

Ontario West.

First Coasting Accident of the Season at Guelph.

Death of Two Well-Known Welling People.

Departure of a Fergus Pastor for the South in Search of Better Health—Peculiar Death of Widow Ross in West Zorra.

It is probable that the First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, will be reopened about Dec. 15.

Mr. McEwen, of Nova Scotia, has accepted the pastorate of the English Baptist Church, Berlin.

The extension of the G. P. and H. electric line through Hespeler is being pushed forward rapidly.

Herman Hurlburt, of Mitchell, has been paralyzed from the shoulders down, by falling from a lumber pile.

At Chatham on Monday Howard alias Buck Grandbois was sent to Kingston for three years for burglary.

A Ridgetown correspondent says: Beans are quoted at from 70 to 80 cents. They are coming in slowly at these prices.

Edward Magee, of Putnam, who had been ill for several months, died Monday. He leaves a wife, two sons and a daughter to mourn his loss.

The large steel derrick and windmill lately erected for the Erie House, Morpeth, was blown down on Monday night's terrific wind and smashed.

The residence of Mr. Thos. Morrow, corner of Catharine and Gas streets, St. Thomas, was damaged by fire on Monday morning to the extent of about \$200 or \$250.

Heleen R. Findlay, who was committed to jail at Owen Sound on the charge of manslaughter, has been admitted to bail in \$3,000, herself \$2,000 and her brother for a like amount.

On Saturday at Eastwood, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Geo. Cole, Miss Lizzie, third daughter, was married to Mr. James Tyrrell, of Inth. Rev. S. Nicholson tied the nuptial knot.

John Hunt, age about 70 years, died at Stratford on Sunday. He had been committed as a pauper less than a month ago, and had been under treatment for disease of the liver and general dropsy.

Rev. E. Payson Hammond, the well-known evangelist, has been invited to conduct a series of revival services at Ridgetown this winter.

Several Christian workers from Chatham to assist him while there.

Wm. Lafferty, 9 years of age, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, Stratford, Saturday evening, with his left arm fractured. When coasting on a Neeve street hill he ran into a telegraph post near the bridge. He was unconscious for some time.

Joseph, son of John I. Hobson, ex-warden of Wellington, died at the Guelph General Hospital Tuesday night of congestion of the lungs. Mrs. McMillan, wife of Hugh McMillan, president of the South Wellington Reform Association, also died on Tuesday.

Herman Dodge, of Woodstock, was badly hurt the other afternoon by an explosion. He was playing with some companions in a barn, when a match was lighted and dropped into a can of powder, which the lids had just covered. His face was terribly burned.

Mr. Joseph C. Hunsbury, Hughes street, St. Thomas, was severely injured at Payne's Mills, Monday evening. He was one of the wrecking crew who went to clear the tracks while a drunk and incapable on the streets of the town, was allowed to go on suspended sentence this time, as he pleaded pitifully, and promised not to drink any more.

George Small, who a short time ago absconded from the Woodstock Hospital after falsely representing himself as a son-in-law of Sir Mackenzie Bowell, and leaving an unpaid bill, was on trial at Belleville on Tuesday, charged with larceny. He was remanded until Saturday.

Mr. Henry Watson, sen., of Guelph, township, was driving down Woolwich street, Guelph, on his way to church, on Sunday, when his horse slipped, took fright and ran into a wall. Mr. Watson was thrown out and received an ugly gash across the top of his head and also one on his nose. A physician put a number of stitches in his cuts.

Rev. R. M. Craig, who has been pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Fergus, for the last six years, has gone to Santa Fe, New Mexico, where he has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian Church of that city. The state of Mr. Craig's health rendered it necessary for him to seek a warmer climate. Before leaving he was presented with a purse of gold.

News of the demise of Mrs. Sims, wife of the young pastor of Holy Trinity Church, Toronto, was learned with profound regret in Chatham. Shortly after her marriage, last November, she contracted bronchitis, which developed into consumption. On Monday the Chatham churchwardens forwarded to Toronto, on behalf of the congregation, a letter of condolence with the bereaved husband.

The Western Ontario Veterinary Medical Association will meet in Guelph on Dec. 10 and 11. Order of business: President's address; papers by Dr. Berger, of Listowel; Dr. Carr, of Kirkton; Dr. Beacom, of Harrison; Dr. Thomas, of Tara; Dr. Gibb, St. Marys, and Dr. Clark, Goderich. Wm. Gibb, St. Marys, is president of the association; J. McMaster, Stratford, secretary; and Wm. Steel, Stratford, treasurer.

Mrs. Ross, a widow living alone on lot 22, con. 7, West Zorra, met death last week in a peculiarly sudden manner.

On Wednesday evening she called at the house of Wm. Sutherland, and until 10 o'clock engaged herself in kindly ministrations to her sick neighbor. About that hour she returned to her home, and she was never seen alive again. On Friday she was found dead, sitting in a chair in front of the stove. Heart disease was the trouble.

PETROLEA.

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Petrolea, Nov. 26.—The wind storm that sprang up during Monday night did a large amount of damage among the derricks. Two derricks belonging to Jos. Barrett on the flats were injured, the railing on the sidewalk was prostrated, and the electric wires were thrown down. The wind also did considerable damage among the merchants' awnings.

A number of our young people took in the opening services of the new Presbyterian Church in Oil Springs on Tuesday night, including the following, who took part in the programme: Mrs. A. M. McQueen, the Misses M. Murray, M. Primmer, L. Hamilton, Mr. C. F. Colter and others. They report having had a splendid time.

About 7:15 a.m. Tuesday the east end fire department were called to what proved to be a defective chimney at Mrs. Miles' residence.

Guy Bros.' Minstrels will appear in Victoria Hall on Monday next.

Owing to a slight accident on Saturday night last, the M. C. R. are running a combined baggage and passenger car between Petrolea and Oil Springs.

STRATFORD.

Nov. 27.—St. James' Church was the scene of a very pretty chrysanthemum wedding on Wednesday last, when Rev. D. Williams united in marriage Miss Alma E. Bax and Mr. James Donaldson, manager of the Bell Telephone Company. Mr. Roger Roberts was organist and played during the entire service. The bride looked charming in white silk, trimmed with lace and pearls, and carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums, her veil being wreathed with the same flowers.

Miss Gibson was bridesmaid and wore a handsome gown of ivory cashmere and satin, with a picture hat, trimmed with white ostrich tips and flowers. Her bouquet was yellow chrysanthemums. Miss Gladys Lawrence made a very pretty maid of honor and looked sweet in a dress of yellow crepon, with a large lace hat. She carried a basket of flowers similar to those worn by bride and bridesmaid. Mr. John Spencer supported the groom, and Messrs. David McDougall and George Norman acted as ushers. The wedding dejeuner was served at 115 Waterloo street, after which the happy couple left on a trip to the west, followed by the congratulations of a host of friends. The number and beauty of the presents testified to the esteem in which the bride is held.

INGERSOLL INKLINGS.

Ontario's Premier Has a Good Word for the Constables' Banquet.

Boreas Gets in His Work in a Vigorous Manner.

"Advertiser" Agency, City Bookstore.

Ingersoll, Nov. 25.—Rev. Dr. Poits occupied the pulpit in the Church Street Methodist Church yesterday evening. After the evening service a mass meeting was held in the town hall by Dr. Poits and Mr. Woods, who, Mr. Joseph Gibson, chairman.

Ingersoll, Nov. 26.—George Mason and Thomas Dudley, two weary walkers, were sent down for five days.

Wm. Porter, charged with being drunk and incapable on the streets of the town, was allowed to go on suspended sentence this time, as he pleaded pitifully, and promised not to drink any more.

Chief Skirving has received a letter from Sir Oliver Mowat, in which he regrets that he will be unable to be present, but expresses his hopes that the constables may all have a very pleasant, profitable and happy time. Undoubtedly this is going to be one of the grandest banquets in the history of Ingersoll. Mr. Cooke, of Provincial & Cooke, solicitors for the Provincial Constabulary Association, has promised to attend the banquet.

The funeral of the late Isabella Carnegie took place yesterday afternoon. Deceased was in her 81st year, and was one of the old pioneers.

Nolan Cooke, the owner of a valuable mare and colt, had left the animals in this very inclement weather on Friday one of the poor animals died. There is talk of charging Mr. Cooke with cruelty to animals.

The chief is now on the war path against vendors of poultry who resort to offering it in an undressed state, in contravention to the bylaw.

The high wind last night did great havoc in and about town. The high smokestack of the John Morrow Machine Screw Company, Limited, blew over. Windows and shutters in several private houses were blown in. The brick wall of H. Richardson's jewelry store, on the corner of King and Commercial streets, suffered considerably. The parapet of brickwork and iron was partly blown down, and the bricks are bulging out about half-way down, making it rather too weak to stand another such storm if it be subjected to another as severe. A box car on the line of the G. T. R. some way down, was caught by the wind and hurled forward, and while it was seen sailing down at about 20 miles an hour on to the cars on the siding, which it struck with a fierce crash. Telegraph wires are down east and west, and connection cannot be had with many important places.

Turkeys are still on the move and the demand is brisk.

Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs. Dager, of Norwich, and Mr. and Mrs. Harris, of Ingersoll, are visiting Mrs. Haddock, at 1250, Lapeer avenue, Port Huron.

An accident that might have terminated fatally occurred at the Ellis Furniture Company's establishment. Ingersoll, on Monday, when Willie Pearson, an apprentice in the upholstery department, fell down the host from the shipper's room to the flight below. His injuries, however, were limited to a few cuts about the head and face.

THE DEAD RAISED UP.

A Former Resident Thought to be Dying of Bright's Disease—Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Listowel, Nov. 25.—A dispatch reaching here relating to the recovery in Neepawa, Man., of Mrs. T. H. McKee, formerly living here, was a surprise to met by doubt, however, until confirmed by a reply from Neepawa. Her case was well known here, as this lady was treated by several of the local doctors for Bright's disease, and her friends thought, as did her physicians, that her case was hopeless, and it was as a last resort that she left here to try climatic change. The Mrs. McKee was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills in a few weeks speaks volumes in their favor.

County Gullings.

An Old Man Found Dead in Bed at Parkhill.

Glencoe Got a Good Share of the Big Blow.

Komoka Enterprise—Allan Craig, Parkhill, and Other Sections Board From.

KOMOKA.

Komoka, Nov. 26.—Our enterprising sawmillers, Noxell Bros., in the future will be able to supply their customers with dressed lumber. They intend putting in a planing machine in connection with the sawmill.

Some of the old buildings suffered great loss last night. The strong gale that was blowing was too much for them, lifting the roof clean off some of them.

Mr. A. Barber is laid up in the house with a sore arm.

At the last meeting of Court Western, No. 7873, of the A. O. F., of this village, a letter was received and read from Bro. Henry Steinhoff, of Kilworth, Delaware township, conveying his thanks to the court for the way in which he had been cared for by them during his long sickness, also wishing them every prosperity, which he says, they deserve. Bro. Steinhoff is no longer here, but is still receiving sick pay from the High Court of the order. He has been and is a very great sufferer.

GLENCOE.

"Advertiser" Agent, John McNeil.

Glencoe, Nov. 26.—Although last night was very disagreeable there was a large audience to greet Miss Maud Vine on her first appearance here, and every one was highly satisfied with her rendering of the difficult numbers of the programme, but especially with the Delaware attitudes. The following local talents assisted in the programme: Mrs. Brownlee, who sang "My Pretty Marquise," in splendid voice; Miss Mann's rendering of "Pierrot" was also well received; and was Mr. J. H. Stevenson's solo, "Deep in a Mine." The Peachey orchestra added much to the success of the programme.

Miss Ethel Martin, London, is visiting Miss Cassie McAlpine.

DORCHESTER.

Dorchester, Nov. 26.—Bishop Baldwin, preached in the English Church on Sunday morning to a very large and appreciative congregation. Rev. Mr. Hannassey occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church.

The I. O. O. F. concert in the town hall tomorrow evening promises to be the best given here for some time. The energetic committee have engaged Mr. Sim Pax and company to give the programme, and this assurance is all that is necessary. If the weather is fine a very large audience is looked for.

Another shooting match for twenty choice turkeys will be held in the village tomorrow, when some close competition is looked for, as it is understood some "cracks" are to be there.

The severe wind storm of last night and today is pronounced by many old settlers here to be the worst known spread, in the way of fences blown down, trees uprooted and buildings being unroofed. The rain was also very heavy.

Mabel Denton, who is attending college at St. Thomas, spent a few days with her parents here last week, and Miss Bertha Capelle, who is attending college in London, spent Sunday with her Dorchester friends.

MOUNT BRIDGES.

Nov. 27.—On Thursday last week Mr. C. Sissons, of Cadoc, while coming into the village, was taken to the step and fell, the weight of his body falling on the ankle, while the horse was on the step and the driver was on the ground. The horse was a sprain that will keep him in the house for some time. Fortunately none of the hot water came on him, or it might have been worse.

Mrs. (Rev.) B. Hardy and daughter, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bond, of this place.

DELAWARE.

Nov. 27.—Mr. Craig, an old resident, and a pauper, was taken to the House of Refuge, Stratford, one day last week.

We are glad to see that Mr. McAdams, V. S., is able to be around again after a very bad case of inflammation of the lungs.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Delaware, are making immense preparations for a tea-meeting on Thursday evening.

Nov. 26.—The programme, which will be varied and spicy, is to be rendered entirely by the employees of Messrs. J. H. Chapman & Co., city.

STRATHROY.

"Advertiser" Agent, J. D. Meekison.

Nov. 27.—Wednesday night's storm did a considerable amount of damage in and around town. Mr. Jas. Wright had his plate glass window cracked, and barns were unroofed and fences blown down.

The Olympic Club will hold a reception on the evening of Dec. 10.

Mr. R. Stepler, of Sarnia, is visiting his brother, W. H. Stepler, a dentist, of the Uncle John Comedy Company, agent, Komoka, spent Sunday at his home in Breslau.

The fire and water committee of the town council ordered five tons of coal for the fire engine from Alex. Reid.

The great attraction in town yesterday was the cooking lessons given by J. Avis Bright, of Chicago, showing the merits of cottolene. Cakes, pie crust, doughnuts, fritters, etc., were freely given to all visitors.

Mr. Grant Gordon, of the Traders' Bank, Glencoe, spent a few days at his home here.

Dr. J. W. Nixon, an old Napier boy, will be married on Thursday, Nov. 28, to Miss Anthony, of Holloway, Mich. The doctor attended the Collegiate here for several years and graduated from the Western University, London, beginning his practice in Holloway.

There was a large attendance last evening at the B. Y. P. U. in connection with the Baptist Church. A very interesting paper, the subject of which was "The Christian's Thanksgiving," was read by Mrs. Wright.

NEWBURY.

"Advertiser" Agent, Jas. Connelly.

Newbury, Nov. 27.—A terrific wind storm passed over this vicinity yesterday morning, doing considerable damage to the age, destroying fences, and unroofing a number of barns.

Rev. T. Bell, the great temperance revivalist, is holding a series of meetings this week.

The Uncle John Comedy Company played to a large and appreciative audience last evening.

The entertainment on Monday, evening at Armstrong's Church, owing to the inclement weather, was not a success.

Miss Laura Wallace, who has been visiting in London, has returned home. Mrs. J. H. Bayne is seriously ill with inflammation of the lungs.

Mr. J. D. Anderson is on the sick list.

Mr. A. Sutherland and wife, of Glencoe, visited in town yesterday.

Two large windows in the residence of Dr. Carson were broken by the wind storm yesterday.

The funeral of Mrs. John Pringle, of Euphemia, took place on Monday.

FANSHAWE.

Nov. 27.—Mr. Fred Hodgins has improved wonderfully since he has moved to Blacksmith shop.

Miss Minnie Smith is in Tara visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. B. B.

Mr. Charles Avery is recovering from a lengthy and rather severe illness, but is not able to work yet.

Mr. Joseph McLeod's annual sale was largely attended yesterday.

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INCENDIARISM IN CANADA.

A Toronto Firebug Confesses His Crime.

Alleged Discovery of an Arson Conspiracy in Montreal—The Ullin Case.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—In the police court yesterday morning Thomas Sullivan, Wm. Patterson and John Tint appeared on a charge of arson. It was alleged that on Nov. 5 the fire to the Esplanade streets, the prisoner Patterson being the owner of the hotel, which was insured in the Norwich Insurance Company for \$15,000. The prisoner pleaded guilty, and he was discharged and became a witness. He said that he himself set fire to the hotel. Sullivan was with him the night of the fire, and another man named Williams kept watch at the door. The case was remanded until Friday, when it is expected Williams also will be brought into court.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—The Canadian secret service has unearthed another arson conspiracy. Max Bachman, a traveler, is charged with having with another man set fire to a house on For in 1833. Bachman is alleged to have hired other houses. He was remanded.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Provincial Detective Rogers has returned from Dutton, where he has been investigating the destruction by fire of the general store of A. D. Ullin in that village on Thursday, Nov. 8. After an investigation continuing over four days the jury came to the conclusion, after six hours' deliberation, that the fire was the result of design, that Mr. Ullin was the instigator of the fire, but that the fire was started by some party or parties to them unknown. The verdict was signed by the fifteen jurors. In view of the nature of the verdict usually the next step would be the holding of an investigation before a magistrate. The verdict finding Mr. Ullin to be the instigator of the fire was not a result, but the insurance companies do not intend to pay the policies. There was an insurance of \$5,000 on stock, \$2,000 on fixtures, \$1,200 on the store, and \$400 on the detached warehouse.

TRIAL OF THE TWINS.

Further Evidence for the Defense in the Great Toronto Murder Case.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the Criminal Court, Robert B. Preston, clerk for Scully & Co., testified that on the Sunday morning before the death of Willie Wells, he and his father were out for a walk and they were along Colborne street, to see Hyams' warehouse. When they reached the warehouse Wells was inside, and took witness down cellar to show him how they manipulated the hoist. Willie pulled the pulley to the left, and then took one of the weights off, and put on the other, re-changing them again. When Wells put the heavy weight on again, he only put the nose of the hook in the eye of the steel, and in this condition drew it up, until witness drew attention to it, when Willie let it down and left it. As far as he could see, Willie did not put the hook properly into the eye before they left the cellar. On the Wednesday after Willie Wells' death, witness, in company with Tailor White and a man called Cronie, made a search to see if the weight would go into the shaft if the hook were attached to the eye of the hook, as he had last seen it when in the warehouse on Sunday. Robert B. Preston, corroborated this evidence last week, corroborated this evidence to the Sunday walk to the Colborne street warehouse, and to his son going into the building and meeting a young man there, to whom his son introduced him.

James A. White, the tailor, who occupied a room in the same building as the Hyams' office was situated, testified to having gone with Preston and a man named Cronie to the Colborne street warehouse on the Wednesday after Willie Wells' death, and made experiments with the weight.

A. W. Hyams, who was employed in the Hyams' office at King street west before Aylesworth and Wells, gave evidence as to business conducted by the prisoners. He thought their house was a genuine mercantile agency, and he knew of chattel mortgages they possessed.

Auctioneer James Langdon told of auctioneering off furniture brought by the prisoners and sold that Aylesworth, while learning the business with them, bought a good deal of furniture for the prisoners. He thought their warehouse on Colborne street was somewhat out of the way for an auction room.

A. Manson, who in January, 1893, stated that on the 15th of that month he saw the undertaker's wagon at the Hyams' warehouse at 10:30 in the morning, was the next witness. On being asked if he would swear to the hour, he refused.

H. Sabine, engaged as shipper in China Hall at the time of the tragedy, swore to having seen the undertaker's wagon in front of Hyams' warehouse at 10:45.

Coroner W. H. B. Aikens testified to having been notified of the fatality by Dr. King, and having visited the warehouse. He described the position of the body and the apparent grief of the prisoners. The story of the accident as told him by Harry Hyams was related.

CHICAGO'S BIG DITCH.

May Elicit a Formal Protest From the Canadian Government.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Commissioner O'Hanley, who was appointed by the Canadian Government to collect evidence and prepare a report as to the extent to which the water level of the Great Lakes will be affected by the Chicago drainage canal, has accumulated a large amount of information and will proceed to Chicago to complete his labors before making his final report. It will be upon the result

of his investigation that the Canadian Government will act if it is decided to make the matter an international one. The commissioner is of the opinion that he will be able to show good grounds for Canada's entering a formal protest with the United States Government against the construction of the "big ditch."

SELLS HIS WIFE FOR \$10.

Michigan Farmer Disposes of His Better Half to Her Old Lover.

Adrian, Mich., Nov. 27.—The sprightly story telegraphed last night of a cowboy raid that resulted in the abduction of Mrs. Asa Manning from Medina, this county, lost its dash under investigation today, but grew greatly in uniqueness and romantic flavor. It seems that William Fuller, known as the "cowboy farmer," peaceably departed from Medina Monday in company with Mrs. Manning by virtue of a bill of sale, stating that Asa Manning, of Medina, for the consideration of \$10 to him paid by William Fuller, did transfer all his right, title and interest in and to his wife, Rachel Manning, to said William Fuller. The document was drawn up by Attorney C. S. Ingalls, of Morenci, and was duly signed, witnessed and acknowledged. It seems that Fuller and the woman were old-time lovers, having honed patch together in the east, when she was Rachael Baasinger. But she was married to Manning, and after two years of wedded life he seemed satisfied to transfer his interest for \$10, paid in farm truck. Fuller and his wife are now living on a farm between North Morenci and Canandaigua.

A journal devoted to the pen, ink and paper trade says that the world now uses 3,500,000 steel pens every day in the week.

"Sluggish Feeling."

Rev. D. L. Joselyn, Crystal City, Man.: "I found real benefit from your medicine, K. D. C. in saving me from that sluggish feeling caused by my food not properly digesting. I consider it a very valuable medicine to all under like conditions to myself. I have heard of K. D. C. working some marvelous cures among acquaintances, and have recommended it favorably many times."

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The Scrap Bag

A poor little damsel I know had trouble with her mother not long ago. The direct consequence was that she was sent into her own room for meditation and, supposedly, repentance. A listener happened to overhear the damsel's defiance, when she thought herself unmolested and alone. She threw herself on her knees before her bed, and burying her face in the pillow, began a prayer for guidance. But the petition had the very significant commencement, "O, Lord, consider how I am treated!"

"There's nothing like poached eggs," as the man said when he robbed his neighbor's fowl-house.

"What did you see at the Horse Show, Mary, what did you see at the show?"

"I saw a girl with a Worth gown, mother, and a bonnet from Virot."

"What did you see at the Horse Show, Willy, what did you see at the show?"

"I saw a man with a seal-skin vest, and they say, they're all the go."

"But why do you talk of clothes, my girl, and why of clothes, my boy? I thought you went to the Horse Show, children, the horses to enjoy?"

"Oh, you're not in de siècle, mother, in fact you are dead slow. We put the clothes before the horse because it's a clothes-horse show."

"He said I was his life's sunshine. I guess you will find all that moonshine."

A Japanese bookseller at Tokyo thus vaunts his wares "Books elegant as singing girl. Print clear as crystal. Paper tough as elephant's hide. Customers treated as politely as by the rival steamship companies. Goods dispatched as expeditiously as a cannon ball. Parcels done up with as much care as that bestowed on her husband by a loving wife."—The Interior.

Mrs. Helen Campbell, the author of "Prisoners of Poverty," has admirably put the argument for the new times as contrasted with the old. She says that an energetic lady 80 years of age declared that the good old times were largely humbug. She said: "Don't I remember! There was my beautiful Aunt Adelaide, whose husband kicked her out into the snow one winter's night in one of his periodical splees. He had done it before, and this time she would not go back. But the law gave him her property and the three children, and she ended her days in an insane asylum because she could not get them. No, my dear, thank God you live today and not a hundred years ago, and every new day will give you more and more cause for being thankful. It is a better time for every soul on earth, and this thing people call 'good old times' is a dreary humbug, that might better be decently interred and buried. Give me the new time and the new man, for he is coming right along side by side with the 'new woman'—God bless her!"—The Interior.

Began work at Once—Fond Mother—And so my little angel joined the Little Defenders today and will always be kind to dumb animals. Little Angel—Yee'm. Comin' home I met a man with a bag full of kittens, 'at he was goin' to drown, and he promised to bring them here for us to be kind to—Good News.

The Commercial Bulletin reports a passage-at-arms between a college professor and a sophomore:

The professor believes in simplicity and clearness. He said:

"You should have written on this subject, sir, so that the most ignorant of your readers could not fail to understand you." And the sophomore replied:

"What part of my paper is not clear to you, sir?"

For those who don't evening dress only infrequently much danger lurks as all know, in the removal of high-necked underwear, and the sudden exposure of unaccustomed neck and shoulders to winter temperature. In such an event, a wise course to pursue is to begin the day before the festival occasion to bathe the chest, neck and shoulders profusely with alcohol, and to continue this treatment throughout the following day. There is no better preventive of colds, and alcohol does not, as is the case with so many such helps, leave an unpleasant odor behind. For the last twelve hours before putting on the evening clothes it is well to wear about the house a lighter weight bodice, or thinner flannels, to accustom one's self by degrees to the coming change.

DAILY HINTS TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.

The primal duties shine aloft like stars.

The charities which soothe and bless and save.

Are scattered at the feet of man like flowers. —Wordsworth.

BREAKFAST—Apples. Oatmeal. Lamb Chop. Baked Potatoes. Graham Muffins. Raspberry Jam. Ginger Snaps. Coffee.

DINNER—Vegetable Soup. Broiled Potatoes. Baked Tomatoes. Mashed Potatoes. Celery. White and Corn Bread. Cranberry Tart. Fruit Glazes.

SUPPER—Cold Meat. Omelet. Sliced Apples. Vanilla Wafers. Bread and Butter. Tea.

FRUIT GLAZES.

Two cups granulated sugar, one cup water; heat, but do not stir; until dissolved. Let boil hard; until dropped in water; it will be brittle as glass. Pour into warmed cups; drop in white grapes, sections of orange, nuts, etc. Fish out with a fork; place on greased paper; out in the cold. Twenty minutes; will make them into fine glazes.

Small Salad Plants.

The other day I saw several quaintly shaped delf and china dishes on a shelf in the sunny dining room window of a friend. They were covered with what, at distance, looked like green moss. I was interested to know that my friend was raising her own winter salad plants in the bottom of a white flannel is cut to fit the bottom of the dish; it is then sprinkled thickly with water, curled cress, mustard seed and kept very wet, when, after a week, the two latter are fit to cut; the water cress takes longer to germinate.

This is a very clean way of raising those plants, entirely disposing of the griddle, which is a little management will keep up the supply all winter. It is not required that the dishes be ornamented, earthen pie dishes will answer.

Now, you may tell the court the circumstances of your husband's disappearance. "Well, sir," replied the good lady, "he went out one morning, and it wasn't more than half an hour till he never came back."

SNUG LITTLE BONNETS.

Beautiful as the large picture hats with their "tossing plumes" are, and becoming as they are, too, still during the winter months will come windy days when the owners of the exquisite Rembrandts and Gainsboroughs will sigh for something smaller and snuggler. This prospective need has been met in the shape of a charmingly quaint and picturesque little bonnet, which makes its wearer look like one of her own little Knickerbocker Dutch ancestors.

There is a large, full cape of sealskin, with a band of chinchilla for the edge and little beads for fastening at the throat, and a muffled muff, which are so much shown this season. But the crowning achievement of this pretty costume is the bonnet. It is one of those close fitting caps, which the Dutch women wear, made



of sealskin and edged all around with chinchilla, like the cape, and turned up in two little points over the ears, which gives it the quaint touch that is so taking. On top fastened with a fancy Rhine pebble buckle, is a rich, black feather and a full white aligrette. There are no strings to the bonnet, so it looks very youthful, and, around a pretty face, is very becoming and original.

FREEDOM IN WOMAN'S DRESS.

Miss Potter Says That Skirts Cause More Trouble Than Corsets.

The question of woman's dress incidentally crept into the conference of workers in the purity and physical culture departments of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union, which was held in Baltimore preliminary to the general convention of the union, says the New York World.

Several of the speakers referred to the ill-effects of corsets and other tight portions of woman's dress in antagonizing physical culture development. These references brought to her feet Miss Helen Potter, of Boston, who said:

"Skirts bother me more than corsets. What shall we do with these trailing things which are forever tripping us as we go upstairs? Look at a woman with a baby in one arm and a cup of milk in the other hand trying to walk upstairs. Even with divided skirts," and here she gracefully picked up a black divided skirt in which she was attired, "one corner is sure to get under our feet unless held out to the way. With the new skirt of eight yards around the problem is more perplexing."

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I dream at nights of an emancipation coming for us as a result of bicycle riding," continued Miss Potter. "When I see girls riding with Turkish trousers and who were formerly afraid to dismount when they wished to enter a store or public place now getting down and walking about with perfect freedom I think the time of our emancipation is coming. When the state is reached that such attire will not receive a backward glance of a boy or young man the problem will have been partially solved. The public only needs to get gradually used to the change not to pay especial attention to the wearers of the improved costume."

"Go about the house in the freedom of no skirts, but have your gown ready that may be fastened on with one stick-pin. Have this hanging convenient to reach, and when the door bell rings slip on your gown and you are ready to receive your caller. When the caller has gone drop off the gown, carry it on your arm and go upstairs in freedom. This I have practised with much comfort."

In conversation with a reporter after this public utterance, Miss Potter said she did not believe "bloomers" have solved the dress problem. She continued: "No uniform attire can be adopted. The fat woman and the lean one must consider what is best suited to them to wear."

Fads in Hat Pins.

Hat pins are growing in elaborateness and expensiveness every day. Every conceivable design is made in rhinestones, steel or what is called agate—a transparent blue glass, set with miniature jewels. The most useful and inexpensive, avel-headed hat pin is no longer possible, avel and if we cannot afford real jewels, gold, or silver we must deck ourselves in gaudy imitations thereof or be considered hopelessly behind the times.

The designs in silver are very varied and sometimes grotesquely inappropriate. A small cupid poised on a ball, may be artistic, but is certainly not appropriate to hold on a hat, and yet this is only one of many equally remarkable pins.

Small Salad Plants.

The other day I saw several quaintly shaped delf and china dishes on a shelf in the sunny dining room window of a friend. They were covered with what, at distance, looked like green moss. I was interested to know that my friend was raising her own winter salad plants in the bottom of a white flannel is cut to fit the bottom of the dish; it is then sprinkled thickly with water, curled cress, mustard seed and kept very wet, when, after a week, the two latter are fit to cut; the water cress takes longer to germinate.

This is a very clean way of raising those plants, entirely disposing of the griddle, which is a little management will keep up the supply all winter. It is not required that the dishes be ornamented, earthen pie dishes will answer.

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Edith Rockefeller Not Beautiful, But Good.

The Millionaire's Marries Mr. S. H. McCormick

Under a Wishbone of Lilies and Orchids—A Quiet, Homelike Affair—A Sensible Woman Who Does Good With Her Wealth.

New York, Nov. 27.—Miss Edith Rockefeller was married to Mr. Harold S. McCormick, at the latter's apartments, 1230 Broadway, at 12:30 o'clock yesterday.

The apartments were beautifully decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums, placed against a background of white lilies and orchids. The bride and groom were seated at a table with white lilies and orchids, beneath a wedding bell of the same flowers. The guests were composed of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

Mr. McCormick's mother, Mrs. C. H. McCormick; his brothers, C. H. McCormick and Stanley McCormick; Mrs. Emerson Blain, and his cousins, Misses McCormick and Henrietta McCormick, of Chicago, were present at the ceremony, besides the Rockefeller family.

Miss Alta Rockefeller, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the following were bridesmaids: Miss Carrie McCormick, Miss Grace Scott, Miss Grace Scott and Miss Frances Adams. Stanley McCormick was best man. The following were ushers: John D. Rockefeller, Jun., T. Harvey, Vance McCormick, John D. Rockefeller, Howard Colby, James Blair and Jacob Otto.

The Rev. W. H. D. Faunce, of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Dr. John H. of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, performed the ceremony.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride cut the cake and distributed it to her more intimate friends who returned to the Rockefeller mansion, 4 West Fifth-street, where they were received by Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller, and where a wedding breakfast was served. The bride and groom remained at the hotel.

The ceremony was performed at Mr. McCormick's apartments because he had been suffering from a cold and pleurisy, and the doctor would not allow him to leave the house.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Young McCormick met Miss Rockefeller while studying at Princeton, and at that time she was sending 1,000 Christmas presents to the poor. When she met him, she said: "I don't care if I wouldn't give the girl over \$100,000, but McCormick said he didn't care if he gave her nothing."

THE BRIDE-GROOM.

Harold McCormick is the son of a self-made man. His father, Cyrus, died in 1884, left a big fortune, and when he was a poor bookkeeper. Today he is worth something over \$140,000,000 and is still making money at a marvelous rate.

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Miss Rockefeller is 24 years of age. She would hardly be called handsome, but is very pretty. She is rather short of stature, but much over five feet in height. She is a blonde, but not of a decided type.

For a young woman with as much money at her command as she has, her tastes are wonderfully quiet. For a fashionable society girl, she does not care at all. Although she has lived in a mansion near Fifth avenue for several years, she is almost unknown to New York. Before the announcement of her engagement, her name was rarely seen in the newspapers.

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MONEY IN A BIG CELERY FARM.

Akron, O., Nov. 26.—The latest horticultural report of the Government states that at the largest celery farm in the United States, Ohio, the place is at Greentown, not in the world, is a hamlet fifteen miles south of this city. The farm is owned by the Borst heirs, and managed by C. H. Borst, one of them. Under cultivation and devoted entirely to celery are 125 acres. Mr. Borst employs the members of seven families, all of whom reside on the farm, in operating the place. Much of the celery produced is shipped to Chicago. The value of the annual product is about \$20,000, but this year it very dry weather and frosts in October are responsible for this. The farm twelve years ago was worthless swamp. Today it is valued at \$75,000. Mr. Borst is authority for the statement that six acres devoted to celery culture will net a farmer as great an income as he would derive from 125 acres of ordinary farm land.

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Winter Sport.

Petrolea Curlers Win the First Match of the Season.

A Knockout in Old London—Alvinston Hockey Club Reorganized.

THE WHEEL.

The vice-president, secretary and captain of the London Bicycle Club will be "At Home" to the members and their friends at the club house Thursday evening, Nov. 28.

THE RECORD LOWERED.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 27.—John S. Johnson last night broke the record for the half mile, flying start, made by Zimmerman at Madison Square Garden last December. He knocked off five seconds, making the distance in 1:06. In an exhibition of an eighth mile, unspaced, L. B. Bannett lowered Zimmerman's record of 15.25 to 15 seconds flat. Johnson then lowered that record to 14.35 seconds.

MURPHY SUSPENDED.

San Francisco, Nov. 27.—William Welch, who is in charge of L. A. W. matters in California, received the following telegram from Chairman Gideon, of the racing board: "Murphy permanently suspended. Stop his riding. Next man gets prizes. This refers to C. M. Murphy, the crack class B man, now in Southern California, and is the result of the protest filed against him for throwing a race in St. Louis in September last."

ATHLETICS.

THE LONDON P. R.

London, Nov. 27.—The fight between Dick Burge and Jim Smith for £200 a side and a purse of £200, took place last night at the Bolingbroke Club. In the ninth round Burge, who had been badly punished, fell several times from exhaustion, and Referee Angle declared Smith the winner. Burge was not able to hit his opponent. The articles provided for a twenty-round fight.

CURLING.

PETROLEA VS. SARNIA.

Petrolea, Ont., Nov. 27.—Three rinked from Petrolea visited Sarnia and played three rinks of that place on Thanksgiving Day, resulting in a victory of nineteen shots for Petrolea, the latter winning in every rink. The ice was excellent.

HOCKEY.

ALVINSTON CLUB.

The Alvinston Hockey Club has reorganized with a large membership, and the following officers: President, Arthur A. Hunt; honorary president, W. C. Pray; secretary, Dan McIntyre; treasurer, Dr. J. B. Martyn; captain, H. A. Gilroy.

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Tore Down the Bridge.

Culmination of the Difference Between the Hamilton Bridge Company

And the London Street Railway Company Over the Kidout Street Bridge—Railway Crossings as Far Away as Ever.

Yesterday the bridge over the Thames at Kidout street south, which is being altered and enlarged for street railway purposes, was about half completed. Today not a vestige of the superstructure remains. As stated on another page, the street railway company and the bridge company have a difference over the terms. It arose early in the negotiations, but was not considered sufficient to deter the bridge company from proceeding with the work. They evidently anticipated a satisfactory settlement. Several days ago President Hendrie and Engineer Schwal were in town, and in close communication with the street railway people, but the expected adjustment did not materialize. Then bad weather delayed the work, but yesterday, when a gang of bridge builders again put in an appearance, it was thought that the work would be rushed through one of the two spans had been completed. Instead of going on with the work, the builders began to take apart what was already up, and although it took a couple of weeks to put the structure together, it did not take more than a day to take it down again. At present only the cylinder abutments remain standing, although all the material for the bridge construction is yet on the ground.

Manager Carr and Director T. H. Smallman, who went to Hamilton about the matter yesterday, returned early this morning. Mr. Carr says the difficulty is not yet settled, but expects that it will be adjusted in a day or so, when Mr. Hendrie comes to town.

Car No. 60 has been fitted with heaters and the other cars will be rapidly placed in shape. The trouble over the railway crossings are just as far from settlement as ever. Mr. Carr asked Mr. Hobson for permission to put in a temporary crossing over the G. T. R. at Richmond street. Mr. Hobson referred Mr. Carr to the company's solicitor, Mr. Bell, but no answer has been received as yet.

A similar request was made on the L. E. and D. R. R. Company to allow the company to traverse the Hamilton road by crossing the London and Port Stanley, but the Lake Erie people gave an emphatic refusal.

The horse crossing at the C. P. R., although a means to an end, is not very satisfactory. The old flat rails are in use over the crossing, and the jolting of the heavy cars is continually causing the short strips that are placed between the rails. A car was derailed at the crossing yesterday.

THE POT POLITICAL.

AFTER McLEAN'S SCAPE. The Toronto Mail says: "Mr. B. W. Clarke, of Toronto Junction, has finally decided to become a candidate in East York for the House of Commons in the Conservative interests." Does this mean that Mr. W. P. McLean, M.P., is to be thrown overboard?

PARLIAMENT AND CARDWELL. Ottawa, Nov. 26.—The Dominion Government has decided to call Parliament for January 1, 1900, on the 2nd of January, and the writ for Cardwell was ordered to be issued, the date of nomination being fixed for Dec. 17, and polling for the 24th. Mr. R. Johnson, of Mono Mills, is returning officer. MR. LAURIER IN ONTARIO. It is understood that Hon. Mr. Laurier will speak in one or more of the counties of Ontario where bye-elections are to take place.

Prescott county and speak at Vanhook Hill on Dec. 5, and at Plantagenet on Dec. 6.

RAVAGES OF HOG CHOLERA. Blissfield, Mich., Nov. 27.—The loss in the death of hogs from cholera in this vicinity is estimated at \$200,000. There appears to be no abatement. Several farmers have lost from 50 to 75 fine shots that were soon ready for the market.

AN INAUSPICIOUS OPENING.

New York, Nov. 27.—An engineer was instantly killed, another engineer fatally injured, and several persons were hurt, more or less badly, by the explosion of a steam pipe yesterday in the engine room of Oscar Hammerstein's new theatre and music hall, on Broadway, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, which was opened last night.

SHE WAS SAUCY.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 27.—Mrs. Adda B. Hollar, the North Grand Rapids postmistress, who was recently convicted of fraudulently converting office money orders, was this morning sentenced to two years at the Detroit house of correction. She declared the conviction was all spite work, whereupon the judge called her back and gave her a stiff talking to.

UNCLE SAM NOT NEEDED.

Managua, Nicaragua, Nov. 27.—Europeans have been trying to persuade the Government of Nicaragua to annul the canal contract entered into with citizens of the United States. The general report of the agent here of the Nicaragua Canal Company, however, made public, and declares that organization to be adverse to the construction of the canal under the supervision of the United States Government.

Another County Heard From.

Reference was made in these columns last week to the magnificent record of the Lakehurst Institute treatment for alcoholism in an eastern town. This week, from the village of Wellington, in the county of Prince Edward, there has come news even more gratifying. During the past eighteen months twelve of the best known drinking men from this picturesque locality have made the pilgrimage to Oakville, and our advice is that there is not a failure in the lot. Every man a living, speaking example of the complete success which has invariably attended a course of treatment with us. Had these been dependent upon their will power during that time, in order to abstain from the use of intoxicants, probably not one could have stood the test. Their unanimous testimony now is that liquor is no temptation to them; they know that the stuff will do them harm, therefore they abstain. The treatment at Lakehurst Institute removes the disease, eliminates the alcohol from the system, and makes them free men, and their intelligence prevents them from putting the shackles on again. Toronto office, 28 Bank of Commerce Building. Phone 1163. xt

Fifty-dollar Parlor Suites reduced to \$35.

These are the best value ever offered in London. Come and see them. KENNEDY BROS., 127 King street, opposite Market House.

BROKE HIS PLEDGE.

The Porte Did Not Protect American Missionaries as Promised.

The United States Will Demand an Indemnity—Horrible Massacres of Men, Women and Children.

Constantinople, Nov. 27.—More details have just been received here of the burning of the American mission buildings at Kharpout. The show that the Turkish Government officials, in spite of the abundance of promises of protection for the American missionaries and their property, made by the Porte, to the United States minister, Mr. Alex. W. Terrell, and to the Americans themselves, the authorities of Kharpout utterly failed to guard the Americans. There was a protection offered or given until after the American mission buildings had been burned to the ground. It is estimated that the value of the American property is about \$100,000. It consisted of a large school, the theological seminary, the chapel and five residences. All the burned buildings were looted by the Turkish mob before being set on fire, and all the personal effects of the American missionaries, the libraries, scientific instruments, etc., were stolen, and so far only a small portion of the property has been recovered. The lady missionaries made a strong effort to escape, and great terror while the rioting was going on, and Mrs. Gates, the wife of one of the missionaries, was so prostrated with alarm that she gave premature birth to a child, which did not live.

The authorities of Kharpout, however, protected the missionaries after the latter fled from their residences to the official quarters. From that time on the Americans were kept under guard, and those who so desired were furnished with escorts to the Black Sea coast. All reports agree in establishing the fact that the rioting was of a most horrible description, that several hundred of Armenians, men, women and children, were butchered, that the massacre seemed to be premeditated, and that the Turkish troops, if they did not take part in the slaughter, as the Armenians claim, certainly made no effort to put a stop to it. Mr. Terrell, when he was informed of the destruction of the Armenian mission buildings at Kharpout, made a strong effort to protest to the Porte, and as soon as the work of collecting all the data necessary is completed, he will make a demand for the immediate payment of an indemnity. In fact, Mr. Terrell, when he intimated that this would be done, was assured that the Turkish Government would pay the indemnity required as soon as all the facts in the case were established, and the blame placed where it belonged.

The representatives of the powers have had their attention drawn to the sad condition of the homeless inhabitants of certain parts of Asiatic Turkey, and steps are to be taken to do everything possible in the matter. They are now discussing a project for the distribution of certain parts of the recent events in that district. Unconfirmed rumors reached here today that fresh troubles of a serious nature have broken out at Marash, in the Aleppo Government, where the mustering of Turkish troops for the advance on Zaitoun, held by the Armenians in force, has been in progress for some time past. It is reported that the town at Marash has been burned by the rioters. There is no news from Zaitoun, and this, with the absence of direct news from Marash, is causing more anxiety every day.

RAILWAY RUMBLINGS.

Report Denied—Great Transcontinental Traffic Returns on the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ended November 21, 1995, amounted to \$302,000, for the corresponding week of last year the return was \$400,000.

President Myles, of the T. H. and B., says that road will not be extended to Beamsville for some years. A bonus had been voted the road on condition that it would be extended to that village.

The report that the C. P. R. has signed a lease with the M. C. R. for 50 years to secure an entrance into the United States by the Cantleiver bridge at Niagara Falls, has been denied by the Canadian Pacific authorities at Montreal.

A Chicago dispatch says: Transcontinental lines formed an agreement today which needs only the signature of the Canadian Pacific to complete it. The new association includes all the lines west of the Missouri River to the Pacific coast, besides the Southern Pacific. If the Canadian Pacific should refuse to enter the agreement, the direct California lines will probably form an association of their own. The chairman of the new association is the Western Passenger Association, and the two will co-operate in every way. The agreement does not differ materially from the Western agreement, and the Chicago dispatch says the Illinois Central voted to increase the capital stock of the company from \$50,000 to \$60,000,000. Of the additional \$10,000,000 the sum of \$7,500,000 will be expended in purchasing the Chesapeake and Ohio Northwestern, and \$2,500,000 in improvements.

UTTERLY DISTASTEFUL.

The dusky Islanders sat in a ring, listening with eager expectation to the Lord Chancellor, as he read to their monarch the latest communication from the Foreign Missionary Society.

"Since the mysterious disappearance of our dear brother Duppy," so ran the letter, "we are sending you one who has been working in the field. In him not only is the spirit willing, but the flesh is strong."

A look of disappointment passed around the circle.

"Read that part again," said his Majesty.

The Chancellor complied.

The King leaped from the section of pork barrel which formed the imperial throne.

"Such a letter as that," he cried, as he dashed his stoverine crown on the coral strand, "is an outrage; the man will be utterly distasteful to us; write at once and say we don't want him!"

It Saves Lives Every Day.

Thousands of cases of Consumption, Asthma, Coughs, Colds and Croup are cured every day by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by W. T. Strong.

The Duchess of Somerset was thrown from her horse while hunting recently and very seriously hurt.

For Atlanta and the Sunny South The Pennsylvania Railroad Company have recently placed on sale tourist tickets reading via Washington, D. C., to all the popular health and pleasure winter resorts throughout the South; also special excursion tickets to Atlanta, Ga., and return, on account of the Cotton States Exposition.

Only one change of sleepers between Suspension Bridge and Atlanta, New Orleans, Jacksonville or Tampa by this popular route to the South.

For tickets, space in sleepers, address E. F. Fraser, passenger agent, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sparks from the Wire.

Mrs. C. Roger, Mile End, Montreal, died in convulsions shortly after eating canned salmon Monday.

J. W. Baker, of Lake Edward, Que., has assigned with liabilities of some \$40,000, and assets of \$36,000.

The Brownville, Ohio, tug Telephone will be sold at Amherstburg, having been caught fishing in Canadian waters.

A dispatch from Victoria, B. C., says that none of the sealing fleet will go into Bering Sea next season. They did not pay expenses last year.

On Monday Wm. Finnegan, Belleville, was wounded in the back by a shot fired from a 22-calibre revolver by a young man named Fred Young.

A laborer named Roseau was badly injured by snow falling from the roof of a house at Quebec Monday. Both legs and his cheek bone were broken.

The Restigouche River at Campbellford, N. B., on Saturday was frozen over, and people passed over on foot. This is the earliest for many years.

J. H. Fortier, an agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was on Tuesday tried in Montreal for forging two railway passenger tickets, and was sentenced to 23 months in the penitentiary.

County Cullings.

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PARKHILL.

(Advertiser) Agent, Thomas Grundy.) Nov. 26.—Mr. George Hayes, an old resident of this town, was found dead in bed last Sunday morning. He was 83 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. McLean, of Goderich, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. McQueen. They were on their wedding tour.

Tenders are invited for the erection of Kent's bridge, con. 7, McGillivray.

AILSA CRAIG.

(Advertiser) Agent, C. Walker. Ailsa Craig, Nov. 27.—The services of the Ailsa Craig Presbyterian Church, of which Rev. D. L. Dewar is pastor, were conducted last Sabbath by the Rev. George H. Smith, M.A., B.D., who has lately returned from an extended tour to Scotland, England and Germany, where he has been prosecuting his studies for over a year, with success. Mr. Smith's manner of presenting the truth is most forcible, captivating his hearers by the conclusiveness of his reasoning, as he handles the Scriptures with a freedom rarely attained by preachers of the Gospel.

Nov. 26.—P. Curtin shipped six loads of cattle on Saturday for foreign markets.

The branch office of the Bank of Commerce located here closes on the 30th of this month.

McDonald Bros., new brick residence is nearly completed, and is one of the finest in the village.

The Y. P. S. C. E. Society met Monday evening and elected their officers for the ensuing year.

For the ensuing year, President, John Alexander; vice-president, Lavina Overholt; secretary, Robert Macdonald; treasurer, Mary Wylie.

D. S. MacDonald, boot and shoe merchant, is moving into Mr. John Harrison's establishment, one door west of Gray & Co's grocery.

The high wind this morning did considerable damage in McGillivray. It blew the roof off Isaac Jones', Wm. McCann's and Mr. Torrance's barns.

GREATEST WHISTLE ON EARTH

To Be Placed on Sing Sing Prison to Rouse the Surrounding Country When Prisoners Escape.

Sing Sing, Nov. 27.—Beginning next Wednesday morning a terrible noise will be heard in the little town of Sing Sing, and sometimes nightly, and the sound will go echoing and reverberating for 30 miles up and down the river and rolling waves among the hills.

The sound will come from the prison. It will be called the prison whistle, and will in all probability be the largest and loudest steam whistle in existence. It is said that under the most favorable circumstances it can be heard 30 miles distant, and that in ordinary weather it will easily be heard 10 miles.

It is to be used to alarm officers and citizens in case of escape, an uprising in the prison, or fire. It will also signal the beginning of work in the shops in the morning and the shutting down at night.

The whistle is known as the "Patent Three-Barrel Steam Whistle," and is the largest in use. It is composed of three cylindrical bells or barrels placed one above the other. The lower barrel is 12 feet high and 12 inches in diameter. The middle and upper barrels are respectively 13 and 14 inches in height and reduced proportionately in diameter. These barrels are fastened to the steam conductor, which passes through them.

The entire whistle is eight feet in height, and contrary to ordinary whistles, the barrels or resonators are inverted. Each barrel has a different sound, and the three together produce a sound without ear-splitting effects. The whistle, from which an enormous volume of sound will be emitted, is to be placed on the north end of the mess hall, and the largest in use.

After the escape of a long-term convict one night last month, Warden Sage decided to procure a telling alarm. Copies of the following code of signals have been distributed among the prison officials and townspeople:

One long blast followed by two short ones indicates commencing and leaving off work.

One long blast followed by three short ones indicates fire.

One long blast followed by four short ones indicates an escape.

One long blast followed by five short ones is a call for officers, on hearing which, all officers outside, not on duty, will repair at once to the prison, and those inside will be alert.

We Have Found

That no remedy in the market affords such prompt relief in toothache, neuralgia and rheumatism as Nerviline, and its action in cases of cramps, colic, etc., is simply marvelous. Remark this to a physician of experience, he stated that from his knowledge of the composition of Nerviline no remedy could surpass it as a family remedy, and that in every household a bottle of Nerviline should be available for emergent demands. Readers of this paper should try Nerviline.

Constant abuse of those under your will strengthen your lungs at the expense of your manners.

It may be only a trifling cold, but neglect it and it will fasten its fangs in your lungs, and you will soon be carried to an untimely grave. In this country we have sudden changes, and must expect to have coughs and colds. We cannot avoid them, but we can effect a cure by using Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the medicine that has never been known to fail in curing coughs, colds, bronchitis and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest.

It's the most tony shop in the city. The Palace Barber Shop, 60 1-2 Dundas street. 5VZ

Special Black Goods Sale

Mourning Millinery and Dress Goods Sale. By special arrangement we are sole selling agents for London of a certain French maker's Black Dress Fabrics, which we claim for elegance of color and finish has no equal. We want your opinion. Come and look into the stock. Sale commences today.

45-inch Cashmere Serges, 45c quality, for 30c.

64-inch Worsted Suitings, \$1 quality, for 75c.

58-inch Warm Henriettas, great values at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Wool Henriettas, 65c, for 50c.

Wool Henriettas, \$1, for 75c.

New Barthes Cloth and Sebastopolities, effective materials.

60-inch Sicilian, extra value and the correct article.

Outing and Estamane Serges in endless quantities.

Satin Solids, Persian Corsets and Royals, all in pure Sandringham Black dye.

No wearing greasy or shiny at elbows or where slightest rub is given with these goods.

Mourning Millinery

Special display. We need not elaborate on our Millinery. We stand excelsior in Millinery Art.

Bayley's

172 and 174 Dundas St.

HUGE SNOWBALLS ROLLED BY THE WIND.

Flint, Mich., Nov. 26.—Passengers on the Flint River division of the Flint and Pere Marquette Railroad who came to the city after the late big wind storm report observing a strange phenomenon in large level fields not far from the city. Hundreds of snowballs, some of them of colossal size, have been rolled together, it is thought, by the action of the wind. The fields were covered with them, and nature accomplished in one night what it would take a large force of boys several days to do.

It is very difficult even for a dealer in cheap clothing to get the better of Pat, as the following story, told by a London journal, well illustrates.

Pat was a witty Irishman, who had just arrived in London from the Emerald Isle. He was aimlessly wandering about the town, when he perceived a suit of clothes in a shop door inscribed: "This superb suit for half price." So in Pat walked and inquired the price.

"Just sixteen shillings, sir," replied the shopman.

"Begorra, that's chape enough!" said Pat. "I'll take it."

When the parcel was tied up, he put it under his arm and laying eight shillings on the counter, was going out at the door, when the shopkeeper intercepted him, and demanded another eight shillings.

"Didn't you say, you spalpeen, that the price of the suit was sixteen shillings, and sure haven't I given you the half of it? And by this and by that, I won't give up my bargain!"

A scuffle then ensued, and Pat was taken to the police court, where he pleaded guilty to the charge of robbing the shop.

He was fined five shillings, and the case so ably that the magistrate dismissed the complaint, and advised the tailor never again to ticket his goods with "half-price."

—Harper's Round Table.

Abruptness is an eloquence in parting when spinning out the time is but the weaving of new sorrow.—Suckling.

DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., write: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parnee's Pills than any other pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint."

Mr. Charles A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parnee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe headache, but these Pills have cured her."

Richard Mansfield has received an offer for a tour of Germany and Russia. He will make the tour in the season of 1897-8.

Have that old photo you have copied and enlarged. Mr. C. D. Anderson will make you one for \$3, framed and gilt. Call and see at 340 Richmond street.

Stoves! stoves! stoves! Baseburners, cook stoves and parlor stoves at the Bed and Hair Mattress Cleaning Factory. Dealer in general house furnishings. Live goose feather pillows and hair mattresses made to order at JAMES F. HUNT'S, 593 Richmond street north. Telephone 997.

Connoisseurs of driving patronize Overmeyer's livery, Richmond street north, as he has only the latest style of rigs. Phone 423.

CANADIAN COPYRIGHT.

The New York Sun Reviews Mr. Goldwin Smith's Article in the Saturday Review.

The New York Sun prints the following article: "In a late number of the Saturday Review Mr. Goldwin Smith discusses the Copyright Act recently passed by the Parliament at Ottawa, and the effect of such independent legislation on the attitude of the mother country toward the Dominion of Canada. It is well understood that Canadian law is regarded by British authorities and publishers as destructive of their rights and as subversive of agreements into which the British Empire has entered with foreign powers. The British North America Act, which forms the constitution of the Dominion of Canada, while it delegates legislative powers to the Parliament at Ottawa reserves a right of veto to the Imperial Government. It is the exercise of this right which British authors and publishers have invoked against what a number of Dominion Ministers have protested, on the ground that it is a heinous law-making at Ottawa to conserve Canadian interests without reference to those of the United Kingdom, and that, as regards the claim to copyright which the

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Fall importations of stylish goods for this season are complete. Every pains will be taken to please those who favor them with their orders, which will be made up in the most fashionable style, with the best quality of trimmings and workmanship.

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A King's Gentleman.**CHAPTER IX.**

With grave hospitality, untinged by any flutter of maiden delight in welcoming as guest the man whose long guest she may have been, Molly Wilder received the new-comer, invited him to throw off his wraps, and to seat himself at the bountiful tea-table. Reuben accepted the invitation with alacrity, and, having placed his hat in the seat of honor at the foot of the table—he asked a blessing, followed at once by a smile of bashful delight, as he added:

"Seems almost as if we were married already, don't it, Molly?"

Molly made no reply; her whole consciousness seemed absorbed in the great resolve she had just made, and never for a moment forgot; and while Reuben, full of vulgar hilarity, heaped his own and his sister's plate with many a jest as to his generosity as a provider, and the bountiful table he loved to keep, and while Molly, luxuriating in unlimited dainties, forgot all but their enjoyment, their hostess was watching both with dispassionate scrutiny, and figuring to herself a life wherein three times in every day she must confront that crafty and evil face, lighted as now by the greed of animal enjoyment, hear those harsh and uncultivated accents, and reply to jests that found no sympathy in her more refined sense of humor, or to the direct address:

"You ought to have gone over to the Corners with me, Molly; there was no much news stirring—about the fighting up in Canada and all that. Say, I suppose you wouldn't let me go up there and be a soldier, would you? Not before we're married, anyway, and after that I wouldn't want to go."

"Do you now?" asked Molly, with a strong flavor of scepticism in her voice.

"Well, the pay is better than for farming, especially in the winter time; but maybe I'll make some money without risking your chance of getting a husband. They say, over at the Corners, that a big French vessel—a man-of-war—got driven up the bay by the gale; you know how the Johnny Crappos most a week, and the Johnny Crappos couldn't manage her, and she got ashore down on the Elizabeth Reef, and just thumped to pieces there. That was last night—no, night afore last, and they've got 'em all prisoners down at the fort—that is, most all; but they think some got away, and they've offered a reward of \$20 a head for all that can be found and brought in before next Monday, when they're going off for some of our own men laid by the heels in Quebec. Now, if a fellow could find one of them lurking round and get the \$20, eh?"

"Would you sell a poor, trembling fugitive that trusted you?" asked Molly in a low voice.

"Would I? Wouldn't I, though?" chuckled Reuben, filling his mouth with mince-pie. "I would, if you were going to lead him on, thinking you were going to hide him away safely, and once he was in the trap, phew! how quick you'd kick away the prop and let down the door! And it ain't likely they'd be armed, so there wouldn't be any great danger."

"That's a consideration, certainly," replied his fiancée in so strange a voice that Molly, whose capacity for pound-cake and cream-toast was utterly exhausted, turned and looked sharply at her for a moment, then exclaimed:

"Why, Molly Wilder, what's the matter with you? You're as white as a sheet, and your eyes are like a cat's in the dark. If there'd been anything to lay it to, I'd say you were awful mad."

"But as there isn't," said Molly, pushing back her chair.

"But as there isn't," echoed Reuben, also rising. "I think we'd better be going. You know, Molly, mother wants you to come over there tonight and stay till the storm's over."

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"Oh, but you must," retorted Reuben, with easy positiveness. "Mother and I both think it's best, and mother won't let Molly stay, because in that case I must stay alone," replied Molly, still in her tone of calm and immovable decision.

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FRESH ROQUEFORT CHEESE.

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160 DUNDAS STREET.

"You will never be my husband, Reuben Hetherford."

"Oh, pshaw! I've heard girls talk before."

"I never talk without meaning what I say. I have determined, fully determined, to break off the engagement to you, and I now do so. It is a thing altogether settled in my own mind, and your violence just now has only hastened the announcement of my purpose."

"Nonsense, Molly!" interposed Mercy, who read more shrewdly than her brother the signs of determination, and strength of mind of her friend, and who wished to temporize if possible, and gain time to bring the maternal forces into the field. "Don't you and Reuben go to quarrelling tonight. Sleep over it, and you'll feel different in the morning; and, if you won't come over to our house for him, come for me. It's awful lonely for us two girls in such a storm as this, in this empty house; and, besides, I don't stay here, and mother has sent for me. She'd be awful mad, and maybe come over after us herself. Do come home with me, and Reuben, 'shan't say a word about it anyway."

But Molly put her arms about the girl's neck, and kissing her tenderly, repeated as firmly as ever:

"I must stay here, Mercy; for my father and mother left me here, and I must obey them as you do yours. I could not make him happy or be happy myself with him, and it is much better the thing should end here. I hope you will still be friends with me, Mercy—you and your house."

"As for that, I don't know," replied Mercy a little viciously, for her temper was getting the upper hand of her diplomacy. "I don't suppose we should feel just the same, any of us. But I don't believe we need spend much time settling all that until your mother comes home, and we hear what she says."

"Yes, I guess she'll bring you to your senses, Mistress Mary," chimed in Reuben, full of vulgar hilarity, heaped his own and his sister's plate with many a jest as to his generosity as a provider, and the bountiful table he loved to keep, and while Molly, luxuriating in unlimited dainties, forgot all but their enjoyment, their hostess was watching both with dispassionate scrutiny, and figuring to herself a life wherein three times in every day she must confront that crafty and evil face, lighted as now by the greed of animal enjoyment, hear those harsh and uncultivated accents, and reply to jests that found no sympathy in her more refined sense of humor, or to the direct address:

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London's Library.

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What about our literary account? We have nothing to draw on. "We should have a deliberate, systematic course of reading, every one of us. This year let it be history; in the next year, science; the third year, literature; the fourth year, poetry; or, at reasonable intervals, all of these, with an abundance of travels for the boys and a moderate quantum of fiction for us all. This library is a POST-GRADUATE UNIVERSITY."

at which the citizens of London who have left public and high schools may take a post-graduate course, which Shakespeare or none of the great writers of the Elizabethan age, or of the early Georges, could avail themselves of. All honor to the municipality for donating the money; all honor to the board for doing their work so well, and to the architect who enclosed the building with lines of beauty.

"Here," continued Mr. Ross, "you can enter the companionship of the world's greatest men. You can meet them day and night. You can see the creation of those wonderful minds with which they are endowed. You can see them rise before you: the witch scene of Macbeth; Hamlet meditating suicide; Othello's fiery outbreaks; Desdemona's struggles; and Iago's villainies. You can spend a night with Cowper, the sweetest writer of domestic poetry England ever produced; a day with Wordsworth in his trips through the sylvan glades of the English Lake; where HEAVEN HAS OPENED POETRY before our eyes, as Tennyson says. (Applause.) If you are a fighting man, Wellington will tell you how he won Waterloo; Napoleon, how he crossed the Alps; and Humboldt, one of the great naturalists. Are you a sculptor or an artist? Books will tell you how to mix all the tints and how to remove them."

In conclusion Mr. Ross said: "We have the altar here, that young Canadians will worship with a pure heart. Let us have a national life; that a broader patriotism will be quickened by higher conceptions of duty and that in the brave days of old, it will be said that there were Canadians made better and stronger men because it entered into the hearts of the citizens of London in the closing years of this wonderful century, to place at their disposal the treasure-house of knowledge." (Loud and continued applause.)

Ald. Hallam, Toronto.

Ald. Hallam said: I am delighted to be here tonight to take part in the opening of the new London Public Library. So much has been said, and so well said, by the Hon. Minister of Education and other gentlemen, that I will not try your patience with any lengthy remarks.

I am here to show my sympathy with public libraries, and with those who take an interest in such movements. Some years ago you voted to establish a rate-supported library, but somehow or other the act was not then brought into force; now you have succeeded, and the citizens of London will have an opportunity to judge of the advantages of a municipal library.

This should be an epoch day in the history of the Forest City, and I am sure the citizens will never regret this necessary addition to their other useful institutions. I am certain that the benefits to your people of a reference library will aid in the progress of your commerce and the social advancement of your city.

The books in this library should be of solid, standard matter—of fact, literary, avoiding the vulgar and sensational. The Board of Management should see that the library is practical in its aims, and not a mere curiosity shop for a collection of curious and rare books, especially, such as relate to Canadian history, travels and biography; technical works relating to all the different trades in your city; the history of the province, and the best class of clean, imaginative literature. The poets and dramatists should find a corner in your library; works on the field and forest, agriculture, chemistry, and kindred subjects should receive special attention from your board.

Such a library would be useful and have a special claim on all who desire to see their city advance to the front rank of the Empire, and with other cities, not only in Canada but in the United States. In art, science and technical education.

The advantages of such a library are many. They are the people's university; they help on the cause of education and promote public virtue. Their influence is on the side of order, self-respect and general enlightenment. They are the literary parks where all can enjoy themselves; they are supplementary to the common schools for supplying the masses with what defective training or limited means may have deprived them of.

I look upon this library as the best possible agency and material aid which can be devised. Viewed from the commonest standpoint, looked at in the light of dollars and cents, a mainstay that such an institution is a profitable investment for rate-paying bodies.

The Minister of Education takes a deep interest in everything relating to the social and material advancement of the people of Ontario. I hope he will see the desirability of convincing the Ontario Government of the necessity of encouraging the opening of rate-supported libraries by a substantial annual grant.

In conclusion, I heartily congratulate you on the success of your undertaking, and I hope the good cause will spread to every town and village in Ontario.

Fishop Baldwin.

"Speech is said to be silver and silence declared to be gold," said the bishop. As I have none of the first, I shall give the second at this hour of the evening, only just making the remark that I sincerely rejoice in the establishment of this free library for the use of the good people of London, and of our portion of the peninsula. I am sure that if our people are to be enlightened, as they should be, that one way is to give them the trophies best on which to build, and by which to clear the intellectual vision for deeds of honor and for works of love. I would therefore rejoice in the establishment of this library and trust that by the munificence of our citizens and by generous use of funds it may become more and more worthy of public esteem. I wish to endorse the very proper sentiments that have been uttered with regard to libraries themselves. All literature is not good and all books are not to be recommended. In

OUR DAILY RUSH.

and busy life we may introduce one or two to someone who will benefit them, uplift their moral character, make them stronger, make them more earnest, and do them good in the present.

grimage they have to tread. But we may introduce them to others who will do everything in their power to lower their character and weaken the power that they should possess. The Minister of Education, in one of the most powerful speeches we have had the honor of listening to lately, spoke of the language of the late Carlyle, who said that he who would read French literature would need to be washed seven times in Jordan to be pure again. And dear friends it is not in this metaphorical, it is not in this typical, it is the awful, ghastly fact that we are being flooded with literature, which for the mind is most terrible, fearful form of temptation. Let our library, then, not be to introduce our young to works that can only deteriorate their character and make them more ready to tread the paths of infamy and shame and blood. But let it be a library to uplift the moral, and the noble sentiments of the heart, to lead them upwards to things that are great and good and strong, to point them to God and to the works of his eternal truth, and our library will be a benefit not only to our citizens in this fair city but to the community at large."

The meeting concluded with the National Anthem.

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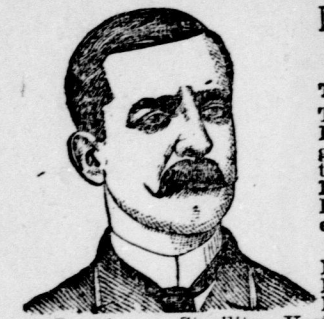
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FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, Nov. 26-11 p.m. - The im-
portant disturbance which was over Illinois
last night continued during the night to
develop much greater energy, and this morn-
ing was centered over the Georgian Bay as
a very severe storm, occasioning excep-
tionally heavy gales throughout the lake region.
It has now moved to the lower St. Lawrence
Valley, its energy having meanwhile become
very much less, but it is causing moderate
gales and rain over eastern Canada.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Toronto, 32-52; Montreal, 26-56;
Quebec, 16-40; Halifax, 36-58.

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Toronto, Nov. 27-1 a.m. - Generally
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London and Environs

—Mr. T. Conlon, of Toronto, was in the

city today.

—Mrs. C. H. Zeigler, city, is spending a

few weeks with friends in Berlin.

—Miss Ida Brown, Aylmer, is visiting

friends in this city for a short time.

—Miss Edith Summer, Springbank, is a

guest of Mrs. S. S. Hancock, Ridgewood.

—The annual meeting of the Canadian

Entomological Society will be held here this

evening.

—Hammond Wise has been found insane

by the jail surgeon. Wise is a farm laborer

and was arrested about a week ago.

—Misses Mary Inwood and Lizzie

Cochrane, city, who have been visiting

friends in St. Thomas, have returned home.

—Mrs. Deacon and Mrs. Evans, South

London, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis,

of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

—Bishop Baldwin and Archdeacon Davis

will address the annual missionary meeting

of St. George's Church, Sarnia, on Friday

night.

—Miss Lily O'Loane, of the Sacred Heart

Convent, is spending a few days at the resi-

dence of her father, Mr. James O'Loane,

Stratford.

—Miss Ethel Westcott, Leamington, is

visiting at Blenheim. She will also visit

friends in Chatham, London and Toronto,

and will probably stay all winter.

—Lieut. Campbell, "A" Company,

Twenty-Fifth Battalion, has successfully

passed his examination for a second-class

certificate at the Infantry School here.

—Mr. James H. Ross, M.P.P., of the

Northwest Territories (and a native of this

city), has removed to Regina from Moose-

jaw, in order to better attend to his official

duties.

—The Department of Weights and

Measures has decided that hereafter the

standard of measures for liquids shall be

one of bulk instead of weight. That fixed

for the gallon is equivalent to ten pounds,

distilled water at 62 degrees Fahrenheit,

with the barometer at 30 degrees.

—Alfred Curtis, convicted on Monday

of stealing an overcoat from the Y. M. C. A.

rooms, will have to answer another charge

of theft. A brown valise found on him

when arrested has been identified as having

been stolen from Frank Kent, a Toronto

traveler, while stopping at the City Hotel.

—Mr. O. W. Shipman, of Detroit in an

interview in regard to his reported connec-

tion with the L. E. & D. R. R. and the coal

barges said: "I know nothing of the situa-

tion between the Walkers and the Canadian

Pacific road, and I have no connection with

entirely with the London & Port Stanley & d

Wheeling and Lake Erie roads.

I will simply say that if the Lake Erie &

Detroit River road ever builds to Port

Stanley, as it contemplates doing, it will

bring my line of boats some business."

—Sarnia Observer: A company of ladies

from the Baptist church invaded their

pastor's residence a little before the usual

tea hour Monday evening and took full pos-

session, completely surprising them in so

doing. The object of this invasion was soon

manifest in a neatly worded address

expressive of the highest appreciation of

their pastor and his wife in their labors on

their behalf. The address was accompanied

by beautiful presents, which will comfort

them by night and delight them by day.

Rev. Mr. Speller thanked the donors for

their kind expressions of appreciation, and

for the beautiful and useful presents. They

were then escorted to the dining room to

partake of the sumptuous supper prepared

by the ladies and which was done ample

justice to by all present. For these and

many other kindnesses, the donors of which

have not made themselves known, Mr.

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Have Stopped Work.

Hamilton Bridge Company Suspend

Operations on the Ridout

Street Structure.

Contract Was Not Signed, as the Com-

pany Does Not Want a Guarantee

Clause Inserted—Street Railway Of-

ficials in Hamilton—Other News From

London's Trolley Line.

Mr. Chas. E. A. Carr and Director

T. H. Smallman, of the street railway

company, are in Hamilton endeavoring

to make a satisfactory settlement of

a little difference which exists between

them and the Hamilton Bridge Works

Company, in reference to the railway

bridge on Ridout street. Of the tend-

ers for the building of the structure,

the Hamilton company was lowest,

their figures being \$4,400. This was ac-

cepted by the railway officials, and the

agreement was drawn up for signa-

ture, with a guarantee clause insert-

ed. This was to cover the bridge until

the termination of the street railway

franchise in the city, but the bridge

representatives refused to sign with the

guarantee clause was insisted on.

The railway people would not consent

to its being withdrawn, and the con-

tract was never closed. The Hamil-

ton company, however, began work on

the bridge, and they have been push-

ing it along at a business-like gait.

The cylinders are in, and a great part

of the superstructure has been erected,

but a halt has been made. Manager

Carr notified the builders several times

that no payments would be made until

the contract was signed. City Engineer

Crawford finally informed them that

they were trespassing, and finally Mr.

Wm. Hendrie, the president of the

bridge company, and one of Hamilton's

most energetic citizens, came to the

city recently in connection with the

matter. He met the representatives of

the street railway, but nothing defi-

nite was agreed to, and Mr. Hendrie

returned home. The bridge company

claim that they cannot very well al-

low the insertion of the clause, as

every guarantee is like a mortgage on

their capital stock. It is expected that

an agreement will be arrived at and

the work proceeded with. In the mean-

time the workmen have been doing

the work already done. Almost half the

new structure had been erected.

OTHER STREET RAILWAY NEWS.

The statement that the receipts

from the nine trolley cars up till 11

a.m. exceed the total earnings of the

25 horse cars for a whole day is ridicu-

lous," said Manager Carr to reporters,

as he stood at the corner of Dundas

and Richmond streets, "and I cannot

see where the paper that pub-

lished the statement ever got the in-

formation. I only wish it was true.

Our receipts, however, are greatly in-

creased." The most skeptical in the

matter would have been convinced that

the receipts were growing if they had

seen the rush for the next car on the

Dundas street line as it turned off

Richmond street. There must have

been fully 50 or 60 in the crowd, and

Manager Carr smiled. The hour was

8 p.m.

The company has a number of men

engaged moving the new cars one and

one-half inches nearer the outside of

the tracks. The weather strips are

being taken in an inch, which will

make a space of eight inches between two

cars when passing each other. There

are only three inches now. All danger

of the cars colliding or scraping will

thus be averted.

The special work at Central avenue

and Richmond streets is about finished,

and an A1 service for the northern

portion of the city is assured.

The Oxford street line is finished,

and the special work for the Richmond

street intersection will be shipped from

Montreal today.

Messrs. Patterson & Corbin, of St.

Catharines, the builders of the new

cars, are having the upright handles

on the sides of the cars lowered sev-

eral inches. This will be a great con-

venience to the ladies.

The heaters have arrived and are

being fitted into the cars as speedily

as possible.

The street railway company work-

men are putting in a "Y" at the cor-

ner of York and Ridout streets. They

will not obstruct the South London

travel to any extent.

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