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THE WEATHER TODAY Milder.

Cold? Shivery? Get Into Warmer Underwear

Numbers of women must be experiencing that unpleasant, shivery feeling (often the forerunner of a severe cold)—the result of Jack Frost arriving at last and so generously prescribing large measures of zero weather—judging from brisker business in our Underwear Department.

People began to think there wouldn't be any real winter. Fooled. Got the genuine thing at last—and lots of it.

Special Values in Ladies' Drawers

WATSON'S UNSHRINKABLE. Half wool. Nice underwear..... **50c**
Heavy WHITE DRAWERS, fleece lined..... **50c**
Our regular 75c QUALITY. Nearly all wool. A sprinkling of cotton to prevent shrinkage. Sold all season at 75c. To clear at..... **55c**
WATSON'S UNSHRINKABLE. Largest part wool—some cotton. Heavy quality. Good and warm for wear during the cold weather..... **75c**
ZENITH BRAND. Unshrinkable. White or light gray. All sizes..... **75c**
Our regular 85c LINE. To clear..... **75c**
LADIES' BLACK OR GRAY HEAVY FLEECE BLOOMERS. Shaped saten yoke. Splendid for cold weather. Keep out the cold, and take the place of an extra undershirt or two. Each..... **85c**
LADIES' BLACK WOOL TIGHTS, ankle style..... **\$1.15**

You Should Buy Blankets Now

Because you'll need their warmth, comfort and protection for two months yet—in all likelihood the coldest part of the winter.

Because you'll secure exceptional values. We purchased our blankets at last year's prices, before the high market prices of wool made blanket advances imperative. There have been TWO advances since we purchased our stock.

Because blanket prices will be 10 to 15 per cent higher next season. In other words, our present \$5 values will be about \$5.50 to \$5.75, if you wait until next winter.

Because our blankets are high-class. Warm and comfortable. Clean and sanitary. Free from that disagreeable greasy odor prevalent among many kinds.

Mention a few lines.

See Our Special Union Wool Blankets. Contain a small percentage of cotton, which not only adds to their washing qualities but also to their durability. In these blankets the cotton thread is so cleverly woven in with the wool that it is hard to distinguish it. These are usually sold as all wool. **SPLendid BLANKETS FOR SERVICE THE YEAR ROUND.** The wool used is entirely free from oil, and is of the same stock as is used in the \$5 and \$6 blankets. Good size, 64x84.

Our special price..... **\$3.25**

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66x82, pair \$5.25 72x84, pair \$6 76x86, pair \$6.75

Ask to see our Special Bargains in Cotton and 'Down Comforters

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Wisdom is usually born of the conjunction of knowledge and pain. ONE TRIAL of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller will convince you that it has no equal as a worm medicine. Buy it and see if it does not please you. It is highly respectable to be a poet since the soap and pickle factories found a way to combine art with advertising.

We cannot laugh at jokes brought over from England because they are so far fetched. **Sore Throat and Coughs** A simple, effective and safe remedy for all throat irritations is found in **Cresolene Antiseptic Tablets** They combine the germicidal value of Cresolene with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice. **50c. All Druggists**

Fur Sale

Bear Came Out

And saw his shadow, at noon of February 2nd. So, according to tradition, there are six weeks of real wintry weather due us yet.

Why not buy your next winter's furs now?

You'll get the benefit of their warmth for the remainder of this winter.

You'll buy them at reduced prices. All our furs are included in the FUR SALE.

And next winter furs will be much higher. Extra profit if you buy now.

MINK IS FASHIONABLE Couldn't choose a richer or more luxurious appearing fur, or one more stylish. A few lines taken at random:

MINK MUFF. Round style. Trimmed with four tails. \$35 for..... **\$28.50**
MINK MUFF. Empire style \$50 for..... **\$40.00**
MINK RUFF. Fur on both sides. Trimmed with six tails and cord ornaments. Chain fastener. \$32 for..... **\$26.50**
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FUR COATS REDUCED Various Prices

Toboggan Caps

Sliding

Out more briskly. Cold weather brings the thoughtful mothers after these warm and cosy head protectors for the children. We have a good assortment at

25c, 40c and 50c

Cloth Coats

Reduced

You can buy a Coat for yourself and one for your daughter at what it would usually cost for yours alone—perhaps less—at our Coat Sale.

All imported Cloth Coats halved in prices. Like this:

Ladies' Coats \$15.00 Coats for..... **\$7.50**
\$12.50 Coats for..... **\$6.25**
\$10.00 Coats for..... **\$5.00**
\$ 8.50 Coats for..... **\$4.25**

Misses' Coats \$8.50 to \$12.50 for..... **Half**

Children's Coats \$4.00 to \$11.00 for..... **Half**

Can You Tell Lambkin From Kid?

Particularly do we desire to ask your attention to our **QUALITY BLANKETS.** These are made in three sizes, of nice, clean, all pure wool, superior in quality to the kind generally found in blankets at these prices. Each blanket comes singly, with ends neatly whipped, and in either pink or blue borders. They are full weight and very excellent values.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS.
GIVINS—On Feb. 2, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Givins, Evergreen avenue, a son.
ELOINT—On Sunday, Feb. 4, at 375 Lyon street, Ottawa, to Mr. and Mrs. William C. Blount, a daughter.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

BENNETT'S

BRACKEN'S PERFORMING BEARS, and other splendid Vaudeville acts. Every evening, 8:30. Matinee daily, 10 and 15 cents.

RESERVED SEATS NOW ON SALE FOR THE FAMOUS

SAM JONES IN THE EDITORIAL SATURDAY EVENING. Prices, 50c and 10c.

TWILIGHT ORGAN RECITAL

First Methodist Church, Saturday afternoon, next, at four o'clock.
Mr. Jordan will assist by Albert E. Greenawald, baritone. Admission, 10 cents.

ALLAN LINE

Scholar reported at Halifax, 8:30 a.m., today, Feb. 6. Sails, Halifax to Liverpool, Monday, Feb. 12. Quarters, 40c. Atlantic line, next new bank of

EMPEROR OF BRITAIN

of the Empire, sailings on application, F. B. Clarke, agent Canadian Atlantic line, Richmond street.

EMERALD PALACE DANCING

Academy—Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, 12 o'clock. Call or phone 174 Dayton & McClenahan.

ROLLER SKATING RINK

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Shadow and Sunlight

As she moves about, her beautiful eyes, beaming with happiness, the smile—the unforced smile of perfect felicity, on her lips—there are many who look at her and sigh, with regretful thoughts of their vanished youth.

"I don't wonder at Lord Lashwood's infatuation," says the Duchess of Albany, as, surrounded by a little court, she watches Madge moving to and fro. "She is certainly the most beautiful, the most 'taking' girl I have seen. No wonder she succeeded in running away with him."

"Pardon me," says Lady Carton, who sits near by, and is watching the brilliant young man with her eyes with a scrutiny. "He ran away with her."

"We have heard so many stories, my dear Lady Carton," she murmurs. "Let me tell you the last one," says the old lady, fanning herself carefully.

"He laid in wait outside the school-house gate, and carried her off in a carriage and four."

"Really," says the duchess. "Well, I am not surprised. If I were a man I shouldn't have minded a carriage and six. It's a most fortunate thing for both of them; he seems quite happy."

"And that is what they used to say," says the duchess, "that Lashwood would never let her go."

"Certainly he seems quite happy. There is still something of the old, happy, contented about him, but it is most conspicuous by its absence to-day, and as he walks about, there is a shadow on his face which old friends can only see with regretful surprise."

"Noticed, too, how frequently his hands tremble and how follows Madge, and whenever he can get a chance, he makes for her side, if only to exchange a few words with her."

"The dinner has been a great success," M. Chervaux has, so to speak, surpassed himself. Even the great Lord Shafton, the famous gourmet, has been pleased to express his approval.

"It is at its climax, and the evening is at its height, and Madge, on the arm of the prince, comes up to the group of notables and says:

"We think of having a dance, your grace."

And her grace smiles benevolently, and expresses her approval.

Quietly, unobtrusively, musicians file into the gallery at the end of the salon, and a few minutes afterward, the strains of one of Strauss's enticing and irresistible waltzes are floating through the room.

The prince hastens to secure Madge, says his hither and thither for partners, there is a sudden bustle and stir, and presently as the music grows louder and more definite, every man who can dance has secured a partner and is on the move.

"That is a happy thought of yours, Lady Lashwood," says his highness as they pause for a moment.

Madge laughs.

"It wasn't mine; but that of Miss Newton," she says.

"His highness looks round."

"Miss Newton?"

"Yes," says Madge. "That lady in the pale blue dress. You will hear her sing directly; she has a beautiful voice."

"His highness bows."

"Do you not sing?" he asks, suggesting with princely tact, that he would rather hear Madge.

She shakes her head.

"Only a little. She sings a great deal."

"Let us take another turn, shall we?" he says. "At any rate, you dance a great deal."

And they make another circuit of the room.

The waltz comes to an end, and the string of promenades gradually makes its way into the ante-room.

The prince still holds his partner in a polite, but firm grasp, though several men, chafing at etiquette, which prevents their approach, are longing to be near her.

Presently a tall form, with bright, close-cut, yellow hair, comes through the crowd and advances. It is Lord St. George.

"This is mine, Lady Lashwood," he says, simply, and his highness relinquishes her with a bow.

"Poor prince!" says St. George with a smile; "it is a clear case of conquest at first sight."

Madge laughs.

"Are you going to tease me, as usual?"

"I'm serious," he says. "He has been to half a dozen people expressing his admiration. There can be no doubt of your success this evening; we always know whose face we shall see most prominently displayed in the shop windows."

"If you mean mine," retorts Madge, "you are quite wrong. Guy would not permit it, even if I should, which I shouldn't."

St. George looks at her.

"I believe what Lady Carton says about you is right," he says; "you are a singular woman."

"What does she say—why?" Madge asks.

"She says you haven't a jot of vanity in your composition."

Madge laughs.

"Then she is quite wrong. I am terribly vain of a great many things. I wouldn't give anything for a woman who wasn't. Are we going to dance?" she adds, her feet tapping gently to the music.

He puts his arm round her and they start off.

There is no better dancer in the room than St. George, and he knows Madge's step as well as he knows his own. Like most of her sex, Madge is fond of dancing, and to have St. George for a partner is to taste Terpsichorean bliss.

As he steers her with practiced deftness through the crowded room, they attract a literally general attention, of which Madge is supremely unconscious.

"Are you tired?" he asks, presently.

"No," says Madge with a little sigh of joy. "Please do not stop."

"How well you dance! I say that every time we waltz together, do I not? You must be tired of hearing it."

"No, I am not," he says in a low voice.

Notwithstanding the heat and the excitement, his handsome face is pale, but there is a light in his eyes as he looks down at her which makes up for his lack of color.

Guy, who is waltzing with a newly-married daughter of the county member, meets them presently, and looks at Madge with his usual smile.

"Enjoying yourself?" he asks, as they pass.

Madge looks at him and laughs softly, and they separate again.

Presently the music dies away, and they stop. Madge panting a little, and with a warm flush on her face which makes her look more beautiful than ever; St. George, still pale, but with his breath coming and going quickly, but not with exhaustion.

"You are tired?" she says, looking up at him.

He starts and gives a smile. "No," he says, and there is a strange contraction in his voice, "not at all."

"It seemed very short," says Madge; "surely they did not play as long as usual."

A faint color animates his face, and he smiles.

"It was short," he says, "too short—if life could be but one waltz," and there is a strange touch of bitterness in his voice which makes her look up with unusual surprise.

"What is the matter?" she asks in her frank, sisterly way.

With an effort that is shown he laughs lightly.

"Nothing," he says; "shall we get out of the crowd for a little while?"

Madge looks round doubtfully.

"Oughtn't I to go and sit with her grace?" she says.

"No," he replies, "they are quite happy. Forget that you are hostess for the evening, and come into the shade."

Madge laughs.

"Miss Tethbury used to say that the hostess should be always 'en evidence,' that she should never leave the room."

"Miss Tethbury was well, a woman," he says, "a woman."

Madge looks at him and then away with a little laugh.

"I am so sorry. What will Guy do?" He laughs, not his usual cheery, musical laugh, which makes her want to laugh in response.

"Guy," he says, "will soon cease to miss me. You forget that he has you." The color comes to Madge's face and a soft light in her eyes.

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FEARS LIFE IN COFFIN

Lady Dreading Burial Before Death, Orders Artery To Be Cut.

London, Feb. 7.—Apropos of the stories about premature burials, the publication last week of the will of Miss Louisa Stains, of Ipswich, who left instructions that if cremation were not possible, the main artery of her throat was to be severed before burial, raises several interesting questions.

Supposing proof were forthcoming that the person were in a deep trance when the main artery was severed, and that the individual so mutilated actually died from this act. How would the medical men who carried out such instructions stand in the eyes of the law?

A famous member of the Old Bailey bar said: "I am of the opinion that if in the circumstances suggested a medical man severed the artery of the person who was in such a condition that he could not tell whether he was alive or dead, even though he might be held to have acted recklessly, yet he should not be charged with murder."

A Harley street physician declared: "There are many instances of men and women who begged their medical attendants to make sure of the death by some violent means or other. Comparatively few, however, leave such instructions in their wills; they merely extract promises from their doctors. One elderly patient of mine has repeatedly reminded me of the fact that she wishes to have a strong poison injected immediately after death."

Some medical men carry out such instructions. I do not agree, however, that more thorough tests are needed in cases of sudden death."

Dr. Stetson Hooker, honorary secretary of the Medical Association for the Prevention of Premature Burial, feels, of course, very strongly on the subject. He said:

"The idea of mutilating a person supposed to be dead in order to make sure death has occurred is a revolting one. I intend that, especially in cases of young people who have died suddenly after enjoying apparently good health, the only convincing proof of death is the change which comes over the body. Full time should be allowed for this change to take place. In several cases this change has not taken place for seven or even ten days."

"The system adopted in Frankfurt of waiting in mortuaries, where the bodies are watched, in well-ventilated and warmed rooms until the change takes place, should be followed in all countries."

REARM BRITISH FORTS

Coast Defenses to Have New Naval Guns Mounted.

London, Feb. 6.—The war office have decided to rearm all the modern forts on the coast of the English Channel with six-inch naval guns.

This important improvement is due to the decision to bring about more complete fighting unity between the sister services.

The majority of the coast defense batteries, excluding the great arsenals at Plymouth, Portsmouth and Dover, have nothing heavier than the 4.7-inch gun. This is a very efficient weapon of its type. It throws a projectile of 45 pounds in weight, and has a projecting power equal to perforating 8.6 inches of wrought iron at a range of 2,000 yards. But manifestly such a gun is of very little value against even lightly armored war craft.

The idea of the naval authorities has been that by strengthening our coast forts they will be establishing points of advantage for "mosquito" operations. Torpedo craft can lie under cover of these defenses, dashing out, as opportunity might offer, to deliver an attack, and retreating to shelter again.

The latest pattern 6-inch gun, which is to be employed for the purpose, is the Vickers pattern, wire-mounted, weighing seven tons unmounted. It will throw a projectile of 100 pounds in weight, with a fire delivery of twelve rounds per minute. Even greater rapidity could be obtained if mechanical means of recovering the recoil were devised.

This weapon can perforate fifteen inches of wrought iron at a range of one mile.

The cost of this new 6-inch gun is £1,675, without mountings, or nearly three times that of the 4.7-inch piece. The work of re-arming the forts is to be taken in hand as early as possible.

It was officially announced yesterday that an artillery range is to be established in the Wash, off the Lincolnshire coast. The range, which will be used for testing the guns, will be twelve miles in length.

THEY NEVER KNEW FAILURE.—Careful observation of the effects of Par-male's Vegetable Pills has shown that they act immediately on the diseased organs of the system and stimulate to healthy action. There may be cases in which the disease has been long-seated and does not easily yield to medicine, but even in such cases these Pills have been known to bring relief when other so-called remedies have failed. These assertions can be substantiated by many who have used the Pills, and medical men speak highly of their qualities.

Don't Burn Your Flesh.—Corn salves poison and burn, besides they never cure the corn. Putnam's Corn Extractor has been curing corns for fifty years. Painless, sure and guaranteed to act in 24 hours. Use only "Putnam's."

BRITISH COAL TRADE MENACED

United States Competition to Cap ure the Mediterranean Business.

New York, Feb. 6.—A special cable from London to the New York Herald says: Some startling facts regarding United States competition in the coal trade were brought out prominently by Walter Rowley, a mining engineer, of Leeds, who visited America in 1904, with the British Institution of Civil Engineers, in a paper read the other day before the Institution of Civil Engineers.

Mr. Rowley, whose paper was entitled, "Some observations of a mining engineer in America," remarked that the citizens of New York may thank the geological features of the great coal fields of the Appalachian chain, for their comparative freedom from smoke. Since 1899 the United States had been the largest coal producer in the world. The use of coal-cutting machines had been received far more favorably in America than it had been here, and while in England only about 2 per cent of the output was got by the use of machinery, in America no less than 26 per cent of the output was machine-mined.

In 1914 the output of coal got in the United States was 230,000,000 tons; the output of the United Kingdom for 1903 was 230,000,000 tons. At present the coal from the neighborhood of Pittsburgh was delivered on the Atlantic seaboard at a lower rate per ton than coal of a similar quality which was sold "free on board," in England, and yet the distance of Pittsburgh from the seaboard was about 300 miles.

It was this extremely low cost of transport that would compete with England for the export of coal to the Mediterranean ports.

"We must expect," said Mr. Rowley, "in the future, to be beaten out of the field here, for in 50 years' time England's coal supplies will be costing much more to work, and we may expect shortly to find that the production of Great Britain, instead of continuing to increase, will become stationary. It is, indeed, fortunate for this country that the immense coal fields of America are separated from England by so many thousand miles. In this country coal is now being mined from depths of 3,500 feet, and being worked as low as ten inches in thickness, and as time goes on the cheap production of coal will become a problem of increasing difficulty."

"Success has attended the trials made on the battleship Jupiter of Scotch coal and oil for fuel in the case of the Welsh coal; with this new fuel it is found that a ship's steaming radius was equal to what it would have been had she used Welsh coal, and no undue quantity of smoke was emitted from the funnels. The trials, of course, were very short, and so far resulted in an important step forward in the solving of the fuel problem."

"Experts now believe that the monopoly hitherto enjoyed by Welsh coal of the coast of the British Channel means a huge saving every year on the navy's coal bill."

REARM BRITISH FORTS

Coast Defenses to Have New Naval Guns Mounted.

London, Feb. 6.—The war office have decided to rearm all the modern forts on the coast of the English Channel with six-inch naval guns.

This important improvement is due to the decision to bring about more complete fighting unity between the sister services.

The majority of the coast defense batteries, excluding the great arsenals at Plymouth, Portsmouth and Dover, have nothing heavier than the 4.7-inch gun. This is a very efficient weapon of its type. It throws a projectile of 45 pounds in weight, and has a projecting power equal to perforating 8.6 inches of wrought iron at a range of 2,000 yards. But manifestly such a gun is of very little value against even lightly armored war craft.

The idea of the naval authorities has been that by strengthening our coast forts they will be establishing points of advantage for "mosquito" operations. Torpedo craft can lie under cover of these defenses, dashing out, as opportunity might offer, to deliver an attack, and retreating to shelter again.

The latest pattern 6-inch gun, which is to be employed for the purpose, is the Vickers pattern, wire-mounted, weighing seven tons unmounted. It will throw a projectile of 100 pounds in weight, with a fire delivery of twelve rounds per minute. Even greater rapidity could be obtained if mechanical means of recovering the recoil were devised.

This weapon can perforate fifteen inches of wrought iron at a range of one mile.

The cost of this new 6-inch gun is £1,675, without mountings, or nearly three times that of the 4.7-inch piece. The work of re-arming the forts is to be taken in hand as early as possible.

It was officially announced yesterday that an artillery range is to be established in the Wash, off the Lincolnshire coast. The range, which will be used for testing the guns, will be twelve miles in length.

THEY NEVER KNEW FAILURE.—Careful observation of the effects of Par-male's Vegetable Pills has shown that they act immediately on the diseased organs of the system and stimulate to healthy action. There may be cases in which the disease has been long-seated and does not easily yield to medicine, but even in such cases these Pills have been known to bring relief when other so-called remedies have failed. These assertions can be substantiated by many who have used the Pills, and medical men speak highly of their qualities.

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No. 104—Corset Cover, trimmed with embroidery around the neck and sleeves, four rows of insertion down the front, the best ever shown for the money.....25c

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White Cambric Drawers, deep wide hemstitched flounce, only.....25c

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No. 1301—White Cotton Gowns, trimmed with lace, yoke of six rows of tucks, good cotton, only.....50c

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No. 1408—White Skirt of Cambric, 12-inch flounce of white lawn, trimmed with one row of lace insertion and one row of lace.....75c

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No. 1409—White Skirt of Cambric, trimmed with deep flounce of embroidery and cluster of tucks; a snap, only.....89c

Bargains in Walking Skirts
Some odd lines of Ladies' Skirts to clear at big bargains—three dozen in all—black, navy and tweed effects, this season's styles. Sold regularly at \$3.50 and \$4.00. Your choice for.....\$2.49

Nine only Black Cheviot Skirts, in pleated styles. Will clear these at each only.....\$1.49
A few Black Moire Underskirts, full sweep, deep flounce, trimmed with 4 small frills; regular \$2.00 each. Will clear at.....\$1.39

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The man who has never been disappointed in love doesn't believe there is any such thing.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Cresoline tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

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FAT FOLKS

Too much fat is the result of indigestion. The digestive organs take up the fats of the food, but do not act on the NERVE-BUILDING and MUSCLE-MAKING elements. That's why—of people who LOOK strong, so often complain of feeling weak and depressed.

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WILL POSTPONE THE CONFERENCE

Churchill Says 1907 Will
Suit Colonies Better.

THE EMBARGO ON OUR CATTLE

Canadian Goes to India to Take
Charge of the Leper Settlement - English News.

London, Feb. 6. — Mr. Winston Churchill, under secretary for the colonies, who forged to the front as a campaigner in the recent general elections, has been making public his ideas upon colonial policies. Speaking of the possibilities of a colonial conference which "does things," Mr. Churchill said that in his work at the colonial office Lord Elgin had been obliged to face many difficulties, but the question of the colonial conference presented no difficulties to the government. The periodic assembly of the representative men from all parts of the British empire to discuss questions of imperial interest was attended by great advantages, and he believed that such a policy would receive all possible assistance and encouragement from Lord Elgin. Before Mr. Lytton left office he had suggested the postponement to 1907 of the conference due to assemble in the summer of 1906. This postponement to the year 1907 in several cases actually convenient for the colonial ministers themselves, and fitted in most happily with their own electoral arrangements. The advantage of the conference meeting in 1907 is that it could then be free, unfettered, and untrammelled.

Mr. Churchill thought that there were many questions of imperial importance upon which a colonial conference would throw most instructive light, and in regard to which all were hopeful of fruitful results. In a general way his personal views were that there was no reason why the home government should wish to extend over South African affairs a more constant control than the home government exercised over the self-governing colonies of Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

The Embargo on Cattle.

The question of Canadian cattle came up the other day when Earl Curzon, president of the board of agriculture, received his first deputation, consisting of a large representation from the Free Imperial Association of Canadian Cattle Association of Great Britain. Baile Watson, of Glasgow, explained that the object of the association was to secure the repeal of the act of 1855, which placed an embargo on the importation of Canadian cattle. They wanted Canadian cattle to be freely imported and allowed to graze on the crossed with home stock. Lord Curzon, in the course of his reply, said that on this question he associated himself entirely with the attitude of his predecessor, Mr. F. E. Jones, in so far that the interests of the general public were to be considered before any one particular interest. He regarded the question from two points of view, the imperial and the national and the domestic. He admitted that both on imperial and national grounds the advocates of the repeal of the act of 1855 had advanced many strong arguments. On the other hand, there was an overwhelming mass of opinion that the law could not be safely altered on account of the grave risk of the introduction of disease, that would be run by the tenant farmers and small occupiers in the United Kingdom. He assured the members of the deputation, however, that the government would in the near future consider the matter in all its bearings, remembering that the restrictions were not imposed as a protective duty in the interests of a particular class, but solely as a protection against the introduction of dangerous and infectious disease.

An Irish Grievance.

The Irish are complaining over the appointment of Lord Kerr as Irish butter commissioner in England. One of the most prominent among the Irish producers said:

"I would like to be informed of this young gentleman's qualifications for so arduous and important a post. It requires no great intelligence to appreciate the vast issues at stake in the out-classed Irish butter-making. We took to the department for a remedy. We ask for an inspector to see that the public mind of recognized standing and importance, embracing many well known doctors, ministers and lawyers continue to endorse Ferrozone as a health-giving tonic of unusual merit. Certainly no remedy has ever showed such marked results in curing nervous diseases, rheumatism, stomach troubles, and general debility."

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Irish workers are fairly treated in England, that Irish brands are not abused, and that fraud and chicanery are not allowed to enter into the struggle for superiority of the rival butters. In the opinion of an expert they have sent us a young peer, who, whatever his qualifications may have been for his previous position, does not bear a reputation among traders in Irish butter in England of one fitted to grapple with the unfair competition indulged in against the interests of Irish producers."

Enlarge the Preference.

An interesting statement showing the necessity for an increased preferential tariff to help British trade in the Canadian market has just been issued by the tariff commission. Based upon the official returns of the United Kingdom, Canada and the United States, the statement shows that, as the result of keen United States and German competition in the Canadian market, the exports of British manufactures to Canada declined rapidly and steadily until 1897, when the preference was first adopted, and that since 1897 this decline has been turned into a substantial and continuous increase. The British share of the Canadian market is increasing at a lesser rate, however, than the share of the United States and other foreign countries, both as regards dutiable and free goods. In the opinion of British manufacturers and merchants giving evidence before the commission, the most effective means of increasing the British share of the Canadian market lies in an enlargement of the preference along the lines suggested by the commission and the declarations of Canadian ministers.

A Job for Every Man.

The Rev. J. Lenthal Davis, vicar of St. John's Ventry road, has completed the formation of an influential committee which will put into effect Lord Rothschild's offer to pay the entire cost of removing 200 families from Tottenham to Canada. In a recent address at the Mission Hall of South Tottenham he explained that every man would be fixed up with a job before he left for England, and would find his work waiting for him as soon as he landed.

"But we can't all go," said one man. "I am not so sure," was the reply. "I think you can. Believe me, this theme is going to spread, and if there are more than 200 who are ready to go, somebody will be forthcoming to send them."

As a matter of fact, many more applications have been received than Rev. J. Lenthal Davis and his friends have been able to provide for up to the present time.

Mr. John Jackson, of the Leper Mission, Exeter Hall, E.C., has just received the following letter from the Canadian accountant, Mr. W. H. P. Anderson, who gave up a prosperous career in India to devote his life to the leper in India:

"I arrived in Chandikur on Sunday morning. Just as we entered the village we were met by the Leper Asylum Band. These poor fellows, with their simple means of making music, were a pathetic sight. Over the road the word 'Welcome' appeared in the hands decorated, and the untainted of about one hundred had assembled, all neatly dressed, the girls looking quite picturesque. The talented children from the asylum were also here. The boys and girls sang hymns in English and many salaams were given to the new sahib."

DOMINION BEST FOR EMIGRANT

Excels Australia in Manufacture—Has Twenty Per Cent
More Wheat.

London, Feb. 6. — With remarkable good feeling and impartial breadth the relative merits of Canada and Australia for immigration were discussed at a meeting of the colonial section of the Society of Arts.

In the absence of Lord Elgin, Sir West Pomeroy, president, presided. O. C. Bealm, president of the Manufacturers' Federation of Australia, read a lengthy paper on the subject of imperial immigration, and dealt chiefly with possibilities of Australia, which, he said, all were determined to maintain, is a white man's country, and the need of which was more pressing than that of any other country.

Comparing Canada with Australia, he said: "We have but two-thirds of the population of Canada, yet our population has increased in higher ratio than Canada's."

productivity Australia is ahead of Canada, and is likely to still more. We produce 40 times as much wool, and 30 times as many sheep, in cattle and horses half as much.

"Of wheat we produce 20 per cent less, but have per capita as much. Minerals alone are in value three times greater than the total product of Canadian mines, fisheries and forests together."

"Where Canada excels is in the important field of manufacture. We do not envy, but take pride in the splendid achievements of our sister, the Dominion, where the Free Trader and the anti-Free Trader have met."

Concluding, he said that free trade between the states of the empire was a dream impossible of realization.

A Lord Strathcona said none were more proud of the Australians than the Canadians.

After citing the possibilities of Canada he said: "We in Canada are well satisfied with our portion of the empire. We don't envy, but we congratulate the colonies and trust that each of the colonies will emulate the other in doing its utmost for its own particular state and reflecting as far as possible its benefits on all parts of the empire."

The chairman suggested that the home governments of the colonies might possibly work out a concerted system of imperial immigration. Several others spoke.

THE GAY LIFE HOLDS A PERIL

Blames Society Women for
National Calamity.

FAST PACE WRECKS NERVES

Declares That Whole Country Is
Threatened by the Effects
of Neurasthenia.

London, Feb. 6. — "Breakdown of the nervous system is no mere society craze which it is fashionable to suffer from, but is becoming a national calamity which bids fair to rob our descendants of many of those qualities which have done so much to make this empire what it is."

This prognostication forms a striking passage in an article in the Contemporary Review by Dr. Guthrie Rankin, a London physician.

Reviewing the causes of the malady, Dr. Rankin observes that the old order of life is changed in dietetic usages and keener and fiercer competition, towns and cities are becoming more crowded and the demand is for a more energetic and exciting life. The same spirit of restlessness has imparted to all vocations a more active character than they formerly possessed. A holiday to many people is no longer the rest it once was.

Up to the present a large proportion of patients who suffer from functional disorders of the nervous system spring from among the opulent classes, but they are to be met with in all grades of society, women being the sufferers more frequently than men. Evidently the wear and tear plus luxury is telling its story more rapidly than wear and tear plus unsuitable food and insufficient rest.

"The day is rapidly coming," says Dr. Rankin, "when every class will suffer—the rich because they are too easily circumstanced and too self-indulgent, the poor because they are insufficiently fed and regardless of the members of the great middle class because they break themselves in their unceasing endeavors to outstrip their neighbors and to amass money."

Dr. Rankin declares that it is among the women who allow themselves to become neurasthenic from causes within their control that nervous debility in the meantime is most rampant.

"Those who belong to the cultured and leisured classes of society," he proceeds, "are the greatest sinners. They become, especially in the earlier half of their womanhood, swept into the whirl of social ambition, the many sacrifices, not only to their health, but their duty to the remorseless demands of the wooden image at whose shrine they worship."

He says neither the time nor the domestic obligations have little claim upon their attention. They find no opportunity for the practice of the old-fashioned homely virtues. Their lives have become a dreary worship of mammon and the restless search after social novelty and physical excitement.

"Children seriously interfere with the numerous engagements of such women, and are regarded as undesirable accidents which at all hazards are to be avoided."

Several changes of custom and habit are mentioned by the writer in examination of the means of prevention—namely, a more rigid adherence to simplicity of life; a pronounced social disapproval of the immoderate use of alcohol and tobacco and the forbidding of both to children under age, and some form of compulsory military service, exacted from every healthy young man.

ALL TALK OF CANADA

A Scheme of State Aid to Emigrants
Now Proposed.

London, Feb. 6. — State-aided emigration is the policy strongly urged upon the new Government in a long article by Sir C. Kinloch Cooke. He praised the work being done by the Canadian and Australian Governments and their agents, and then argues that the home Government should do its share, both by providing state funds and state organization.

He suggests a permanent emigration board to co-operate with the colonial office to handle state funds and philanthropic bequests like Lady Strathcona's. He would have it directly responsible to Parliament.

Another £2,500 is being added to Lady Strathcona's fund for taking emigrants to Canada. Rev. Carlisle, the head of the Church Army, asked the committee in charge of the Queen's fund to allow the Church Army to handle a portion of the Strathcona fund. He offered to double any sum so handed over, not exceeding £5,000. The committee accordingly decided to hand over £2,500 to the Church Army.

Posters in South London yesterday advertised the fact that next April eligible children in pauper schools at Norwood would be emigrated by their guardians to Canada.

The Salvation Army is receiving 600 applications each day just now from persons desiring to go to Canada.

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CLERQUE ON THE SOO

Net Earnings of Company Last Year
Over a Million.

Toronto, Feb. 6. — Mr. F. H. Clergue, of the Consolidated Lake Superior Company, who was in the city today, said that the company was prospering, the net earnings yearly now being more than twice the \$500,000 required to pay the interest on the bond issue of \$10,000,000.

The Government will be relieved of its guarantee of the \$2,000,000 loan which was of the amount raised for the reorganization of the company on May 1, when the term of the guarantee ceases, under the act.

Arrangements to that end have already been made by the Canadian Improvement Company, which conducted the reorganization.

January was the banner month for the company in regard to the making of rails, over 1,400 tons having been rolled for the C. P. R. There are now on hand contracts for 100,000 tons of steel rails for the C. P. R. The Michigan Central, the Canadian Northern and several other companies. During 1905 the I. C. Railway was supplied with 50,000 tons and the C. P. R. with 80,000 tons of rails by the company which since September, 1904, has delivered to Canadian railway companies rails aggregating in value \$5,000,000.

ROBLIN ON PREFERENCE

Manitoba's Premier Says That It Is
Necessary to Growth of West.

London, Feb. 6. — In a letter published in the Post, Premier Roblin, of Manitoba, vigorously advocates Chamberlain's preference scheme.

The letter was written to a friend in answer to Asquith's statement that Canadian farmers opposed the preference.

Mr. Roblin cites resolutions and speeches in the Manitoba Legislature of 1904 to show the western view.

He estimates that in ten years Manitoba and the new provinces will raise 350,000,000 bushels of wheat, and in the same time the preference would add 2,500,000 to the population of Canada west of the lakes.

A failure to adopt the preference would retard the growth, but not stop the growth.

"It has," concludes Mr. Roblin, "always been a matter of regret to the colonies that the people at home refuse to take the advice of experts on questions of vital import to the colonies, but pay much attention to men unimpaired, so to speak, in a monastery created by class and educational restrictions, and who, not only believe their own judgments to be infallible and all the rest of the world to be wrong, but who also are incapable of taking a broad view of the imperial questions so necessary in these days when the best brains of the outside world are competing with the Empire."

LIVELY BATTLE FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY

G. T. R. Charges With Engines
and Enemy Resorts to
Dynamite.

Toronto, Feb. 6. — A miniature warfare raged all this afternoon in the valley of the Don to the east of the city and ceased only when darkness fell upon the scene.

The contending forces were the employees of the James' Bay Railroad and Grand Trunk, and the dispute was over the possession of the right of way.

The courts had decided that the James' Bay Road could cross the Grand trunk tracks, but the latter road had placed a fifty-ton coal car there, and when the James' Bay people tried to remove it, backed down another car, making a bad wreck of the spot.

The James' Bay people erected a barricade of steel rails and earth behind, and while they were engaged in this move the other once more attempted to remove the obstruction, but the Grand Trunk charged this with two engines, and a car, and smashed it.

The last resort of the James' Bay crowd was dynamite.

They put some sticks in the frozen earth and blew a sixty feet in circumference, so the Grand Trunk could not get near them with the engine. By this time it was dark, and the Grand Trunk train and fighters withdrew over the hill. Watchers were placed on guard at the disputed crossing. During the shuffling the laborers of both sides came to blows.

Hostilities are expected to be renewed in the morning.

A Nephew of Bobs.

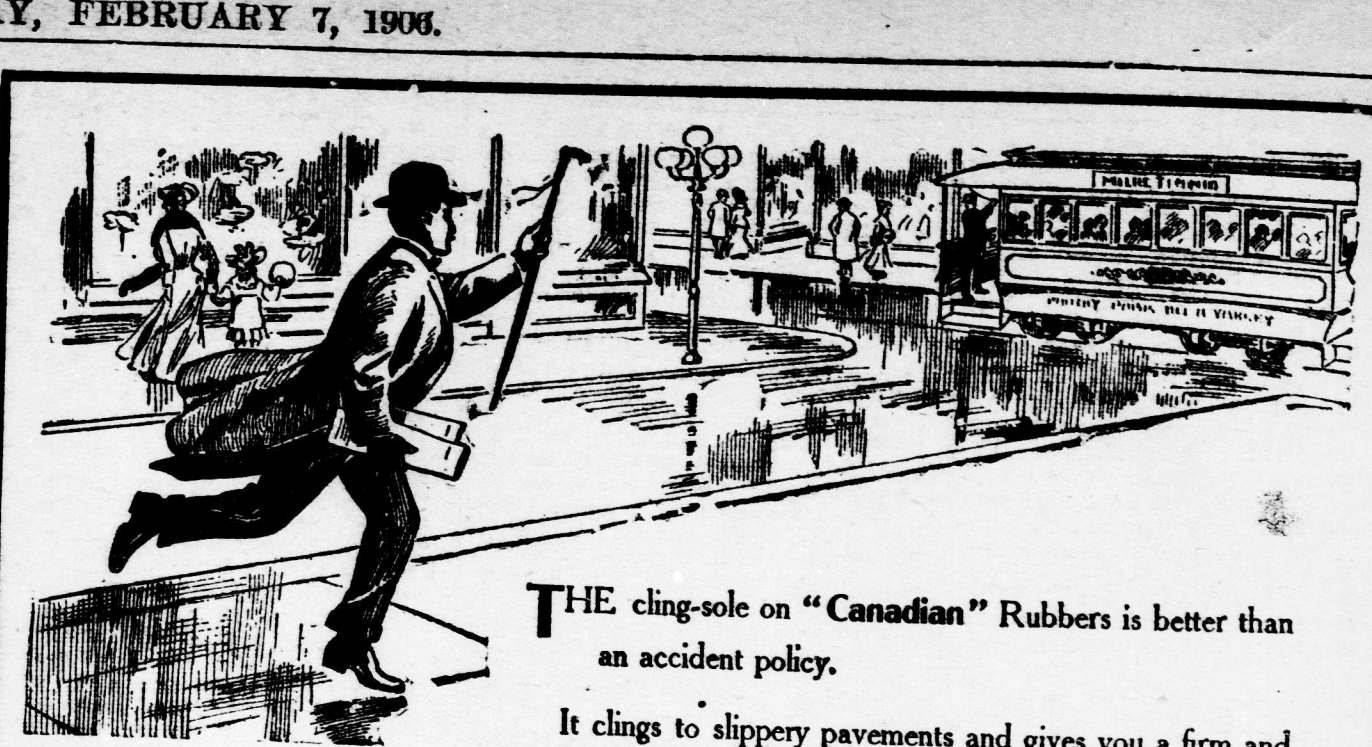
Kendall, Mont., Feb. 6. — It has just been discovered that Charles Roberts, a laborer in the cyanide plant here, is a nephew of Lord Roberts, the celebrated English general.

There is quite a history connected with Charles Roberts. Strange as it may seem, he has been acknowledged as the owner of a princely estate at Dublin, left him by his father at his death, which is occupied by Lord Roberts.

The identity was established through a visit of an agent of Lord Roberts to Kendall a month ago. Charles Roberts visited Lord Roberts in London, at the latter's palace in London.

He had an understanding with his uncle as to the estate, and will leave the latter in his possession during his life, accepting a stipulated income in money in lieu of the property after the latter's death, when he will take possession.

Roberts was born in Ontario, Canada, is 28 years of age, and married.



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The Goderich team, winners of this group, are strong, big, fast men, good stick handlers, aggressive and with a splendid combination. They won all their games on their merits, and are the strongest and best balanced team in the group. Here's that they may win the championship. If they had Casselman on point, we would get down on them to a man to win the Dunlop cup. Bring the thwack to this district, Goderich.

A man who generally knows the inside workings of the Jockey Club said with much emphasis yesterday that Mars Cassidy will be compelled to employ the flat-footed or standing start on all of the eastern tracks this year, in spite of the fact that he is using the walk-up system at City Park this winter, and a number of his friends who are prominent owners intend to ask the Jockey Club to install the system here.—New York Sun.

A hockey enthusiast remarked to the Montreal Herald recently, says the Winnipeg Free Press: "Did you ever quietly picture to yourself a forward line composed of Frank McGee, center; Russell Bowie, rover; Tom Phillips, right wing, and Blair Russell, left wing? Say, what would they do to any defense in the country?" And we had to admit that they would be quite liable to do several things. At the same time, this quartet would have a few industrious moments trying to round corners off an opposing line composed of Harry Smith, center; Moose Griffiths, rover; Alf Smith, right wing, and Billy Gilmour, left wing.

According to an Englishman who writes to the Globe, the much-vaunted Zealanders, who went through a series of 30 odd games in Great Britain with only a single defeat, did not meet the best teams in the motherland, except when they went up against the Welshmen, and were soundly whipped. "Of course," he remarks, "the colonials did not meet the best teams in England, as they are under the banner of the Northern Union, or results would have been much reversed, but the games they played with rugby Union clubs put them in a high standing, and teams had to put on full strength to save a crushing defeat, not as when the Canadians at England, a number of teams playing reserve players to save the ones from being humiliated."

That Englishmen is in the wrong. Wales did not inflict any crushing defeat on the New Zealanders, if our memory is good. The Blacks met all comers, and did not choose. No carping criticism of the Englishman will do their glory. If the Antipodeans could beat the best of England in cricket, it is no greater phenomenon to see them beat the "Rugger" teams. It is funny that the best winners and the sportiest losers are in England—so said. But such criticism does not do Englishmen any good. Give the Zealanders all the credit due them.

The News revives the old question—Could the Tigers beat the New Zealanders? In Hamilton, they would say, yes; in the woods, they would say, not yet. The New Zealanders are a picked team of the fastest and best in that country. The Hamilton aggregation, while good, is not a collection of stars. For a freestyle tale, the Tigers trimming the All-Black is all right, but don't turn them loose on the same field. It would be shameful.

The unexpected happens generally, and our pride and joy—the Seventh team—is now laid gently away. We had our girls picked out, and were going to take them to Stratford on Thursday night to see our "home brews" beat the Goderich boys to death. Guess we won't go now. Well, maybe "tis just as well. Think of what we would have had to stand from the Stratford papers, as they would view our team, and say sarcastic things about them not being in Stratford's class, etc. This is hard to bear, but that would be worse. 'Tis well.

Herrera and Kid Herman hook up at San Francisco Friday night, and a corking good battle should result. Both are fast, and capable. It looks like an even deal, and picking a winner looks like guesswork. The Greaser is a dangerous lad, and might beat Herman in a hurry.

It has just dawned on some papers in the States that ski-running is a dangerous sport. It will likely be amended and reformed by the southerners who hate to see their northern brothers take such awful risks. In the meantime the sport will continue to thrive in some quarters.

A Los Angeles letter says: "Forty thousand dollars is a conservative estimate of the winnings of the Kirkfield Stable by their recent coup with the 3-year-old Cleely, the entry having been played at various poolsrooms throughout the country. Probably half of this sum was taken out of the Aspet ring. George Rose alone laying \$7,500 against \$500."

Col. Greene, the Copper King, has just purchased from Walter M. Jermyn the trotter, Direct View, 2:08½. The price was \$8,000. John McGuire purchased this horse at the Old Glory sale for \$2,750, sold him to Mr. Jermyn for \$3,000, and now the latter makes a handsome figure on his investment.

Billy Buch, 2:07½, went through the New York sale, being knocked down to a New England man for \$425. Billy was a Grand Circuit star in Ed. Geers' stable a season or two ago.

The art of steeple chasing at City Park, New Orleans, has reached the point where the jockeys know how to fall without getting hurt. For the man with a quick eye for a soft spot, give us a jumping jockey every time.

Before the auto races at Ormond the beach is raked off. On the turf the rakeoff is subsequent.

When the University of Michigan makes Hurry-up Yost a professor it should not be overlooked that he is to have a leave of absence from November to September for the purpose of pursuing investigations and conducting experiments in his particular field.

Winnipeg Tribune: Judging by the showing made by the Winnipeg and histles to date in the Manitoba league series, the Winnipeg should just about be able to take the measure of that Kenora bunch when they come together in Winnipeg next month in the crucial game of the season. Strange 'n't it why the Thistles should not give a little more attention to combination? It was combination that killed them at Ottawa last winter. Their one-man rushes, spectacular though they were, were fruitless. They rarely resort to two-men rushes even, while the three-men or combined forward rush is almost a thing to conjure with.

Followers of the infant sport of association football are viewing with glee the efforts to curb the super-abundant vitality of the intercollegiate giant. The frequent assertions that the American public, with its strenuous spirit, would never stand for such a mild sport as soccer, and that it could never supplant the college game, have not been publicly combated by the association players. They are content to rest on the knowledge of the triumph of the dribbling code over the Rugby game in Great Britain, and the belief that it will score a similar success in this country. While the college rules committee has been devising schemes for the retention of the intercollegiate giant, and the faculties of some of the colleges have come out strongly for the rest cure, the association infant has been kicking lustily. Pointing to the Chicago branch of the family, the soccer men note that eight teams took part in the spring championship series of the Chicago league in 1905, and that in the coming series there will be more than twice that number competing, to say nothing of several more teams playing in a Saturday league. With nearly sixty teams in St. Louis and at least ten scattered through the state of Illinois, the soccerites are well satisfied with their progress in this section. Since the strenuous American spirit took a great liking to the fierce excitement of golf, the soccer men are hopeful of making many converts.—Chicago Tribune.

THE RING.

WANTS TO MEET MURPHY. Chicago, Ill., Feb. 6.—Philadelphia Jack O'Brien arrived in the city today from Pittsburgh. O'Brien appeared to be in splendid physical condition. "I will fight the first man who posts a forfeit," said O'Brien tonight. "The man I want to meet, however, is Tommy Ryan, and I want to whip him. I have always desired to meet

him. My conditions are 158 pounds at 3 o'clock. Another man I am willing to fight is Jack Palmer, the champion of England."

THE TURF.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At New Orleans, Fair Grounds—Proteus 9 to 5, Bernay 2 to 1, Vannes 2 to 1, Mine 2 to 1, Joe Lesser 4 to 5, Lady Free Knight 4 to 1.

THE SECOND RINK SAVED THE DAY

London Club Colts Won From Brantford In First of Home and Home Series.

The London Club curlers last evening defeated Brantford in the first of the home-and-home games in the colts' series, by 14 shots, on the Simcoe street rink. The game between Skipps, Couse, and Ogilvie was very exciting. At the 15th end the score stood 13 all.

Skip Smith, however, did much better, and gave Skip Ferguson's rink a beating by a score of 14 shots. The score:

Brantford. London.

Dr. R. H. Palmer, A. Oliver.

Dr. B. C. Bell, B. Black.

W. J. Stewart, D. Fraser.

W. J. Ogilvie, skip, 13 J. W. Couse, skip, 13.

Score by ends:

Ogilvie.....11 10 12 10 20 00 00 12 01 13

Couse.....10 02 00 01 10 11 13 00 30 0—13

Brantford. London.

H. J. Powell, C. Smith.

H. Howie, J. McDonald.

E. Stokes, T. W. Smith.

W. A. Ferguson, 11 W. Smith.....25

Score by ends:

Smith.....0 5 09 20 30 02 20 12 42 20 0—25

Ferguson.....10 22 01 02 00 10 00 00 11—11

BASEBALL.

McGraw Is "AGIN" BOWLING

Warren, O., Feb. 6.—Leon Ames, pitcher of the New York National Baseball Club, has been ordered by Manager McGraw to give up bowling and today he announced that he would abide by the request. Ames has been a member of the Bon Ton Bowling Club and has been doing some sensational work. He took up the bowling game in order to keep his pitching arm in condition, but McGraw does not believe such practice is conducive of good work in baseball.

FOOTBALL.

TIGERS LOSE MCKEAND.

Hamilton, Feb. 6.—"Dave" McKeand, of the head office of the Bank of Hamilton, and a member of the champion Tigers, has been appointed manager of the bank's branch at Mitchell.

DUTCHMEN PUT WOODSTOCK AWAY

Berlin Seniors Took Game at Baby City—Goderich Won District From Seaford.

Woodstock, Feb. 6.—Berlin senior O. H. A. team defeated Woodstock here tonight by the score of 8 to 3.

At half time the score was 5 to 0 in favor of the visitors.

The ice was good and the game fast throughout. The line-up:

Berlin. Woodstock.

McKus.....Goal.....McHardi

Charlton.....Point.....Pascoe

Gross.....Cover.....McLennan

Cochrane.....Rover.....McLay

Knell.....Center.....Lalonde

Schmidt.....Right wing.....Owens

McGinnis.....Left wing.....Richardson

Referee, Ed Wettlaufer, Berlin.

GODERICH WINS DISTRICT.

Seaford, Feb. 6.—Goderich won from Seaford in the final hockey game in intermediate series, district No. 8, by 9 to 2.

The first half ended 7 to 1. Then Seaford picked up and made the game interesting, ending the second half 2 to 1.

FIRST BLOOD TO BELLEVILLE.

Belleville, Feb. 6.—Belleville juniors defeated Coburg juniors by 8 to 6 here tonight. The half-time score was 5 to 5. The game was the first of home-and-home matches between Belleville and Coburg. The second will be played tomorrow night. The winner will meet Port Hope for district championship.

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BORDER LEAGUE GAME.

Detroit, Feb. 6.—The D. A. C. hockey team tonight defeated Amherstburg in the Border League series in a rather fast game by the score of 8 to 0.

SIMCOE LOSES ONE.

Tillsonburg, Feb. 6.—The hockey match between Tillsonburg and Simcoe tonight resulted 7 to 5 in favor of Tillsonburg.

Seventh Regiment Loses; Now Out of the Running

The Seventh Regiment team lost to Clinton at Clinton last night by a score of 8 to 4.

The game was a fast exhibition of hockey, but the Clinton seven had the speed and knew the rink, and that tells the story.

The first half was especially brilliant, several members of Clinton team starting, notably Sheppard. The London team checked close and hard, but could not beat the northern chaps.

This puts London out of the series. Referee Saxon, Toronto, handled the game well. The lineup:

Clinton. Reynolds.....Goal.....Johnston

Little.....Point.....Forrester

Dayton.....Cover.....McKenzie

Abram.....Rover.....McKenzie

McMahon.....Center.....McKenzie

Powell.....Left wing.....Moore

Carrothers.....Right wing.....Sheppard

BONSPIEL OPENING IN NORTHERN TOWN

Play for Glendenning Trophy at Parkhill—The Tankard Match at Windsor.

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The first round: Theford. Hensall.

Thomson, skip, 15 Bengough, skip, 19.

Lucan. Forest.

Hodgins, 12 Coultis, 13.

Alisa Craig, 19 Parkhill.

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Chapman, 8 Crawford, 12.

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Ody, 11 Walters, 12.

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E. Myers.....Guard.....Ackford

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Whitton.....Center.....Weekes

Referee, W. Callahan.

GRIEVE OVER LOSS OF FOOTBALL GAME

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Londons Withdraw From City League

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Those present were: Arthur Stippl, Londons; F. H. Graydon, Rockets; J. W. Smith, McClarys; Secretary Tyler, H. A. Kompas and Dr. Hutchinson. Neither the Blue Label nor Perrin teams was represented.

Mr. Stippl, for the Londons announced that the Londons would not have a team this year.

The application of the Free Press for admission was carried unanimously.

Owing to the absence of the delegates from the Blue Label and Perrin team, the executive decided to postpone the election of officers and the completion of the organization, until it was ascertained if these teams would continue as members of the league. The meeting was adjourned to meet at the call of the president.

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Gore Bay and Sturgeon Falls were ordered to play a sudden death game at Sudbury on Friday in the second round of the intermediate O. H. A. series.

A fine of \$10 imposed upon the Simcoe team for being late at Stratford was remitted.

Alliston intermediates were ordered to play at Collingwood on Wednesday night and Barrie at Collingwood on Friday.

F. Boulter, of Picton, must furnish the committee with an explanation of the row which attended the Belleville game at Picton played last week.

R. Rowe, of the Barrie team, was ordered to appear before the committee tomorrow to explain his connection with the Houghton team of the International League, additional evidence contradictory to his sworn statement having been received. If he fails to do so he will be suspended.

The sub-committee meets at the Telegram office at 4:30 tomorrow afternoon.

WHAT SHALL GRIDIRON

HEROES DO NOW?

"What shall we do with our football players?" is a problem which has taken the place of the older one: "What shall we do with our girls?" says the New York Sun. It is only too true that the heroes of the gridiron frequently find this a very cold world when they go forth from the scenes of their triumph. But let them be discouraged. Let them come to the town and grow up with the rapid transit system. There is a great need on the part of the Interborough Company for hundreds of stalwart young men, with as little sense of delicacy as possible, the less the better, to handle the crowds at the big stations in the rush hours. The present platform men do their best. They push, hustle and crowd passengers into the narrow doors. But it must be confessed that with all their enthusiasm and zeal they are very clumsy. They do not appear to have a proper instinct for handling mobs. The result is that instead of forcing patrons of the road into the cars they frequently cause a jam, thereby causing senseless delays.

Experts, too, have been called in to the scene. They would throw the public to the trains. By substituting these youngsters for the present bunglers the company might be saved the expense of the side doors which have been suggested as the only way out of the difficulty.

THE RING.

A FAKE RAID.

Chester, Feb. 6.—Pedestrians were startled last night by a negro who ran down Edgmont avenue, his hands tied up in boxing gloves and wearing nothing to shield him from the cold as he fled from the scene of a fight.

The fellow was Albert Jackson, known as "Young Peter Jackson." He had been attracted to Chester Park, a mile out of the city, by the promise of \$25 to fight an Italian known as "Terrible Peter." Two hundred or more young men assembled at the ringside, and the fight began.

At a given signal, which was preparing, fake police officers put in an appearance and all broke for cover. The negro, who came here recently from the south, was made the victim of the joke, and when stopped by a police officer in the center of the city was almost out. He had run the entire distance, thinking he was escaping a raiding party. He was later given shelter and his clothing returned, which he donned and left the city.

"PERFECTLY TRUSTWORTHY" is the character of Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It can be used with the utmost confidence that it will do what is claimed for it. It is sure in its effects, as the use of it will clearly demonstrate and can be relied upon to drive a cold out of the system more effectively than any other medicine. Try it and be convinced that it is what is claimed for it.

LONDON BOWLERS 150 PINS TO GOOD

Took Measure of St. Thomas Team on Local Alleys—Visitor Has High Score.

The St. Thomas bowlers were defeated by the local team last night by 150 pins. Bowsher, captain of the Railroad City team, made high score—214. Sheere, of the London team, had high average, with a score of 184.14. Primeau and Ellis, of the regular London team, were not present, and their places were taken by McIntosh and Murray, both of whom bowled well.

Bowsher's score of 214 is the highest made on the local alleys this year. The scores:

Bell	193	149	162
McIntosh	170	149	183
Murray	49	131	136
Sheere	193	203	163
Bell	200	168	146
Totals	850	840	819
St. Thomas,			
Bowler	214	193	146
Perry	150	109	158
Cherry	136	121	176
Gilbert	145	154	126
Conley	146	166	141

The Port Huron bowlers will be in the city tonight for a "tin cup" records trial. Play will commence at 7:30 o'clock.

AUDUBON BOY WILL GO

AFTER DAN PATCH'S MARK

New York, Feb. 6.—James W. Gattcomb, of Concord, N. H., the owner of Audubon Boy, 1:59 1/4, the pacing stallion, announces that after the stud season is over Audubon Boy will be put in training again, with a view to assailing Dan Patch's world's record of 1:55 1/4. Admirers of Audubon Boy think that the descendant of Alcayon, 2:27, will make turf history this year.

Audubon Boy's performances of last season are still fresh. In the public mind. He was matched to race against Estacado and Belle Mc, but the race did not materialize, so he was prepared for trials against the watch with the result that at Syracuse he paced in 2:00 1/4 on September 15, and just a week later he paced a mile over the Readville track in 1:59 1/4, equaling the record without pacesmaker in front, made over the same track.

The first quarter, half and three-quarters were paced respectively in 29 seconds, 57 1/2 seconds, and 1:27 1/2, which are the best figures for the various distances without the pacesmaker in front. The pacesmaker failed him at the three-eighths and from there he came on all alone, a performance without parallel in a record mile.

Audubon Boy is a chestnut horse and was foaled in 1887 at Patchen Wilkes farm, Lexington, Ky. He is by J. J. Audubon, dam Flaxey, by Bourne.

Wilkes, Flaxey is also the dam of Royal R. Sheldon, 2:04 1/2. Audubon Boy is a descendant of Alcayon, 2:27, all things considered the greatest son of George Wilkes, 2:22, as a progenitor of extreme horse speed.

PUG LOOKED FOR OWL,

AND WAS KNOCKED OUT

Lawrenceburg, Ind., Feb. 6.—The fifteen-round contest scheduled between Harry Neal and James Van Sickle for the heavyweight championship of Indiana took place last night on the bank of the Ohio River, below Petersburg, Ky., the affair terminated abruptly. During the first round a large hood owl flew into the tent, which caused consternation among the spectators, and Neal looked up to see the owl, when Van Sickle struck him a terrific blow on the jugular vein, knocking him unconscious. His second, Timothy Schneider, grabbed an empty bucket and ran to the river for water, and in attempting to go out upon the foot plank attached to the little boat, called the Blue Wing, from Vevay, Ind., he fell into the river. He uttered loud cries for help, and had it not been for the prompt arrival of Boaz Thompson and Al Roberts, Schneider would have drowned. The rest of the sports, hearing the loud cries for help, became alarmed and fled in terror to the woods nearby, they thinking that Schneider had been arrested by the sheriff.

The crowd did not get home until early this morning, as some of the



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LOCAL MARKET.

Wednesday, Feb. 7.
There was a fairly brisk demand for
the 20 loads of hay that were offered.
Sales were made at \$7.50 and \$8 per
ton, mostly at the latter figure.

Oats sold at \$1.05 to \$1.07 per cwt.
Only sold at the higher figure.

Straw was dull at \$5 and \$5.50 per
ton.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Owing to the cold weather the last
six days, the markets held here were
below the average. Consequently the
amount of business transacted was
comparatively small in comparison
with the previous week. The demand
in all lines was brisk. There was no
material change in prices excepting for
live hogs.

Grain—The supply of oats about
equals the demand. Prices are steady
at \$1.04 to \$1.06, per cwt. Wheat is
in more freely. Prices are un-
changed at \$1.05 per bushel. Barley is
in demand and is now selling at
\$1.05 to \$1.06 per cwt. The dealers have
received several carloads of corn, which
are selling in wholesale lots at
\$1.05 per cwt. This is no doubt
the main reason for the drop in the
price of barley.

Hay and Straw—Compared with the
previous week, the supply of hay has been
small. Sales are moderately brisk
at \$7.50 per ton. Straw is very dull.
Delivery was unusually large. Prices are
easier at \$5.50 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter is a trifle
easier. Some of the large lots shipped
by the country storekeepers were
sold to the dealers at 15¢ and 20¢ for
this and crocks. On this market
the price is 15¢ to 16¢ per pound.

The cold weather has decreased
the supply of eggs. The dealers have
few stocks on hand, which has pre-
vented prices from going much higher.
Eggs are made at present at 20¢ per
dozen for crate lots, and 22¢ for smaller
lots.

Potatoes—The cold weather has cur-
tailed the supply. Prices are steady at
\$1.00 to \$1.05 per bag.

Apples—There is a fairly brisk de-
mand for apples, especially the best
grades, which sell at \$3 to \$3.50 per
barrel. Inferior stock sells at 75¢ to
\$1.10 per bag, or \$2 to \$2.50 per barrel.

Poultry—The supply is fair, the de-
mand is quite brisk. The following
prices are most frequently paid: Tur-
keys, dressed, 14¢ to 16¢ per pound;
ducks, dressed, 10¢ to 12¢ per pound;
chickens, dressed, 10¢ to 12¢ per pound;
or 7¢ to 10¢ per pair; old fowl, 5¢ to
6¢ per pound, or 7¢ to 10¢ per pair.

Dressed Hogs—Prices keep up well,
considering that the price of live hogs
is considerably lower; sales are made
mostly at \$9 per cwt, quite a number
at \$9.25 per cwt.

Live Hogs—It was intimated in last
week's market report of this paper that
prices of live hogs would go con-
siderably lower, and it was confirmed
on Monday, when 40¢ per cwt. less was
paid than on the previous Monday. A
further decline is expected, as at To-
ronto they only sold at \$6.50 per cwt. for
selects. Prices for next Monday's ship-
ment has not as yet been declared. It
will be about \$5.25 or \$5.25 per cwt.
There is nothing doing in small pigs,
as there has been only one lot offered
during the past two weeks.

Honey—Last season's output is pretty
well sold out. What little is pro-
duced by the dealers is bought at 8¢ to
9¢ for strained, or 12¢ to 15¢ for
honey in the comb.

Hides and Skins—Hides have dropped
half a cent per pound since last
week.

GRAND TRUNK

Shares bought and sold. Private wire
system of Bartlett, Frazer & Cunningham,
members New York Stock Exchange, Chi-
cago Board of Trade, etc.

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FLAXSEED.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Flaxseed—Northwest,
\$1.15; southwest, \$1.16; May, \$1.17.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO, Feb. 6.—The prospects of a
light run at the market today this
morning helped to make trade pretty
brisk, but as the morning advanced the
market gradually held up to its early
promise. Butchers were in most cases
already fairly well supplied with cattle
for present purposes, and were not dis-
posed to face high prices, and an ex-
tremely low temperature at the same
time. The result was that toward the
close of the market, and notwithstanding
the light run, there were several drovers
and farmers with loads of cattle still
on their hands. As these were not the
pick of the offerings for the day, the
market showed a tendency to ease off
a little for the medium and common
cattle. On the whole prices for good to
choice butchers' cattle were firm, and
the common and medium were a trifle
easier. Stockers and feeders' market steady,
but business not very active in these
lines. Good heavy feeders are all right.
Sheep and lambs—The market is
steady. Run rather light and prospects
dull.

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ment, gaining the good-
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LIBERAL GRANT BY STOCKMEN

MANUFACTURERS FOR MORE TARIFF AGAINST FOREIGN COUNTRIES

The Shorthorn Breeders Add
\$1,550 to Previous Gifts

TO PROVINCIAL ASSOCIATION

Minister of Agriculture Contends
Says Government Will Afford
Substantial Aid.

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Hon. Nelson Mon-
teith, minister of agriculture, deliv-
ered a brief and interesting address at
the opening session of the twelfth
annual meeting of the Dominion
Shorthorn Breeders' Association at
St. George's Hall this morning.

"You have probably the premier as-
sociation for the advancement of live
stock interests," declared the minister,
"and I want you to be assured that
the department of agriculture is deeply
interested in your work. We desire
to keep in touch with you—a union
which I am sure will be mutually ad-
vantageous."

There was a representative attend-
ance of the breeders present. Mr. W. G.
Pettit, of Freeman, the president,
introduced Hon. Mr. Monteith amid
hearty applause.

The secretary, Mr. Henry Wade,
submitted the financial statement
showing a credit balance of \$8,687.17.

It was decided to give the following
grants to provincial associations this
year: British Columbia \$200, Alberta
\$400, Saskatchewan \$300, Manitoba
\$500, Ontario \$2,000, Quebec \$200, New
Brunswick \$100, Prince Edward \$100,
Nova Scotia \$100, and Winter Fair at
Quebec \$500—a total increase in grants
of \$1,550.

The president in his annual address,
delivered at 2:30 this afternoon, con-
gratulated the association on the past
year—the best in its history. The re-
moval of the office to Ottawa was
very advantageous. The present
year had been a prosperous one for the
farmers and breeders of America, good
prices being paid, and the president
urged a further development of foreign
trade. He endorsed the distribution of
liberal grants to all the provinces.

Another field which breeders are ad-
vised to keep in view is the present
Republic. The buyers from that
country do not hesitate to pay the
price if they see the animals they
want, as has been witnessed at many
a public and private sale in the old
country.

The financial statement reveals a
satisfactory condition of affairs. Reg-
istration fees amounted to \$12,720.60;
2,538 members' fees at \$2 produced
\$5,076; interest on deposits realized
\$186.81, and the total receipts, includ-
ing a balance from last statement,
reached \$20,779.19. Amongst the
disbursements \$24.75 was paid in
salaries and \$2,250 in prizes at
provincial shows, and there is a
balance of \$5,687.17, being \$2,994.23 for
Toronto, and Ottawa \$5,692.94.

The Holstein-Friesian Cattle Breed-
ers' Association of Canada held their
annual meeting at the Iroquois Hotel
today.

Sixty-one new members have been
initiated during the year, while the
registrations have increased by 31 to 610
over the previous year.

The report of the association showed
that the past year has been one of
increased prosperity. The gain in
registration is gratifying, as 942 cows
and 650 bulls have been registered, a
total of 1,592, which is 655 more than
last year.

Transfer certificates to the number
of 1,302 have been issued during the
year. Fifty-eight official records have
been accepted for the Record of Merit
in the year.

Fifty-nine members have joined dur-
ing the year, as against thirty last
year.

The association has a balance of
\$2,450 on hand, an increase of \$225 over
last year.

Grants to fairs were voted as fol-
lows: Toronto Industrial Exhibition
\$100, Ottawa Winter Fair \$100, Ontario
Winter Fair at Guelph \$100, London
Fair \$50.

SOME RESULTS OF TORPID LIVER

When the liver gets torpid and in-
active, bile is left in the blood—causing
jaundice.

Indigestion results, because the liver
is an important organ of digestion.

Constipation arises, because bile from
the liver is nature's own cathartic.

A torpid liver means a poisoned sys-
tem—pain, suffering, chronic disease.

By their extraordinary influence on
the liver Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills
positively remove the cause of such dis-
orders.

Biliousness, dyspepsia, constipation,
headaches, backaches and bodily pains
disappear when the digestive, filtering
and excretory systems are set right by
the use of this great medicine.

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any of the symptoms of torpid liver
and biliousness, put Dr. Chase's Kid-
ney-Liver Pills to the test, and you
will then understand why this great
medicine is considered indispensable in
the great majority of homes.

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ers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., To-
ronto.

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mele's Vegetable Pills are compounded
from roots, herbs and solid extracts of
known virtue in the treatment of liver
and kidney complaints, and in giving tone
to the system, whether enfeebled by over-
worked through excess in living. They require no testimonial. Their
excellent qualities are well known to all
who have used them, and they commend
themselves to dyspeptics and those sub-
ject to biliousness who are in quest of a
beneficial medicine.

If husbands and wives loved each
other as they love themselves there
would be no need of divorce courts.

Memorial Presented to Govern- ment by the Canadian Association.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—At the afternoon
session of the tariff commission an im-
portant memorial, advocating protec-
tion to Dominion industries, was pre-
sented by C. C. Ballantyne, president
of the Canadian Manufacturers' As-
sociation. In the course of his remarks
he said:

"You have heard the individual re-
quests of many of the members of this
association in various parts of the Do-
minion. We now desire merely to in-
dicate the general direction of the
changes which we think necessary. To
express our views in a single sentence,
we desire to make in Canada every-
thing which can reasonably be man-
ufactured here, and to buy our surplus
requirements so far as it is reasonable
to do so, from British sources. To this
end, we desire a higher tariff than we
now have against all foreign countries.
While we do not favor any discrimina-
tion against the United States as
against other foreign countries, yet the
proximity of the great republic
with its gigantic combinations of
capital, its keen businessness, and its
constant surplus production, subject
the manufacturers of Canada to com-
petition which, unless properly safe-

guarded, means certain ruin. More-
over, it has become evident that United
States manufacturers, instead of re-
sponding proposed increases in our
tariff, will establish branch factories
in Canada as soon as the Canadian
tariff is sufficiently high to warrant
them in doing so. We desire reason-
able competition with the industries of
Great Britain and the other portions
of the empire, that is, we desire a tariff
against these countries which will
equalize for the Canadian manufactur-
er the disadvantages under which he
works in the higher cost of labor, cap-
ital, machinery, etc.—a tariff which
will enable him to at least compete on
equal terms in his home market with
the manufacturers of Great Britain.
We favor the offer of a substantial
preference to the other portions of the
empire, but we are strongly opposed
to any policy which will prevent or
limit the development of our own re-
sources.

"With regard to the proposed policy
of a maximum, minimum and prefer-
ential tariff, we have only to say that
so long as it encourages Canadian en-
terprise to make everything we can at
home, and to buy our surplus require-
ments, as far as possible from British
sources, we believe it to be in the
best interests of the Canadian people.
If, however, such a policy should ulti-
mately result in extending the mini-
mum tariff to the United States, we
are absolutely opposed to it.

ALL THE FAMILY WERE EMPERORS

Story About Archduke and a
Farmer Who Thought He
Was Crazy Man.

Vienna, Feb. 7.—An anecdote, hith-
erto unpublished, concerning Archduke
Francis Charles, father of the Em-
peror of Austria, appears in a new
book written by a retired diplomat, just
published here.

During a walk alone in the Styrian
hills, the archduke got into conversa-
tion with a talkative farmer, who, af-
ter giving a good deal of information
about his own family, suddenly asked
the archduke:

"What's your father?"

"Emperor," was the answer.

"Look here," said the farmer, "if you
want to be funny, don't you shout.
There are gendarmes about, and you
might easily get run in for lese ma-
jesté. I dare say you're a brother,
what's he?"

"Oh, he's an emperor, too."

"Well, you are a funny chap," said
the farmer, laughing heartily. "Have
you any children?"

"Yes, thank God, there's my boy,
Francis Joseph."

"What's he?"

"Emperor."

"Ha, ha!" roared the farmer, digging
the father of emperors in the ribs,
"have you any more sons of that sort?"

"Yes, a second called Max."

"Isn't he an emperor?"

"Yes, he is also an emperor."

After relieving his feelings by giving
a wild leap in the air, the farmer clapped
the archduke on the shoulder, and
said: "Look here, old friend. The next
time you're passing through the Asylum,
drop in and see if there happens to be
a place vacant."

CZAR'S EYES ON MONGOLIA

Treaty Negotiations With China Give
Hint of Her Plans.

Peking, Feb. 7.—The lines on which
M. Pokotloff, the Russian minister, is
negotiating a new treaty with China
to offset the Chinese-Japanese treaty
suggest that Russia intends to shift
the direction of her expansion from
Manchuria to Mongolia, owing to the
weakness of the war.

Russia requests mining concessions
in Mongolia and commercial privileges
in Chinese Turkestan at Kalgan and
Urga are opened to foreign trade. She
also wants China to consult her first
regarding the terms on which Kalgan
and Urga will be opened. The fact
that the throne has conferred special
honors on Mongolian princes and is
sending an important mission to Mon-
golia confirms the belief that Mongolia
is the future Russian objective.

M. Pokotloff is also pressing for the
same commercial rights in Manchuria
as have been granted to Japan. He
asks China to co-operate with Russia
in making branch railways in the
Amur Province.

STEAMER A NOAH'S ARK

Carried Sea Lions, Snakes, Ante-
lopes, Frogs and Tortoises.

London, Feb. 7.—The steamer Kil-
donan Castle, which recently arrived at
Southampton, had on board one of the
largest cargoes of strange beasts, birds
and reptiles ever brought to this coun-
try. It included 6 large sea lions, 60
penguins, 70 snakes (poisonous and non-
poisonous), 2 sand boas, 30 Cape rab-
bits, 70 South African rock rabbits,
700 small African birds of all sorts and
colors, 10 antelopes, including spring-
bok, bushbok and duikerbok, 17 bee-
birds, 750 tortoises and 300 large green
frogs.

This cargo on this modern Noah's
Ark was ordered by Mr. John D. Ham-
lyn, the London naturalist, who has for
many months past had large parties
of white and native hunters engaged in
catching the animals and birds, the
pursuit being accomplished by many
dangers and adventures.

The recent electrical exhibition in
London was such a financial success
that the executive committee has been
able to refund to the exhibitors much
of the money they paid for space.

RUSS ELECTIONS APRIL SEVENTH

Work Being Rushed on Magnifi-
cent Hall in Which to Hold
the Assembly.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—The elections
to the National Assembly are fixed for
April 7. The opening session will take
place April 28. April 7 and the feast
of the Annunciation, one of the great
Russian holidays.

The three weeks interval between
the elections and the convocations of
the National Assembly is the shortest
time in which the representatives from
Siberia and other remote localities
could arrive here.

The local authorities have the priv-
ilege of beginning the preliminary
elections to choose delegates to the elec-
toral colleges so soon as the registration
lists are complete.

Work on the Tauride Palace, in
which the sessions of the National As-
sembly will be held, is being pushed
night and day by a double force of men
in order to have it ready in time for
the convocation.

Recognizing the advantages of hold-
ing the elections under normal condi-
tions, the cabinet yesterday evening
discussed the questions of abolishing
martial law in view of the greater se-
curity prevailing throughout the em-
pire.

It was decided that this would be
premature as the country is far from
being quiet, armed revolution still
smoldering in the Baltic Provinces
and the Caucasus ready to flare up at
the slightest opportunity.

In addition, agrarian disorders pre-
vail in several districts, notably in
the Government of Saratov, where the
estate of the minister of justice, M.
Akymoff, was plundered and burned
yesterday.

The constitutional Democrats and the
Constitutional Monarchists' Federa-
tion are campaigning on practical busi-
ness lines.

They have opened schools for speak-
ers and the distributing literature and
holding meetings.

TOUGH ON PROFESSOR

Incensed Student Ordered Cartloads
of Goods in His Name.

Geneva, Feb. 7.—Professor Chodat,
of the Geneva University, has been
the victim of an elaborate practical
joke of a student who had a grudge
against him.

Cart after cart appeared at the gates
of the university laden with goods
ordered in the professor's name, the
goods including cigars, carpets, visiting
cards, sponges, hams, a watch, a thou-
sand and cakes and an automobile.

For 24 hours the telephone of the
unfortunate professor was kept ring-
ing by tradespeople, who asked at what
hour his child's christening feast—
a luncheon for 500 persons—was to be
served. The professor finally sought
the protection of the police and the
student was placed under arrest.

FROZEN TO DEATH

Aged Woman of North Easthope
Meets Tragic End.

Stratford, Feb. 6.—News of a sad
case in North Easthope reached here
this afternoon.

Mrs. Corried Blenrach, aged 74, who
has been living alone for a number of
years, was found by neighbors frozen
to death. Friday afternoon deceased
had visited Mr. Andrew Falk, and re-
quested him to place some stovepipes
at her home. Mr. Falk promised to do
work on Saturday morning. When he
arrived at the home of Mrs. Blenrach
he was startled to find her dead
body. She had been frozen during the
night. A family of five daughters and
two sons survive.

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27 only White Chambers, regular price 40c, Thursday price 30c
25 dozen White Ironstone Cups and Saucers, regular 90c dozen,
Thursday price, four for 25c
6 only 97-piece Dinner and Tea Sets, in down blue and Cambridge
green, all gold illuminated and traced, regular price \$15.00,
Thursday price, four for \$12.50
6 only 97-piece Dinner and Tea Sets, in peacock, panel or green
colors, first quality goods, regular \$9.00, Thursday price, four for \$6.98

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DINES THE ENGINEERS

Hon. Mr. Hyman Has Good News
for District Engineers.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 6.—Hon. C. S.
Hyman entertained at a banquet in
the Russell tonight 60 engineers of
the public works department, from all
parts of the Dominion, gathered here
to consult with the minister upon next
season's work.

In the course of his after-dinner ad-
dress Mr. Hyman intimated that all the
district engineers would be placed on
the permanent staff, and probably be
given increases of salary.

An extra of the Canada Gazette was
issued this evening, containing the
proclamation summoning Parliament
for March 8.

WHEN ROOSEVELT QUITS

President Will Tour the Far East
and Do Some Hunting.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Jacob Rills
may seek notoriety by proclaiming a
third term for the President, and other
idolators may hope and pray for such
a thing, but Theodore Roosevelt will
not be betrayed or become entangled
by his fool friends. His destiny is
marked out for him, and when he has
finished his presidential term he hopes
to get a job at the other end of the
avenue.

In the meantime he intends if pos-
sible to travel and do a little shooting.
He saw a good deal of Europe, and
went as far as Constantinople during
his college days, but that was a cool
while ago, and things have changed
since. He has a great desire to go
around the world. He wants to visit
India, China and Japan and the Phil-
ippine Islands have irresistible attrac-
tions for him. If he could be spared
tomorrow he would start for Manila
and his friend Leonard Wood ready to meet
him with a couple of guns and horses
on his arrival for a plunge into the
primeval forest. He can think of no-
thing that he would enjoy more, and
talks about it continually with his in-
timate friends. But that would be only
a diversion; he could not find steady
employment rests upon a seat in
the United States Senate.

There has been some talk of making
him president of Harvard College, and
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Pittsburg, Feb. 7. — In a state of delirium last night, Mrs. R. W. Kavel, of Allegany, killed her new-born babe, and so seriously cut her 3-year-old daughter Margaret with a penknife that her life is despaired of. Mrs. Kavel is in a critical condition, suffering with pneumonia. Her recovery is doubtful.

\$10 Excursion to Washington \$10.

Friday, Feb. 16, via Lehigh Valley Railroad. Tickets only \$10 the round trip from Suspension Bridge. Tickets good ten days. Stop over allowed at Baltimore and Philadelphia on return trip. For tickets and further particulars call on or address Robt. S. Lewis, passenger agent, 10 King street east, Toronto.

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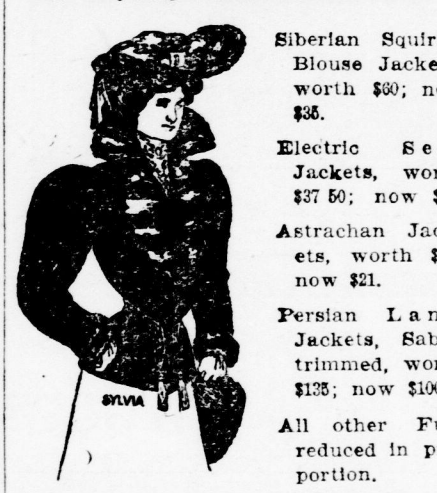
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THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

[From The London Advertiser of Feb. 7, 1871.]
Remember the skating carnival at the Dominion Rink tonight, at the foot of Richmond street.

Messrs. T. Churcher, Murray Anderson, John Williams, Alex. Johnston, John Cameron, Robert Reid, board of trade representatives, and Mayor Cousins, in the interest of the city council, left the city today by the 11:25 G. T. R. train for Kincairdine, Lockport and Wingham. Alderman Graydon follows tomorrow, and will probably be accompanied by Alderman Cornish and Mr. Joseph Atkinson.

The council met last evening at 7:35, his worship the mayor in the chair and all the members present.

H. Strong, on behalf of the employees of Mr. G. Moorhead, asked the use of the hall on the evening of the 18th inst., to hold their annual supper. Granted on payment of current expenses.

Application for the position of Inspector and relief officer were made by David Hughes, J. F. Dundas, Wm. Wignmore, Thomas F. Mackey, Robert Loveless and William H. Hendra.

Alderman Jeffery, chairman of the relief committee, submitted the following report: "That the committee unanimously agreed to recommend the city council to make application to the proper authorities for the use of the hospital recently occupied by the military, the present one being totally unfit for human habitation, and a disgrace to the city. That \$100 be granted for relief purposes."

The railway committee recommended that after the London, Huron and Bruce Railway Bill receives the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor, this council submit a bylaw to the ratepayers of the city of London, granting a bonus of \$1,000 per mile in aid of said railway.

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Alderman A. McCormick's motion regulating the sale of bread by weight, notice of which had previously been given, was at the request of the mover enlarged.

Alderman Egan moved that the sum of \$200 be granted by the council for the purpose of property fronting on Church street. He would also like to see the three acres and a half across the creek purchased, but he would not include it in his motion tonight.

Alderman McCormick opposed the purchase. The price asked was exorbitant. It was not worth more than half the sum demanded.

Alderman Campbell took a similar view. The assessors didn't put it down at half the sum asked. He raised the point of order with regard to money votes, and the motion was left as a notice.

Alderman Fysh gave notice that at the next meeting he would ask for a sum of \$250 to plant shade trees on the exhibition grounds.

The proposed Canadian Pacific Railway is now in the hands of men who appear determined to push it through. A board of provisional directors has been formed, composed of some of the most energetic and wealthy men of the Dominion.

The organization gives promise of success. A Pacific railway through British America is a necessary accomplishment of the contemplated Confederation.

Either this company or some other will have to carry out the scheme.

A Philadelphia paper suggests that the best possible use to which Alaska can be put is to make it a penal colony.

The total railway traffic returns for the Dominion for 1870 were \$12,451,229, against \$12,921,561 for 1869.

The population of the city of New York, as settled by the taking a second time of the census, in order to correct the first, is 46,842.

A London humorous journal thinks that now Mr. Tupper is reading his own works over, he will know what others have suffered.

—Miss Esther Price, of Aylmer, is visiting London friends.

—Miss Bee Richardson, of this city who has been a popular visitor in Wingham for the past year, has returned home.

—Mrs. Eliza Marsh will be pleased to welcome the ladies of the Coldstream Women's Institute at her home on Tuesday, Feb. 13.

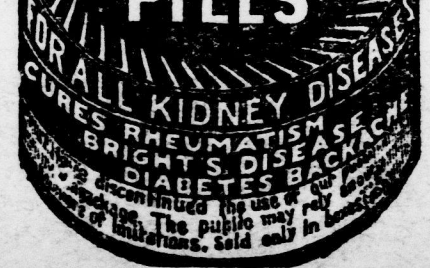
—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. B. Jarvis, of 228 King street, have left for a three-weeks' trip through Florida, Kentucky and other Southern States.

—John Johnston got riotously drunk in Lucan yesterday, and was fined \$5 and costs by Squire McComb for his hilarity.

He was brought to Castle Carter last night by Constable Piper to spend 20 days. John would not pay the price.

—The London and Western Trusts Company, Limited, has received probate of the will of the late Frank Ward, of Wyoming, who left an estate valued at over \$130,000. The same company also becomes trustee for the E. D. Kerby trust.

—Court Lambeth, No. 142, L. O. F., will hold a concert at Lambeth tomorrow evening, at which some of the best artists it is possible to procure will be heard. These will include Miss Lottie Crossley and Mr. Bert Harvey, of Toronto, well and favorably known as entertainers. They will be assisted by some first-class London



talent. The affair promises to be a very enjoyable one.

TWILIGHT ORGAN RECITAL.
Mr. Jordan is to play the same programme next Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, where he played last Saturday at the Metropolitan Church, Toronto. He will be assisted by Mr. Albert Greenlaw, the baritone, who is so well known, and such a favorite here.

THE MILITARY CONCERT.
There are still lots of splendid seats at 50 and 75 cents on the plan at Northumberland for the Pittsburgh Opera. As the platform is placed in the center of the hall, every seat is good. The plan is open every day from 9 till 6 o'clock. Madam Rider-Kelsey, the soprano, is to sing Liszt's "Lorelei" with the orchestra, and three songs with the piano. Those who have tickets are requested to note the entrance, as the east and west doors are to be used to avoid making a draft in the building.

A SPLENDID CONCERT.
The concert in the Wellington Street Church last night was very successful. The great attraction was Madam Egbert, soprano, of Detroit, who gave in all six songs in a magnificent manner. The honors of the evening were shared by Miss Winnie Short, elocutionist, who gave five numbers in a manner very satisfactory. The finances were very satisfactory. The officers were elected as follows: Bro. George Neeley, M. P. P., county master, re-elected; Bro. W. B. Walker, deputy county master; Bro. H. Matron, financial secretary; Bro. S. H. Wood, recording secretary; Bro. J. E. Showler, distiller; Bro. Charles McGuffin, lecturer; Bro. Frank Weymouth and Bro. Walter Taylor, lecturers.

NEELEY RE-ELECTED.
The annual meeting of the Orange-ange of the County Lodge of East Middlesex was held yesterday afternoon in Duffield Hall. There was a large representation of Orangemen present. The reports of the various committees were read and adopted. The affairs of the lodge were found to be in a flourishing condition. The officers were elected as follows: Bro. George Neeley, M. P. P., county master, re-elected; Bro. W. B. Walker, deputy county master; Bro. H. Matron, financial secretary; Bro. S. H. Wood, recording secretary; Bro. J. E. Showler, distiller; Bro. Charles McGuffin, lecturer; Bro. Frank Weymouth and Bro. Walter Taylor, lecturers.

INCREASES ASKED; SOME ARE GRANTED

School Board Advances Salaries of Vice-Principals—Attendance at Schools Growing.

At the monthly meeting of the board of education yesterday afternoon, the fanthors of the public schools asked for an increase of 10 per cent in their salaries. They based their plea on the fact that the cost of living has greatly increased, and salaries of men in all other walks of life have been advanced.

A motion to file the communication was defeated, and it was sent to No. 2 committee for consideration.

The teachers of the Normal Training School asked that the salary of \$100 a year be increased to \$200 a year. Missed.

On motion of Trustee McCormick, the board decided to increase the salary of Mr. John Clement, the superintendent of works, from \$600 to \$700 per annum.

The board also raised the salaries of Assistant Principals Wyatt, of Princess avenue, and Parkinson, of St. George's schools, to \$600 per year, with the stipulation that each be given an annual increase of \$25 until the salary of \$700 shall have been reached.

Miss Rachael Carrie was appointed to the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss L. McDiarmid, director of the West London kindergarten.

It was decided to purchase a duplicator for the use of the kindergarten staff.

The board filed the application of Miss Adams, who asked to be placed on the list of substitute teachers, and also the application of Miss Rebecca Lee for appointment to the permanent staff.

Miss Ethel Rymell was appointed stenographer in the office of Principal Radcliffe at the Collegiate Institute.

They Like Vaudeville.
Truant Officer Weir reported to the board that while the attendance at the school was very good until a week or so ago, the fine weather which at that time set in, caused quite a few boys and girls to quit school.

"I find it necessary to watch Bennett's Vaudeville Theater very closely," said Mr. Weir, "for the performance for the children as well as their elders. I believe that the application of the strap will be needed to persuade the youngsters to remain at school."

Principal Radcliffe's report stated that there are 592 pupils on the general course roll at the Collegiate Institute, with an average daily attendance of 536.4. On the commercial course roll

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there are 94 pupils, with an average daily attendance of \$5.6. Total rolls, 686; total average attendance, 623.

Inspector Edwards in his report informed the board that the very important study of music is falling behind in the schools, and he urged that a musical director be appointed at once. Referred to No. 2 committee.

The attendance at the schools has been most satisfactory. There are on the public school rolls 4,909, as compared with 4,819 in 1905, and 4,663 in 1904. The average attendance was 4,430, as compared with 4,230 in 1905 and 3,859 in 1904. The enrollment in the kindergarten was 603, against 509 in 1905 and 446 in 1904. The average attendance was 454, as compared with 266 in 1905 and 266 in 1904.

Mr. Edwards also drew the attention of the board to the success which has followed the closing of the floors in the Simco street school, and he recommended that the floors of all other schools be closed.

Cerebro's Salt will not cake. 15c. Smythe's, Richmond and Hyman, Phone 1251.

ROCKETS' BIG CARNIVAL

Fancy Costume Affair at Westminster Rink a Splendid Success.

The Rocket Club's fifth annual carnival, held last evening in the Westminster Rink, proved to be a huge success. The main essential—the ice—was in splendid shape, and a great number of young people were in costume. The gaily-dressed crowd gliding round and round 'neath the pretty decorations, formed a moving picture of color and gaiety which it was a distinct pleasure to behold. Many of the costumes were very elaborate. Tramps and fairy queens skated hand-in-hand. Kings, dukes, cavaliers, cowboys, all were there, and everyone was happy.

Mr. Charlton and Miss Stetson won the prize of \$5 for the best-dressed couple, and Miss Alice Cox received \$1.00 for being the best-dressed lady. Miss Minnie Ward represented a Scotch lassie, and won the admiration of all who saw her. Miss Ward received the first prize of \$1 for the best character. Arthur Macdonald was the best-dressed juvenile, and he received \$1. Tony Caravello, dressed as a peon, won the prize of \$1 for the best comic make-up, and Miss Annie Askey was the best lady skater on the ice. She received the first prize of \$1.00.

The music for the evening was furnished by the Cadet Band. Financially the affair was also very successful, there being a very large crowd present.

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MEN'S OVERCOATS, in fancy tweeds and plain shades of gray, loose fitting, A1 trimmed, fit guaranteed, regular \$10.00, for..... \$5.00

GRAY UNION BLANKETS, extra large size, 4 and 5 lbs, with heavy border, regular \$2.00, for, pair..... \$1.00

MEN'S STORM KING FRIEZE COATS, tweed lined, large buttons, with belts, all sizes, regular \$7, for \$3.50

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MEN'S WORKING MITTS with cuff, regular 50c, for... 35c

BOYS' WORKING MITTS with cuff, regular 35c, for... 23c

Veteran Tar Dead.

Sombra, Feb. 6. — Captain Joseph Stover, a veteran sailor of the lakes, dropped dead in Marine City, Mich., yesterday.

Captain Stover was 70 years of age, and had resided in Sombra nearly all his life. He leaves two sons and three daughters.

Twenty-five bars Comfort Soap for \$1. Smythe's, Richmond and Hyman streets.

Peck Resigns.

Windsor, Feb. 6. — Samuel K. Peck, who was elected a water commissioner last month, and later on was appointed a license commissioner by the Government, unsolicited by himself, has resigned the license commissionership.

Charge Dismissed.

Windsor, Feb. 6. — Ald. Alfred Watson will hold his seat in the council, the case brought against him by ex-Ald. Martin on the charge that Wed-

son had not the necessary property qualification having been dismissed today.

Recently thousands of rats were seen running along some of the streets of Paris, near the Eastern station. They had been driven from their haunts by the destruction of