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NOTICE.

Application will be made on behalf
of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Rail-
way Company to the Parliament of Canada
at its next session for an act authorizing
the construction of a branch line of rail-
way from a point on the Company's line
south of Walkerville, thence westerly to
the waters of the Detroit River, or
Lake Erie, at or near Amherstburg. Also
the construction of a branch from the
point on the Company's line at or near
Walkerville to a point on the Detroit
River or near Sandwich, with power
to construct wharves, docks, to be used
own, lease or otherwise acquire and op-
erate ferries. Also for the incorpora-
tion of a railway company with the usual
powers, and with power to construct a
line from Sarnia to St. Thomas, and a
line from Sarnia to the Detroit River,
and to own, lease or otherwise acquire
and operate ferries, and to build or ac-
quire by lease or otherwise a bridge
across the Niagara River, and to acquire
the stocks, bonds or other securities of
a company owning such bridge, and to
guarantee the securities of such com-
pany, with power to amalgamate or
run or otherwise arrange with any
company, and with power to each com-
pany to lease its lines, property, etc., to
the other. Dated this 11th day of Feb.
COBURN, solicitor for the applicants. 138-c

ONE FOR MASCAGNI

Scores a Point in the Fight With His
Managers.

Boston, Feb. 27.—The question of
jurisdiction in connection with the
contracts of Pietro Mascagni, the
Italian composer, was passed upon
today by the full bench of the Su-
preme Court yesterday, and the deci-
sion is that any difference or questions
between Mascagni and his concert
managers must be acted upon by the
civil authorities of Florence, Italy, as
per the contract between the parties.

CZAR TO THE RESCUE

Is Making Great Efforts to Relieve
Stricken Finland.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—The Czar
has personally intervened in behalf of
the famine-stricken Finns, and has or-
dered that extensive relief works be
started without delay. Besides the
immediate construction of the proposed
Idensalmi-Kayana railroad, which will
cost \$700,000, his majesty has sanc-
tioned the expenditure of \$300,000 on
the Uusaborg-Tornio railway, and the
Senate, but hitherto unapproved,
the raising of a \$2,000,000 loan for
other railroad construction, the estab-
lishment of a bank with a capital of
\$800,000, and the use to be made in
making loans to peasant farmers, and
has approved an appropriation of
\$140,000 for public works, principally
the raising of swamps. It is the
belief the proposed relief works will
employ the majority of the able-bodied
and that consequently the voluntary
committees' responsibilities will be light.

Sir John O'Brien Dead.

London, Feb. 27.—The death is an-
nounced of Sir John Terence Nicholls
O'Brien, former Governor of New-
foundland, at the age of 75.

Honors for Herbert.

London, Feb. 27.—King Edward has
conferred the Grand Cross of St.
Michael and St. George on Sir Michael
Herbert, the British ambassador at
Washington.

Famous Gunmaker Dead.

New York, Feb. 27.—Dr. R. J. Gatling,
the inventor of the Gatling gun, died in
this city yesterday afternoon at the home
of his son, Hugh O. Pentecost. He was
55 years old.

Revolutionists Successful.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Feb. 27.—Ad-
vices received here today from Puerto
Plata, Santo Domingo, say three re-
volutionary generals are operating
successfully in the northwestern part
of Santo Domingo, and that General
Rodriguez is advancing on the capital,
San Domingo.

A new device to prevent locomotive
wheels from slipping magnetizes the
drivers so that they stick to the rails.

There was recently held in Germany
a competitive exhibition of the work of
journeymen shoemakers. In the
United States the cutter is the only
skilled workman in the shoe industry.

HON. E. J. DAVIS'
BIG VICTORY

He More Than Doubts His Ma-
jority of May Last.

CLARK WINS IN CENTER BRUCE

Anti-Prohibition Men Were Actively
Opposed to Dr. Stewart's
Election.

London, Feb. 27.—Hon. E. J. Davis,
Liberal, majority, 449. Majority over
same opponent in general election, 207.
Major Clark, Conservative, majority,
52. Majority over same op-
ponent in general election, 5.

The party standing is 52 Liberals,
including Mr. Gagey, of Manitoulin,
to succeed the Liberal Union, and 45
Conservatives. North Renfrew is
open and is expected to return a Gov-
ernment supporter, making the Liberal
majority eight, or seven with the
speaker in the chair.

MR. DAVIS' GREAT MAJORITY.

Newmarket, Feb. 27.—"Double the
majority for Davis," was the watch-
word of the Liberal Union in the North
York campaign, and the majority
of 207 in May last has been more than
doubled. The increase was general all
over the constituency, but was more
particularly noticeable in Mr. Davis'
own polling subdivision, where Mr.
Davis' majority was increased from 94
to 126, and in the town of Aurora, the
home of the Liberal Union, where the
converted an adverse majority of 43 to
a majority of 8 for Mr. Davis. This
turnover in Aurora is a significant fea-
ture of the campaign, and would seem
to indicate that the Conservative candi-
date's campaign of personalities did not
find favor in his own town. It also
aroused Davis' neighbors, and caused
them to return no uncertain verdict
of disapproval. In Newmarket the
Liberal majority is normally 100. In
May last the 123 given for Davis was
quite abnormal, and surprised the
Liberal Union quite as much as it did
the Conservatives. Tonight Newmarket
registered 104 for Davis, and the Lib-
erals have reason to feel ashamed.

King township increased its majority
for Davis from 90 in May last to 167.
Whitechurch advanced from 64 to 93.
North Gwillimbury gave Lennox 31 in
May, and 51 in February. In Aurora
Davis' majority was increased from 43
to 84. In White Sutton, which gave
Lennox 46 at the general election, gave
him 28 today.

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"When you like," she answered. "I don't want to go for long back to Grosvenor Gardens, to be questioned and questioned, to make a song of the little, the very little I have done for my other half, the man I love. I don't want to be questioned about Jasper. He sinned and he has paid the price—a life for a life. I want a little comfort and peace and love with you, Philip."

He was deeply touched; he would have been something less than a man had he not been. She was tired out body and soul. It was easy to see that, tired out with working for him. Oh! he could never do enough to show how thankful he was to her, how much he loved her. He kissed her tenderly, passionately, then he rose and went to the door. "Let us go at once and buy things," he said, laughing. "What is it we have to buy? A special license, of course, but what else? There are chairs and tables and servants here. What is it we have to buy—chiffons, Leslie?"

She laughed lightly. "Yes, chiffons," she answered, "and food, Philip. It sounds unwomanly, but I am so hungry."

"Hungry?" he repeated. "My dearest girl."

He rose at once. Putting her gently back on the sofa he fetched her cake and wine, such luxuries as had been provided for him. He watched while she took both almost greedily.

"After all one is little more than a savage when one is hungry and a little faint," she said, "and I have forgotten to bother about food lately. One can't think of the body when the heart of one's heart is so hungry. Or, Philip, you must not kiss me so, love me so, dearest! Any woman who loved me would have done the same. After all it was done for myself. I couldn't have lived without you, I'm so fond of you, so awfully fond."

He could only hold her close and kiss her softly. He had no words in which to answer her and after a time they went out to buy chiffons and things, laughing like two children.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

Few men have committed suicide without someone being sorry for it. Mr. Moses Cohen looked decidedly blue when he heard of the death of Jasper. He hurried from his room, kicking Aaron by way of relieving his feelings. He crossed the hall and went to Joel Constant's room.

"What shall we do?" he said. "Have you seen the papers? That unprincipled rogue, Jasper Warner, has committed suicide, stabbed himself in Mr. Philip Gilchrist's rooms. From what the papers say it was a queer case. My Phoebe, she was his wife."

Joel looked up from some papers. The news of suicide did not unnerve him. It was by no means the first time Mr. Moses Cohen's clients had taken their lives.

"Killed himself, has he?" he answered. "Well, we cannot do anything. A dead man is not responsible, and there is no estate, of course. So he was a guilty man, was he? Well, I'm not surprised; the possibility that he might be had occurred to me more than once."

"They why didn't you say so? We might have got some money then."

Joel did not look up. "You can't get wine out of an empty bottle. We had more chance of getting it if he was not implicated. If Mr. Gilchrist had been arrested—though personally I never thought him guilty—the rich uncle would probably have made Mr. Warner heir."

Mr. Cohen's face grew almost green with rage. "That is what we reckoned upon, of course," he said. "Vell, the only course open to us now is to write to the rich uncle and ask him to pay the dead man's debts. He can scarcely refuse. The scandal is probably as much as he can bear already."

Joel laughed softly, but with great enjoyment. He was always rather

pleased when old Moses was hoist with his own petard. "You forget that you told the old uncle that Mr. Warner owed you nothing," he said, "though at the time I thought it was a silly thing to do. He will have kept your letter, of course."

Mr. Cohen's jaw dropped. "But that was just business," he said. "Anyone would see that I didn't want the rich uncle to be offended or cut off supplies."

Joel chuckled inwardly. "I am afraid that won't help you," he said. "You distinctly stated in your letter—the copy is in the letter-book—that the statement Mr. Warner made to his uncle was correct. The letter is signed by you, I am afraid there is not the slightest chance of getting another penny. The man is dead. I don't for a moment suppose that the uncle will pay his debts. You shall tell him the amount he owed you off your profits for the year."

Mr. Cohen took a turn up and down the room. The idea of losing the money was horrible to him. "We can't lose it," he said. "We must go to the uncle. He's rich, he'll do something in spite of my letter. You shall go with me. You shall tell him I made a mistake, that I'm an old, old man, not capable of looking after my business, always cheating myself, Joel. Tell him I'm an orphan—tell him anything—but for heaven's sake get the money."

Joel put his tongue in his cheek. "Uncles are not responsible for their nephews' debts. It would be a bit rough on them if they were. Make your mind up to it, you'll never get a penny more than you have got, and thank your lucky stars that you're not out of pocket, that you've not lost a penny by the young fool. But—"

Joel looked at the Jew in a very furtive manner. "I think you're right. I think you are old, not perhaps quite able to look after your own interests quite so well as you should. I, for instance, should never have written that letter."

"Oh, you wouldn't, wouldn't you?" the Jew growled. "No, it was unwise, impolitic, unnecessary. I should have answered that I had had the honor of doing business with Mr. Warner, but that it was against all etiquette to divulge his extent or nature. We should not be in the hole we are now in if you had answered like that."

"Well, it's no good talking about what we should not have done if things had been different," Mr. Cohen snarled. Joel laughed.

"Oh, yes, it is," he answered. "Wise folk order their future with due regard to the lessons of the past. Now, there is no doubt that you're a little past smart work; you don't do nearly as well as you should. If you made me a partner—"

"Oh, that's it, exactly," Joel answered. "Now, what do you say? I've been working for you many years and I've got more kicks than half-pence, or, at all events," he laughed a little, "taking Aaron into consideration, more bites than half-pence. My calves are just honeycombed with his teeth marks. I want more money than I'm making, a common want, I know, but I'm willing to work like a galley slave for it, only I must be working for myself as well as for you. I want to get married. That's a right and proper thing, surely, for every man, Jew or Gentile, to wish to do. Give me a partnership, and I'll undertake you shall be better off than you are now at the end of the first year."

The Jew thought a moment. It was true that he was getting old and Joel was smart and honest. "What do you want?" he asked. "A fourth?" Joel answered, "a fourth of your profits."

"A fourth? Pure robbery! Why, that means a big income. What do young people want with lots of money? Bread and cheese and kisses should be enough. My Leah and I married on nothing a year."

[To be continued.]

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DUNDONALD ON OUR MILITIA

He Lauds Canadians as Being Natural Soldiers.

WANTS MORE MODERN GUNS

And Recommends That All Establishments Be Placed on a War Footing.

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MAY YET LIFT THAT EMBARGO

Canadian Shippers Demand They Get Preference.

OUR CATTLE WITHOUT DISEASE

The Debate in the British Commons on the Proposal to Remove Restrictions.

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MURDERER KNAPP'S AWFUL STATEMENT

He Confesses to Killing Five Women—Two Wives.

IS A PRONOUNCED DEGENERATE

There Is Danger of a Lynching and Authorities Have Taken Special Precaution.

Hamilton, O., Feb. 25.—Albert Knapp, who was arrested in Indianapolis and brought to this city on suspicion of having killed his wife, Elsie Goddard Knapp, last December, has confessed. When this became known there was talk of mob violence, and the authorities prepared to resist any attack on the city jail. There is quite a crowd about the jail, but the authorities think they will have no trouble tonight. Knapp admitted to Capt. Lehan that he kicked his wife to death, but says he does not know why he did it. He then came to town, hired a spring wagon, secured a wooden box and drove back home. He stuffed the body into the box. He then drove into the Miami River and dumped the box containing the body into the water, and then drove back to town. It is believed Knapp has other confessions to make.

Later—Five murders, the victims of which were all women, and two of them his wives, is the revolting record of Albert Knapp, given today in a sworn confession before Mayor Bosch.

Knapp, according to the police, is a degenerate of a pronounced type. The murder of his third wife, Annie Goddard Knapp, which led to his arrest at Indianapolis, was done for no apparent reason. Knapp's confession, which was sworn to before Mayor Bosch, is as follows:

"On Jan. 2, 1894, I killed Emma Littlejohn in the lumber yard in Cincinnati. On Aug. 1, 1894, I killed May Eckert in Walnut street, opposite the Y. M. C. A., in Cincinnati. On Aug. 7, 1894, I killed my wife, Jennie Connors Knapp, under a canal bridge in Cincinnati, and threw her into the canal. At Indianapolis, in July, 1895, I killed Ida Gebhard. On Dec. 22, 1895, I killed my wife, Annie Knapp, in Hamilton, and threw her into the river at Lindenwald. This is the truth. I make this statement by my own free will and not by the request of any officer or anyone else."

Knapp is now suspected of strangling three women at Evansville, Ind., and to have killed women elsewhere. He was in the Cincinnati house of refuge when he was arrested. He is now being held in the Hamilton jail. He is 27 years old, and never before has been discovered almost hourly. After his confession Knapp admitted that he had repeatedly assaulted women. Among other things he said: "I met the Littlejohn child in the lumber yard, and choked her to death when she made an outcry. I cannot tell what made me kill these people. I could not help it. Some kind of a desire to kill took hold of me, and I could not resist the temptation to kill. I am sorry for my crimes."

A formal charge of murder in the first degree has been filed.

ANOTHER BIG RAILWAY DEAL

Morden and Northwestern Line Goes to Canadian Northern.

WILL TAP NEW GRAIN FIELDS

The Company Will Also Establish a North Atlantic Steamship Service.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—A special issue of the Canadian Gazette announces that the Canadian Northern has acquired the charter of the Morden and Northwestern, a line projected from Winnipeg to Morden and thence northwesterly across Manitoba to the western boundary of the province. The charter covers several other proposed branch lines, and although in several cases the charter parallels the Mackenzie & Mann roads there are immense districts for which the Morden and Northwestern charter is the only one at present secured. By the amalgamation of the two interests the Canadian Northern will have a new branch line to proceed with their projected lines in various fine districts of Manitoba.

The Canadian Northern will also have some vessels on the Atlantic service this season. Wm. Mackenzie, who is in Britain, will, with Mr. Peterson, of the Turret fleet, make the necessary arrangements for the Atlantic service. It may not be possible to have all completed for this season, but some of the vessels will assuredly

Colds Thrive in This Weather

What Will Be the Result?—You Can Decide This Matter by Using

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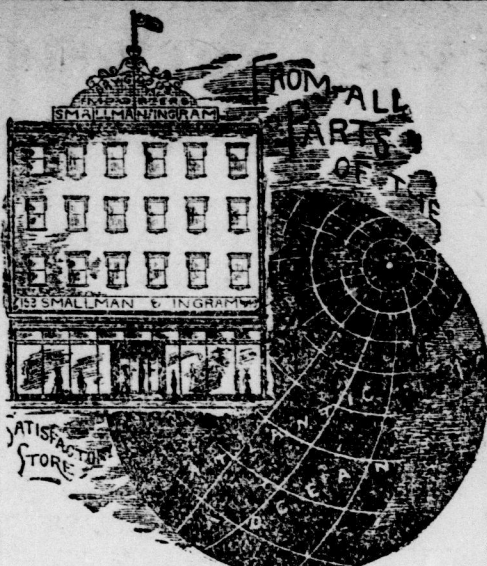
When you come to think of the many colds which have their beginning in this changeable weather, and which are bound to end in pneumonia, consumption or some deadly lung trouble, the matter of neglecting a cough or cold becomes a rather serious matter. From a cold in the head the trouble works its way to the throat, along the bronchial tubes, and finally into the lungs. Soreness and irritation of the throat, chest pains and soreness, breathlessness, what we call a bad cough, and each and every form of coughs and colds are readily and thoroughly cured by Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

Mrs. J. W. Lloyd, Albion street, Belleville, Ont., writes: "In the beginning of last winter I took a very severe cold, which was followed by a bad cough, and was almost laid up for a time. I tried several remedies, but with indifferent results. On the advice of a friend I got a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and found that it relieved the cough at once. By the time I had taken the one bottle my cold was gone, and I was able to get about. It cured me of a splendid remedy for coughs and colds."

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is so far-reaching in its effect on the system that it cures when ordinary cough mixtures have no effect whatever; 25 cents a bottle, family size (three times as much), 60 cents. Sold everywhere, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Quebec Forests and Fisheries.

Quebec, Feb. 27.—The total revenue of the Provincial Department of Crown Lands, Mines and Forestry, which is under the immediate control of Mr. Parent, amounted for the past year to the splendid sum of \$1,291,114. Of this total the largest amount, \$1,055,037, came of course from the forestry branch, which constitutes our chief provincial asset. In the fisheries and game branch an increase is shown, the total being \$75,904.31, of which \$45,763.49 were from lease of fishing rights in our lakes and from other inland waters. The balance of \$30,140.82 was from hunting rights and permits.



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Large range of Embroidery Beadings, in cambrie, nainsook and muslin, at lowest prices.
Wide Embroideries, for making corset covers, in dainty patterns and designs—some have the beading insertions. Special at, per yard, 30c, 40c and 45c
Allover Embroidery, in cambrie and muslin, neat patterns, in stripes and all-over effects, from, per yard \$1.00
Fancy Swiss Allover, for fronts and blouse waists, handsome designs in stripes, heading effects and some with Valenciennes insertion and hemstitched tucks. Special values at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$6.00
LACES—A large and pretty assortment of Valenciennes Laces and Insertions, wide and narrow widths, from, per dozen 15c
Wide and Narrow Valenciennes Lace, with insertions to match, in bow-knot and floral designs, for trimming ladies' and children's wear; washes and wears splendidly. Prices start at per yard 5c

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BAD BLOOD.

Miss Mary M. Allan, Acton, Ont., says:— "I have nearly a year been troubled with pimples on my face. I tried several remedies but none of them seemed to help me until I saw Burdock Blood Bitters. I think it is a great remedy for bad blood, and take pleasure in telling you that it did me more good than all the other remedies I tried."

DYSPEPSIA.

Miss Alberta Murray, Campbellton, N.B., says:— "For five years I was troubled with dyspepsia, and whenever I ate anything I suffered untold agony. My parents got numerous medicines for me but they did me no good. I saw Burdock Blood Bitters advertised and something seemed to say, 'get a bottle.' I did so, and to my surprise before I finished the bottle I found relief. I had all told bottles, and have had no return of the trouble."

HEADACHES.

Mrs. Peter Dondrean, Glen Louis, N.B., says:— "It is with pleasure and gratitude that I can testify to the wonderful power of Burdock Blood Bitters. My daughter was so very B.B.B. for her, and after using two bottles she was like another being. I can never praise it enough. It is a God send to all."

CONSTIPATION.

Miss Nellie Huggan, Merigonish, N.S., says:— "I was troubled with constipation for a year and tried different medicines. No they did me no good. I then took Burdock Blood Bitters and it cured me so that I have not been troubled since."

WESTERN POINTS OF THE PROVINCE

Interesting Yearly Report of Cheese Factories.

FARMERS STOCK PASTOR'S BARN

A Downie Man Sells His Clydesdale Stallion for \$700—Dates of Institute Meetings.

The annual meeting of the South Perth Reform Association will be held in St. Mary's on Wednesday, March 4.

The Sarnia Observer says it is understood that Mr. John B. Watson has been appointed to a position in the customs offices there.

The Morris planing mill, on Cambria road, Goderich, has been sold at auction for \$100, the purchasers being Messrs. Buchanan & Lawson.

Rev. J. F. Barker, formerly of Milldale, and for some time pastor of the Anglican Baptist Church, is very seriously ill in Chicago.

The death is announced at Port Huron of Mr. E. S. Harrington, a former resident of Ingersoll. Deceased was an uncle of Mr. W. O. Smith, of Ingersoll.

The new Presbyterian Church at Granby will be opened on Sunday, March 15. It is a beautiful edifice, and adds greatly to the appearance of the village.

Edward Brown, of the Lake Shore, has sold his 50-acre farm to J. Shaw, of Thamesville, the price received being \$1,000. Mr. Shaw takes possession at once.

Dr. W. D. Newell, formerly of Wyoming, has removed to Sarnia, and taken over the practice of the late Dr. Fraser. Dr. Newell has been practicing in Lambton for over sixteen years.

Another case of smallpox developed at the Arlington Hotel, Koogetown, being the youngest child of Arthur Ward, proprietor of the hotel. The child was moved to the isolation hospital.

Mr. William Ray, of Downie, has sold his fine Canadian-bred Clydesdale stallion to a gentleman in South Dakota. The animal was 2-year-old, and weighed 1,500 pounds. The price paid is understood to be \$100.

The Northwest Transportation Company, of Sarnia, has made a change in its schedule of sailings for the coming season, whereby more frequent service will be given between Sarnia and Port Arthur and Port William.

Mrs. Buller, one of the oldest residents of Howland, Feb. 24 at her late residence, Thamesville, died, aged 95 years. Mrs. Buller was the widow of John Buller, who died in 1880. She was born in Yorkshire, England, about 50 years ago.

Mr. Thomas McLaren, son of Mrs. McLaren, St. Mary's, died suddenly at Winnipeg on Tuesday morning, aged 23 years. He was on his way to St. Mary's from Hamilton, Mass., where he had been living for some time, but was taken with a hemorrhage while visiting his sister, Mrs. Fogg, at Winnipeg, and died a few hours later.

Special meetings of the West Huron Farmers' Institute are announced as follows: Goderich, Tuesday, March 4, at 1:30 p.m.; at the court house, Kintail, Wednesday, March 5, at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.; at Young's Hall, Carleton Place, Thursday, March 6, at 7:30 p.m.

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McLean's Old Stand.

Such acts of esteem and appreciation have been of yearly occurrence during his pastorate.

Mrs. S. Rooney passed quietly away at the home of Mr. J. C. Course, Brunswick street, Stratford, on Monday night, at the advanced age of 96 years. Deceased came to this country from Ireland when still a young woman, and took up her residence in Stratford, where she remained until her death. She was a staunch Methodist, being one of the pioneers of that church in the city. Two daughters survive.

Robert Timms, a prominent real estate owner of Windsor, has been notified that he is entitled to participate in the division of the "Tymses estate," in England, which is being wound up after 65 years' litigation. The property was granted to an ancestor of the Windsor man under a warrant issued by Henry VIII, which also included the title of baron to the grantee.

Major Fred Snider, of Hamilton, was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Lemon, widow of the late William Lemon, of Forest, Lambton County, in All Saints' Church, Hamilton, on Tuesday, by Rev. Canon Forrester. The bride's maiden name was Helen G. Lemon, and Miss Violet Lemon, Thorold. William Lemon was best man.

At the annual meeting of the Devizes cheese factory, the following board of directors were elected: Fred Fitzgerald, president; Charles Hardie, vice-president; George Mardlin, Robert Dunn, additional directors, and Fred Blythe, secretary. They have engaged Mr. A. Anderson, of Sarnia, as agent for the prospects are for a large season's make. The milk routes are to be let in the near future.

St. Mary's Creamery Company have issued the following report for January: Total milk received, 381,720 pounds; total butter manufactured, 17,571 pounds. It required 21.5 pounds of milk to make one pound of butter; the butter (17,571 pounds) sold at 22.5 cents per pound net price; net price per pound of butter paid the patrons (after deducting marketing, at 3 1/2 cents per pound), 19.15 cents.

Rev. William Stout, of Kirkton, has been generously remembered by his parishioners of Kirkton and Hiddulph. Some weeks ago he was presented with a purse of money, and last week a load of 70 bushels of oats were delivered at the rectory barn, with other useful gifts.

All over the District of Columbia are scores of types of volcanic action and all show traces of electrical energy. Wisconsin is first in lumber and timber products, and Minnesota leads in flouring and grist mills.

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JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

CALDER.

Calder, Feb. 26.—On Wednesday evening a meeting of our young people surprised Mr. Hugh Stalker at his home, and presented him with a handsome set of gold-mounted harness.

The oyster supper to be held at Mr. John Johnston's on Saturday evening on behalf of the old-time choir is expected to be a grand success.

Miss Minnie Johnston has returned home after visiting friends in Stratroy.

Mr. H. Johnston has lost some valuable lambs, one of which he subsequently found.

MELBOURNE.

Melbourne, Feb. 26.—Quite a number of the Melbourne young people attended the carnival at the Princess Rink in Mount Brydges on Tuesday evening. Of the five prizes given, two were carried off by the Melbourneans, Melvin Webb as Little Lord Fauntleroy securing the prize for the best boy skater under 12, while Miss Alma Noseworthy as Gypsy Queen and Karl Sporenburg as Spanish Prince were awarded the prize for the best couple skating in costume. Those from Melbourne who were in costume were: Miss Alma Noseworthy, Gypsy Queen; Miss Cecile Sporenburg, Night; Miss Maggie Coulter, Spanish Girl; Karl Sporenburg, Spanish Prince; Melvin Webb, Little Lord Fauntleroy; Bruce Wellman, Court Jester. Melbourne young people most certainly deserve to have a rink of their own after such creditable skating.

Mrs. S. Acton and Miss Annie Acton are visiting in Alvinston.

Mr. J. Lamont, of Elmira, is spending a few days with his father, Mr. D. Lamont.

Mr. Sam Acton is at present in Inwood taking the place, on the section, of Mr. R. Trowhill, who is ill. Miss Eva Cooper, entertained about 24 of her young friends on Tuesday evening.

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NOT SEEKING TROUBLE

Denial That Germany Is After American Territory.

Berlin, Feb. 27.—A thorough canvass of commercial opinion has developed a characteristic and universal disinclination to comment in any way upon the Kaiser's policy in South America. The heads of commercial firms interested in the South American trade did not hesitate, however, to express their views. The gist of all opinions is that it is ridiculous to suppose that Germany has political designs, especially the acquisition of territory, in the American continent, if for only two reasons—namely, the distance and the lack of money and ships with which to prosecute the war, which inevitably would result.

At the same time, if German interests in Germany are threatened, Germany will use every means at her disposal, including force, to defend and protect them.

Letters to the Editor.

A QUESTION FOR THE TRUST.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: Will the hospital trust tell the public why it has not raised any row about the untimely resignation of Dr. Knox Niven at Victoria Hospital? When Dr. McLaughlin and Dr. Fleming found it was made too uncomfortable for them to remain on the Victoria Hospital staff and resigned, Mayor Beck and Mr. Waterman dismissed them instead of accepting their resignations, and branded their action as outrageous, and went outside of the Western students to appoint Dr. Niven; and now in the middle of the term, when it suits the latter's purpose, he resigns and there isn't a whisper from the trustees. In fact, they put him on the back and give him a testimonial, and all the rest of it. Yet the hospital trustees expect the people to believe that the hospital isn't run in the interest of a medical clinic. Yours truly, EX-STUDENT.

A new method of making alcohol by synthesis from acetylene has so alarmed the Society of Agriculture of the north of France that they have demanded that a high tariff be placed on the carburets which must be imported to make acetylene.

WILL NOT REQUIRE AS MUCH MONEY THIS YEAR

Board of Works Asks for Less Than \$41,000.

Contracts for the Season's Work Are Awarded.

Old Greenhouse in Victoria Park To Be Torn Down—Petitions Against Numerous Pavements.

If the board of works is given all the money it requires for the bettering of London's streets this year, and lives within its appropriation, it will spend less than it did in 1902. Last year the amount set apart to the credit of the board was \$48,663 58. The board met last night and decided to ask the council for \$40,333 92, or nearly \$2,300 less. Little time was wasted in coming to a conclusion in this matter. The engineer had carefully considered the needs of the city—that is, the work that was absolutely necessary—and showed the committee in a tabulated statement just what he thought would carry the department through. The average ratepayer will have no kick coming on the reduction, although he may be of the opinion that a still smaller amount might have sufficed. There is an increase of \$3,500 in the estimate for the streets, but this is due to the scarcity of funds last year, and the consequent skimping of work on the thoroughfares. An estimate of \$1,000 was placed for the bridges, and the engineer had this trebled, as there is a possibility that Victoria Park and York street bridges will need refooring. An item of \$3,500 for culverts was struck out, as the committee may require \$5,000 for the work, and a number of the bridges over the Carling Creek being in a dangerous state. Instead of placing the sum of \$5,000 in the estimates, the board will ask debentures for streets \$20,000, culverts \$10,000, east end hall \$65, city hall \$1,700, exhibition buildings \$700, city parks \$2,000, city parks (for 250 seats) \$1,250, bridges \$3,000, sewerage \$1,000, city gentry office \$300, militia camp \$195, pounds \$25, storage buildings \$600, West London breakwater \$1,250, bacteria beds \$1,000—a total of \$48,663 58. Last year the committee had a lot of extraordinary expenditure, including the city hall alterations, \$1,795; alterations to the police station \$1,115 and repairs to the county jail \$1,073.

TENDERS WERE HIGHER.

The tenders for the year were opened and the contracts awarded. Some of the prices almost staggered the engineer, who remarked that the city was getting soaked and that the tenders of the contractors. At the meeting of No. 3 committee on Wednesday night the same state of affairs was found to exist. Figures generally being in advance of those of last year. For the advance on the tenders for nine sections of street watering alone amounting to over \$600. For gravel of all kinds the committee will have to pay higher, the advance being considerable, but on one of the main items of expenditure, the concrete walks, there is a drop of half a cent a foot. The figures for the cement curbs and gutters are also lower than two years ago, no tenders having been received last year for that class of work.

There were three tenders for the concrete walks, the Silica-Baryte Company, the Forest City Paving Company and Taylor & Anthistle giving the figures. The contract for the whole city went to the first named at 94 cents a foot. The tenders were for the work by wards, for the sections north of Dundas street, and for the whole city. The Silica-Baryte Company was lower than the Forest City Company, the latter being 10 cents a foot, and about 1 cent a foot more for the work in wards. Taylor & Anthistle tendered only for the section north of Dundas street at 94 cents a foot. The prices of the Silica-Baryte Company for the wards were: Ward 1, 94 cents; ward 2, 94 cents; ward 3, 94 cents; ward 4, 94 cents.

WILL BE DONE OLD WAY.

The engineer not long since conceived the idea that the annual spring cleaning of the streets could be done more cheaply by contract than by the corporation laborers, but when the tender—only one was submitted—was opened last night, he found that he was mistaken. The price asked was \$500, which was so far in excess of the cost under the old system that it was agreed to follow the latter again.

Mr. Graydon also wants the cleaning of the asphalt pavement done in a different way to heretofore. He wants the men employed to empty the scrapers into cans, to be carried on push-carts, as it is collected, and thus avoid having it laying on the side of the streets, only to be carried about by the wind. The city is to supply the carts, while the contractors will furnish the "white-wings" uniform. The contract was awarded to W. H. Dingle at \$1,000 or \$200 in advance of last year.

The only other tender was George Webb, who had the contract in 1902. He wanted \$1,615 under the new system or \$1,800 under the old system.

No tenders were received for sweeping the pavements or delivering broken stone, and the board agreed to recommend that the pavement be discarded from the department be used for the purpose, and that if they were not satisfactory another team be secured.

LOWER HERE.

The Forest City Paving Company and the Silica-Baryte Company were the tenderers for cement curbs and gutters, and each received contracts. The tenders, which were below those of two years ago, were: Curbing, without gutters, Forest City Company, 16 cents a foot; combined curbing and 15-inch gutter, Forest City Company, 33 1/2 cents; combined curbing and 18-inch gutter, Silica-Baryte, 37 1/2 cents; combined curbing and 24-inch gutter, 40 cents a foot.

The pit gravel for the first, second and fourth wards will be supplied by Alexander & Ross, for the third ward by Cotton & Moore. The latter will also supply the river gravel for the second, third and fourth wards. No tender was received for the work. The stone at the rate of \$1 05 a ton, which is about equal to \$6 a cord. With the additional dollar for the hauling the stone will cost the city in the neighborhood of \$7 a cord.

The contract for the lumber was given the Dymond-Baker Company at \$22 30 per thousand.

TEAR DOWN GREENHOUSE.

The greenhouse at Victoria Park is to be torn down. Possibly the only person who will lament the fact is Ranger Grant, who during many winters has whiled away his time in the old building caring for the plants that he has collected.

He has been so pleased to the eye of every park visitor. The greenhouse has involved an expense which was not justified, and when Mr. Grant asked that it be replaced by a more modern structure the committee, on motion of Ald. Abram, decided to have it pulled down. There was no opposition to the plan, and the work of gravel screenings for footpaths and roads, besides the painting of the five fountains and the repainting and painting of the boulevards.

PETITIONED AGAINST PAVEMENTS.

Assessment Commissioner Grant reported that petitions against the following pavements, initiated by the engineer, were sufficiently signed: William Ellis, Tabbot street, from the Grand Trunk tracks to Simcoe street; Thompson's coffee house, avenue, from Richmond to Wellington streets; and George M. Anderson, Wellington street, from Central avenue to Pall Mall street. The pavements will not be laid.

The petition of William Rose, for a cement walk on the west side of William street, between Grey and Hill streets, was reported sufficiently signed.

Ten petitions against cement walks, reported sufficiently signed, were referred to the engineer, to report on the condition of existing walks.

Engineer Graydon notified the committee that the contract for the cement floors in the jail corridors had been awarded to the Silica-Baryte Company. His estimate of the work was \$115. The contract price was \$110 35. The pay sheet amounted to \$110 35. All the members were present.

studded with diamonds last Sunday, and Genevieve Day is displaying a beautiful opal set in diamonds that came from Tiffany's but a few days ago. Even the Mayor, Mr. G. Davidson, and the treasurer, Al Morgan, are among his beneficiaries.

From the stars to the most humble member of the choir, "The Commendador" has presented gifts of jewels and fine clothing. He says he is playing no favorites and his gifts are given to both men and women alike.

There is only one thing he dislikes about the show business, and that is the "Johnnies." He has made it his business to "shoot" this class away from the theaters.

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The Bye-Elections.

The return of Hon. E. J. Davis in North York, by double the majority he received in May, is a crushing rebuke to political fakism. His opponent, T. Herbert Lennox, made a burlesque campaign, apparently with the sole idea of exploiting himself. His nose-play in swearing himself on the Scriptures disgusted intelligent people, and his attacks on the personal character of Mr. Davis alienated many Conservative voters, who know the Minister of Crown Lands too well to believe that he countenanced or practiced rascality to secure his previous election. The charges of gross corruption against Mr. Davis had no basis or we may be sure that they would have been pressed in the courts, in the hope of smirching a minister of the crown. Mr. Davis offered to resign his seat and pay a share of the legal expenses already incurred in the election petition rather than put both parties to the cost of a trial, amounting to thousands of dollars, and create the ill-feeling which would be caused by the proceedings in court. Lennox jumped at the offer, but Mr. Davis would probably have preferred to go on with the trial if he could have foreseen the malicious use Lennox would make of the agreement. The result yesterday is a sufficient answer to the calumnies that have been heaped on the minister. He has lived in North York all his life, and the people of the riding have taken his word before that of his opponent with his self-swearing outfit. This is likely the last that will be heard of Lennox and his circus methods. He succeeded only in making himself ridiculous.

In North Bruce, Mr. Clark, Conservative, has been re-elected by 52 majority. His majority in May was 5. Dr. Stewart, his opponent, pledged himself to support a prohibitory law, and clergymen and temperance workers took the platform in his behalf. Mr. Clark refused to pledge himself on the question. As Center Bruce went "yea" in the referendum by 1,600 majority, the inference from yesterday's vote is that a good many people in Center Bruce are Conservatives first and prohibitionists second. The temperance men missed a fine opportunity to strengthen their cause in the Legislature. Mr. Clark, the member-elect, is the editor of the Kincardine Review, and one of the best of the younger Canadian journalists.

A Telephone Fight.

The Bell Telephone Company are defendants and the Crown is prosecuting in an interesting case which is being tried at Whitevale, Ont. Last fall the farmers and business men in the vicinity of Markham, Whitevale, Green River, Greenwood, Pickering and Claremont, in the counties of York and Ontario, tried to interest the Bell Telephone in their district. The company asked \$35 per telephone per annum on long term leases, besides a bonus for the work, and an extra charge for messages to Toronto. The people would not pay these prices and organized the Markham and Pickering Co-operative Telephone Company. They constructed 32 miles of line between the points mentioned, and equipped some 24 telephone stations, at a cost of \$1,100. After paying out this amount they absolutely owned the system. The line was extended to the door of the Locust Hill station on the C. P. R., the nearest railroad point to the locality, but they were informed that no instrument could be put in the depot without the consent of the Bell Company. They discovered that the Bell had an exclusive contract with all Canadian roads. The Bell refused to permit the farmers' line to run into the station, although the Bell had no phone in the depot. The matter was taken up by the Toronto World, which secured a legal opinion that the exclusive contract was in violation of section 520 of the criminal code and was in restraint of trade. On this showing the farmers filed a complaint with the Whitevale magistrate, charging President Sise, of the Bell Company, with criminal conspiracy. They refused then the offer of the Bell to be permitted to run their line to the depot, asserting that the scope of the case had increased to take in all Canada. They refused to compromise unless the exclusive contract was surrendered.

The case opened yesterday and the Crown produced a copy of the contract between the Bell and the C. P. R. The Bell agrees to furnish all C. P. R. offices and stations with telephones, and had the exclusive right to do so. In return the railway company furnishes free transportation to the employees of the Bell. Each company is to grant the other facilities for carrying wires and lines over its poles, bridges and other premises. One witness, Dr. Fish, testified that the Bell Company threatened to take out his Bell telephone if he did not give up his co-operative phone. The co-processor of the co-operative line claimed that he had been intimidated by Bell agents. Alpheus Hoover, a miller, near Locust Hill, told of ineffectual efforts to get a co-operative telephone in the C. P. R. station, and said that if the contract could be abolished the whole rural district would be covered with co-operative telephones. The C. P. R. station agent said that

It was at the special request of the Bell Telephone Company that the co-operative telephone was not permitted to be placed in the station. A number of merchants and others testified to the great inconvenience caused them by lack of co-operative telephone connection with the C. P. R.

The German Agrarians.

The farmers in this country could take lessons in political organization from the German Agrarians. The latter held a convention in Berlin this month, attended by eight thousand delegates from all parts of the empire. The Agrarian League numbers 250,000 members, and employs fifty lecturers to drum up recruits and promote agitation in the country. The whole aim of the league is to keep up the duties on agricultural products. Germany has reached a stage in her development resembling that of England before the repeal of the corn laws. She has become a great manufacturing nation, and agriculture is declining in relative importance. The result is that she is obliged to import immense quantities of foodstuffs, and the tariff has so increased the cost of living that the working classes are constantly agitating against the agricultural duties. The Agrarians point to the heavy duties on manufactured imports, and claim to be equally entitled with other classes to protective privileges. The Agrarian League is now at open war with the Government, whose chief concern, according to the agrarians, is to secure foreign markets for German industry. The league denounces the new tariff legislation, and has precipitated a struggle which will probably end, as it ended in England, with the emancipation of industry and the abolition of the protective system. Count Posadowsky, the Minister of Agriculture, hinted at this when he told the league that "those occupations which had not enough vitality to preserve them could not be artificially maintained." In Canada the conditions are reversed. A farmers' organization would be interested in maintaining a low tariff, as this is a food-exporting, not a food-importing, country.

The Center Bruce prohibitionists threw cold water on their cause yesterday.

A higher critic has challenged the Kaiser's theology, and may be arrested for lese majesty.

The Canadian bullock has no reason to be loyal since he is put to death if he touches British soil.

T. Herbert Lennox swore himself on the Bible before the election, but may now feel like swearing without one.

The Sultan has been compelled to promise reforms in Macedonia, but it is beyond all the powers of Europe to reform the Sultan.

High Clark will strengthen the Whiteites without hurting the Government. The Premier has seven majority with North Renfrew to hear from.

Literary.

[Town and Country.]
Mistress—What in the world are you putting ashes on the floor for, Bridget?
Bridget—Shure, mum, an' didn't yez say to doost the parlor?

The Best They Had.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
While in one of the smaller cities of Ohio recently the writer came across a sign prominently displayed in the window of the main store of the town, which reads as follows:

PICKLED PIGS' FEET.
OUR OWN PUT UP.

—GEORGE S. JENKINS.

Sweet Belle Mahone.

Soon beyond the harbor bar
Shall my bark be sailing far;
O'er the world I wander lone—
Sweet Belle Mahone,
O'er thy grave I weep good-bye,
Hear, oh hear, my lonely cry;
Oh, without thee what am I—
Sweet Belle Mahone?

Chorus.

Sweet Belle Mahone!
Sweet Belle Mahone!
Come for me at heaven's gate,
Sweet Belle Mahone!

Lonely, like a withered tree,
What is all the world to me?
Life and light were all in thee,
Sweet Belle Mahone,
Daisies pale are growing o'er
All my heart can e'er adore;
Shall I meet thee nevermore—
Sweet Belle Mahone?

Beyond Endurance.

[Smart Set.]
The slender woman faced the burly burglar's revolver, without a tremor of terror, for, as is well known, the weakest are the bravest.
"Tell me where the money is hid," he hissed, most truculently, "or I'll fire!"
"Never!" she answered determinedly, and with a marked accent on the "r."
"Kill me, if you will, but I will never reveal the hiding place of my husband's hard-earned hoard! Villain, do your worst!"
"I will!" snarled the scoundrel, baffled for the moment, but not beaten.
"Tell me, instantly, or I'll drop you, tall me, woolly caterpillar down your neck!"
In three minutes more he had bagged

the hoodie, and was splitting the midnight darkness in a northeasterly direction.

So Easy.

[New York Herald.]
It is easy to understand that with this vast increase of wealth and development of resources without corresponding increase of population—it will be a summer's day task for enough Americans to move over the boundary line from our own great Northwest to capture the country—to take possession of it legally, both for citizenship and for annexation, as all good citizens have a right to do, and to make it part of the American Union, corralling the vast gold, copper and magnetic iron deposits, with all the fisheries, timber lands and invaluable wheat growing districts of Canada West.

The Southwestern Traction Company.

[Hamilton Times.]
The Southwestern Traction Company, which contemplates building a line of electric railway from this city to Glenora via London, with numerous branches in the west, seems to be on the eve of success in the matter of financing the scheme. The project is the most ambitious of all the electric railway undertakings of Canada, and it is said that English capitalists will back it.

The Wind.

[Westminster Gazette.]
The wind is tapping at my window pane. Off he has come and he will come again, Seeking to win an entrance, but in vain, Poor lonely wind!

Naught but the frozen earth around he sees, He shivers as he passes through the trees, Not long ago he was a balmy breeze, Poor changed wind!

If I were now to open my window wide, To let you in, what should I lose beside, The very warmth for which you long have sighed, Poor frozen wind!

So, if I seem your pleadings not to mind, And on your sorrow turn a glance that's blind, Remember, if I could, I would be kind, And help you, piteous wind!

FATAL FIRE IN LOWELL

A Business Block, Hotel and Office Building Destroyed.

A Newspaper Correspondent Amongst Those Killed.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 27.—One or more persons lost their lives in a fire in the Burbank block early today. The building was used for business, lodging-house and social purposes. The street floor contained stores, the second, third and fourth floors lodging rooms, and the top floor a dance hall.

There were 75 lodgers in the house when the fire broke out, but all apparently had escaped. When the ruins cooled off sufficiently to permit a search, the body of Mrs. Sarah P. Kittredge, local correspondent and agent for several periodicals, was found. Later it was reported that four other persons were missing, and a search of the ruins was continued. Several persons sustained burns and other injuries. The Beilveire Hotel, which stands next to the Burbank block, was threatened for a time, but a heavy fire-wall proved an effective barrier. The financial loss is estimated at \$125,000.

Killed His Child and Himself.

New York, Feb. 27.—During the absence of his wife yesterday, George F. Flexenberg, who has been acting strangely for some time, shot and killed his two-year-old son and then committed suicide by cutting his own throat.

The Ferguson council decided to purchase a set of scenery for the stage of the town hall, at a little less than \$100. They also passed a resolution to be forwarded to the Dominion Government, protesting against the Wellington Battalion being reduced from ten to eight companies.

Two more cases of smallpox have developed in Bayham Township. Two young girls, pupils of the Central school, were discovered to be suffering from this disease. Both houses are quarantined, and the Central and Richmond schools have been closed in consequence of the outbreak.

A Putnam correspondent writes: The annual report of the Burnside cheese and butter factory for 1922 shows: Total pounds of milk, 4,555,012; manufactured butter, 5,880 pounds; cheese, 270,555 pounds; yield, 2.11 and 19.45 average price, 21.39 cents and 10.39 cents; paid patrons, per 100 pounds milk, \$11.04 cents, and \$7.48 cents; total receipts, \$32,480.82; paid the patrons, \$35,355.37; for manufacturing, \$3,723.89. It was unanimously voted to pay for milk by the bank check test, as in the past year. George A. Boyes was re-elected sales manager. Wm. Uglow, secretary-treasurer. Wm. P. Dundas, auditor.

HALF SICK

Generally the expression is, "I don't feel half well," though sometimes people say, "I feel half sick." But there is no such thing as being half sick. The man who says half sick is all sick. As a rule, the cause of the weak, tired, half sick feeling is disease of the stomach, resulting in loss of nutrition and consequently in physical weakness.

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores strength by enabling the perfect digestion and assimilation of food. It makes half sick people all well.

"I suffered for four years with pain in my stomach, so that at times I couldn't work at all," writes Mr. Frank Smith, of Col. "I wrote to you about my sickness, and was told to use your medicine, which I did with good results. I only used four bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and must say that I am entirely cured and am now in the best of health. I highly recommend your medicine to any sufferer."

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THE NUMBER GROWS

Two More Parties Are Interested in Musicians' Actions.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, Feb. 27.—The court today granted an order adding Joseph Weber and the American Federation of Musicians, of which he is president, as defendants in Crosswell's suit against the London Musicians; also granted a commission to clinchmate to examine Weber in connection with the canceling of the charter of the London branch of the federation. Weber and the federation are now parties in the three actions.

ABUSING THE TREES

New York the Greatest Offender in the Country, Says Mrs. Britton.

"In proportion to her population, New York has fewer trees than any city in the world, and those she has abuse worse than any city in the world," said Mrs. Elizabeth Britton, of the Botanical Garden, while speaking at the Normal College.

One of the most important abuses which she pointed out was that of placing guy ropes with scarcely any protection, about the trunks of shade trees. This offense is of frequent occurrence in large buildings, and the subway are being constructed. "The living portion of a tree is on the outside, just between the bark and the wood," said Mrs. Britton, "and so, if guy ropes must be attached to the trees, or stumps placed there, nothing short of thick boards or semi-cylinders of iron should protect them, and take all the strain of this living part of the tree."

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"Even if your pupils are from the crowded parts of the East Side, where there are children who have never seen a tree," said she, "still you may teach of trees. Read to them, there are poems about trees; show them pictures of trees, and have some twigs which may come to bud the school room a reminder that though you are handling children in Rivington street, yet you are training American citizens who may become property owners."

"Dr. Andrew W. Edson, of the course of study in the department of superintendents, said the other day that he was anxious to have emphasis laid on trees and the care of trees by teachers in the public schools."

The aquarium and botanical garden by right belong to the teachers, but the board of education has never put them to use. The teachers will in time be called upon to do better work in science, and when the demand comes there is no doubt they will meet it as they met the demand for manual training."—New York Tribune.

Strike Commission Progress.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The anthracite coal strike commission is making considerable progress in its labors. It has carefully gone over practically all the important points involved, and a tentative agreement has been reached on some of them. No statement has been made as to when the actual framing of the report will begin, but it is expected the final conclusions to be embodied in the report will be definitely shaped very shortly.

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Via Chicago and Northwestern Railway, every day, from Feb. 15 to April 30. Colonist, on way second-class tickets at extremely low rates from stations in Ontario and Quebec to points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and California, also to Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nelson, Rossland, etc. Full particulars, rates and folders can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont.

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By Way of Comment.

In Canada, during the last ten years, interest in the trotter has enjoyed a steady and healthy growth. As a natural result of being peopled largely by citizens of English blood, Canada has always been a good racing country, although until recent years the thoroughbred held almost undisputed sway in the affections of the people of that country. It was not in the nature of things, however, that natural horsemen could live so near the United States, the birthplace of the trotter, and not fall in love with that horse, and in Canada today may be found, not only many enthusiastic admirers of the American trotter, but several successful breeders and not a few skillful reinsmen, both professional and amateur. Cresceus' recent appearance at Ottawa drew a large crowd to the ice rinks in that city, and the fact that his Excellency Lord Minto displayed so much interest in the horse and his performance will doubtless assist in enlarging the ranks of those who are now supporters of harness racing in the Dominion. A large number of meritorious sires, including Lord of the Manor, are now owned in Canada, and while several high-class trotters and pacers have been bred there, horsemen are of the belief that the part which that country is to take in the production of harness racers is just in its beginning, comparatively speaking, and that in the future some of the greatest campaigners will come from the Dominion.

HOCKEY.

(Special to The Advertiser.)
SEVENTH WON GAME AND CUP.

Waterloo, Feb. 27.—The Carling Cup will stay with the city of its inception during the year 1903, and the Seventh Regiment O. H. A. team, of London, will find solace in the fact that although they failed to go very far in official games, they won a much-coveted trophy, and defeated a team with an excellent reputation. While Waterloo shut out the Seventh Regiment team on Tuesday night, the latter gave a repetition of that process of playing hockey by which at the final game they failed to score, while Waterloo could get none. This is the first time in Waterloo's history that they have failed to score on their own ice, so that the style of hockey which the visitors played can be easily judged.

The score on Tuesday night was 2 to 0 in Waterloo's favor, and the last game gave the Seventh two goals to the good. Waterloo's citizens were surprised at the result, as they had concluded from the first game that the home team was the better, and would have no trouble in winning the cup. When the Seventh won, however, many were of the opinion that the Londoners were the better team, and that it was unfamiliarity with their surroundings that caused them to lose the first match.

The victors came on the ice looking fresh and strong, and when the two centers banged their sticks together one of the fastest and keenest tests ever seen on local ice took place. It was a long, hard struggle from the start, each team being determined to win. And yet the game was clean, and it was scientific hockey that counted. The Waterloo spectators showed their good judgment by refraining from jeering derisively at the visitors, and in fact the London men were often heartily cheered when they made fast rushes or brilliant plays. There were many of the latter and much hard checking and close shooting. The Seventh were able to use the slight advantage in weight owing to the rather heavy ice, but had the ice been in the best of condition the score could have been very slightly altered.

After eight minutes' play West, of the visitors, shot from close on goal and scored. Eight minutes appeared to be the stipulated period, for when that space of time had again elapsed its closing had been marked by the scoring of another goal by Lawlor. When the next face-off came the Seventh got the puck, and Taylor, with surprising brilliancy, shot at the home goalkeeper. This was redemption, and it inspired the visitors to do such work that they not only prevented Waterloo from scoring at all, but increased their own score. The two goal posts might as well have been boarded across as to have Leddy between them. He simply refused to let anything pass him. The thought of being shut out was harrowing to Waterloo, and in vain they desperately tried to score or prevent their opponents scoring. But the Seventh were too much for them, and after playing one of the hardest games of their lives the home team left the ice defeated.

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THE 'FRISCO MEET.

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Second race, 3½ furlongs—Grigill, 25 to 1; Pachuca, 4 to 1; 2; Young Pepper, 8 to 5; 3. Time, 1:22½.
Third race, 6 furlongs, selling—Impetuous, 7 to 2; 1; Tommy Knight, 8 to 1; 2; Annie Mac, even, 3. Time, 1:15½.
Fourth race, mile, selling—Clausius, 8 to 1; Judge Voorhes, 6 to 1; 2; Frank Bullock, 5 to 1; 3. Time, 1:42½.
Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Alado, 15 to 1; 1; Expedient, 50 to 1; 2; Light Ball, 50 to 1; 3. Time, 1:49½.
Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Ben McDhul, 1 to 2; 1; Dunblane, 8 to 1; 2; Harry Thatcher, 50 to 1; 3. Time, 1:41¾.

THE LOUISIANA MEET.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—Allyar, Jove and Delagoo were the winning favorites today. Dunnell & Herz claimed Ben Mora for \$1,415, and bought Fading Light for \$1,400. Inspector Shea was claimed by Daniel Bros. for \$1,125. The weather was rainy.

First race, selling, 1 mile—Lucast Blossom, 99 (Gannon), 4 to 1; 1; Charles D., 105 (Robertson), 9 to 5; 2; Whitmore, 101 (Odis), 15 to 1; 3. Time, 1:55.
Second race, 5 furlongs—Allyar, 136 (J. Winkfield), 9 to 5; 1; Ben Mora, 111 (J. Rooker), 4 to 1; 2; Alpaca, 111 (McCafferty), 6 to 1; 3. Time, 1:16.
Third race, 6 furlongs—Jove, 107 (Gannon), 2 to 1; 1; Barkmore, 107 (Fuller), 8 to 1; 2; Orpheum, 112 (Winkfield), 15 to 1; 3. Time, 1:22 1-5.
Fourth race, 1 mile—Dunnell & Herz, Sweet Alice, 92 (Dart), 8 to 1; 1; Jessie Jarboe, 100 (Haack), 9 to 5; 2; Ben Chance, 98 (Munro), 5 to 2; 3. Time, 1:44.
Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Delagoo, 92 (Robbins), 8 to 5; 1; Frank Rice, 98 (Gannon), 30 to 1; 2; Alubula, 113 (Lindsey), 3 to 1; 3. Time, 1:15 4-5.
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STAKES CLOSE ON MONDAY.

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RECENT PATENTS OF INTEREST TO HORSEMEN.

717,349, starting gate, Phillip McGinnis, London, Canada.
716,925, rein-support, William S. Neal, Brewton, Ala.
717,450, float-valve for drinking troughs, Ephraim C. Prowant, Bellaire, Kan.

NEW TRACK FOR LINDSAY.

Lindsay, Ont., will have a new half-mile track next summer, and a fair ground which will do credit to the bustling little town. Mr. W. H. Simpson, one of the prime movers in the new enterprise, is a wealthy gentleman who campaigns a few horses for pleasure. His racing mare, Lilliputian, owned by Gov. Johnson, a son of Lumps, is as handsome as a picture and can step in 2:20. Mr. George W. Curtiss, of Lindsay, an artist in the sulky, has a fast pacer in Minnie Kyswick, and other gentlemen about town are taking quite an interest in the trotting and breeding industry for a pastime.

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GOOD FIGHT TONIGHT.

Con McVey, the veteran trainer and handler of boxers, who is at Mount Clemens, will assist Kelly in handling Tokell at Detroit on Friday evening. More general interest is felt in this bout than in any previously held in that city. Harry Forbes arrived at Detroit yesterday, accompanied by Billy Rotchford and Fred Whittingham, his sparring partners, and John Hertz, his manager. Forbes is still a little above the scale, but in great form. He will probably do little work other than that done for the purpose of reducing to the 116 pounds called for in the articles. This Forbes expects to make without difficulty. According to Chicago reports, there is a slight lack of confidence among Forbes' adherents, due partially to the fact of the recent coast experience and partly to the mystery surrounding Tokell. The latter feels correspondingly hopeful. He is right at the weight, and Jimmy Kelly, his manager, is devoting most of his time to keeping him down to it, without reducing more than a few ounces under. Tokell is hard as nails, and if he loses will do so simply because he does not class with Forbes.

WEINIG OUTCLASSED.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 26.—Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, and Alf Weinig, of Buffalo, were to have fought six rounds at the Broadway A. C. tonight. During the fourth round the referee stopped the bout, declaring that Weinig was completely outclassed, and that he could not permit his further punishment.

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BOWLING.

LONDON AT ST. THOMAS.

Local bowlers from the Y. M. C. A. played in St. Thomas Wednesday evening. The games were close and interesting. Scores:

St. Thomas.	London.
Newton.....132	114
Herron.....147	116
Alway.....127	97
Burkholder.....142	99
Wheeler.....118	97
Totals.....566	594

A return match will be played on March 4.

YACHTING.

IS VERY NEARLY FINISHED.

New York, Feb. 25.—The Shamrock III. is now nearly ready to put in the water. The Yachting World of Feb. 12 says that the work has progressed so satisfactorily that some of the interior work is all that has to be done to the yacht. When the Shamrock II. was built the work had to be rushed in order to have the yacht ready for the time set for launching. With the new challenger there is ample time to see that all the joints and rivets are properly set. The Yachting World says: "There has been no attempt to copy the Herreshoff system of longitudinal framing. The Shamrock III. is framed in the same style as the composite racing yachts of recent build. The only notable difference is in her timbers—if the word can be fairly applied to frames of angle steel—a noticeably larger than used in a first-class racer, and are spaced rather closer than usual.

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FOOTBALL.

ABOUT THE CANADIANS.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 27.—With a record of ten victories, thirteen defeats, and two draws in a series of twenty-five games against the best teams of the three kingdoms, the Canadian football team returned to Canada on the Royal Mail steamer Pretorian last night. All are in good spirits and good health, and glad to get home. They speak enthusiastically of the success of their tour from a football point of view, and their two months' jaunt through the British Isles will be one of the pleasant memories of their lives.

Financially the tour was not so successful, but that was largely due to the unexpectedly heavy expenses, as in many instances the team had to stay at better hotels than originally planned, while "tips" and other incidentals made a considerable demand on their exchequer.

Each member of the team contributed a stated amount at the outset and on the conclusion of the tour they received a small rebate, but not really enough to cover the expenses. However, all are well satisfied with the result of the trip.

Dr. Jack, of Montreal, manager of the team, speaking to the Herald correspondent, said that they were fairly overwhelmed with kindness and courtesies on the other side. The cordiality of their receptions everywhere could not have been surpassed.

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"The team, too, was badly crippled, owing to injuries to different members, and consequently there was a general shifting of positions. For instance, Jack played on every position on the team."

Speaking of the showing made by the Canadians, Dr. Jack said our fellows were better stayers, nearly always playing harder in the second half than their opponents did in the first half. They had every British team on the defensive in the second half.

All their victories were very gratifying, but their first, against the North of Ireland, which they won 11 to 8, was the most surprising of the tour, as all thought they would be defeated. The Paris game was not a scheduled game. This game had been arranged, but owing to protests from Canada, was canceled. The date, however, had to be filled, and a team was made up in London composed of some Canadians and Londoners, two of whom had never played football before.

As to styles of play in the several countries, Dr. Jack said that the Irishmen were fairly good in half and three-quarter play, but excelled in their forward line. The Scotchmen play almost altogether a forward game, and the passing of the back line was really wonderful. The English play a good, all-round game.

The Canadians cordially invited the Britishers to send a team to Canada, and although no definite arrangements were made, it is hoped that a team will come over.

The members of the team who returned were: Bauld, Britton, Craig, Dumoulin, Fenerty, Jack, McCure, McDonald, Ogilvie, Phillips and Randall.

Farrell, Gillespie, Marshall, Tait, Purvis, Darling, Powers and Schofield remained in the old country. Darling will return via New York and Marshall and Gillespie will return on the next mail steamer. Farrell has received a commission in the imperial army. Jack Powers, of Ottawa, is spending some time with relatives in Ireland. He has fully recovered from his injuries, but

will probably not again be seen in the strenuous battle on the gridiron. The footballers left on the C. P. R. this morning for Montreal and will reach there tomorrow at 8:35 a.m.

The Canadian football team were greatly impressed with the respect the English players show the referees. These officials are masters of the situation, and no player would dare impugn their honesty or ability. "Pussy" Darling, in commenting on this fact, suggested that Canadians follow this good example.

BASKETBALL.

ST. JOHN'S WON.

A fast game of basketball was played Wednesday night between the St. John's Juniors and the Western University, resulting in a score of 13 to 17 in favor of the St. John's Juniors. Snellgrove's sure shots and Bice's heavy checks kept the score close. The following was the line up:

University—Forwards, Snellgrove and Carlyle; center, N. Shore; defense, Bice and Snell.

St. John's Juniors—Forwards, Ward and Woolley; center, A. Crawford; defense, W. Craig and W. Fleming.

The St. John's Juniors are open for games with any other teams.

THE AUTO.

BROKE WORLD'S RECORD.

London, Feb. 26.—Hon. Stewart Rolls, the well-known automobilist, has broken the world's automobile record for a kilometer, covering the distance in 27 seconds. This result was accomplished at a private party given by the Duke of Portland today on his Welbeck Abbey estate.

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—Mr. and Mrs. George Mounsey, of Dysart, Iowa, are visiting relatives and friends in London for a few days.

—It is hoped that Rev. Dr. Soverby, who is ill at his home on Talbot street, will be able to conduct his services on Sunday next.

—Messrs. Fraser, McMillan & Co. have engaged Mr. W. J. Keyes, of Paisley, as traveler. He will take his first trip for them beginning next week, and will go through Manitoba and the Territories.

—The students of form III, D, who went out to London Junction Tuesday evening, and whose enjoyable time was mentioned in Wednesday's paper, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. Garrett, whose name was given incorrectly as Gorset, through a student's error.

CANN-DOWN NUPTIALS.

Mr. Lorne Down and Miss Frederen Cann, both of London, were married Wednesday evening at the home of the latter, the residence of Mr. William Down, Dundas street. The bride was attended by Miss Cora Cann, of Exeter, and the groom by Mr. John D. Hodgins, while the ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Salton, of West London. The wedding was a happy event in all its phases.

B. Y. P. U. RALLY.

The rally of the Baptist Young People's Union was held last evening in the Talbot Street Church, and was addressed by Rev. George T. Webb, of Toronto, of the International Union executive, and Rev. Walter Calley, of Chicago. The former spoke of "Young Christians' View-point on Opportunity and Obligation," while the latter's address was on "Encouraging Phases of the Young People's Movement." The attendance was not large. During the evening Miss Soverby rendered a solo in a pleasing manner. The chair was occupied by Mr. E. L. Brown.

Local Orange Lodge, No. 762, held its annual concert and supper last evening in Somerset Hall. Never was a better concert held in that building, and the hall was crowded with interested people. The chair was occupied by Mr. W. C. Coe, and the following took part in the evening's programme: Misses Sanborn and Long and Little Miss Marie Burrows and Messrs. E. Meyer, H. Meyer, F. Parker, H. Jeffrey and George Steere. Every number was enthusiastically received, and many of them were responded to with equal enthusiasm.

The concert was followed by a supper, which the audience enjoyed as much as they did the concert. The guests were well attended to by the members of the lodge, and a short toast list came after the supper. W. Bro. William Scarlett responded to the toast of "The King," and Bro. J. E. Showler, surgeon-major of the First Hussars, spoke to the toast of "The Army and Navy." The toast of "The Orange Order" was well replied to by Bro. E. T. Essery, deputy grand master of America, and Bro. P. Wright spoke in conclusion in behalf of "The Ladies."

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The spectacle of an alderman calling a ratepayer a liar and of the ratepayer daring the alderman "to come outside" and repeat the language, was witnessed at the regular weekly meeting of the board of aldermen last night.

Ala. Cooper was the civic dignitary who so far forgot himself as to indulge in such choice language, and Edward Boles, of Talbot street north, was the citizen who provoked it.

Mr. Boles is a ratepayer on Ann street, between Talbot and Richmond streets, and he came to the committee in the following manner: He laid a cement walk in that block, his reason being that the present board walk was good for a few years yet. He was backed up by a petition, but a report from the assessor had come in that the necessary signatures were not on the document to prevent the work being carried out, as intended.

Mr. Boles was not satisfied with the petition for the walk, and the substance of his argument was that the laying of the new walk would mean the destruction of the old one, and a hand in the discussion, and told Mr. Boles that if the present walk was in a dangerous condition and the new walk had been petitioned against, the committee had the power to lay a new plank walk and make the ratepayers pay the whole cost, which would be considerably in excess of their share.

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of the cost of a permanent walk. Even this did not satisfy Mr. Boles, who things that he (Boles) was the means of the board expending about \$500 last year to place a walk of a grade satisfactory to him, and yet he continued to grumble. And what was more he did not want Mr. Boles to be insulting to him, even though he had been on one or two previous occasions.

"But I know what you did," said Mr. Boles, with a toss of the head.

"And I know what we did," said Ala. Cooper, keeping to the question in dispute. "We did everything we possibly could to do to satisfy you."

Ald. Cooper says that Mr. Boles remarked that he (Cooper) went to Boston on the reputation to get bribed. Whatever was said met with the ready response, "You're a liar," from the alderman.

"Who is a liar?" asked Mr. Boles, who defied Ala. Cooper to come outside and repeat the words.

The mayor was in an adjoining room and when he heard the loud and unseemly talk he came in and told Ala. Cooper that as an alderman he had no right to call a man a liar.

Ald. Cooper was not to be quieted so easily, and he called the mayor that if Boles called him a thief he (Cooper) would call him such a name as he did.

"But you would not dare to say it outside," interrupted Mr. Boles, to which Ala. Cooper replied that he would.

"If you did," said Mr. Boles, "I would be into you in half a minute."

A few more brawny exchanges, and Mr. Boles withdrew, without having attained the object of his visit. Later he returned and asked for one of the petitions, but only received the satisfaction that both were now the property of the city and were to remain so. He was promised a copy of them and was to the city hall any time through the day.

Ald. Cooper told the committee that this was not the first time he had trouble with Mr. Boles, the latter having once to his store on one occasion and gave him no small amount of abuse.

FORMER LONDONER WEDS

Rev. W. H. Sallmon Married at Bridgeport, Conn.

Ceremony Was Performed by Yale's Former President.

The many London friends of Rev. W. H. Sallmon, M. A., formerly of this city, and now president of Carleton College at Northfield, Minn., will be interested in the following account of his marriage, which took place on Tuesday, Feb. 17, at Bridgeport, Conn., where the groom was formerly pastor of the Southern Congregational Church. The standard of that city says:

"Miss Alice Bussey Trube, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Trube, of this city, and the Rev. William Henry Sallmon, formerly pastor of the South Congregational Church, and now president of the Northfield College, at Northfield, Minn., were married at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the presence of a gathering of relatives and friends which filled the church.

The ceremony was a very attractive one, and the bridal party was large. There were seven bridesmaids, and a large number of guests.

"No attempt had been made at an elaborate display, either in the decorations or other arrangements, yet it is difficult to say that the ceremony was not a most attractive one. The bride was dressed in a simple, yet elegant, gown of white satin, and the groom in a dark suit.

The arrangement of the church, with the organ across the front, and the altar at the rear, lent itself readily to an artistic decoration, and the arrangement of the large bridal party in the space which had been made in front of the platform by the removal of the pews was most effective.

"The whole platform in front of the organ was hidden by a mass of greenery, dotted here and there with plants of white and pink blossoms. The central figures in the mass of green were half a dozen spreading cypress palms, which were placed so as to rise nearly six feet above the platform. From those a grand web of trailing streamers of Southern smilax, and throughout the whole bank were other palms, kentias, latanas, dracaenas, and others. The platform was a solid mass of various hues of green.

Along the edge of the platform were placed rows of small pots with vinca vines, which trailed over the front of the platform to the floor, completely hiding the whole front. A fringe was made also along the platform front with umbrellas plants and Boston ferns.

Two grand and well-strung streamers of green were pots bearing white azaleas, the solid masses of bloom showing vividly. Marguerites and daisies also in the background, and the effect of the azaleas, which were arches of wild smilax half way down the two center aisles. The decorations were by James E. Beach, the Park avenue florist.

The formation of the bridal party was the usual one. First marched two little nephews of the bride, Master Frederick Trube Davison and Master Henry Davison, both of this city, followed by the ushers, the Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, jun., Yale '96, secretary of the Yale corporation; Mr. George Bowen Case, of New York, Yale '94; Mr. Thomas Cochran, jun., of New York, Yale '94; Mr. L. B. Jones, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., Yale '94; Dr. Robert Nichols, of Orange, N. J., Yale '94; and Mr. Robert C. Seeley, of New York, Yale '94.

Following the ushers were the bridesmaids, six in number. They were Mrs. Henry Blodgett, of this city; Miss H. Agnes McKelvey, of this city; Miss Mary L. Davison, of New York; Miss Henrietta D. Pomeroy, of Troy, Pa.; Miss Ethel A. Hatch, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Miss Jeanne M. Hatch, of Philadelphia, Pa.

The matron of honor, who preceded the bride, was a sister of the bride, Mrs. Henry P. Davison, of New York. The bride was escorted by her father, who gave her away.

At the space before the platform where the ceremony was performed the bride party was met by the groom, his best man, Mr. William Sloane, of New York, Yale '95, and by the officiating clergyman, the Rev. Timothy Dwight, D.D., LL.D., former president of Yale University. The full Episcopal service was used. After the ceremony the party re-formed, returning to the church entrance, the opposite aisle to the one they came up, and the wedding march used was the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, and Mendelssohn's wedding march was used as a recessional. The organist was Mr. William Woods Chandler, of New Haven, also a Yale graduate and friend of the groom. A preliminary musical programme was played while the guests were assembling.

The bride was gown in white silk tulle trimmed with Duchesse lace. She carried a bouquet of bride roses. The matron of honor wore a gown of white parme crepe and carried a bouquet of bride roses. She wore a white maline hat trimmed with white plumes. The bridesmaids wore gowns of white China crepe trimmed with Irish point lace

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and wore white maline hats trimmed with white roses. They carried bouquets of bridesmaid roses. The pages wore blue velvet suits.

There was no reception after the ceremony. An informal supper will be