparrow, he said, had fed seventeen grasshoppers and two spiders to its seven-day-old fledglings in 67 minutes.

HOW ROYAL LADIES PROPOSE

The Future Consort is Relieved of Taking the Initiative. When a reigning queen is to be married she must broach the subject first to her future consort. The same rule holds good with regard to all royal ladies who marry commoners. Queen Victoria has told how she managed to "put the question" to Prince Albert—how she first showed him Windsor and its beauties and the distant landscape and then said: "All this may be yours." The Queen of Holland, on a like occasion, simply sent a sprig of white heather, begging Prince Henry to look out its meaning in a book of flowers and their meaning. The Duchess of Argyle took the following means of proposing to the Marquis of Lorne. She was about to attend a state ball and gave it out that she would choose as her partner for the first dance the man

THE HAMILTON TIMES

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TO PROTECT HAMILTON.

The Power Committee at its meeting on Saturday night refused to move toward an entire sacrifice of the city's interests by placing upon it for thirty years the Hydro-Electric monopoly fetters. A perusal of the report goes to show that only one member of the committee was ready for such a gross betrayal. Ald. Cooper proposed a motion to that end, but, to the credit of the aldermen, he could not find a second. Instead, the committee made some slight changes, felt to be necessary to protect the city's interest in entering into a contract for 1,000 horse-power, with the right to increase its takings within the time which the commission specifies, and will defer final action till the terms are approved officially.

We are not disposed to cavil at the action of the committee, in view of the fact that the vote of the ratepayers is not unilaterally accepted by its members as warrant for entering into a contract for power. The amount provided to be taken is enough to test the matter—too much to lose on. It is, so to speak, a gamble, a leap in the dark. But it will tend to inform us as to the cost of power under the scheme. But how any alderman of honesty and intelligence could find it in him to try to commit the city to the gamble in the large, without any reservation or protection, when the opportunity is offered us to test the scheme on the smaller scale, without losing any possible advantages claimed for it, we are unable to say. That is for Ald. Cooper to explain—if he can!

The aldermen very wisely decided to ask for the reinsertion of the City Solicitor's clause specifically exempting Hamilton from the monopoly provision, which Mr. Lobb had eliminated, and also that giving Hamilton credit for her greater nearness to the Falls. There appears to have been no reason for the striking out of these clauses, as the Commission had already agreed to them. Had they been allowed to remain, it is likely the matter would have been settled this week. As it is, Mr. Lobb's smartness is the cause of the further delay.

The limitation of the time in which Hamilton may join in the monopoly scheme, without reservation, to fourteen months, has the appearance of an attempt to squeeze the aldermen. It will give barely a year of the scheme; and it will be a very easy matter for the Commission, if it has a mind to do so, to fix things for an apparently favorable showing. There is absolutely no purpose of coercion excluded—no reason why the limit should be set at fourteen months, more than at two, or three, or four years. However, even in fourteen months we may learn something; and that there is enough loyalty to Hamilton in the Council to grant her even that ruth and mercy, is something to be thankful for, in view of the influence at work for her undoing.

THE DAYLIGHT BILL.

The British Daylight Saving Bill is not likely to become law in the near future. The campaign in its favor was a vigorous one, and vast interests were combined for its promotion. A great many members of Parliament declared themselves to be favorable to the proposition on general principles, but there remained the question of the practical unlikelihood to be caused by its adoption. A committee of the House of Commons was appointed to consider the matter in all its phases. The final meeting of this committee was held a few days ago, and a report unfavorable to the bill was agreed upon. This report recommends that the measure be not further proceeded with on the grounds that great diversity of opinion exists as to the proposals of the bill, and that grave doubts have been expressed as to whether the objects desired can be attained by legislation without giving rise to unavoidable inconvenience. While discouraging legislative action, the committee compliments the promoters of the bill on the educational effect which their campaign has produced. It says that in many cases, working hours have been changed so as to enable employers and employees to take advantage of the saving of daylight suggested by the bill. But the measure having received this setback is not likely to be taken up next session.

The frequent changes of time contemplated by the daylight saving bill, while offering no difficulty to many vocations and industries, presented a very serious problem for railways, steamboats, etc. Obviously the advancement and setting back of the clocks so frequently opened the way to errors in the running of trains which might have disastrous results. Parliament was not blind to the advantages of the measure, but the committee which gave it careful consideration could not bring itself to recommend that they be accepted as compensation for the perils and annoyances which it felt to be inseparable from its adoption. If, however, the work done has a tendency to educate the public to fit its labor day to the light of the particular season, the effort made has not been in vain.

Ald. Cooper's action at the Power Committee meeting on Saturday evening stamped him as a man willing to sacrifice the city to the scheme of the clique which he represents. He has disappointed many who hoped for better things from him. Fortunately for the people of Hamilton, there was only one Ald. Cooper on the committee, and his betrayal motion found no second.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Now, Mr. Lobb, your blue pencil did not serve the purpose you had in view, did it?

Did T. J. Stewart smile when he found that Lobb's fine Italian handiwork was rejected? We wrot not.

Ald. Cooper's courage would have been admirable had it been shown in a good cause, instead of in an attempt to sacrifice the city's interests.

Chicago has a lady superintendent of her schools and the good lady has hoisted the flag of "reform," declaring that "the system of maintaining separate high schools for the teaching of professional and technical courses is un-democratic." She insists that the separation of those pursuing the two courses is demoralizing and tends to creating social differences; and she insists that every school should be fitted to teach both courses. How hard some people are to please!

The Vancouver Colonist is distinctly wrong in contending that it is no part of the business of the Federal Government to consider the unconstitutionality of a provincial act. Such a position is entirely out of keeping with the spirit and letter of the Canadian constitution. The power of disallowance and the duty of exercising it in certain cases is undoubted, and the wisdom of that provision of our constitution has been very clearly proved by attempts of unpatriotic Provincial Governments to deprive citizens of their civil rights and to embroil the Dominion with foreign countries.

Leaving Ireland out of the computation we find that 598 members of the British House were elected by 5,489,665 voters. In other words, the average number of voters to a constituency was a trifle under 10,000. These were divided among the parties as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Party and Votes. Unionist 2,385,318; Liberal 2,580,166; Labor and Socialist 524,181.

Since the general election, 59 by-elections have been held, and in these the Unionists' vote has increased 33,073 and that of the Liberals has decreased 28,118, a net change of 63,191 votes, giving the Unionists eleven more members.

In New York the other day one Jesse Watson was sued for \$6,600, the price of an edition de luxe of Roosevelt's works, in 22 volumes, \$300 a volume. Watson's lawyer seeks to examine the publishers. He asserted in court that it was represented that the binding of the books was to cost \$100 a volume, while as a fact the binding probably cost \$1 to \$2 a volume. The plaintiff's lawyer said that J. Pierpont Morgan and others had bought the books and paid \$100,000 a set. "Speaking officially," said Justice Truax, "I am of the opinion that any man who buys one of these sets de luxe—and we have had several of them here—paying therefor \$100,000, is an incompetent." And most people will agree with Judge Truax.

The Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, while revising upward in many instances, did make some material reductions in steel and iron. Thus on iron ore from 40 cents to 15 cents, scrap steel and iron from \$1 to \$1.50, pig iron from \$4 to \$2.50 per ton, and the steel rail duty was cut in half, viz., from \$7.84 to \$3.92. Heavy reductions in the wages of the iron ore miners in New York, Minnesota, Michigan, Alabama, etc., should have taken place, but no reductions have been published in the public press. There have actually been advances made in the wages at many blast furnaces, and no reduction anywhere as far as can be learned. As the reduction in the pig iron duty of \$1.50 per ton is more than the labor cost of the furnaces, according to the preaching of the Protectionists, should be working for no wages. Puddlers' wages have been advanced, and many other ironworkers are receiving higher pay.—Philadelphia Record.

Those Protectionist theories won't stand the test of practice. As a matter of fact, employees of the protected industries get not a cent more than the competition of the labor market will allow them. The combines, by the power the tariff gives them, levy what toll they will, up to the limit of their protection, upon the public.

The Detroit Free Press which has been considering Canada's determination to build "a navy" agrees that while "it is an enormously expensive undertaking on which the Dominion has engaged," the wisdom of its decision "to construct within its own territory whatever contribution it makes to the Imperial navy and to keep it a unit by itself, under Canadian control, is already established. It thinks the establishment of shipyards will naturally follow, and that a great impetus will be given to other industries. It says:

All these advantages would be lost, if the Ottawa government had decided merely to give the London Government several millions for the construction in British yards of a battleship to form, under British command, Canada's representative in the imperial fleets. It may be believed that Canada's policy of keeping control of its war vessels after they are built is not less wise than its policy of building them under its own auspices within its own territory. It means that the aspirations of Canadian seamen for naval service and naval command can be gratified, that Canada will have at its disposal in time trained naval officers and trained naval crews.

EAGER TO DIE.

Montreal, Que., Oct. 23.—A sensational suicide occurred at Longueuil, across the river from here, yesterday. A man, whose name is as yet unknown, jumped into the river at the wharf, and when a life-preserver was thrown to him, he ducked his head and refused all help. The body has not yet been recovered.

GAVE THANKS IN CHURCHES.

Special Services Appropriate to the Holiday.

Temptations and Evils Dealt With by City Ministers.

Missionary Speakers in Ascension and James St. Baptist.

A stirring patriotic sermon, bristling with epigrams and crisp reflections of the Thanksgiving season, was preached by Rev. E. H. Tippett, pastor of First Congregational Church, last evening. Basing his theme on the return of the Israelite exiles from Babylon to Jerusalem, and the prophet's words, "For the Lord shall be unto you as a wall of fire around and about you," Mr. Tippett said, in part:

"As we gather here on the eve of a national Thanksgiving, our circumstances are different from those of the people I have described as they could possibly be. We have not come back to grounds of ruins, significant of greatness that had been, but we stand with pride looking at the development of this land of great resources. Yet this text has a message for us. There is a temptation in times of abundant harvests and great prosperity to place our dependence on material things. There is a temptation to look over the land and with rapt admiration declare it to be the greatest in the world, but the message of the text looms up and tells us greatness does not depend on such things.

"A nation's strength is not in the greatness of its crops, the vastness of its lands nor the number of its people. The only true security is in God. The nation that has a wall of fire around it is safe. That nation with men who trust in God has better bulwark than all the fortresses of the world and all the Dreadnoughts massed in one fleet.

"A true patriot is not the man who hoists his flag, nor the man who shouts his country is right above all things, nor the jingo, for often the man who opposes the jingo cry is the truest patriot.

This land in its infancy, with its vast possibilities, needs people who will have the ideals of purity, truth and justice, the foundation of a wall of fire around the nation."

Mr. Tippett emphasized that these thoughts were applicable with equal force to the individual.

The church held its thanksgiving services yesterday. The musical portion of the services was a feature.

FIRST METHODIST.

First Methodist Church held Thanksgiving services yesterday, when very large congregations were present. The evening service was given by Rev. E. B. Laneley, the pastor, and excellent music by the choir, under Mr. Wilfrid Oaten's leadership. Rev. Mr. Laneley spoke on "The Temptations of a City" in the evening, taking as his text Matthew xli, 30: "He that is not with me is against me." It was one of the straightest, strongest, most emphatic temperance sermons ever heard in that church, with a strong plea for personal purity, and personal effort on behalf of the cause of temperance and the moral uplift of the city.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE.

"A Royal Banquet" was the subject of an interesting and impressive sermon delivered yesterday in Gospel Tabernacle by Rev. J. J. Ross, of the Dovecroft Road Baptist Church, Toronto, who took for his subject text: "The kingdom of heaven is like unto a certain king, which made a marriage for his son." (Matthew xxii, 3). The speaker said that if marriage meant anything it meant an occasion for love and happiness, and it was an honor to everyone who was invited to attend, but what would a father think if those who had been invited to attend the marriage refused to do so? He was indifferent and rejected the invitation, and destroyed the servants who delivered the message. Yet this is what the Jews had done to the invitation of God, who had invited them to the marriage of His only Son, with the whole Jewish nation as His bride. They had rejected it, and had destroyed His servants, the Holy Ghost, in their own hearts, with the result that now the invitation was given to everyone, notwithstanding the treatment He had received. The invitation was primarily intended for the Jews, as shown by the first seven books of the New Testament, but as shown by the following books, it had been gradually given to the other nations, until now it was extended to the whole universe. The speaker concluded by saying that as the invited guests spoken of in the parable, from which his text was taken, were destroyed for refusing the invitation tendered of them, so would it be with all who now reject the personal invitation of redemption so freely offered.

ON WORK IN CHINA.

A large number of the members and adherents of the Church of the Ascension attended the thanksgiving services yesterday. Rev. J. R. S. Boyd, M. A., M. S. C. C. missionary of Ku-Ching, China, in the morning delivered a very interesting and helpful sermon on the conditions prevailing in that country, in which he explained the customs which tended to keep the Chinese people in their present state, but which the Christian missionaries were striving to overcome, and their efforts were not unavailing.

To illustrate God's claim upon the Christian people to carry the truths contained in the Bible to the heathen he selected a portion of Ezekiel iv, 4: "Behold, all souls are mine." He explained that the reason he had selected this missionary subject to place of thanksgiving was because he had been requested to do so by the Missionary Society. He said all things belonged to God, and no person can rightly claim that which belongs to the Master, therefore the Christian people should not be content to let the people of China and India go on in darkness worshipping idols. As God made the world, He had an undisputed claim to it, and all that was in it. The Bible stated that "In the beginning God made man in His own image that he might be drawn to Him and worship." When man disobeyed the Master, Christ was sent to make atonement for the sins of the world. At the present time the Christians were not to become as the Jews were in the olden times by thinking that they were God's people, and as such other nations had no claim upon the Christian religion. At the present day the Chinese nation was beginning to awaken from her long slumber, and the people were crying out for Christianity, although the nation as a whole was not. The customs at present prevalent were fast disappearing.

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FOUND IN BROOK.

Partly Nude Body of a Woman Discovered.

Peculiar Story of Mysterious Female Told by Farmer.

Shelton, Conn., Oct. 24.—The partly nude body of a woman lying half submerged in a brook was discovered to-day near Indian Well, about three miles north of this place. The only clue which the authorities have which may lead to identification is a story told by Chas. Thompson, a farmer. He said that either the latter part of July or the first part of August an attractive and well-dressed woman appeared at his house several times, coming from the direction of Indian Well. The third time she came her clothes appeared to be somewhat dilapidated. She had refused to say anything which might disclose her identity. On her last visit she asked for water and was given a bottle of it. When the woman's body was recovered from its resting place a broken bottle was found beneath it. There was nothing about the body to identify it.

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DEAD IN CHAIR With Wife and Nurse in an Unconscious Condition. Canistota, N.Y., Oct. 24.—The dead body of John Bowles, in a sitting position in an easy chair, and his wife and a nurse, employed for Mrs. Bowles, were found in bed in an adjoining room. There were no signs of violence or foul play about the place. Bowles was a prominent resident of Canistota. An autopsy on his body is delayed owing to the condition of the women.

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MAY BE MURDER. Dead Body of Brockville Young Man Found in River. Brockville, Ont., Oct. 24.—The body of a young man named Mort Boyd, of Brockville, about twenty-two years of age, was found floating in the St. Lawrence River here this morning, near Bowie & Company's brewery. At the inquest this afternoon no evidence was given and an adjournment made until Wednesday evening, when a post-mortem examination will take place. Foul play is suspected as the young man is badly cut about the left eye.

CONGO CRUELITIES. Many Natives Killed and Their Villages Burned. Brussels, Oct. 24.—New atrocities in the Congo Independent State have been revealed by an officer of a rubber company. He charges that between 1907 and 1909 a number of the company's agents tortured and killed many natives, posted armed sentries, chained and imprisoned the natives to force them to work, and burned villages. The Minister of the Colonies has ordered an inquiry.

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was nothing set forth in the contract showing how the commission arrived at the amounts to be paid annually by each municipality.

Clauses "a" and "b" of clause 10, which were added by Mr. Lobb provided a warm discussion. They read as follows:

(a) "The municipal corporation of the city of Hamilton shall be entitled, in respect of the said amounts payable by the said municipalities, to any reductions that may be due to increase in the quantity of power supplied to the said municipal corporation."

(b) "The said municipal corporation shall not be entitled in respect to said amounts to any reductions that may be due to increase in the power supplied by the Commission to any other corporations or parties."

"Gentlemen, this thing is so absolutely against common honesty that I don't believe the commission will insist upon it," said the Mayor. He argued that Hamilton would be paying for, say, a tenth of the line from the Falls to Dundas, and should be entitled to any reduction through other municipalities getting the benefit of Hamilton's labors.

Ald. Cooper—The success of the whole scheme depends on the co-operation of the municipalities.

The Mayor—We want to get the best for Hamilton.

Ald. Cooper—If all the other municipalities did the same as Hamilton the scheme would fail. We say to the other municipalities, "You take the risk, when the commission gets down as low as the Cataract price we will do business."

The Mayor—No we say the very opposite.

Ald. Cooper—They take the burden and we stay out.

The Mayor—No we take the burden too. The people who go into it first and build the line take the risk and we take a share of it. The municipalities that make increased demands for power are like brokers. They either want it themselves or have a market for it.

Ald. Cooper—If we want everything we should be willing to do something to get it.

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Ald. Cooper—Is it crazy to legislate for cheap power?

The Mayor—We are not offered cheap power. If the city wants to go in for street and house lighting later it may figure out cheap power. Don't commit yourself to something that some one who comes after you will have to straighten out.

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On the Mayor's suggestion it was agreed to add the following after the word "works": "ratably according to distance and in proportion to the amount of power used by each municipality."

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Replying to Ald. Morris, who discussed this point, the Mayor said: "The Commission knows perfectly well that if the scheme turns out as well as they say we will order more power. I will buy where I can get it cheapest. If they have faith in the scheme they will not object to this. The fellows who want us to take all without consideration are not after the best for Hamilton or any other place."

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"I would not think of it at present," replied the Mayor.

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ranging from 1,000 to 1,800 horse-power," replied the Mayor. "We are in a better position than all the other places. Let us get a thousand horse-power and use it all if it is worth, and show the people what can be done with it."

On Ald. Morris' suggestion it was agreed to ask the Commission to give Hamilton permission until Aug. 1, 1911, to insert paragraphs "a" and "b" of clause 13, which will give the city all the privileges. This will raise the power after the city has been using the power for a year to figure out what it will cost.

Mr. Waddell will get in touch as soon as possible with Solicitor Lobb, about the amended clauses, and arrange a meeting as early as possible with the Commission.

Amusements

Clyde Fitch's great comedy, "Girls," will be presented at the Grand this afternoon and evening and to-morrow night. It deals with the fortunes of four young women who have gone to New York, with the determination to fight their way in the world without the assistance of the opposite sex. After a struggle, however, they finally succumb to the inevitable and throw down their arms to their sworn enemies. It can be readily understood that such a theme handled in the masterly fashion common to Clyde Fitch would be full of bright

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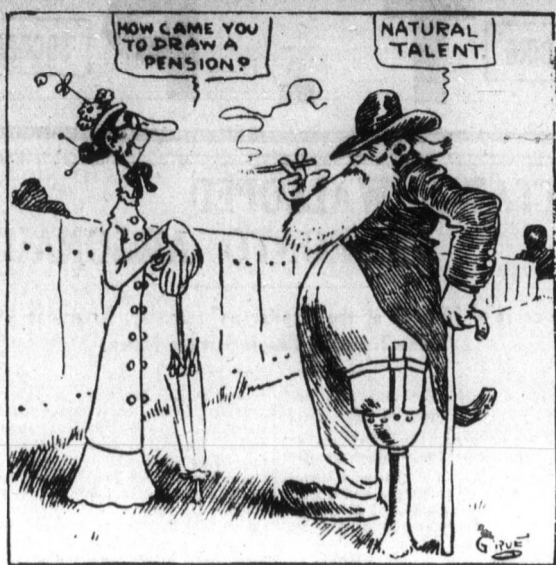
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behalf at the former trial?" was his first query.

"At the last trial you rested your defence on the ground of your mental condition?"

"I didn't rest my case at all," murmured Blythe. "I left it to my counsel."

"Witnesses who were called testified as to your insanity then?"

"Yes."

"Now at four o'clock tell me what happened?"

"I went in to get her up and told her she had to get up. I was working on the stove when she came out of the bedroom. We were talking at one another, and she picked the hammer off the sideboard and threw it at me, hitting me on the chest."

"Then you hit her with the poker?"

"Yes."

"So an active quarrel of words was going on. She then took up the hammer and threw it at you, and you took up the poker and struck her?"

"Yes. I struck her two or three times."

"Where did you hit her?"

"Across the hips."

"Had she her clothes on?"

"She wasn't naked. She had a wrap on."

Several other witnesses also testified as to his condition after the murder.

ROBINETTE'S PLEA.

Does Not Ask for Acquittal but Pleads for His Life.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—The trial of Walter Blythe on the charge of murdering his wife, Amelia, in their home at Agincourt on Jan. 3 last, was completed here on Saturday afternoon, with the summing up by T. C. Robinette, K. C., on behalf of the prisoner; G. Tate Blackstock, K. C., for the Crown, and the charge by his lordship.

During it all Blythe sat in the prisoner's dock nervously twitching his hands and continually searching the court from side to side with his eyes. He seemed unable to contain himself for a minute at a time, and was about as agitated a prisoner as ever sat in the dock.

"Walter Blythe is on trial before you for the second time," began Mr. Robinette. "He is charged with murder. He is charged with the unlawful killing of a human being with malice aforethought. The unlawful killing of a human being with malice aforethought is murder. The unlawful killing of a human being without malice aforethought is manslaughter without malice aforethought is manslaughter. You, gentlemen of the jury, have heard the evidence: it is for you to decide whether this is a case of murder or manslaughter."

Mr. Robinette then described the Blythe family as "a most peaceful one, an average Christian family."

"He loved 'Milly in the old land, he loved her in the new," he exclaimed.

The fact that Blythe put his razors out of the way for fear his wife might commit suicide, as she had tried to do before, he argued as a testimony of his love.

"This was done the very day the unfortunate affair took place, and still the Crown will try to tell you that that same day a few hours later that same man murdered his wife with malice aforethought."

"The case is a most unique one," he stated, elaborating on the first trial, the reprieve, the ordering of a new trial, and the present one. The keeping of Blythe "under the shadow of the gallows" lost nothing in the telling at Mr. Robinette's hands.

"I am before you as his counsel to punish this man according to the law of the land. Trial by jury, old as the days of Alfred, traced in British courts for centuries, found and proved to be the safest way possible, a bulwark of our liberties, such is the trial Blythe is to have going to-day. You are the judges as to whether this man is guilty or not of murder."

"I am here to-day in the unique position that I am not for one moment asking you to acquit the prisoner. I couldn't do that. I would not be true to myself were I to do that, because there has been the unlawful killing by a drunken man, by a man not knowing what he was doing."

"Is this cold, deliberate murder, with malice aforethought? No! It is the unfortunate killing of the woman he loved when he didn't realize what he was doing."

"Why, even Walter Blythe, were he standing here and pleading before you without counsel, I know he even would not ask you for freedom. He knows he has committed a crime which must be expiated by years behind prison bars."

"Which is it to be, murder or manslaughter? Let you return with a verdict that in your own homes, in church to-morrow, when you are alone, alone, when thoughts come fastest, I know

you will return such a verdict that you will be always able to say, 'I did my duty.'"

"Is it to be murder or is it to be manslaughter? Let us see. Our criminal code says culpable homicide is murder in four different cases, and the section governs the intention necessary. The first thing is, it is murder if the prisoner intended to kill. Look at the difference in this case. Look at the little poker that he used. There was not even a hammer or an axe or any other weapon that could have been used had the prisoner intended to commit murder."

"The intent can be presumed in a case of murder. But can it be imagined that the intent can be presumed in this case? Why, not even the Crown witnesses said that this man intended to kill his wife."

The next point Mr. Robinette took up was provocation. There is no living witness who can tell what took place except Blythe, who could only tell of it "in his drunken, maudlin way."

Blythe, he said, knows what beer is, having become used to it in the old country, where the beer is stronger than in this country, and he said the cider he had consumed was hard cider, "sharper than beer."

"In his drunken way he then slept. How long did he sleep? When he woke up it was about 8.30. How long had he slept? Possibly four or five hours."

"When he did wake up he was still drunk, as the witnesses have stated. If he was drunk at 8 o'clock after four hours' sleep, in what condition must he have been in at 4 o'clock that afternoon? What is the natural inference you must draw?"

"He then lit a lamp, and, going into the room, it was upon his bed, a alcoholic brain that he had killed his wife. Did he try to conceal it? Did he endeavor to burn down his home to cover up the evidence of his crime? No, he went over to Mr. Walker's."

"He got a shock that night, such a shock as few men ever experience, and yet at 8.30 he was still drunk. An hour later he was still in the same condition when the Deputy Reeve told him it would never have happened had he been sober."

"There was no whiskey or other hard stuff in the house, but you gentlemen know as well as I do that hard cider can make one drunk just as well as any other intoxicating drink."

"What does this mean? It means that at the time Blythe began to strike his wife he was unable to form any idea that what he was doing would be likely to cause death. That being so, it is manslaughter, and not murder. If you are satisfied that Walter Blythe's mind was so obscured, that his reason was dethroned, then you can reduce the charge from murder to manslaughter."

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"You may say provocation wasn't sufficient. Perhaps it isn't. But was he drunk or was he sober when his wife threw the hammer at him?"

"Now, gentlemen, has it been proven to you that Blythe was drunk? Out of the mouths of the crown witnesses themselves it has been proved I maintain. Blythe himself says he was drunk, he had drunk this hard, sharp cider."

"Will my learned friend maintain that he was not drunk? I think not."

"Walter Blythe did not give his evidence at the first trial. He went into the stand to-day, and my learned friend wonders why 8 months after, locked in his narrow cell with the death guards around him, he does not remember all he told Dr. MacMahon when he called to examine him."

"He has told you all is a blank to him after 4 o'clock. Isn't that the very thing that happens to a drunken man. Need I prove it to you that that is one of the results of intoxication—loss of memory. So I submit to you Walter Blythe is telling no fair tale. It is a fact, it has happened hundreds of thousands of times to people in this city and country. He got so drunk he forgot what he did, he was so drunk he was unable to comprehend what he was doing."

"I want to help you. I want you to bring in a verdict according to law, not in accordance to the whim of any part of the populace. No, not that in the county of York or any other county, but I want you to bring in a verdict that British juries may never feel ashamed of. If ever there was a case

of manslaughter this is one. I know no man has a right to go out and drink liquor till he gets drunk and then commits murder—that has not taken place in this case. Walter Blythe thought this cider was harmless; it wasn't a case of loading up on his part."

Mr. Robinette spoke for an hour and a quarter.

CRUEL MURDER.

Mr. Blackstock Scarifies Blythe in His Address to the Jury.

Mr. Blackstock commenced his address as Crown prosecutor about four o'clock, and after complimenting Mr. Robinette upon his masterly presentation of the case in the interests of the prisoner, made one of his characteristic remarkable analyses of the evidence. He gave a strong word picture of the crime committed, and did not spare the prisoner in his appeal to the jury.

Mr. Blackstock began his address in the usual way, complimenting the defence upon the able stand made on behalf of the prisoner.

"One of the most brutal beatings that the criminal histories of this country can produce," is the way he described the manner of Blythe's death.

"Truly has my learned friend said that the case is an unusual one in the annals of the medical men, and God grant that they shall never again be called upon to examine such an utterly inhuman act."

"That night in the death chamber, looking at the mangled remains of his wife, he judged himself: 'I desire the rope, but to-day he is here in appeal from his own conviction, asking you to reduce his crime and call it by the lesser crime of manslaughter.'"

Mr. Blackstock deplored the bringing in of Mr. Robinette of the previous trial. What happened then is rather against the prisoner, and for that reason he made no reference to them.

"However," he said, "what took place then throws an interesting light on the present trial. At the former one he was not called as a witness. No, he sat there while the farce was played there he was not mentally sound, that he was unable to give evidence on his own behalf."

Then he tried to work upon one jury on the ground that he was insane. That trial held months ago was only a farce. To-day that is all cast to the winds. To-day he asks you to believe that he was only playing a part then, and that now he is putting up the true defence, that when the crime took place he was drunk and irresponsible."

"Why wasn't that defence brought forward at the former trial. Does it not look as if it is only searching after some other straw to hang to?"

SLAIN IN WAGON.

MILK DEALER'S THROAT IS CUT WHILE ON HIS ROUTE.

Boasted of His Wealth—\$270 Found in Mitten; Mystery Whether It's Case of Suicide or Murder.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Midway between Lyons and Summit, west of Chicago, August Brockmeyer, owner of a large milk dairy at Joliet and Christy avenues, Summit, was killed at about 6 o'clock yesterday morning in a milk wagon he was driving.

The horse, heedless of the tragedy which had been enacted in the wagon, continued on its way to Lyons, where it made the first stop as usual and waited for the man inside to deliver the day's supply. The animal stood for an hour, impatient at the unusual delay, and then the dead body of the driver was discovered by Henry Kohl, in front of whose home the wagon was standing.

Brockmeyer was killed with a large butcher knife with a jagged edge, found in the bottom of the wagon. His throat was cut from ear to ear.

A coroner's jury was impanelled, but the inquest was postponed until Oct. 28, because of lack of evidence. Coroner's Physician Springer said that the position of the man's body in the wagon would indicate suicide.

Relatives and police officials of Lyons, however, declare it would be impossible for Brockmeyer to inflict such a terrible injury on himself.

Brockmeyer was known around Lyons and Riverside as a miser. He is said to have displayed rolls of bills aggregating \$15,000 at different times.

He was his constant boast that he could buy out this or that neighbor and not feel the expenditure. No money was in the house.

In the milk wagon, however, was found \$270 in gold hidden in an old mitten in a box in the front part of the wagon. In his pockets was found a roll of bills amounting to \$81.

The dead man's brother, Bernard Brockmeyer, and Harry Hasman, a "third man," were arrested, but later released. Both told the same story of the milk wagon at the house the morning of the tragedy.

"Mr. Brockmeyer left the house at 5.30 o'clock to deliver milk at Lyons and Riverside," said Hasman. "That was the last I saw of him alive. For some time he had been suspicious about people prowling around the house at night time. Last night he got up four or five times and looked out the windows. The night before he was up most of the night."

"For the last three or four nights the dogs have been noisy during the night. Yesterday morning a strange man came to the house and asked for a job. He did not look like a man who had ever done hard work. I sent him to August, and I don't know what he said to him."

"August" told that he would find \$270 in gold in a mitten hidden in a corner near the chimney," said the brother. "When I heard that he was dead I went and looked, but the mitten was not there."

Brockmeyer was a bachelor, 43 years old, and had lived near Lyons for over twenty years. He had a love affair about three years ago, but the girl flitted him and married another.

Poet—I have come a hundred miles with this joke to sell to you, Editor. We can't buy it, young man. Your joke is a poor fetcher. St. Louis Star.

"The horse laugh is going out of polite society." "And instead?" "We have the automobile smile of superiority."—Washington Times.

The corruption of the best becomes the worst.—Latin.

Take the world as it is, not as it ought to be.—French.

The New Knitted Coats

A style that originated for the Outing Girl the past season—but it has grown more popular until now it is the chic and correct garment for outing and holiday wear. Our large stock shows how we anticipated this demand, for all the assortments are here in a variety of styles and from what we hear we've proof that our prices are the lowest.



Of course the mannish styles are what are called for and they are shown in a variety of effects; plain, semi-long lengths, plain short coat style with pockets, and the Norfolk style with belt. Fancy or plain knits in grey, white or cardinal, also many two color combinations.

Prices range \$1.75, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00 to \$5.50.

Women's new Panama Blouses, special \$2.75

A new Blouse for winter wear, black. All Wool Panamas, made in the tailored style, with pleated front and tucked pointed sleeve; button trimmed, all sizes. Special value at \$2.75

Note.—Same style in a fine quality Lustre, in black and colors. Special at \$2.25

Children and Babies' Wear

Now that the colder weather is at hand don't neglect the heavier Outergarments for the children. We advance a few timely suggestions to-day in the way of Winter Coats.

Babies' White Bearette Coats, in warm winter, double breasted, reefer style, with large collars, frog trimmed. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.00. Special \$2.98

Babies' Fur Sets, with ribbed and large muff, in white, ermine, Thibet and Angora, very pretty and stylish. Special per set \$5.00

SPORTS

HUNT CLUB HELD POINT TO POINT RACES.

Gordon J. Henderson's Thomond Beat Out J. W. Hammond's Manuscript in the Thoroughbred Race For Ladies Cup.



THE THREATENING weather conditions had rather a disparaging effect on the attendance at the annual point to point races of the Hamilton Hunt Club at William Yeo's farm, Ryckman's Corners, on Saturday afternoon, but despite this handicap a fair-sized and select crowd saw the steeplechases. Although four races were on the program, only three of them came off, as the farmers' event did not fill. The sport provided little but little to be desired, and although the novice races were somewhat of a burlesque, it was the source of much amusement. In the last named event only riders who had never won a race and horses that had never started at any recognized meeting, were allowed to enter and the result was horses refusing, and riders being thrown. The course, though a trifle uneven, was one of the best natural courses that could be found. The first race, for qualified hunters, owned and ridden by members of the Hunt Club, was the best race of the day by a big margin. Harry Crerar took Cumberland Lass to the front at the start and held the lead for the first mile, when J. W. Hammond on Manuscript forged to the front. Gordon Henderson had been holding Thomond in up till this stage, but let him out with about a half a mile to go. At the last jump Thomond led by a couple of lengths, with Manuscript coming fast. At this jump the last named horse took off too far back and hit the jump with both front and hind feet, almost upsetting it. Henderson picked up, however, and was but a length behind Thomond when the race finished. Cumberland Lass tired badly in the last three-quarters, and lay back, although ridden well by Crerar. The novice steeplechase came next. Five horses started, and only one of them finished without falling or refusing. At the first jump, Union, with Roy Baillie up, refused twice and stopped. At the third jump Dr. Clemshaw ran out with Harry Dodsworth, and having no lead, positively refused to fence after. At the fifth hurdle Happy Days lost

OTTAWA WALLOPED TORONTO ARGONAUTS

By a Score of 20 to 10 at the Capital on Saturday Afternoon—Over Three Thousand People Saw the Match.

OTTAWA, Oct. 24.—The Argonaut and Ottawa teams met in an Inter-Provincial match at Varsity oval on Saturday afternoon. The weather was fair and a crowd of three thousand turned out to see the game. Argos had a weak team, Corryell being replaced at quarter by Newport. The teams lined up as follows: Argonauts. Back. Ottawa. D. Taylor Johnstone Half-back. A. Kent Gerard M. Kent Pope Green McCann Quarter. Newport Kilt Scrimmage. H. Brown Phillips Russell Kennedy P. Kent McCaig Wing. Grant Ferguson Sinclair Church Ferguson Vaughn J. Taylor Disney Heuther Christie Norcross Stronach Referee—Robbins; umpire, Hayes, Hamilton.

Seniors Practised on Saturday.

Immediately after the Alerts-Y. M. C. A. game on Saturday afternoon at the Cricket Grounds, the senior and intermediate Tigers held practices in preparation for their games with the Montreals and Argos respectively. The seniors had a good two-hours' work-out, including in signalling and tackling, while the intermediates were doing the same in another part of the field. In conclusion the teams lined up for fifteen minutes, and the boys showed the large crowd of spectators that they are ready for a hard game to-day. The seniors certainly looked good, and if Montreal succeeds in scoring at all they will be lucky. The boys showed up well in all departments, especially their line bucking. All the regulars were out, including Marriot, who certainly showed form, and will likely line up in to-day's game. All the other players are in fine condition. The intermediates should easily win to-day's game with the Argos, which is scheduled to take place at 11 o'clock. Vickley, Pottiaray and Glassford will be on the line-up, while McCarvin, the regular middle wing man, may also play. They have had hard practices, under the direction of Captain Harvey.

BRANTFORD TEAM WINS INTER-CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Goold, Shapley & Muir Team Defeated the Irishmen by a Score of 15-4 at Britannia Park on Saturday Afternoon Before a Large Crowd.

THE BRANTFORD team of the Inter-City League, the Goold, Shapley & Muir team of Brantford defeated the St. Patrick's team of 15-4 on Saturday afternoon at Britannia Park. The league has the distinction of being about the last to close, but the season has been most successful. The cause of such a lengthy schedule was the fact that the league was divided into series. The St. Patrick's easily won the first series, while the G. S. & M. only won the second after a hard fight with the West End Pleasure Club. The game on Saturday was the final, and the Brantfordites entered the contest with two runs to the good, having defeated the St. Patrick's last Saturday at Brantford by a score of 3-1. Considering the cool autumn weather, a large crowd was present, and a noticeable feature was the large contingent from Brantford, who backed their team to the limit. The game was played in a field with a cold wind blowing. But despite the conditions, the article of ball played was of a championship calibre. The teams put up a real interesting contest with the score tie, 3-3, until the sixth inning, when the Irishmen got rattled over an error, and allowed the G. S. & M. to score 8 runs, and in the two innings following two more were scored. The teams kept up a fast clip until the fatal sixth, and during these innings a more exciting game has seldom been seen in these parts. It was won mostly on the hitting, and the way the Brantfordites slugged the ball was a shame. It was clearly seen that they would get to McGavin's benders before the game was over, and they sure enough did. He was forced to retire in the sixth. Joe Padden at short made the fatal error, which lost the game. There were three men on bases when a grounder was hit to Joe. He could have easily made a double, but fumbled, allowing two runs to score. The infield worked well. Beattie, White and Alex. McLeod were in fine form. Willie Simpson was on the mound for the Brantfordites, but he failed to report his clever stunt of a week ago. At the other end of the battery was Minnes, who distinguished himself by hitting four hits out of five times at bat. Kid Smith also did well with the stick, knocking in three of the four runs scored by the Irishmen. All Starrower, of this city, and W. Temple, of Brantford, were the officials. The teams lined up as follows: G. S. & M.—Shea us, Burke 1b, Minnes c, Baggett lf, McCallum 3b, Canella lf, Walsh lf, Patterson rf, Simpson p. St. Patrick's—Beattie 3b, Padden ss, McLeod 1b, White 2b, MacDonald rf, and H. Brennan c, Smith lf and H. McGavin p and rf.

NIGHT-RIDERS CAUGHT AT WINDSOR ON SATURDAY.

Mill-on-the-Floss Proved the Best of the Canadian Bred Horses—Fort Johnson Won the Third Race.

WINDSOR RACE Race Track, Oct. 24.—The only excitement at the track on Saturday afternoon was the fact that one Charlie Sweeney and one Clem Callahan were arrested at 5 o'clock in the morning for night-riding. It appears that they broke in to the stable of Charles Crew, taking the Cape Sauce from his stall and riding him on the roads so as to kill his chances of winning the event for Canadian-breds in the afternoon, which was the first on the programme. These men will be held on remand until Tuesday, when the case will again come up. Callahan was held at the point of a revolver until a policeman came along, taking him to the station. The card was a featureless one, and the fields were small, due to the numerous scratches and the fact that many of the horses were shipped to Baltimore. There was a drizzling rain falling all afternoon, which showed its effect on the attendance, which was the smallest of the meeting. The track was heavy, and made fast time out of the question. In the first event Mill-on-the-Floss pulled into an easy lead at the top of the turn, and won easily. Out of Step always next best. Bilberry easily third. Miss Mapleton assumed the lead at the start in the second race, and showed the way home, winning under restraint. Acolin was always second. Grey Girl could not untrack herself. Fort Johnson galloped his field into submission for first half mile, and then won easily. Desperado was an easy second. In the fourth race Merman and Mac Henley fought it out all the last sixteenth, Merman outgunning Mac Henley.

ALERTS AND Y. M. C. A. HAD A GORY BATTLE.

At the Cricket Grounds on Saturday Afternoon—A Free Fight Followed an Exchange of Fisticuffs of Two Wing Men.

The Alerts-Y. M. C. A. junior football game at the Cricket grounds on Saturday afternoon proved to be an exciting affair. The game was a decidedly rough affair with players on both teams mixing it up freely. The climax came at half time, when one of the Alerts went at a Y. M. C. A. player, and landed a knockout on his proboscis. As usual, other players started to exchange swats, and before peace again reigned supreme a regular riot had taken place. The spectators rushed on the field and a few of the hotter ones, into what eventually became a free-for-all fight. Happily the only result was several artistically decorated optics and injured feelings. The fight was only stopped by the senior Tiger players taking a hand. The game was a poor exhibition of football, and was far from expectations. Had the players paid more attention to the science of the game instead of trying to show pugilistic abilities, the game would have proved worth while, as both teams are about evenly matched. What little football there was in the game was a poor exhibition of scrapping. While the Alerts had a back division that was in class A, their wing line was away off. The losers' weak spot was

JUNIOR GAMES ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

The Ascensions' best man, as usual, was McKelvie. He caught well. On the wing line Myles and Gow were conspicuous. The Farrell brothers were the officials. First Methodist Church (8)—Full back, Laing; halves, Awrey, Ecclestone and Hill; quarter, Chagnon; scrimmage, Robinson, Hill, Buttingham; wings, Trelean, Graham, Awrey, Lumsden, Norman, Longhurst. Ascensions (7)—Full back, McKelvie; halves, Otton, Moore, Campbell; quarter, Manson; scrimmage, O. Kerr, Wartz, Myles; wings, Gow, Greisch, Dillon, Nixon, Crocker, W. Moore.

Jennings Has Signed With Tigers.

Hughy Will Manage Detroit Team Next Year.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 23.—Hughy Jennings to-day signed his contract as manager of the Detroit team for next year. This will relieve some anxious Tiger supporters. Since the final series for the world's championship rumor has represented more than one club as rearing for Detroit's own particular Hughy Jennings signature disposes of this disquieting report. In a later conference by Cobb signed up for the next three years and Mullin and Schmidt for one more apiece. By the signature of Jennings' contract for another year a large cloud of rumors was dissipated. The conference lasted about three minutes, and Jennings signed up with President Navis of the Detroit Club. If there has been any friction between the two it has been forgotten. "Frank and I have always agreed on matters pertaining to money," said Jennings, "and I have never had any idea that the case would be different this year. None of the boys has any inclination to ask anything unreasonable, I know, and they will find Navis ready to deal with them on the same liberal basis he has used heretofore." The terms on which Jennings signed were not announced, and can only be guessed at. It is believed that they are the highest, however, received by a manager in the American or National League. Rumor among Jennings' friends has it that he had declared in a portion of the club's profits for next year. Cobb, Schmidt, and Mullin, who signed later, all expressed themselves as eminently satisfied with their contracts.

WHO WILL WIN THE BIG FIGHT?

New York, Oct. 24.—While the sporting public awaits the conclusion of the contract formalities and the selection of a place for the battle, discussion of the relative merits of Jim Jeffries, the ex-time boilermaker and Jack Johnson, his black opponent to be, goes on unabated. This Jeffries-Johnson bout gives strong early promises of eclipsing in importance any previous fight, for it lends itself to every angle of sporting interest and variety of speculation.

American Football.

At Philadelphia—First half, Univ. of Penn. 0, Penn. State 0; final, Univ. of Penn. 3, Penn. State 3. At New York—First half, Fordham 3, Swarthmore 3; final, Fordham 21, Swarthmore 3. At Cambridge—First half, Harvard 6, Brown 0; final, Harvard 11, Brown 0. At Pittsburg—First half, Pittsburg 6, Carleton 3. At Amherst—First half, Amherst 6, Dartmouth 6; final, Dartmouth 12, Amherst 0. At Annapolis—First half, Navy 0, Univ. of Virginia 0. At New Haven, Conn.—First half, Yale 12, Colgate 0. First half, Syracuse 28, Niagara University 0. At Milwaukee—First half, Michigan 6, Marquette 5. At Madison—First half, Wisconsin 6, Indiana 0. First half, Princeton 0, LaFayette 0. At Rochester—First half, West High 34, Lockport High 0. At Rochester—First half, East High 47, Cascadia 0. At Itasca—First half, Cornell 10, Vermont 0. At West Point—First half, Army 9, Lehigh 0. At Lancaster—First half, F. and M. 0, Haverford 4. The hop consumption of England is decreasing.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

That quarter cut oak bracket that we paid a quarter of a plank for and smashed our thumb nailing it up in our den to hold that cup we were going to win in that novice race on Saturday, will have to suffer the indignity of having holes bored in it and be used as a pipe rack, instead of having the honor of being the resting place for a steeplechase trophy. 'Twas ever thus. If that novice race had only been on the flat! Although a couple of the riders got falls in the second race on Saturday, none of them were so badly hurt, but that a vapor bath and a rub down at Dr. Wick's sanatorium put them back in comfortable physical condition. That Alerts-Y. M. C. A. game at the Cricket Grounds on Saturday afternoon must have been some class as a scrapping contest. Fortunately a half a dozen of those lanky senior Tigers' wings were on hand to read the riot act, also to enforce it. One young gentleman was sore because some vagabond friends insisted that his draped optic was the result of a domestic argument. No it wasn't; the argument came after. Liniment makes a good excuse, because, you know, it does smell powerful like whiskey, and it can be worked without detection if the bruise happens

SOCCER

The two soccer games which were played on Saturday were not so good as usual, as the condition of the ground was not conducive to good playing and the teams were unevenly matched. The Westinghouse team had a walk-away in their game with the S. O. S. the score being 15-1. The game between the Scots and the Lancashires, however, was better, for although the Lancashires were short of regular players, they were only beaten by a score of 4-2. In the game between the Westinghouse and the S. O. S., the Westinghouse started in early in the game to pile up a big score. The S. O. S. worked poorly and their attempts to keep their goal clear were very feeble. The Westinghouse found no difficulty in kicking the ball. So loose was the play that at the end of the first half the score was 8-0 in favor of the Westinghouse. The second half was a repetition of the first, as far as the play was concerned, but the S. O. S. team was fortunate enough to score a goal, which saved

THE NIGHT OF THE BALL

(Celt in the Tattler.) It was the night of the county ball. The excitement and the swift motion of the dance had sent a warm, rich flush to her cheeks. Of the many admiring eyes that followed her in and out of the many walls...



AN UNDERSTANDING

A word or so, Sister Snow, I mustn't leave unsaid. Afore the parson hitches us—then he kin go ahead. I know yew can't weave through my life like her's that's passed away...

The village beehives with yours I have something to say. "Come, come; haven't we had enough of this talk?" "Once again, sir, I tell you that until you have decided to leave Levenworth...

Bit by bit Marlow was forced along the veranda and down the steps. He came hurrying toward the men through the trees and the gloom. They ceased struggling for a moment. She came nearer. It was Sybil Moore just released from the most trying dance she ever went through.

Block Signals Cross Continent. Except for a few short distances, totalling 127 miles, automatic block signals now extend from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean. According to the Railroad Age Gazette, the distance unprotected by this system, 93.4 miles on the Southern Pacific in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, uses the electric train staff.

Foreign Medicines in Russia. With a view to preventing the sale of worthless articles at exorbitant prices the Russian Government has not only forbidden the importation into Russia of a long list of panacea, catholica and theriaca, and of numerous so-called "patent medicines," but it has also enacted that no new medicinal substance, nor any new compound intended to be used in therapeutics, shall be admitted into or sold in Russia without the sanction of the medical department at St. Petersburg.

Wife—If I cook for you a whole month, what do I get? Hubby—All the life insurance and a long black veil.—St. Louis Post.

LIVELY DAYS IN SCOTLAND.

The Clans at the Annual Gatherings and Society Deer Hunting. London—Scotland has been the happy hunting ground of English and Anglo-American society for the last month—literally the happy hunting ground, for not only has social gaiety been centred there, but deer stalking, deer driving, grouse shooting and cub hunting have been the sports of royalty, of statesmen and of rich Americans who have taken castles and estates there.

The Inverness-shire gathering is the largest and most fashionable of all, and this year more Americans than ever before were seen among the crowd assembled in the grounds where the event took place. Mrs. Bradley Martin, whose fine estate, Balmacraan, has been filled with guests, mostly compatriots, was much in evidence, with Lord and Lady Craven, Frederick Townsend Martin and others in her house party.

Deer driving has replaced deer stalking as his favorite pursuit since he has grown older, heavier and less athletic than he was. In deer stalking the stag is followed on foot, sometimes on all fours, over hill and dale till a favorable moment comes for a shot. In deer driving the deer are beaten up and driven before the hunters who are posted in butts, where they can take aim easily.

Many English women are proud of their prowess at deer stalking. Lady Loder brought down one of the largest stags of the season recently, a magnificent animal weighing twenty stone. American women have not evinced any enthusiasm for deer stalking heretofore, but this year the Marquis de Ganay distinguished herself by shooting a fifteen stone stag.

Two little girls were out walking, when they passed the big brick building of an orphan asylum. "That, Minnie," said Roy, anxious to impart her knowledge to her younger sister, "is where the little orphans live. Mr. and Mrs. Orphan are both dead."

SCRAP BOOK POETRY

The Dapper Stranger. (Rochester Post Express.) "I was with Cook," the stranger said; Said the editor, "Say no more, But come into my sanctum here And write a page or more."

THE NEWSPAPER GUY.

I see a man pushing his way through the lines Of the crowd where the work of the fire fiend shines. "The chief?" I inquire—what a fireman replies: "Oh, no; why that's one of those newspaper guys."

THE FROST SPIRIT.

He comes—he comes—the Frost Spirit comes! You may trace his footsteps now On the hoar-frost of the blasted fields and the brown hills' withered brow. He has smitten the leaves of the gray old tree where their pleasant green and forth. And the winds, which follow wherever he goes, have shaken them down to earth!

ON A VISIT.

When I go to my gram'ma's an' She gets done kleas' me. I wonder what's to happen next. (Don't be so 'fraid to 'tude no "Golden Ter" At Gram'ma's an' at her feet.)

"It's all very well for you to preach economy," said his wife, "but I notice whenever you get down expenses that you smoke better cigars and spend more money for your own leisure than at any other time."

DYSPEPSIA

"Having taken your wonderful 'Cascara' for three months and being entirely cured of stomach catarrh and dyspepsia, I think a word of praise is due to 'Cascara' for their wonderful composition. I have taken numerous other so-called remedies but without avail, and I find that 'Cascara' relieve more in a day than all the others I have taken would in a year."

THE OUTING MAGAZINE FOR NOVEMBER.

Dr. Woods Hutchinson's article, "Bringing the Outdoor Indoors," is the leading feature of popular interest in the Outing Magazine for November. Mr. Walter Camp, probably the chief authority in the country on matters pertaining to football, contributes the first article of a series by him, entitled "Heroes of the Gridiron," a vivid look back at the chief football personalities of the last generation.

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PROBLEM FOR THE CHURCH.

Responsibilities of Ontario and Quebec to the West.

Dealt With by Superintendent of Baptist Missions.

Dr. Norton in James Street Baptist Church Yesterday.

Rev. W. E. Norton, D. D., preached a fine sermon in James Street Baptist Church yesterday morning, on "Home Missions." Dr. Norton is superintendent of the Home Mission work in Ontario and Quebec. The leading feature of his address was that because of the prominent position Canada occupies among the nations of the world to-day, the responsibilities attendant upon its opportunities must be recognized the exodus of Ontario and Quebec people to the West and across the line, the problem of the urban population of rapidly growing cities and the perplexing problem of Christianizing the ever increasing foreign population in the cities and country districts.

The speaker said the eyes of the world were on Canada. The fabulous natural wealth of Canada, its rapidly growing population, the remarkable intelligence exhibited by Canadian representatives when present at International Assemblies, have given the country such remarkable prominence that have made its opportunities of paramount significance.

Ontario and Quebec hold the most prominent position in everything in the Dominion except the wheat fields and with their great opportunities, there are the accompanying great responsibilities.

The exodus from the provinces in question to the West means the depletion of membership in the churches, and the situation facing the Home Mission Board is a serious one.

Dr. Norton said he felt confident that the movement to the West would stop in the course of a few years, and the people will stay at home. This will be brought about by the recognition of the land values within the two provinces.

"It is a well-known fact that the principles that dominate them, originate in the cities," said the speaker. "If the national life is to be what it should be, the city life must be kept what it should be. Cities are growing in Ontario and Quebec, and how are we meeting the growing population? Are we keeping pace?"

An outline of some of the work of the Baptist Church is being done in meeting the needs of growing cities of the two provinces was given, which reflected credit on the energy put forth by the church. The needs of the districts of New Ontario were illustrated. The abnormal growth of some of the towns there during the last year, was phenomenal, said the speaker.

The Home Mission Board is making preparations for supplying ample church accommodation in many new towns and cities.

In conclusion, the great problem of the work among the foreign immigrants was referred to and, despite the fact that thousands of Canadians were leaving Ontario and Quebec, yet the population was increasing, consequent upon the great influx of foreigners.

An appeal for funds was made.

IN TROUBLE.

Thomas Hannebury Accused of Stealing Auto Tools.

Thomas Hannebury, who has been wanted by the local police for the past three weeks, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constables Barrett and Cameron. Until three weeks ago Hannebury worked for Dr. Balfe, but it is alleged, deceased with the doctor's automobile tools and failed to show up afterwards. The doctor wondered why he failed to return to his work, but did not miss the tools. The police, however, received word of the theft from a small boy and at once started a search for Hannebury. It is alleged that Hannebury after taking the tools endeavored to sell them at a number of places in the city. He has since been working in the neighborhood of Dundas. A couple of days ago the police officers, Dr. Balfe if he had noticed that his automobile tools were missing, and the doctor said he had not, but upon investigating he found that they were gone. Hannebury returned to the city a few days ago and was arrested.

GREAT JOY

Over the Return of Little Stowaway to Toronto.

Tears of joy trickled down the cheeks of Mrs. Wm. Chappelle, 140 Victoria street, this (Saturday) morning, says the Toronto Star, and she laughed with almost hysterical relief when a reporter brought her the glad news of the finding of her lost boy.

It was the first laugh she had had since the first missed the little fellow at noon yesterday.

Led by an older boy, Alfred Chappelle, aged 5, wandered down to the waterfront yesterday noon, and somehow slipped aboard the Macassa un-noticed. The boat was away out in the lake before the pair were noticed.

The parser of the Macassa cared for the lads, and on arriving at Hamilton turned them over to the police there, and the news was sent to the Toronto police.

In the meantime the father of the Chappelle boy was scouring the water from a vain search for his little son. He kept it up until midnight, when discouraged and exhausted, he returned to his home.

NO DAMAGE.

Stadacona Got Off and Is On Her Course.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 24.—The big Canadian steamer Stadacona, which ran aground at Bar Point Thursday night, is reported out 22 inches forward and 16 inches aft. The tug Colton and the lighter Rescue are at work, and it is estimated 30,000 to 40,000 bushels of wheat must be lightered before the vessel is released. The Stadacona is owned by the Mackay interest of Hamilton, Ont., and she was built last winter at the Keesee plant of the Great Lakes Engineering Works.

Mr. A. B. Mackay received word today that the Stadacona had been released, and was on her way to Buffalo. It was found necessary to lighten her only to the extent of 20,000 or 25,000 bushels, and a close examination showed that she was not damaged at all.

PRACTISED AS OPTICIANS,

But They Are Accused of a Very Serious Crime.

C. N. Besant and Harry Sellers Are Under Arrest.

Charged With Procuring Women For Immoral Purposes.

C. N. Besant and Harry Sellers were arrested last night on a charge of procuring women for immoral purposes. They are supposed to be citizens of Toronto, but that is at present uncertain.

The police say they came here two weeks ago, from Toronto, and have been carrying on an optical business in a local drug store.

Prior to their being in Toronto they were in Montreal. Their business as opticians was a legitimate one, says the local druggist, and he had no reason to suspect they were engaged in the iniquitous practice they stand accused of. The alleged procuring is said to have been carried on at night, and it is hinted by the police that the two men are agents for the white slave traffic in the large cities.

Sellers left the city last evening, when he heard the police were after him. It was learned he was on a T. R. train that arrived in London at 7:10 p. m. The police were notified there, and Sellers was arrested on the arrival of the train there. He was brought to the city this morning and will be arraigned with Besant.

DEATH OF MR. A. PATERSON.

Veteran Member of Collegiate Staff Passes Away.

Mr. Andrew Paterson, the veteran of all the male members of the teaching profession in Hamilton, passed away at his home, 38 Grant avenue, last night at about 9 o'clock, after an illness of several weeks' duration, but which was not thought to be of such a serious nature until almost the end.

On the 7th of this month he was obliged to give up his classes on account of illness. Pneumonia developed, but, while it was known he was very ill, no one thought the end was near, and he passed away quite suddenly.

Deceased was born in Ramsay, county of Lanark, in 1847, and was a son of the late Andrew Paterson, a Scotchman who settled in Ramsay in 1818. He received his early training in Carleton Place Grammar School, and at the age of 18 went to Toronto. He completed his Normal School training in Toronto in 1869, and later received his M. A. degree from Trinity College.

He entered the teaching profession at Innesville, but went west and taught in Bothwell, Kinross and Goderich. In 1873 he came to Hamilton and taught the senior form in the old Central School for almost two years, being then appointed to the staff of the Collegiate, first as a room master, and then taking history and geography as a specialist. That position he held ever since. He was also professor of history in the Ontario Normal College from 1897 to 1907.

Mr. Paterson was an active and life-long member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, of Barton Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of the various bodies of the Scottish Rite of Freemasons and of the A. O. U. W.

Mr. Paterson married a daughter of the late Mr. Robert Hopkins, who, with two daughters, Misses Grace and Drina, both at home, and one son, Dr. Robert Paterson, of this city, survives. He leaves also on son, Mr. John Paterson, contractor.

Personally, Mr. Paterson was a man of gentle disposition, kind and thoughtful, and was held in the highest regard by all of the thousands of pupils who had passed through his hands.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday at 3:30, to Hamilton Cemetery.

"Billy" Manning, McCormick's Hotel, the well-known local John, came very near a fatal end last night. He, in company with three companions, went down to the bay at the foot of Pictou street, about seven o'clock, intending to go out in a row boat. Manning would not go with the other three in one boat, and they went out and left him on the shore. In some manner he fell into the water, but managed to get out and walk three blocks, where he was found in an exhausted condition. The ambulance was sent for and he was taken to the City Hospital, and blankets and hot water bottles did him much good. His condition, when admitted there, was critical.

Some girls never know which shade of hair they like best till they have tried them all.

BAPTISTS IN CONVENTION.

Opening Will Take Place at 7:30 This Evening.

Higher Criticism and Laymen's Movement Important Topics.

Sessions Will Continue Until Friday Afternoon Next.

This evening, at 7:30 o'clock, the twenty-first annual convention of the Baptist Church of Ontario and Quebec will open in this city. The meetings are to be held in James Street Baptist Church, beginning with a song service to-night. The convention, while it will be the shortest on record, being confined within one week, will be important. The session devoted to the report of the Senate and Board of Governors of McMaster University, Tuesday afternoon, will be of especial interest as the relation of McMaster to higher criticism will be discussed. The Laymen's Missionary movement will also have a prominent place in the discussions. The chief features of the five days are:

Monday—7:30—Song service. Leader of the choir. 8:00—Prayer and reading of Scripture. Rev. H. McDiarmid, B. A. 8:15—Appointment of Nominating Committee. 8:30—Words of welcome. Rev. H. Edgar Allen. 8:45—Address of retiring President, Mr. Thomas Urquhart. 9:15—Report of Nominating Committee. Tuesday—9:15—Report of the Sunday School Board. Rev. B. W. Merrill, B. A., and Dr. E. Ralph Hooper. Address by Dr. Franklin McElfresh, of International Sunday School Association. 2:00—Report of McMaster University. Chancellor A. C. McKay, D. D., and Mr. James Ryrrie. 4:30—Memorial service. Rev. T. W. Graham. 8:00—Address of welcome by Mayor McLaren and representatives of other churches. Report of Home Mission Board. Rev. W. E. Norton, D. D., and Rev. C. W. Rose, M. A. Wednesday—9:15—Report of Board of Western Missions. Rev. W. T. Graham and Rev. A. L. Huddleston, B. A. 11:00—Report of Publication Board. Mr. Fred L. Ratcliffe and Mr. G. W. Holmes. 2:00—Report on State of Religion. Rev. C. E. MacLeod and Rev. W. F. Parlow. 3:45—Report of Ministerial Superannuation Board. Mr. G. R. Roberts. 4:45—Report on Denominational Headquarters. 8:00—Report on Foreign Missions. Rev. J. G. Brown, D. D., and Rev. J. B. Chapman, M. A. 9:30—Address by Rev. H. F. Lafamme. Thursday—9:15—Report of Church Edifice Board. Rev. W. F. Rouchouse and Rev. J. W. Salkin. 10:15—Report of Young People's Work. 10:45—Report of Christian Stewardship Committee. Rev. J. C. Weir, B. A. 2:00—Report of Grande Ligne Mission. Rev. R. R. McKay, B. A. 4:00—Report of Moral and Social Reform Committee. Mr. Henry Moyle and Rev. S. E. Grigg, B. A. Discussion on the Church's Attitude Toward Legislation. Rev. J. B. Kennedy, M. A. 8:00—Report on Laymen's Missionary Movement. Rev. W. T. Stackhouse, Mr. S. J. Moore and Mr. J. N. Sheenstone. Friday—9:15—Report on Baptist Union in Canada. Discussion. 2:00—Board Meetings. Each of the evening meetings will be preceded by a song service beginning at 7:30. Each morning meeting will be preceded by devotional exercises beginning at 9:00, and each afternoon meeting by devotional exercises beginning at 1:45.

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THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—The disturbance passed south of the great lakes during Saturday is now off the Atlantic coast, with indications that it will cause gales in the Maritime Provinces. The weather to-day has been fine and warmer in the western provinces; fair and cool in Ontario, and rain along the seaboard.

Lakes and Georgian Bay—South and southeast winds, with a little higher temperature. Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa—Moderate winds; fair and cool. Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime Provinces—Increasing northeast and east winds, with rain. Superior—Southerly winds, fair and milder. Western Provinces—Fine and mild.

FAREWELL TO CHIEF HEATH.

City Firemen Do Honor to Their Old Companion.

A presentation of a fine large travelling trunk and a fountain pen was made to Lieutenant Thomas Heath on Saturday afternoon by members of the fire department prior to his leaving the city to take up the chiefship of the Saskatoon fire department. The Central Fire Station has been the scene of many similar pleasant functions. The boys of the fire brigade in this city insist that no comrade shall leave them to go as a fire fighter in another city without some mark of their esteem and regard. Heath knew not what was in store for him when he was persuaded to be present at the Central Fire Hall at 2:30 Saturday. There were some of the boys from every station in the city there. Then the chief, in his usual good humor, was there with his two god-natured assistants, "Wall" and "Bob," followed by several city fathers.

It was the chief who made the presentation. He told Heath many nice things. He was sorry to lose such a good fireman, but glad another of his men was chosen to such a responsible position.

Ald. Clark, chairman of the Fire and Water Committee, also said good things about the efficiency of the fire department; spoke of the recognition it was receiving all over the Dominion, for when other cities wanted men as chiefs it is here they come. He wished Heath success, and so did Ald. Anderson.

Ald. Lees said he was up in the west this year and sat up and took particular notice of fire departments, but they can't touch Hamilton's. He said he saw Gilbert at Saskatoon, and saw many improvements he had instituted, so Heath would find things were not so raw for him when he got there. Gilbert had laid a good foundation.

Ald. Hopkins said he did not like to see men going from the city department, though it showed that they were good at the business.

Assistant Chiefs James and Aitchison spoke in behalf of the men, and if wishing will make their old chief's success and happy, his success and happiness are assured.

"Chief" Heath replied. He couldn't say what he felt, for he was too full of the feeling of appreciation to say many words. He was honestly grateful to all who had so kindly assisted him in making his old chief's success and happy, his success and happiness are assured.

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