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PLUMBERS' STRIKE AT AN END; MEN APPARENTLY SCORE A WIN

CITY IMPROVEMENT DEBT A MORTGAGE?

Point Is Raised at the City Hall by a Purchaser of Property.

Is a local improvement charge against a property mortgage, in the sense that a property cannot be declared free and clear of all encumbrance until such time as the local improvement charges against it have been made good or have been paid off?

A certain lawyer in London says it is, and his client is prepared to take the case to the courts rather than accept a property which he purchased until the local improvement debt has been wiped out.

The case is a peculiar one, and is of much interest to those who are buying or selling property.

A certain gentleman of London has a daughter who is to be married shortly. He thought she was going to live in London, and for a wedding present he purchased a handsome residence for her.

One of the interested parties was at the city hall today making inquiries on the subject, and it is understood that City Clerk Baker has received assurances from a reliable legal source that a local improvement debt may be considered a mortgage against a property.

PROF. SHORTT ARBITRATOR

Appointed by Government in Grand Trunk Machinist Dispute.

Kingston, Ont., May 5.—Hon. Rudolph Lemieux, minister of labor, has appointed Professor Adam Shortt, M.A., of Queen's University, chairman of the board of conciliation and investigation into the troubles existing between the Grand Trunk Railway Company and its machinists.

LAST DAY FOR TENDERS

Contractors Crowd Capital Seeking Contracts for Dredging.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 6.—This is the last day for receiving tenders for dredging by the public works department.

J. G. O'Donoghue, Toronto, will represent the men in the investigation board in connection with the trouble between the machinists and the G. T. R. Mr. Champion, who was first selected, has resigned.

Beautiful Ellen Terry Weds Her Leading Man

DISASTROUS FIRE AT QUEEN CITY

A \$150,000 Conflagration in the Mercantile District of Toronto.

Toronto, May 5.—A disastrous fire occurred last evening in the five-story Knox Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of ladies' and children's headgear.

The Knox Company had insurance of \$61,000. The Kloepper loss is fully insured.

Only One Shop Is Now Out, and It Is Negotiating With Men This Afternoon.

The plumbers' strike appears to be a thing of the past, and the men have apparently won a victory.

It is understood that every firm in the city, with the exception of Smith Bros. & Co., are paying the 35 cents an hour, and negotiations are going on this afternoon with the firm mentioned, which it is expected will lead to a settlement.

It is alleged by some of the bosses that all the firms for which union men are working are not paying the union scale of wages, and that in some instances only verbal agreements have been made with the men.

The bosses deny that there is to be any increase in plumbing charges to the public to make up for the increase in wages.

Bricklayers Stand Firm

The bricklayers of the city held a meeting Saturday afternoon and discussed at great length the request which has been made for an increase in wages.

They remained steadfast to their proposition for a three years' contract, with a wage scale of 43 cents an hour for the first year, 45 cents for the second year, and 47 1/2 cents for the third year.

A committee was named to meet the bosses, of which W. R. Hawthorne was chairman, and Fourth Vice-President (Continued on Page Eight.)

GRAND TRUNK AND THE CITY

Former Receives Council's Draft Agreement and Promises Immediate Attention.

The long-looked-for reply from the Grand Trunk Railway to the city's communication, sent some time ago, along with a draft agreement, has been received by City Clerk Baker.

Contrary to expectations, it is not from Manager Brownlee, but comes instead from Third Vice-President Fitzhugh.

The communication is brief and to the point.

It acknowledges the city's favor and also the receipt of the draft agreement, which was framed by the railway committee of the city council.

Mr. Fitzhugh says that the negotiations will now be taken up and that the city's proposals will be gone into immediately.

Nothing is said, however, of the officials of the company coming to London.

There is a hopeful feeling around the city hall today, and it is regarded as almost certain now that an agreement will be reached this year, and that everything will be ready for the taking of a vote of the people on the city's proposal in January next.

Manager Brownlee was in the city today, but he had no conference with the mayor.

DUKEDOM FOR STRATHCONA

Montreal Hears of Great Honor for the High Commissioner.

Montreal, May 5.—Rumor has it that Lord Strathcona is about to be made a duke. It is said the title will be conferred on Victoria Day.

New York, May 6.—Announcement was made today that Ellen Terry, the English actress, is again a bride. She was married to James Carew, her leading man, in Pittsburg, on March 22.

The ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace.

For reasons that have not been disclosed, announcement of the marriage was deferred until the famous English actress was on the sea, bound for her native land. She sailed on Saturday, and Mr. Carew, who was obliged to remain in America to look after urgent business, decided, with her consent of course, to make the fact known forthwith.

In years Mr. Carew is much the junior of his bride. He is 35 years old, while she is 59. She has already been married twice. Nevertheless, it is understood by all their friends that it was purely a love match, the beginning of which was soon after their first meeting.

Mr. Carew, who is a native of Indiana, is well known on the stage.

DEATH CALLS "IAN M'LAREN"

Famous Author of Bonnie Briar Bush Passes Away at Burlington, Iowa.

Burlington, Ia., May 6.—Dr. John Watson (Ian MacLaren) died at 11:15 a.m. today, at Mountain Pleasant, Iowa. The cause was blood-poisoning from tonsillitis. He was taken ill at Mount Pleasant on April 25.

IT WASN'T THE COUNT

Portland, Ore., May 6.—A dispatch to the Oregonian from Klamath Falls, Ore., says that the Count Otto Von Waldenstein, who was reported to have been killed at Willowdale, Cal., a few days ago, is alive and well at Klamath Falls, Ore., where he is employed on Government reclamation work.

RATEPAYERS ONLY CAN HAVE VOTE ON THE WATER QUESTION

HINDUS BURN MISSION HOUSES

Recent Riotous Outbreaks at Rawalpindi Directed Against the Christians.

Lahore, British India, May 6.—The Hindu outbreak at Rawalpindi appears to have been anti-Christian as well as anti-European. The mission buildings were the special object of the fury of the rioters.

A meeting of the commissioners is to be held tomorrow, at which the vote matter will probably be finally settled.

Mr. Darch admits that the borings conducted by the commissioners, with a view to securing water from artesian wells, have proven unsuccessful, but the commissioners have nevertheless succeeded in securing not less than 400,000 gallons of water per day, and probably 800,000 gallons a day.

The McGregory syndicate is under contract to supply not less than 300,000 gallons per day by the middle of June, and Engineer Moore says that not less than 125,000 gallons of water per day can be secured from the well on the property of the London Showcase Company.

It is fully expected, however, that the McGregory people will deliver to the city 500,000 gallons of water per day by July, while Mr. Moore thinks that 200,000 gallons a day may be secured from the showcase well, though he does not guarantee any more than the 125,000 gallons referred to.

Thus the city is on easy street for water this year, and the people of London who have lawn services will "cheer" because no lawn rates are being charged this year.

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TURKISH BATTALIONS WIPED OUT BY REBELS

Sultan's Troops Suffer Severe Reverse in Turkish Armenia.

London, May 6.—It was announced this afternoon in a special dispatch from Constantinople that several battalions of Turkish troops have practically been annihilated during a battle with rebels in the province of Yemah, Turkish Armenia.

The commander-in-chief of the Turkish forces is urgently calling for re-inforcements.

London, May 6.—Three men were asphyxiated today at a cheap boarding house at 342 St. James street, kept by Mrs. J. Smith, Miss Mary McGillick, the dead man, was a baker; McGillick, an employee of the Peck rolling mills, and Brindle, the third victim, was a laborer around Henry Birks' establishment. The trio had been drinking, and it is thought they may have broken the gas jet and so allowed the fumes to escape. An inquest will be held.

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Explosion of Gas Almost Costs Traveler His Life

CHANGE OF VENUE IN ELECTION CASE

Application Is Made at Osgoode Hall, and Judgement Reserved.

The London election case came up at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, this morning, when an application was made for a change of venue from Toronto to London.

The application was made before Mr. Justice Britton, Mr. E. F. Johnston appearing in behalf of the several defendants.

The application was opposed by Mr. George Lynch-Staunton, of Hamilton, who is to act as crown prosecutor.

Mr. Justice Britton reserved judgement.

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Lighted Match to Locate Leak—Rescued With Difficulty in Unconscious Condition.

Mr. James Angus, a traveler for R. C. Struthers & Co., narrowly escaped death Saturday night in an explosion of illuminating gas, which partially wrecked what is known as the Arcade Bowling Alleys at 436 Richmond street, immediately opposite Caring street.

Mr. Angus was very badly burned, and is now in Victoria Hospital, whither he was removed after the accident. His physician says he will recover.

At 12:10, Mr. Angus was in the bowling alleys. He had been to the theater in the evening, and after the performance had dropped into the Arcade, of which he, with Mr. Charles Stewart, is the proprietor. After attending to some business matters, Mr. Angus had occasion to go into the basement. He noticed a strong odor of gas, and, without a thought, he lighted a match.

Terrific Explosion.

In an instant, there was an explosion which knocked Mr. Angus' headling into a pile of wooden boxes, and smashed the large plate glass window to the south of the Richmond street entrance, and in an instant enveloped the place in flames.

The policeman on the beat pulled the box at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, and someone also sent in a phone alarm.

A large crowd soon gathered, and Mr. Stewart, the manager of the alleys, shouted that Angus was in the basement. He, with others, made repeated efforts to save the half-conscious man, but every time they attempted to get him out, a fresh explosion would occur.

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WOODS' FAIR

NOTIONS AND SOAP DEPARTMENT

We set the pace on Notion pricing, and Notion selling. We have got the business by selling these "little things" on the same margin we do drygoods and tinware. When you buy Notions at our store you buy them at headquarters.

- | NOTIONS | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Dressing Combs | 10c, 15c, 25c |
| Fine Combs | 5c, 10c, 15c |
| Hair Brushes | 15c, 25c, 35c |
| Pearl Buttons, a dozen | 5c, 10c |
| Hat Pins, a dozen | 5c |
| Hair Pins, in cabinet | 50c and 10c |
| Milinery Pins, 2 cards | 5c |
| Safety Pins, a card | 5c |
| Best English Brass Pins, a paper | 5c |
| Tooth Brushes | 5c, 10c, 15c |
| Hair Pins | 25c |
| Curling Tongs | 5c, 10c |
| Thumbtacks | 1c, 2c, 5c, 8c |
| Outholders, a pair | 10c |
| Collar Buttons, a card | 5c and 10c |
| SOAPS | |
| Jergens' Pumice Hand Soap, a cake | 5c |
| Williams' Shaving Soap | 5c, 10c |
| Mechanics' Tar Soap | 10c |
| Armour's Large Tar Soap | 10c |
| Black Jar Tar Soap | 5c |
| Transparent Glycerine | 5c |
| English Eiderdown | 10c |
| Imported Castle Bar, a bar | 15c |
| Stanley Perfumes, 2 for | 15c |
| Star Ammonia, a package | 5c |
| Lawson's large package | 5c |
| Klein's Ammonia | 5c and 10c |
| Liquid Ammonia, a bottle | 5c |
| Chloride of Lime, a can | 5c |
| Lime of Potash, 2 for | 25c |

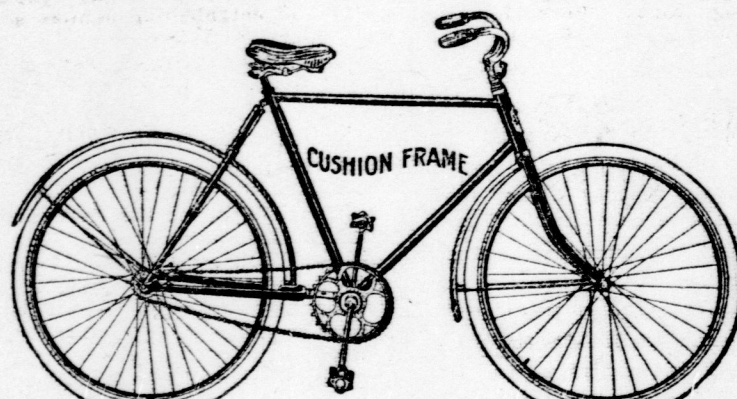
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Radway's Ready Relief
BACKACHE, LUMBAGO, PAIN IN THE KIDNEYS and PELVIC ORGANS
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Statistics of the board of health show that the general death rate in New York City is decreasing in all diseases excepting the four groups of acute respiratory troubles, cancer, disease of the heart and diseases of the kidneys.

We always have on hand a large assortment of used Square and Upright Pianos at \$50 to \$150, payable 50 cents per week. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas, corner Clarence. 23-1f.

EAST END COUPLE 50 YEARS WEDDED

Mr. and Mrs. James McAlpine Celebrate Golden Wedding With Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James McAlpine, of 519 Dundas street, celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday evening last. Many friends and relatives from a distance and also a number from this city, were present, and a most enjoyable time was spent.

Many beautiful presents were received by the aged couple, who were married in Simcoe, Norfolk County, in 1857, by Rev. Francis Evans, rector of Woodhouse.

Mr. McAlpine was born in Scotland, but came to Canada and settled in St. Catharines. He afterwards moved to Villanova, Norfolk County, where he resided for eight years. Kincardine was his next place of residence. He resided there until 1881, when he came to this city and accepted a position with the Grand Trunk Railway Company, with whom he was employed until a few years ago, when he retired. Mrs. McAlpine is still hale and hearty.

Mrs. McAlpine is not in the best of health, but was able to enjoy the wedding celebration to the fullest extent.

The following were among the guests present: Mr. and Mrs. S. Wray, Mr. E. B. Lancelotti and Mrs. Lancelotti, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. P. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wray, Mrs. Dundas, Mrs. Legg, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. John Glass, Mrs. W. Allen, Lucknow. Rev. Mr. Lancelotti made a speech of congratulation.

Many letters and telegrams of congratulation were received by Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine, from friends who could not be present.

Western Towns' Enterprise. Have Installed Electric Light Plants and Waterworks Systems.

Strathcona, Alta., May 4. — An illustration of the progressive spirit which prevails in western towns, it is only necessary to point to the modern electric light and waterworks system recently installed in this place.

The contract was filled by the Canadian General Electric Company, and it is conceded on every hand that in design the installation is equal to any, and superior to many, of the eastern plants.

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MUSIC AND DRAMA

In Kirke La Shelle's production of "The Bonnie Briar Bush," which comes to the Grand on Thursday and Friday, patrons will be entertained with a charming play, in which Scotch life is portrayed with a simplicity of treatment, together with a delightful combination of dramatic intensity and rich humor, such as is rarely found in the latter-day performances.

Mr. John Whitley, of Stanwood P. O., Ont., knows the merit of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, and says: "I wouldn't be alive today had it not been for Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Last winter I was sick with grippe, and when spring came I was weak, bilious and rheumatic. I used enough medicine, and twenty times, but I didn't get any help till I tried Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They purified my blood, took the yellow color out of my face, put new tone in my stomach, and increased my appetite. The bilious attacks and rheumatic pains gradually departed, and Dr. Hamilton's Pills made a new man of me. I proved their merit, and proclaim them a medicine for all men."

It better health and prompt recovery are important, get Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butterbur today. At all dealers, 25 cents per box, or five boxes for \$1. By mail from N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

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Thousands are in the same boat—all sickly, bilious and feeling far from well. Trouble is, the system is clogged with impurities which need to be cleared away.

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HARPERS' MAGAZINE

On Advertisers and "Just as Good" Articles, January, 1907.

"To make advertising pay, you simply have got to have a good article to advertise. That is why, when you ask for an advertised article in a store and the clerk tries to sell you something 'just as good'—that is a million chances to one that it is not just as good. It can't be, or there would be no reason to substitute it. So if you want the best paint, soap, cocoa or any decent product insist on getting the advertised thing, the best of its kind that exists on earth."

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Refuse substitutes—get what you ask for—insist on having "BABY'S OWN SOAP."

"ROYAL CHEF" IS ALL TO THE MERRY

Sparkling Musical Comedy Delighted Large Audience at the Grand.

Manager Bowers, of the Grand can bank upon it that Saturday afternoon and night he immensely pleased large audiences at the popular theater when "The Royal Chef," Frazee & Wade's sparkling musical comedy, was presented.

The production team with new melody and side-splitting situations, of which the most were made by a very clever cast from both vocal and histrionic standpoints.

The book and lyrics of "The Royal Chef" were written by Stoddard and Taylor, and they are to be congratulated as is also Ben Jerome, who wrote the tuneful score. It cannot be said that the production team with new melody and side-splitting situations, of which the most were made by a very clever cast from both vocal and histrionic standpoints.

A very dainty miss is Elsie Frazee, who took the part of the maid to the prince in the role of Heinrich. Her charming stage presence.

Miss Gertrude Hutcheson, as the princess, was charming, and talented, and displayed a splendid voice to good advantage in the rendition of several pretty numbers.

The chorus work was exceptionally praiseworthy, and the scenic effects were very beautiful.

Advertiser Correspondence

DEMANDS SCOTT'S ARREST. To the Editor of The Advertiser: I read with interest the letter of the senior Attwood in last Saturday's issue of The Advertiser re kidnapping case of his son and grandchild. I was sorry to see that he takes Friend Mitchell's view of the case.

The chorus work was exceptionally praiseworthy, and the scenic effects were very beautiful.

That view of the case may be well as far as the Attwoods are concerned, but this is a most flagrant breach of law and protection, which the public is interested in. I think the public demands the arrest and punishment of Scott as he deserves.

We glory in the fact that we are a law-abiding people; we pay taxes to support a police force for the protection of ourselves, our homes and property; but if a man is allowed to molest a wife's affection, thereby destroying domestic comfort, and, in company with two other thugs, breaks into a man's house at midnight, grab him while he is asleep and by threats that he makes the least noise it will be worse for him, the man shows up with hands behind his back, and in addition the him to the bedstead, abduct his wife and her child, together with two trunks full of clothing and other stuff, silverware, etc., and do it all with impunity, what is the good of our boasted British protection? We might as well disarm our police and trust in future to Judge Lynch. "Oh," they will say, "we are hunting for him."

Well, if they run against him I suppose he will be arrested; but they are hunting very much? If they were they could easily get hold of him in Detroit, as the trunks were checked to Bay City, which is not 200 miles distant. He is doubtless there, or somewhere not far distant.

Scott's crime is an extraordinary offense, and the public demands his arrest. If he is let go free, what account have they that like will not be repeated. Are thugs to be allowed to enter our homes at any time, tie us up or knock us in the head, abduct our wives or daughters, take them across the line, keep them a certain

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THE WEATHER TODAY. THE SATISFACTORY STORE. Unsettled and mild.

Be Prepared For The Warm Season

By having your underwear needs on hand. Our summer stock of Ladies', Men's, Boys' and Children's Cool, Comfortable and Perfect-Fitting Underwear awaits your inspection. (Underwear Department—West Main Floor.)

A Few Prices From The Ladies' Underwear Department

- White Cotton Ribbed Vests. Long sleeves. At.....25c
- Fine White Lisle Vests. Long sleeves. At.....35c, 50c
- Fine quality White Cotton Ribbed Vests. Long sleeves. At.....50c and 75c
- "Merode" Cotton Vests. Long sleeves; neat finish. At.....50c
- White Wool Vests. Long sleeves. At.....75c, \$1, \$1.10
- White Cotton Ribbed Drawers. Umbrella style. At.....25c, 35c and 50c
- White Cotton Ribbed Drawers. Knee length. At.....25c and 50c
- White Balbriggan Drawers. Umbrella style. At.....50c

Children's Parasols

- Near Main Entrance. 300 Fancy Sunshades, in pink, red, blue, helio and green; also fine white coverings of fancy white muslins. 40c value. While they last, your choice.....25c
- Children's Fancy Muslin Parasols. In white, red, blue and pink. Four frills. Sure to please the little ones. Price.....50c

From The Men's Underwear Department

- A full range of sizes in Men's Fine Ribbed Balbriggan Underwear. Excellent value at, only, per suit.....\$1.00
- Men's Unshrinkable Shirts and Drawers, in fine wool, having a cotton thread running through to prevent shrinking. Price, per garment.....75c
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- Penman's double-thread, flat-rib, fine Egyptian yarn Men's Shirts and Drawers. At our price, garment, 50c

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- Second Floor. Special at \$1.35. Splendid quality of white lawn; front trimmed with embroidery insertion; four rows of fagoting and hemstitching; fastened at back. See them. Fine, sheer lawn at \$1.75. Full front of Swiss embroidery; ¾ sleeve; cuff of val. lace insertion; lace collar.

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- Elastic Ribbed Shirts and Drawers at prices ranging from 35c to 50c per garment.
- Boys' Plain Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers at prices ranging from 30c to 45c per garment.
- The "Nazareth" Waist, for girl or boy, all sizes, at.....25c
- Children's Underwear, knee length Combinations, in fine cotton, high neck and long sleeves, at.....75c
- Children's Cotton Vests, in sleeveless and long or short sleeve styles.....12½c up to 30c

Black Taffeta Moderne

Passed into stock within the past week, and selling quickly, too. Better send your order at once. Guaranteed satisfactory for one season. \$1.00 value. Special price.....79c

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- Same price by half or quarter dollar
- Oatmeal, 8 lbs.....25c
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TO QUIT UNION PACIFIC

Wall Street Hears That Harriman is About to Resign.

New York, May 6. — The sharp advance in Union Pacific, more notable because it followed a decided advance last week, today was accompanied by reports that, if true, will have an important bearing on Union Pacific affairs. According to one report, E. H. Harriman is about to resign as president of the company and another story had it that plans for the organization of a holding company, to take over the Union Pacific's investments and other roads, are practically complete.

It is a LIVER PILL.—Many of the ailments that man has to contend with have their origin in a disordered liver, which is a delicate organ, peculiarly susceptible to the disturbances that come from irregular habits or lack of care in eating and drinking. This accounts for the great many liver regulators now pressed on the attention of sufferers. Of these there is none superior to Farnese's Vegetable Pills. Their operation, though gentle, is effective, and the most delicate can use them.

Investigations of the scientists at Washington have recently developed the fact that at present the area of the Dismal Swamp is slowly sinking, and Lake Drummond, in its center, is growing larger. Similar changes have occurred in the past, periods of elevation and subsidence gradually succeeding one another. The average elevation above the sea level is so slight that natural drainage is insufficient to remove the rainfall.

IT RETAINS OLD AND MAKES NEW FRIENDS.—Time was when Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil had but a small field of distribution, but now its territory is wide-spread. Those who first recognized its curative qualities still value it as a specific, and while it retains its old friends it is ever making new. It is certain that whoever once uses it will not be without it.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Has been used for over THIRTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE RESTLESS WITH FEVER, COLIC, OR SOOTHES THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's."

KIDNEY DISEASE COMES ON QUIETLY

Perhaps no other organs work harder than the kidneys to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of Kidney Complaint, but do not suspect it. It may have been in the system for some time. There may have been backaches, swelling of the feet and ankles, disturbances of the urinary organs, such as, brick dust deposit in the urine, highly colored scanty or cloudy urine, bladder pain, frequent or suppressed urination, burning sensation when urinating, etc.

Do not neglect any of these symptoms, for, if neglected they will eventually lead to Bright's Disease, Dropsy and Diabetes.

Doan's Kidney Pills SHOULD BE TAKEN.

They go to the seat of trouble, strengthen the kidneys and help them to filter the blood properly and flush off all the impurities which cause kidney trouble. Mr. Thomas Potts, Massey, Ont., writes: "After I arrived in Canada, from New Zealand, a couple of years ago, I suffered very much from kidney trouble. I tried several remedies, but they did me no good. Finally my back became so lame I could scarcely work. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and after taking them I felt like a new man again."

Price 50 cents per box or 2 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BIRTHS. BRADY—On May 3, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brady, a son. DEATHS. SCOTT—In this city, on May 5, 1907, Margaret, beloved wife of Thomas Scott, aged 76 years and 4 months.

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AMATEUR OPERATIC SOCIETY—There will be no rehearsal for the "Mikado" chorus tonight. Tomorrow at City Hall, 8 p.m. LADIES FREE INSTRUCTIONS FREE—Tonight, Jubilee Rink. Come and learn with us. Every attention given to beginners.

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LIGHTEST RUNNING CREAM SEPARATOR for sale, for sale at the Front & Wood agency, King Street. 32a FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL MATCHED carriage team, bay mares, 5 years old, 15 1/2 hands high. Johnstone Bros., phone 944. 32a

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By H. P. Dwyer, 25 Redan street, on Tuesday, May 7, at 5 o'clock, for the sale of Hamilton Road Methodist Church, lot and building separately or in bulk. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. 25k

LONDONERS FIRST IN TORONTO SHOW

Forest City Equines Make Fine Record at the Horse Show. Toronto, May 4.—Notwithstanding the strong counter-attraction of the opening ball game there was a large attendance at the horse show yesterday afternoon. All the events were keenly contested, and some fine animals were exhibited.

DUB ROOSEVELT THE "UNDESIRABLE"

20,000 New York Socialists in Demonstration for Moyer and Haywood. New York, May 4.—Two lines of women and men—probably 20,000 of them—trailed in parade form through the streets of the upper and lower east side late today to demonstrate their sympathy for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, of the Western Federation of Miners, whose trial on the charge of killing ex-Governor Steuben, of Idaho, will begin next Thursday at Boise. Merging subsequently into a huge crowd at Fortieth street and Lexington avenue, 2,000 or 3,000 of the parade leaders managed to crowd into Grand Central Palace to wind up the demonstration in one of the biggest union labor and socialistic demonstrations seen in New York in a long time.

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LAST SHOW THIS SEASON ALL STAR COMEDY BILL. Julia Redmond & Co. 100—LAUGHS—100 4-Nelson Comiques-4 100—MORE LAUGHS—100

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All rates are not advertised. There are often special rates that can only be obtained by calling. We have passengers booked on nearly every outward-bound steamer. F. B. Clarke, agent, 16 Dundas street, next Bank of Commerce.

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LONDON, MONDAY, MAY 4, 1907.

WANTED-A FIRE-FIGHTING SYSTEM.

Scarcely second in importance to the problem of increasing the city's water supply is the question of fire protection. This latter need the Komoka scheme fails to adequately meet.

The amount of water that could be delivered to the city in case of fire would be limited by the carrying capacity of an 18-inch and a 24-inch main from the present reservoir.

It is very evident that the dual system is the only one which will bring insurance rates down to a reasonable basis. The present rates weigh heavily upon the mercantile community and retard London's industrial progress.

EDUCATION AND TUBERCULOSIS

That the spread of tuberculosis is largely due to the ignorance and consequent indifference of the general public to the terrible nature of the disease, and the possibility of its being checked, if not, indeed, eventually stamped out, is every day becoming more evident.

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TORONTO NOT THE ONLY PLACE.

The closing of Parliament has driven Billy Maclean into the army of the unemployed. Having nothing to do he has been hunting trouble for Toronto. He has discovered that the railroads do not build their schedules with an eye singly to that city, which he calls "The Metropolis," without saying of what.

A MILLENNIUM.

We can look for universal peace about the time the clubwomen have sold the servant girl problem.

MONKS AID STORMBOUND TRAVELLERS.

The monks at the Grand St. Bernard hospice state that this winter has been the most severe experienced for many years. During the five months just ended more than 1,200 stormbound travelers—chiefly Italian workmen and including three British tourists—have been sheltered at the hospice.

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Loans are freely made by the Phil...

Loans are freely made by the Philadelphia commission to the various provinces for the erection of public buildings in the Islands. A Japanese shoe manufacturing concern has secured a contract for shoes for the British army in India. It is one of the largest shoe contracts ever placed.

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A Scouring Soap
A Metal Polish
A Glass Cleaner

Out of the Darkness

"So you are, Gar, every inch of one," returned Robert, anxious to soothe his brother's hurt pride; he never respected Garton more than during this little ebullition of natural resentment. It was not Robert's words, but some strong undercurrent of feeling that made Garton so sore.

"If I blame you," went on Robert, "it is for want of thought and due consideration of what is owing to a woman; you are so unlike other men, and have led so strange a life, that I hardly know how to make you see this; but I can only repeat that you have quite forgotten your position with regard to Miss Maturin. May I speak more plainly?"

"I think you are sufficiently plain, Robert."

"All the same, I cannot allow you to misunderstand my meaning, Gar. I am eight years older than you, and have eight more years' experience—that ought to go for something; and I tell you this, that no one but an accepted lover ought to be doing what you are doing."

"Does friendship go for nothing, then? I think you forget that Miss Maturin and I have been friends from the first. Austin and Mary know that I visit at Bryn; they have never found fault with me."

"Neither should I if you were prudent in respect to those visits. I don't think either Austin or Mary knows how often you are at Bryn—of those daily visits, daily walks, and long excursions. Do you think Blackscar and Kirby don't draw the only natural conclusion from all this? Of course,

people's tongues are loud on the subject. Jack had a good foundation for believing that you and Miss Maturin were engaged."

A hot flush passed across Garton's swarthy face; there was a tight pain at his heart that nearly suffocated him. Were all these pleasant visits, these delightful rambles, to be given up? His voice was changed and husky when he next spoke. Robert thought his manner very strange.

"I am afraid you are right, Bob; I have been very thoughtless." He kept his face averted from his brother, and went on. "I forgot that people are fond of meddling in our business. I thought an Ord would be above such a suspicion, but I see they have misjudged me. I think Miss Maturin would be grieved if she knew of what I was accused."

"Everyone would not consider you a fortune-hunter," returned Robert, in a tone so meaning that Garton stared at him in surprise. "They might think—I am only supposing a case, you know—but they might think, Miss Maturin being young and not so bad looking—at least it would be a more natural conclusion—that—that you, in fact, had fallen in love with her." And Robert, who had strong suspicions during the last few minutes that his brother was not quite so indifferent as he had at first imagined, looked steadily at Garton; but Garton met his eyes almost fiercely.

"Well, what then?" he replied, clinching his hand rather unnecessarily.

"Only—that you would escape with a scorching, that is all. Don't get into a passion, Gar, I am only guessing at other people's thoughts."

"Or retelling your own—which?" replied Garton in the same fiery tone.

"Look here, Robert; you mean well. I believe, from things you are pulling me out of the fire, and you want to do me a good turn. But you are not doing it in the pleasantest sort of way. You are insinuating that I am a fool, and that I have been a fool all along. So I have, but an innocent one. I have thought no wrong to indulge in a harmless friendship—only a friendship, Robert. Miss Maturin has been very good to me—his voice trembled a moment—and it is my nature to be grateful for kindness. If the world chooses to misunderstand it, it is more of a fool than I."

"My dear fellow, no one but you can afford to set its opinion at naught. Depend upon it, in the multitude of counselors there is wisdom; one cannot dispense with its rules."

"I have never meant to dispense with them, Robert. If I did not follow your advice now I know what I know, I should be more of a knave than a fool. In future you will not have need to complain of my frequent visits to Bryn."

Robert looked pleased. He really had his brother's welfare at heart.

"That's right, old fellow, you have taken my advice very sensibly, and it is first-rate of you." But Garton did not respond very cordially.

"Yes, it is all right. I suppose I ought to thank you for making me so uncomfortable, but I will tell you the honest truth. I would snap my fingers at Blackscar and its old women's tales if it were not for the fear that it might do her harm, and that perhaps in time she might get to believe it. No, I couldn't stand that. Besides, there is the danger of scorching, you know." And Garton laughed a hard, bitter laugh that had more pain than merriment in its sound, and which made Robert look at him again; and then he got up and put his hand on his shoulder.

"Gar, old fellow, I have not quite finished my advice."

"Haven't you, Bob?"

"No, the hardest part remains; don't think me cruel, lad. I only speak for your good. But do think once again of the emigration business."

"I knew that was coming, Robert." His face was paler than ever, and he set his teeth hard.

"Gar, dear boy, I swear I only mean it for your good; you are wasting—rushing here. Better go away."

"Why?" asked Garton moodily; but Robert drew his arm round his neck as though they were boys again; and then he stooped down to the dark, crooked head and whispered something very low in his ear.

"What made Garton suddenly look up and wring his brother's hand?"

"Too late! God bless you, Robert. Yes, I will go anywhere—anywhere; but she shall never know why—never!"

CHAPTER XXVI

Robert rather congratulated himself on having done a good stroke of business that night; he had struck when the iron was hot. He drew a long breath of relief when his brother had left the room.

"I have brought him to his senses about the emigration plan. Thank heaven, that bit of troublesome business is over for good and all," he ejaculated devoutly. "Poor old Gar!" he continued, with a pang of natural sym-

pathy: "who would have imagined that he would have been so bitten?"

And he thought with some degree of bitterness of the hand that had dealt this fresh blow. His heart was full of pity as he heard Garton's restless footsteps overhead. He lay and listened to them far into the night; a touch of compunction haunted him as those weary footsteps paced to and fro. He was glad to remember now that his wife had been wise and temperate, considering all things, he had rebuked Garton's thoughtlessness very mildly; the poor fellow's hot denials and reproaches, his indignant retortations, his irate defense, had been far from displeasing to the elder brother.

"I did not think he had so much in him," he said to himself over and over again.

Robert's sympathy was very real; but he had no conception of the fierce misery that was making the night a long torment to Garton. The incessant movement, the long, restless strides, the hasty stumbles in the darkness, when the candle had guttered to its feeble end, were so many proofs of the intolerable feelings of the young man who took no heed of the cold and darkness—groping from end to end of the narrow room, in a blind, helpless way.

Sometimes he stood, with folded arms, looking blankly through the darkness, or rocking himself in his old, accustomed manner. A little glimmer of light from a lamp cut into the darkness and showed him a swaying gray shadow on the wall. A dull surging broke the silence. Under the lamp there was a stretch of white shining road; a barrier of darkness seemed to close it in. As he stood and looked out at it a dull hopeless gloom seemed to settle round his heart and rob him of all courage.

He wondered now how it had come about. Robert's shrewdness had brought this sudden revelation of his own feelings home to him. He was racking his memory to discover when it was that he first loved her; but his mind was too confused to do so; he tried to follow out any given clue of reasoning. He had called his love friendship, and under this disguise had tasted of her sympathy and found it very sweet. He had blundered out all his troubles to her with an eagerness that should have revealed his own feelings. No other woman had ever seemed so sweet and gracious to him. And now all this pleasantness of intercourse must be broken up. She was the light of his eyes and the desire of his heart;—ah, he knew this now. The one woman who he could love and would have dared to love despite his beggary, but who was never to know—never, never—that he had dared to love her.

He wondered with a sort of terror how he should bid her goodby. A sudden anguish filled him as he thought of her youth and graciousness. What a simple kindly friendship had existed between them! On his side he had always been very loyal, but with a sturdy independence of opinion which she had found amusing. What nonsense she had talked to her, and how patient she had always been with him! She had never minded any of his discontent and moodiness. Her eyes would shine with a tender pity as he blurted out his grievances. She always seemed pleased to see him, no matter how troublesome he had been. A day with the same boy half a dozen times, a kind hand would be put out frankly to him. Sometimes she would indulge in a little joke at his expense, but the joke never hurt him.

He thought of that day in the Burnley woods, and the wonder with which she had regarded his simple castle-building. She had been a little disappointed with his lack of ambition, he thought, and no marvel. How patry it all looked now—the little cottages with the bow-window, Reuben, Johnnie Forbes, the lame boy, with Deb to keep house. Ah, what a different castle he would build now! A dull misery of longing took possession of him as he cherished the bitter-sweet fancy—a little room all sunshine, gleaming white pillars outside, a tall slim girl with a plaintive face, with sweet frank eyes.

"Oh, my God!" cried the poor fellow in his anguish. "And I must never tell her that I shall love her to my dying day."

It was the hour of his weakness. By and by a certain strength of acquiescence came to him—he struggled no longer; in a word, he accepted his fate.

One by one he put away his hopes from him. One by one he looked the bitter conditions in the face; his love was hopeless—unrequited; he must give that up. He must announce all hopes of entering the church, and give his word that he would go anywhere; he would keep his promise. There should be no delay, no looking back, no undue dillying with regret. The stern asceticism of Garton's nature came to his assistance here. As soon as possible he would leave Blackscar and England. The sacrifice might be a cruel one, inasmuch as it involved all he held most dear, but at least it should be complete.

He did not tell himself that he should not dare to trust himself often in Robert's presence, but, all the same, a few bitter drops, of which even his manhood was not ashamed, were wrung from his eyes when he thought of his boy-friend Reuben, who would fret after him sorely. The thought was a bitter one, but he put it away from him as soon as possible.

"He has a friend in her—he belongs to her now," he repeated, with a vague pleasure in this mutual property, and a fresh dimness crossed his eyes as he thought how Reuben would never allow her to forget him.

There was much painful work in store for him. It was nearly midnight now, and he was terribly jaded, almost worn out; but with that selfishness which was part of his nature he resisted the temptation to seek his bed, but lay down for an hour in his clothes, that he might not over-sleep himself, and so that old Gar, who was very affable, might find the fire lighted as usual.

[To be Continued.]

An average of 342 Hebrew immigrants arrive in New York City each day. Every effort possible is being made to use native woods for ties in building the railways in the Philippines.

WEDS FATHER OF HUSBAND

Four Times Mrs. Primm, She Is Now Grandma to Own Children.

Dresden, Tenn., May 5.—In a handsome farmhouse just outside the village live Mrs. Joseph Primm, Joseph Primm, his three stepsons, John, James and Jack, their three sons, John, James, Jun., and Jack, Jun., in perfect harmony in spite of the fact that at different times the woman has been the wife of each of the men, and is the mother of each of the boys.

The only question that bothers her at all is just what relation she is to herself.

She knows, however, that she is step-mother to her three former husbands; aunt to her own children, grandmother to her three children and her own sister-in-law; that she has a husband who is grandfather of his stepchildren and at the same time their uncle.

Beginning of Trouble.

The trouble all started some years ago with Joseph Primm, the present husband of the woman.

Joseph had a brother who, after three boys had been born to him, died, leaving the three stepsons, John, James and Jack, for Joseph to bring up. This he did faithfully and well.

As time went on the boys grew up, and John, the oldest, thought it time to marry. Next door lived pretty Mary Williams. John paid her assiduous court, and within a year they were married. One boy blessed their union, John, Jun., and everything went along splendidly. The other boys liked Mary, and she was a good housewife, everyone was satisfied.

One day a quarrel came between Mary and John, which ended in her packing up her goods and her baby and going back to her father. John tried to have her come back, but she wouldn't, and so he got a divorce on the ground of desertion.

Then came James. He had long been very fond of Mary, and the first thing his brothers knew he had married her and brought her back to the old home. Her first husband had no objection, and as a housekeeper was needed, another everything went on smoothly. In time James, Jun., came, and was very welcome.

One day Jim lost his temper and struck Mary. Again she packed up her goods and her two boys and went home. This time she got a divorce.

At the end of the street and began paying Mary attention. She had always had a warm spot in her heart for him, and within a year she went back to the Primm mansion again as mistress, this time as Mrs. Jack.

Neither of her former husbands objected, and again everything went on smoothly.

Within the year Jack, Jun., came and like his other brothers, was made welcome. Nowhere in the county was so peculiar a family or so happy a one. Mrs. Primm often said that she did not know which son she liked best.

Some time ago there was a celebration, Christmas, and in the course of the day John, remarking on the fine lot of boys in the family, said in a casual way:

"John is the best; there's no doubt of that."

"Not on your life," retorted James. "My son is the best by all odds."

"Forget it," cried Jack. "My boy has forgotten more in the short period of his life than your boys ever knew."

There was all kinds of trouble, Mrs. Primm tried to smooth matters out, but in the discussion her husband declared that she favored the other boys and the upshot of it all was that for the third time Mrs. Primm packed her goods, and with her three boys, went back to her father.

As she would not return, Jack got a divorce.

For months she lived with her parents and brought up her boys. Then her father died and later her mother. There she was, all alone in the world with three boys to care for.

Weds Last of the Primms.

All this touched Joseph Primm, the old man. And one day he asked her to marry him. After demurring a little she consented, and for the fourth time went back to the big house as mistress. The other boys were delighted. Each one of them had missed her a lot and they liked to have her around.

There she is living now, and it will probably be her last union with the Primms; for there are not any more of them left.

CHEMIST RAMSAY MUM.

London, May 5.—Sir William Ramsay, of Cambridge University, who is reported to have succeeded in accomplishing what no other chemist has been able to do, the production of copper by the synthetic, or combination process from the elements sodium, lithium and potassium, was questioned on the subject by a representative of the Associated Press today, but he declined to either affirm or deny the report.

BIG BILL FOR SULTAN.

Constantinople, May 5.—The British embassy has lodged a claim with the Porte for the reimbursement of the \$75,000 ransom paid to the brigands who abducted Robert Abbott, the son of a prominent British subject, who resided at Salonika.

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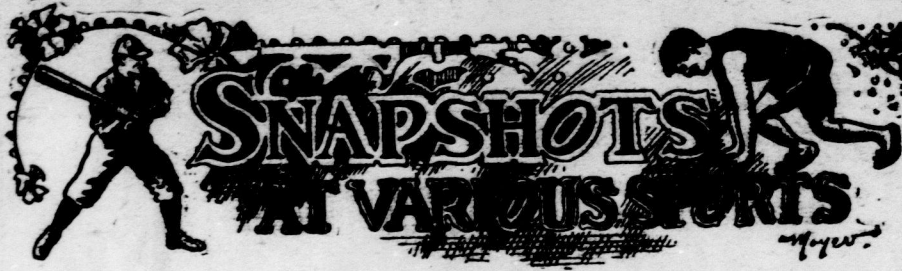
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Well, the local leagues are off at last, and everybody is happy... The contests were not of a mid-summer order exactly, but then that could hardly be expected when the nature of the weather is taken into consideration.

Out in Illinois they have an umpire named Chilly. Wouldn't that freeze you?

Here's a rich one: Athletes at Lawrence University, at Appleton, Wis., were notified at chapel exercises the other day by President Plantz that they must discontinue going shopping in the abbreviated costumes of the athletic field.

There are three players on the Minneapolis Club named "Buck" Freeman. What can baseball be coming to? It begins to look as though the ball-tossers were imitating the people of Stagedom in the matter of selecting titles.

Old Hard Luck Hoodoo Is Following Foundrymen

Lose Opening Game in the East End League by One Run—Oriens Outclassed Stars.

The raw weather of Saturday afternoon did not prevent a thousand enthusiastic fans from gathering at Queen's Park to witness the opening games of the East End League.

The presence of several civic dignitaries may have had something to do in the way of swelling the attendance. Mayor Judd was there, together with Ald. Gillen, Ald. Stevely and Ald. Rose, and each of them told the boys what a good game baseball is and how they should conduct themselves as it.

The mayor was introduced by Mr. James Fitzgerald, president of the East End League, and an old player

himself—a member of the Grand Trunk car works team when it was at its best.

At the conclusion of the speeches the mayor threw the first ball over the plate. Ald. Gillen acting as receiver, and the league season was opened.

Oriens Take First.

The first game was between the Oriens and the Stars, the Oriens winning by a score of 14 to 5. The fielding of the Stars was not of the gilt-edged variety.

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Chilly Winds and Fairly Good Ball Mark Opening of the City League

Both Games Won by a Single Run—Perrin's Had to Go Ten Innings to Beat Stars.

That Tecumseh Park stands were not allied to overflowing Saturday afternoon when the City League baseball season was launched can be attributed to the evident lack of feeling displayed by the local weather man.

Promptly at 2:35 his worship drew the teams up in front of the grand stand. After stating that he felt honored by being called upon to officiate on the occasion of the opening of London's premier baseball organization, he went on to say that he considered that baseball was a game for young men—not a form of sport adapted to the middle-aged and old.

Mr. Love stated that he spoke not

only from a spectator's standpoint, but from the vantage point of an old-time player.

By way of illustration, he held up both hands, as if to indicate which showed signs of rough usage.

He was glad, he said, to note the great improvement in the Tecumseh Park grounds, and thought that the game this season would be faster, if possible, than ever before.

Artist With "Spit Ball."

"I now take great pleasure in giving you a specimen of my adroitness in delivering the 'spit-ball,' which I learned to throw after long and faithful practice," said Mr. Love in conclusion, and he was as good as his word.

Those who sat back of the plate could not begin to count the turns and twists of the ball as it traveled with police court speed toward the home-plate.

A few moments later, and those two grand old warriors, "Jimmy" Bell and "Doc" Sippit were leading their coils into the opening fray of the season.

Sippit won the toss-up, and Capt. Bell's warriors were elected to take first poke at the leather.

As for the game itself, it wasn't the best that the City League boys can play. However, due allowance must be made for the unfavorable weather, which sent chills chasing up and down the spectators' backs, and put kinks in the none-too-hardened muscles of the players themselves, who have had but little opportunity thus far to get into first-class shape.

Outplayed the Tinsmiths.

It would perhaps be putting it a trifle strong to say that the best team was won, inasmuch as early season games are poor foundations upon which to risk statements of that kind.

It is a fact that Doc Sippit's outfit clearly outplayed the bunch from "Tinware Town" as a glance at the hit and error columns will show.

And, by the way, if that line of dope doesn't illustrate the uncertainties of baseball, nothing else can. McClary's gathered together a total of four singles, which were productive of two solitary tallies, while the Skycrappers procured a corner on a trio of runs off a brace of singles.

There was nothing doing in the first two rounds, but in the third, a base on balls, a safe, pop-fly, a sacrifice hit, followed by a scratch hit, two stolen bases and a passed ball, enabled the Rockets to draw first blood with two runs.

Both teams drew blanks in the 4th and 5th, but in the 6th McClary's got busy and scored a lone tally, in the getting of which good, bad and fierce baseball played a strong part.

Ball Not Equal To It.

McHugh started the leather rolling by popping a little fly just over "Doc" Sippit's head.

Sippit's head. Gibson (the great) bunted safely and McHugh went to third. Gibson stole second and it looked to be distinctly up to Ball, who was next on the swap list.

Ball snapped his teeth, gathered up a fold in his komono, strode over to the plate—and smote the atmosphere viciously three times. Eccleston, however, poked the leather into deserted territory.

McHugh came home on the gallop. Lockridge fanned and the agony ended.

In the 7th McClary's drew a goose-egg, while the Rockets crawled up a notch on a gift to Dewan, a bunt by Hosi which Butler threw far over McHugh's head, and a safe pop fly from the reliable Archie's little stick.

The "Micks" made it 2 to 3 in the eighth on a two-base hit to left by Pea-

cock, a stolen base and a wild throw, which enabled the birdman to poke his nose over the home plate.

That ended the bout "Doc" Sippit allowed his features to relax into a broad, healthy grin.

Summary:

Summary table with columns: A.B.R.B.H.P.O.A.E. for various players like McClary, Jackson, Bell, etc.

Totals: 31 8 24 11 4

Rockets: A.B.R.B.H.P.O.A.E.

Dewan, I. f. 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Sippit, 2 b. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

G. Arthur, 1 b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

McClary, 3 f. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Rose, c. f. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Gillett, r. f. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Butler, c. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Hytterrauch, p. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals: 31 8 24 11 4

Runs by innings: 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2

McClary: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

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Hits by innings: 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 1 4

McClary: 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 1 4

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Summary: Stolen bases—Dewan, G. Arthur, Rose, Gillett 2, Pencock, Gibson, Eccleston, Sacrifice hits—Sippit, G. Gibson.

First base on balls—Off Gibson: Sippit, Dewan 2; off Hytterrauch: Bell, Ball, Lockridge, R. E. 2; off Sippit: Rose, 2.

Hit by pitched ball—Dewan. Passed balls—Butler 3. Time of game, 1:39. Umpire, Mr. Love.

DOINGS AT ALL STAGES.

The second game was by long odds a better exhibition of baseball than the first, from a spectator's standpoint and there were "doings" at all stages.

Thompson, a new man, was official scribe-artist for the "Biscuit-makers," and he was virtually a whole team in himself.

With practically no previous knowledge of the ways and wiles of the opposing batemen he managed to work himself out of tight holes in a most creditable manner, while his fielding was away above city league par.

Billy Graham pulled off the star play of the contest by making a one-handed catch of a high liner.

Our old friend Earley, too, was in fine fettle, and while one more hit was gathered from his assortment of bends, shoots, and straight balls, his team did not afford him the support it is capable of when it gets its sea-legs.

Perrin's Started Strong.

Right at the start-off of the "Biscuit-makers" jumped in to win and before the gang had finished their first half even got warmed up the kid at the scoreboard had chalked up four runs for the rejuvenated ones.

In the first inning Summers laced a hot one at O'Rourke, who fell over himself trying to handle it, and scored.

Billy Graham pitched the support. Perkins and Wanless singled, and Gregory made it 2 to 0. Dicker and "Chink" Ward drew blanks and Perkins got caught napping.

In the second volume the "Biscuit-makers" repeated on bingles, stolen bases, and a dropped ball by Graham at second.

The "Satellites" woke up in the third round and scooped in a brace of the "money-getters."

"Nig" Jeffries managed to get struck in the solar plexus with the ball, Graham laced a pretty one down to Ward, who was out on an acre on the throw to first, and Jeffries strolled in, Graham going to third. O'Rourke coaxed out a single, and Captain "Bill" came in on rollers.

Some Anxious Moments.

The next inning was productive of several very anxious moments for Brock and Early, and it is said that he lost several pounds of good baseball flesh during the interim. However, that may be, there was excitement around the Early Camp—or at least cause of it—for several minutes, and that the lean first baseman finished his first half of the game in a creditable manner.

His throwing arm, and the work of his team mates at large.

Dicker fanned thrice, Wark walked, Wanless fied out, Stein (the narrow) bunted and made first on a fielder's choice to third in an effort to nail the

THE TURE.

Louisville, Ky., May 5.—The 33rd renewal of the Kentucky Derby, the oldest field event on the American turf, will be run tomorrow at Churchill Downs.

The entries, weights, jockeys and the odds, as posted for the Derby, are: Arclet, 117 (Trooler), 4 to 5; Red Tangle, 117 (Trooler), 4 to 5; Oveland, 117 (D. Nichol), 9 to 1; Wooland, 117 (Koerner), 10 to 1; Orlandwic, 110 (J. Lee), 15 to 1; Pinkstar, 117 (Mindler), 15 to 1; Seal, 117 (R. Hennessy), 20 to 1; Boxara, 117 (C. 29), 20 to 1. The race has been run annually since 1875.

ATHLETICS.

CANADIAN CLUB'S MEET.

On Wednesday night at 8 o'clock the sports committee of the Canadian Club will meet in the city hall for the purpose of formulating arrangements for a big field meet to be held on July 1, towards which and the other local athletic organizations will be asked to assist.

The meeting will be open and everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The club is also desirous of discussing the matter of procuring a suitable park in this locality for athletic purposes.

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slippery Ward, who landed right side up in safety on the bag. Early stole bases, and Setzer walked, filling the

Every eye in the stand was now turned on the mighty Thompson, who was up. "Casey at the bat" was undoubtedly a hero—(till he struck out)—but he wasn't in it for a minute with the side of Perrin's factory. Nay, No! for a single, solitary second. Every spectator present held his breath.

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BRITISH TARS WIN BATTENBURG CUP

Had Minute to Good in Three-Mile Race With American Sailors.

Norfolk, Va., May 4.—By five lengths the boat's crew from the British cruiser Argyle defeated the tars from the Illinois today, thereby winning the Battenburg cup, which was the prize offered for competition by the sailors of the world, at the Jamestown exposition.

The distance of the race was three miles through the double line of American and foreign battleships, and the time was 28 minutes for the British boat and 29 minutes for the Illinois crew.

The Britishers started slowly, allowing the American crew to lead the better part of the race, then coming in with a final burst of speed the Argyle's men made a spurt which they kept up and which carried them under the finish line one minute ahead of the Americans.

The crews of both battleships cheered long and generously in honor of each other at the sound of the finish gun, and other ships saluted the winner with small guns as their boat was towed back through the course.

At least \$50,000 was placed in this race at even money, and on the Illinois a purse of \$3,800 was raised. An individual bet between the higher officers of the English ship Good Hope and the United States ship Connecticut was for \$5,000.

The conditions under which Prince Louis of Battenburg offered the cup were that it should not leave the American navy, but if won by a foreign crew, that crew would be honored by the members having their names engraved on the cup with date and records of the race.

PIRATES DROPPED BRACE TO CUBS

Later Only Got Two Hits in Springbank League Starts One Game—Toronto Still on Winning Streak.

EASTERN LEAGUE—SATURDAY. Toronto, May 5.—Toronto's heavy hitters made things easy with Rochester yesterday in the second game of the local season. The score: Toronto.....14 Rochester.....14

At Jersey City—R. H. E. Jersey City.....000111100-4 5 1 Newark.....110000000-2 8 5

At Montreal—Montreal-Buffalo game postponed; rain. Sunday's Games. At Newark—Rochester.....3 Jersey City.....1

At Rocky Point—Baltimore.....4 Providence.....4 At Montreal—Montreal-Buffalo game postponed; rain. Sunday's Games. At Buffalo—Buffalo.....5

AMERICAN LEAGUE—SATURDAY. At Washington—R. H. E. Washington.....000000000-0 6 0 Boston.....100121000-6 14 0

Batteries—Patten, Kilton and Beards; Glaze and Armbruster, mps. Evans. At Detroit—Detroit.....000100000-1 10 0 Chicago.....00000020-2 5 1

Batteries—Mullin and Schmidt; Walsh, White and Sullivan. Umpires, Stafford and Sheridan. At Cleveland—St. Louis-Cleveland game postponed; wet grounds. At Philadelphia—New York.....601100000-3 10 1 Philadelphia.....000000000-0 7 1

Batteries—Orth, Keefe and Kleinow; Yergt, Waddell, Vickers and Berry and Schreckengost. Umpires, Hurst and Conroy. Sunday's Games. At St. Louis—St. Louis-Detroit game postponed; wet grounds. At Chicago—Chicago.....100000000-1 5 2 Cleveland.....000003010-4 9 2

Batteries—Alrook and McFarland; Staff and Clark. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Stafford. AMERICAN STANDING. Chicago..... Won. Lost. P.C. 467 567 .447

New York..... 11 6 647 Athletics..... 10 7 588 Detroit..... 9 6 529

Cleveland..... 9 8 529 Boston..... 8 10 444 Washington..... 5 13 278 St. Louis..... 5 13 278 NATIONAL LEAGUE—SATURDAY. At Chicago—Chicago.....000010000-1 5 2 Pittsburgh.....000000000-0 6 2

Batteries—Lundgren and Kling; Willis and Gibson. Umpire, O'Day. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati.....001004000-5 6 1 St. Louis.....00000010-1 4 1

Batteries—Hosetier and Noonan. Umpires, Marshall, Umpires, Carpenter and Johnson. At New York—Brooklyn.....000000000-0 2 5 New York.....21520101-10 15 1

Batteries—Pastoris, McIntyre and Ritter; Wilke, H. Mathewson and Henneshan and Fitzgerald. Umpires, Klem and Emsalo. At Boston—Philadelphia-Boston game postponed; rain. Sunday's Games. At Chicago—Chicago.....300000000-3 6 1 Pittsburgh.....000000000-0 6 2

Batteries—Overall and Kling; Phillippi and Phelps. Umpire, O'Day. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati.....14200004-11 6 0 St. Louis.....100100000-2 10 9

Batteries—Leary, Coakley and Schlot; Brown, Hosetier and Noonan. Umpires, Carpenter and Johnstone. NATIONAL STANDING. New York..... Won. Lost. P.C. 535 833 .383

Chicago..... 15 8 666 Philadelphia..... 9 5 645 Boston..... 7 9 437

Cincinnati..... 10 10 418 St. Louis..... 9 14 398 Brooklyn..... 14 10 567 COLLEGE GAMES. At New Haven—Cornell 2, Yale 1. At Philadelphia—Princeton 5, Pennsylvania 1. At Easton, Pa.—Lafayette 3, Lehigh 1. At Worcester, Mass.—Harvard 1, Holy Cross 0.

W. F. A. OPENER PARIS BEAT GALT

Play Good From Start to Finish—Change in Woodstock District Grouping.

Paris, May 4.—In the opening game in the W. F. A. series here Galt went down to defeat from Paris by 2 to 0. The half-time score was 1 to 0.

The play was good from start to finish, some brilliant combination work being indulged in by both teams. Paris with a little more practice ought to win out this district.

The collegiate boys are a well-built all-around team, and sustained the reputation that Galt has of being the football city.

Hawk, of Galt, was referee. The teams lined up as follows: Paris—Goal, A. Fraser; backs, O. Dicker, A. J. Fraser; halves, J. Williams, C. Belyea, A. McCosh; forwards, Rev. Mr. Bingham, R. Watson, W. Upton, J. Lovett and W. Wood.

Galt—Goal, P. Fleming; backs, J. McKellam, C. Uttley; halves, R. Ferris, R. McDonald, R. Burgess; forwards, E. McDonald, N. Colvin, S. Roos, H. McCreay, M. Todd.

CHANGE IN W. F. A. GROUPING. Woodstock, May 5.—An important change has been made in the W. F. A. grouping for this district. S. Tavistock, scheduled to play with Plattsville and New Hamburg, owing to the withdrawal of New Hamburg, has applied for admission to the district, and their request has been practically granted. The group will thus be: Woodstock, Ingersoll, Galt and Tavistock, making it one of the fastest in the intermediate series.

ORIENS AND GREYS WIN OPENING GAMES

Later Only Got Two Hits in Springbank League Starts One Game—Toronto Still on Winning Streak.

Chilly winds had no terrors for lovers of juvenile baseball on Saturday, and a goodly crowd of fans turned out to Springbank to witness the opening of the Springbank league season.

In the first contest the Junior Oriens and the Iveys crossed sticks, and the battle waged fast and furious until the last inning, when the Oriens scored the winning tally. The score: Oriens.....11 Iveys.....10

Batteries—McColl and Thompson; Durham and Bendis. The second bout brought together the Greys and the Cubs, the former winning by a score of 13 to 11.

Batteries—Clarke and Shaw; Brodison and Collins. Umpire—Livingstone. BASEBALL. FLAHERTY GOES TO WATERBURY.

Peterboro, May 5.—Yebbie Flaherty, Peterboro's famous pitcher, who has done great work for Galt in the Canadian League for the last two years, leaves here this week for Waterbury, in the Connecticut State League. Flaherty is a right-hander, and undoubtedly the best twirler ever turned out by Peterboro.

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A BUSY MORNING AT POLICE COURT

P. M. Love Deals With 22 Cases—Two Men Sent to Central for Brutal Assault.

At this morning's session of the police court 22 persons appeared before Magistrate Love on various charges, ranging from common drunk to theft and assault.

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Applications Pouring Into Grand Trunk From Western District.

Applications for excursions are pouring into the office of the Grand Trunk's district passenger agent from all parts of the west.

CHARGED WITH THEFT

James Hea, who was formerly employed at a local wholesale drygoods house, pleaded guilty to three charges of having stolen goods from his employer, and was remanded for one month to the penitentiary.

W. LAMBTON TEACHERS TO INSPECT SCHOOLS

One Hundred and Twenty-five Will Visit London on Thursday.

One hundred and twenty-five teachers from West Lambton are to pay a visit to London on Thursday next. The trip is being held in connection with the annual convention of the West Lambton association and it will afford the teachers an opportunity to inspect the public schools of the city.

START ON WEDNESDAY

Commencement of Sidewalk Laying Ordered by City Engineer.

The firms who have sidewalk contracts in London have been instructed by Engineer Graydon to begin work on Wednesday.

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PLUMBERS' STRIKE PRACTICALLY ENDED

Continued from page one.

It is understood that there is to be still another shoe-shine, pool and billiard parlor in London, combined with a huge bowling alley.

WANTS CHEAP RATES.

Ald. Stevenson will tonight move in the council that the city ask the Pere Marquette Railway to give cheap excursion rates to London, as well as from London to the west.

MR. ANGUS' CONDITION.

It was stated at Victoria Hospital this afternoon at 2 o'clock that Mr. James Angus, injured by a gas explosion Saturday night, appears to be somewhat improved, but that he is not yet out of danger.

WILL BE A BIG YEAR

Local Improvements May Reach \$200,000 if Halt Is Not Called.

Local improvement works are piling up this year, and it is said the city auditor will soon call a halt on No. 2 committee.

AND STILL ANOTHER

Greek Secures Store for Shine, Pool and Billiard Parlor.

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STRAFORD'S SHERIFF DEAD

Mr. Hossie Passes Away Suddenly After Many Years' Service.

Stratford, May 5.—Sheriff Hossie passed away at his home here on Saturday evening after a short illness. He had been at his office until a few weeks ago, so that it may be said he was in the city until the last, though for several months he had noticeably failed in health.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

Among the large number of well-known persons present on the last day of the show in Toronto was Col. A. M. Smith, of this city.

KICK WAS FATAL

Death of Hugh McNeil Who Was Injured a Month Ago.

The death occurred this morning in Victoria Hospital of Mr. Hugh McNeil, of Fernhill, deceased, who was in his 27th year, died from the effects of a kick from a horse, which he received on the 4th of March.

AT WORK ON SEWER.

Contractor Dill had a gang of men at work this morning on the Ottawa avenue sewer. Some of the earth has caved in near the Pere Marquette tracks, owing to the shaking caused by the heavy trains, but none of the earth has caved in where any shoring was done.

MR. SING'S MAGAZINE.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT
—General Manager McNichol and Assistant General Manager Leonard of the Canadian Pacific Railway passed through this city last night en route to Detroit, on a tour of inspection.

—In the results of the Western Medical College, published last Saturday, the name Clive Alley, Petrolia, appeared in only three subjects of the second year. Mr. Alley was successful in all the subjects of the second year, and took first-class honors in practical chemistry, and second-class honors in histology, with passes in anatomy, practical anatomy, physiology, chemistry, materia medica and first year inorganic chemistry.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING.
The annual meeting of the London district of the Methodist Church will be held in the Centennial Church on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 15 and 16. The ministerial session opens on Wednesday at 1:30 general session on Thursday at 9:30.

LIKES WOODSTOCK.
Chief Alex. Borland, of the Woodstock fire department, spent Sunday in London, and called upon Fire Chief Clark. Mr. Borland says that things are running smoothly on the Woodstock department now, and he speaks highly of the city and of the people. Chief Dan Thompson, of the Woodstock police department, is also a guest in London, and Mr. Borland says he is doing well and is making friends every day.

TRANSFERRED TO HAMILTON.
Mr. S. J. T. Brown, assistant superintendent of the Ontario department of construction for the Bell Telephone Company, is now in Hamilton, where he will in the future make his home. The head offices of the department are in Hamilton, and the Bell Company with a view to centralization, has ordered Mr. Brown there. Mr. Brown's family are making arrangements to leave for Hamilton at once.

DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE.
The Daughters of the Empire held their regular monthly meeting on Saturday, when a large number of the ladies of the organization turned out, and much enthusiasm was shown. Plans were furthered for the giving of an entertainment at the Armories called a "Trip Around the World." This entertainment is to be of a very pleasing variety, and the generous co-operation and patronage of the citizens is looked for. The proceeds will go toward the monument fund. The various reports were submitted, and all showed satisfactory progress. Several new chapters have been formed, and the progress has been satisfactory.

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A spark from a passing G. T. R. locomotive is blamed for a fire which caused \$500 damage to a residence and its contents at 13 1/2 Wortley road Sunday morning at 9:50.

WAS NOT ON THE BILL
Amusing Little Act Put On in Vaudeville Theater Office.

The funniest act that has been seen at Bennett's Vaudeville this season was put on Saturday afternoon, after the matinee, but not on the stage. It was in the office of the theater.

Manager Alox was busy looking over his statements when in walked Professor Dubois with about 50 pounds of a long-tailed monkey upon his arm.

"Me no go on tonight," said Dubois to the manager. "Me no stay here no more."
"What's the matter?" asked Mr. Alox.

"Mana back there say he killa de monk, replied the professor, "the poor man."
"And he kissed the ape fondly."
"You'd better go back to work," the manager said. "You be around here as usual tonight, or you'll get no money."

"Me no carra," Dubois declared. "Me no have the monkey."
All the while the monkey was reaching for the door of the office, and he finally reached it. Then he sat on the top like Poe's raven, and listened to the debate.

After much questioning, Mr. Alox found that the monkey had been a row at the back of the house.
The ape, when his own act is over, usually sits in the wings with Dubois and watches the show.

While enjoying the performance Saturday afternoon, one of the stage hands happened to step on his caudal appendage, which is long enough to make a hawser for a tugboat. In a jiffy the fight was on.

The monkey lit into the stagehand. He pulled the man's hair, and finally wound up by taking a nip at the fellow's leg, when it was thought the trouble had ended.

This was too much for the stageite, and seizing a board he went at the professor and the monkey.
Both vacated as fast as they could get out, and it was then that the scene in the office occurred.

Manager Alox finally straightened the trouble out, and the act was put on as usual Saturday night.

STATUARY WORRIES ENGLAND
Living Variety—Bishop and Sculptor vs. Stead—Godiva Problem.

whether there shall be a representation of the famous ride of Lady Godiva, and if there is shall the lady appear "in statutory form," according to the legend, or draped.
Incidentally there is keen competition among the women of Coventry and others to impersonate Lady Godiva, and they are much in the moon in their opinion as to who will be draped. In this thousands of Peeping Toms concur.

MISSION SUNDAY IN MANY CHURCHES
Visiting Ministers in Anglican Pulpits—An Appeal on Behalf of China.

In all the Anglican churches of the Diocese of Huron, including those of London, missionary services were held yesterday. In this city the various pulpits were nearly all occupied by visiting preachers.

Rev. F. E. Howitt, of Hamilton, preached in the morning at St. James' Church, while in the evening the pulpit was occupied by Rev. Rural Dean Hicks, of Simcoe.

Rev. E. J. Leck, of Baffin's Land, preached in the morning, and Bishop Williams preached in the evening, at Christ Church.

Mr. Charles Jenkins, of Petrolia, preached at St. George's Church, West London, in the morning, and Rev. Mr. Murray, of Ridgetown, in the evening. Rev. J. L. Murray, M. A., of Ridgetown, preached in All Saints' Church in the morning, and Rev. Dyson Hague occupied the pulpit in the evening.

Bishop Williams preached in the morning at St. Paul's Cathedral, and in the evening Rev. Dr. Tucker preached.

Rev. Dr. Tucker preached yesterday in the morning at St. Matthew's Church, while in the evening Rev. E. J. Leck, of Baffin's Land, conducted the service.

In the Church of St. John the Evangelist Rev. Rural Dean Hicks conducted the services in the morning, and Mr. Charles Jenkins, of Petrolia, preached in the evening.

Rev. G. B. Sage, of West London, preached at St. Paul's Cathedral, and Rev. T. B. Clark, of All Saints' Church, preached in the Granton Church.

Mrs. (Dr.) Stanbury, of Bayfield, is a guest at the Knox Church parsonage on Byron avenue.

Rev. R. S. W. Howard, of Christ Church, preached at Coxville yesterday.

Twenty new members were received at communion service yesterday morning at St. James' Church. Rev. James Rollins, of this city, has gone to spend two weeks in the vicinity of Barrie and Simcoe, where he proposes collecting for the Queen's University fund.

Rev. James Rollins and Rev. T. T. Shields addressed the union "after-meeting" of east end churches, held last night in Adelaide Street Church, preparatory to the coming services in Jubilee Hall.

Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, who recently underwent a serious operation in Montreal, is reported to be recovering rapidly. As yet it is not known how long it will be before he will be able to return to this city.

At Knox Church, South London, a special collection was taken up yesterday for the China famine fund, and \$78 was realized. Rev. J. G. Stuart preached a special sermon on the situation in China at the morning service. He dwelt at some length on the marvelous missionary movement which has been in progress in that country recently.

Twenty-five or thirty new members have been received into the membership of the Wellington Street Methodist church as a result of the special revival services held in the church recently. Rev. James Livingstone, who preached both morning and evening, administered the sacrament at both services. The year's business will be wound up at the next meeting to be held on Thursday evening.

Large congregations attended the services at the Askin Street Methodist Church yesterday, when Holy Communion was dispensed. The new members were named at a reception service in the morning. The tearing down of the old schoolroom of the church is progressing rapidly, and by the end of this week the old Sunday school, which has served for so long, will be a thing of the past.

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of Mr. B. Weir. Four anthems were sung by the choir in a very pleasing manner, which reflected great credit on their leader for the careful training he had given them. The soloists of the choir also contributed several solos, which were very fine. Miss Leota Rowe, Miss Butler and Mr. Alfred Dunn each took solo parts, while Miss Rowe and Mr. Dunn sang a duet, which was greatly appreciated. Rev. Dr. Daniel gave a short talk on the hymn book.

A large audience filled Chalmers Church last evening, when the pastor dealt with the interesting subject, "Nehemiah, the Patriot." Miss Forester sang very sweetly the solo, "Hold Thou My Hand." The choir gave their annual concert on Tuesday evening, when an entirely Scotch programme will be submitted.

TOLSTOI AND SON WRITE

Together They Evolve a Drama on Modern Conditions in Russia.

New York, May 5.—According to a special cablegram from St. Petersburg to the New York World, Tolstoi and his son, or, rather, the young count and his father, have written together a drama which is attracting a vast deal of attention in Russia. It is packed full of lifelike pictures of men and women, and with situations that are real and penetrating in their insight into life as it is today in the realm of the Czar.

The play is called "The Brother Landlords." Its principal characters are the brothers, Count Vladimir and Count Anton Sherenyeff. They and their relatives and not a few types of the present day are brought out in the action of the piece. We see them talking in the shady avenues of a country house, flirting, talking nonsense part of the time, then talking philosophy and reform. Bernard Shaw's dialogues are not a more truthful setting forth of what characters of the kind depicted were talk about, and would of necessity be talking about.

Cossacks and Peasants.
Most of the characters surrounding the Counts Vladimir and Anton, or "Antosha," as he is called, are vain and immoral. In this depiction it is not hard to divine the influence of the great Tolstoi upon his son and collaborator. The counts are surrounded—hedged about—with political troubles. The clouds of revolution draw closer, and the final scenes show the Cossacks and peasants fighting one another like wild beasts.

Count Vladimir is a type of the hard aristocrat, hated by the entire countryside. His brother, "Antosha," is a popular idol, the sort of young fellow who is beloved and excused even by those whom he oppresses. He is healthy, handsome, an amiable egotist, the darling of the women, and devoted to himself to the fullest in sensual enjoyment of life and his riches.

Of course, "Antosha" has behaved badly toward Martya, a beautiful and trusting peasant girl. She is made mad by jealousy. Seeing the count's righty given attentions to women of a higher class and "Antosha" gave a terrible scene in the presence of her father.

This is ultra-Zolaesque in its reality and even sordidness. The count and the father haggle over the future of Martya's child. Count "Antosha" does not offer enough compensation to Martya's father. The sympathetic peasants are provoked to fury. They rise.

The young and debonaire count is one of the first of the aristocrats to fall by the hands of his former servitors.

There is in the drama the character of a school teacher named Yenshka, who undoubtedly is the creation of the elder Tolstoi.

This Yenshka is an anarchist and a degenerate. His portrait, clear-cut and uncompromising, is, as it were, cut bodily out of the frame of the existing Russian revolution. Repulsive as the portrait is you look upon it and say: "It cannot but be true."

German's Idea of Russia's Needs.
The principal representative of law and order in the story is a German land steward, one Gustav Mueller. His way of thinking is that what Russia most needs is education in respect for the law and in love for the fatherland.

There are several subsidiary characters which are drawn in a most humorous style. Some of them discuss politics with great gusto and in such a way as to give the reader the laugh and comic relief, called Shilyyak and Drajd, are admirably portrayed. Their half-baked opinions on the coming domination of the proletariat are almost up to Shakespeare in their Palfistaffian buffonery.

This play would be good reading and instructive, too, for two classes of non-Russian readers; for those who believe that things are worse than they are in Russia, and for those who can see no evil there. This does not bar that class who realize that there is the possibility of great changes for the better in this country and who hope for it, whether they regard Tolstoi as a prophet or a lunatic.

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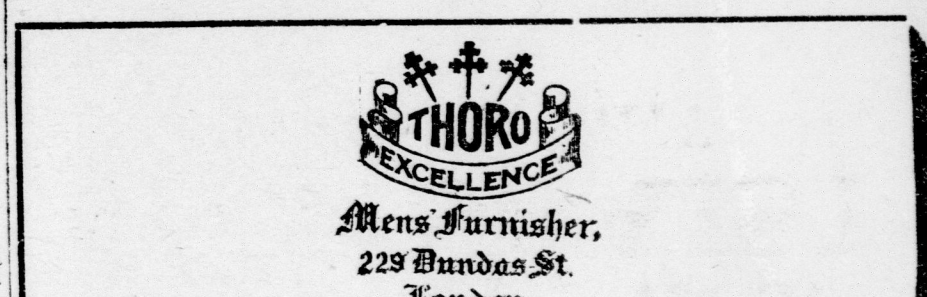
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