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MOGUL ENGINE MELTS PASSENGER TRAIN IN HEAD-ON COLLISION

Six Dead, Five Trainmen and One Passenger—Fire Adds to the Terrible Scene—Express Messenger, With the Flames Creeping Upon Him, Believed to Have Shot Himself.

EITHER DISOBEYED OR MISTOOK ORDERS

BRANTFORD, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—The lives of six men, including five trainmen and one passenger, were lost and several injured in a terrible catastrophe on the Buffalo and Goderich line of the Grand Trunk Railway, which happened at 9:20 Saturday night, three and a half miles west of Paris, and midway between Paris and Drumbo. The catastrophe was the result of a head-on collision between the westbound passenger train, running from Buffalo to Stratford, and a mogul engine in charge of Engineer Robert Errett of Sarnia, running light from Stratford to Fort Erie.

Following in the wake of the collision came a terrible, devastating fire, which incinerated the bodies of a couple of the victims and made an easy prey of the three splintered coaches of the train. The fire left nothing but the bare trucks and wheels, and a mass of twisted iron and charred ruin.

The Victims. The dead are: A. Turner, engineer, Stratford; leaves a wife and grown-up family. J. D. Smith, fireman, Stratford; leaves a wife and family. Peter McFarland, baggage man, Goderich; married, no children. John Whitlaw, express messenger, Goderich; formerly of Whitby; wife suffering from shock. William Tye, mail clerk, Goderich; leaves wife and grown-up family. D. J. Crozier, passenger, Drumbo.

The list of injured includes the following: W. J. May, mail clerk, Hamilton; severely scalded. W. T. Henderson, city solicitor, Brantford; back injured. William McIntosh, customs clerk, Brantford; back injured. George Hunt, Brantford; shaken up. Robert Errett, engineer, minor bruises and sprains.

Was 17 Minutes Late. The ill-fated train left Brantford 17 minutes late, and was running in charge of Conductor Ashbrook with full right of way. None of the crew were aware of the approaching engine, which, it is understood, had run off its destination and "to avoid regulars" the engine "should" have stopped at Drumbo, but instead, proceeded on to Paris, colliding halfway with the passenger train. Had the latter been on time the two would have met at Drumbo. Whether the crew of the engine had forgotten that the passenger train, or whether orders were mistaken, is a matter which could not be learned out of the usual railway reticence here to-day. Trainmaster Foster and Superintendent U. E. Gillen conducted an investigation and Coroner Staples has ordered an inquest to-morrow afternoon at Princeton, where the charred bodies of Peter McFarland, J. D. Smith and William Tye were to-day being buried.

Baggage Car Teleported. When the crash occurred the passenger train was traveling at about 33 miles an hour, according to the Brantford passengers. The engine must have been going much faster, as it struck with such impact that the baggage car was completely teleported, and the mail end of the smoking car driven in where passengers were buried in flying splinters and glass. Darkness immediately enveloped the train and its struggling occupants, the excitement and confusion being greatly enhanced by fires which rapidly spread from the old coal oil lamps in use on the train.

The wreck of the baggage car was complete, and neither of its occupants, Baggage man McFarland or John Whitlaw, express messenger, escaped. McFarland was rescued from the flames, but was so seriously injured that he died early Sunday morning at Scott's farm house.

A Pitiful Story. A pitiful story is told by eye witnesses concerning Whitlaw, who was pinned within the rapidly burning debris, unable to move. The flames gradually crept around his limbs, and with death merely a matter of a few minutes of prolonged agony, Whitlaw is said to have drawn his revolver and ended his sufferings. At any rate a revolver shot was heard, and the charred remains of the express messenger were recovered today, as well as the revolver. Whether the discharge of the revolver was due to the heat of the fire may never be known, but the sad plight of Whitlaw being unable to release himself from the ravaging fire is an established fact.

In the mail compartment of the next car could be heard the cries of W. T. Henderson and W. J. May. This is understandable, as the train was recovered by the survivors after having been severely dented.

Engineer's Body Recovered. Engineer Errett's body was taken from his engine after midnight and, with the remains of the train, sent to Stratford by the special train which arrived with Trainmaster Foster for the convenience of the passengers to their destination. The body of Turner's fireman, J. D. Smith, was also recovered.

The crew of the mogul engine practiced on Page 7, Col. 5.

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AGREEMENT STANDS OR FALLS AS A WHOLE

United States House Committee Will Hear Objections to Reciprocity Till Thursday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Canadian reciprocal agreement must stand or fall as a whole in the house, declared Chairman Payne of the ways and means committee during the progress of the hearings that occupied the entire day. A proposal of Representative Fordney in the morning for an amendment to the lumber schedule and another reference in the afternoon to the possible amendment of the item making barley free were met by the unequivocal answer of the chairman that the committee would sanction no change of any item.

Notwithstanding this fact the pressure brought to bear on the committee has resulted in the granting of hearings to all persons who appear in Washington prior to 5 o'clock next Thursday afternoon, Feb. 9. This date was fixed to permit Pacific coast lumbermen to reach Washington and make statements.

Representative Geo. Malby of New York attacked the reciprocity agreement because of its agricultural items and its lowering of duties on lumber and its lowering of duties on paper. He declared that the tariff board had spent months accumulating all facts bearing on the proposed reciprocity, but that paper was put on the free list by this treaty without any reference to what the tariff board had found out.

EFFECT ON STEEL BOUNTIES. MONTREAL, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—A great stand is being made here on the part of the Steel Corporation to secure a continuance of the bounties, and a cure on the government is being made all round. Hon. Geo. H. Murray, who will have to face the people of Nova Scotia in a few months in a local election, here in the interests of protection to the steel industry, the success of which means so much to eastern Nova Scotia. Hon. W. S. Fielding also came down from the capital and is conferring with the prime minister of his province. Premier Murray is telling the financial minister that if he does not do something for the industry by a continuation of the bounties, dire results will follow, and the whole of Nova Scotia will suffer.

National Grange Opposes. NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The machinery of the National Grange, an organization claiming membership of 1,000,000 farmers in thirty states, has been set on foot to defeat the ratification of the Canadian reciprocity treaty. The legislative committee of the grange at a special meeting at Hotel Manhattan, adopted a resolution protesting against the enactment of the reciprocity bill, calling upon the members to exert pressure upon their congressmen from their various districts to vote against the measure and decided to go to Washington to map out a campaign there.

Taft's Speeches. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Reciprocity will be the theme which President Taft will discuss in most of the speeches he will deliver between now and the time congress adjourns. Secretary Knox will help along the administration's campaign in this district by delivering an address on the reciprocity question at a banquet to be held in Chicago on the night of Feb. 15. He is the Association of Commerce of Chicago. Both at Columbus, Ohio, corn exhibit, where the president will speak next Friday and before the Illinois legislature on the following day, he will talk reciprocity. It is likely also, it was stated at the White House to-day, that at the Lincoln dinner at Springfield next Saturday night he may touch on the same topic.

PIET CRONJE, NOTED BOER GENERAL, DEAD

Brave Foe, Captured by Canadians at Paardeberg, Has Passed Away.

KLERKSDORP, Transvaal, Feb. 4.—General Piet A. Cronje, the noted Boer general, who was captured by the Royal Canadian Regiment at Paardeberg in 1900, died to-day.

Piet Arnoldus Cronje, the famous Boer general, was born in 1855. He was of Huguenot descent. In the war of 1880 with the British he commanded a division of his countrymen at Doornkop and Majuba Hill, and led the Boers who besieged Potchefstroom, where, keeping the garrison ignorant of the fact that a general armistice had been signed, he forced its capitulation (1881). It was he who frustrated the Jameson raid at Krugerdorp (1895), and when in 1899 the Transvaal declared war with British, Cronje, appointed commander of the western army of the South African republic, unsuccessfully attacked Kimberley, but (November 28) repulsed the British under Lord Methuen at the Modder River, and later his flank was turned, and again (Dec. 11) at Magerfontein.

When on Feb. 15, 1900, Gen. French raised the Boer siege of Kimberley, Cronje retreated. Intrenched in the bed of the Modder River at Paardeberg, he surrendered with his whole army of 4000 men, with six guns, on Feb. 27, the anniversary of Majuba. He was sent April 1890 to St. Helena, but returned to the Transvaal after the conclusion of peace. In 1904-5 he appeared with various amusement enterprises in America.

TORONTO SOCIETIES CONDEMN RECIPROCITY Held a Meeting Saturday in City Hall—Will Forward Protest to Ottawa.

A number of leading officers of local patriotic societies and other representative citizens held a conference at the city hall on Saturday afternoon to consider the crisis in public affairs precipitated by the announcement of the proposed reciprocity pact between Canada and the United States.

R. E. Kingsford was elected chairman, and Capt. Ewan MacDougall secretary. George Denison and Lt.-Col. G. S. Ryerson addressed the meeting, and the following resolution was adopted and ordered sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "At a meeting of representatives of various patriotic and loyal societies held in committee room No. 1, city hall, Toronto, on Saturday, Feb. 4, it was resolved: "That the meeting desires to express its strongest opposition to the proposed reciprocity arrangement with the U.S. now under consideration, being of opinion that Canada has never had such marvelous prosperity as she has enjoyed since she abandoned all idea of reciprocity and adopted a national policy, and followed that by preference to the empire.

"This meeting is also of the opinion that the unsettlement of business confidence and the disastrous effect this movement is certain to bring upon the prosperity of the country, cannot be impressed too strongly upon the government; feeling also that any reciprocity agreement with the United States will endanger our national existence and may end in the extinction of Canada as a nation."

A BIG DEAL. MONTREAL, Feb. 5.—Ames-Holden, Limited, and the James McCready Co. Limited, two of the largest boot and shoe manufacturers establishments in the Dominion, have been acquired by D. Lorne McGibbon, who will form a new company which will probably be known as the Ames-Holden-McCready Co. It is said as high as \$4,000,000 was paid for the two concerns.

FIRST IMMIGRANT TRAIN. The first immigrant train to arrive in Toronto this year pulled into the Union Station at 12:15 this morning from St. John, N. B. The passengers were all emigrants from the British Isles, and 55 will settle in Toronto, 30 in Hamilton, and 60 were assigned to western points.

ASSEMBLY SET TO DEVELOPMENT OF TRENT VALLEY POWER BILL SURE TO BE PASSED

"Full Steam Ahead" is Prime Minister's Order—Hopes to Get Measure Thru Before Coronation—Signed Pledge Dropped by Labor Members as Unnecessary.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—(N. Y. Tribune Cable.)—The King's speech excites no curiosity this year. Its outlines were available at the government and opposition dinners to-night, but outsiders attending the reception in Downing-street and at Lansdowne House did not need cues respecting its contents. The fact that cabinet meetings have been few in number and have broken up early proves that there is no discussion over the veto bill, and that no other important legislation, apart from financial business, will be undertaken.

"Full steam ahead" will be the prime minister's order, and the coalition will hold together and carry the measure thru the commons before the coronation. The Easter and Whit Sunday recesses will be shortened, and the holidays will be extended to three weeks at coronation time. These were open secrets when rival receptions were held at Mrs. Asquith's and Lady Salisbury's after the prime minister's, Lord Crewe's and Lord Beauchamp's dinner on one side, and Lord Londonderry's on the other.

There are no signs of high temperature in the commons. The liberals are in ga spirits and easily amused. There are loud guffaws of laughter whenever a fortunate member is selected of having brought a new motor car or a far overcoat for his estate once congratulated on his change of becoming a puppet, peer. The pulse is lower on the Unionist side, but everybody professes to be bored with politics and in favor of a benevolent despotism. Strenuous resistance to the veto bill is considered necessary, since the opposition members are convinced of having brought a new motor car or a far overcoat for his estate once congratulated on his change of becoming a puppet, peer. The pulse is lower on the Unionist side, but everybody professes to be bored with politics and in favor of a benevolent despotism.

The signed pledge has been dropped by the labor members, because it is evident that it will be no reversal of the Osborne judgment this year. The necessity for avoiding an autumn session in view of the King's departure for India is generally recognized, but it is doubtful whether the wills for the payment of members and the abolition of plural voting can be passed.

There is, indeed, only one mystery remaining. This relates to the reception of the veto bill by the lords, and the necessity for the creation of hundreds of peers if no compromise can be effected before or after the coronation.

What Speech Will Contain. LONDON, Feb. 5.—It is understood that King George's speech at the opening of his first parliament will be a brief reference to the coronation, the imperial conference and the Duke of Connaught's inauguration of the political work of the union of South Africa, and outline the program, which will include the veto bill and measures for dealing with workmen's insurance, plural voting, the payment of members of the House of Commons, and, possibly, an amendment to the Aliens Act, as the outcome of the Houndsditch affair.

A notable absentee from the house who is now in Naples, where he probably will remain for another fortnight and perhaps longer. His throat trouble is proving unexpectedly obstinate. In the former house he held several conferences, but it is still unknown what attitude they will adopt towards the veto bill. It is believed that the lords may accept it as it is and should have a few hundred new peers, the King cannot constitutionally withhold his sanction. It is understood Lansdowne will also immediately introduce a bill in the lower house for the reform of the upper house along the lines indicated in the Lansdowne-Rosebery measure.

Austin Chamberlain will move a tariff reform amendment with special reference to the reciprocity agreement. Another amendment to the address will deal with the aliens question.

TWO STORES BURNED Mysterious Fire Guts Two Queen-Street Buildings—Total Loss \$1550.

Two West Queen-street stores were gutted by fire at 5:50 p.m. yesterday, and the cause is a mystery. The flames originated in the fruit store of John Corbino, No. 646, and spread to his living apartments overhead and into the sewing machine saleroom of Edward Smith, next door, No. 648.

In the former place, \$500 damage was done to the building and \$450 to the contents, according to the estimate of the fire department, and in the latter place the damage was \$400 to the building and \$200 to contents.

BACK TO IRELAND. OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—Sir Thomas Macdonell of the Royal Irish Constabulary passed thru Ottawa on the way to Toronto to-day. He is going to take back Abraham Wiseman, a sergeant of the same force, wanted at Banbridge, County Down, for theft. The wanted man had given 24 years' service and lacked but four months of reaching his pension age.

By Combining Individual Undertakings Along the Line Followed by the Hydro-Electric Commission, Rates Are Being Reduced and Many Industries Served.

ETEREBORO, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Under the most favorable auspices of climatic conditions, with the thermometer well below zero the greater part of the time, it can only be said that a tour of the Trent Valley hydro-electric power district is an impressive experience. About six years ago a tour over much of the same territory, by the same representative of The World, gave the idea that all it needed was development to become as important as any other part of the province agriculturally, industrially or socially. The individual industries were established here with some success, and a few others in a more or less straggling way in other towns, the district which included Whitby, Oshawa, Bowmanville, Port Hope, Cobourg, Colborne, Brantford, Peterboro, Campbellford, Trenton, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, and Kingston could not compete in commercial activity with Western Ontario between Hamilton and Stratford. Just why the difference existed has been accounted for in many ways, and of which the chief reasons of which being the lack of proper transportation facilities, which affected the cost of coal and consequently of manufacture, as well as of subsequent freight.

The Territory Covered. In the second report of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, dealing with the Trent district, a map was issued showing this very territory and indicating by dotted lines how the power from Havelock Falls, Middle Falls, and Banner's Falls, should be distributed as far as Whitby on the west and Kingston on the east.

Six years ago, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, then reported advised by the then commissioners, Hon. Adam Beck, George Patterson, M.L.A., Preston, and John Miller, Hamilton, and the investigation was so complete that the conclusions as to the present situation that they will be repeating.

"In the upper Trent district numerous water powers exist, and these have been developed and doubtless will be still further developed as local demands require until all of the water power available will be fully in use, but owing to the location of these water powers they do not require concerted action on a large scale, and can be safely left to local enterprise, safeguarded as to rates by such regulations with respect to the selling price as your honorable council may deem advisable to enact."

Undeveloped Water Powers. In the lower Trent district, however, and along the north shore of Lake Ontario on Page 8, Column 1.

HONORS FOR M'CURDY Presented With Purse of \$5000—Makes Fine Flight.

HAVANA, Feb. 5.—With practically the entire population of Havana, looking on, J. A. D. McCurdy, who recently nearly crossed the Straits of Florida in a biplane, made a magnificent spectacular flight to-day from the drill grounds of Camp Columbia to Morro Lighthouse, which he encircled twice, and returned.

The official time was 18 minutes 22 seconds. The estimated distance is 11 miles. The machine used by McCurdy was a 50 horsepower biplane, and the prize for the flight was \$3000, offered by the city. This, however, is open to competition until Feb. 28.

A great reception was accorded McCurdy this evening at the Alhambra Theatre. Vice-President Alfredo Zayas presided and presented McCurdy with the purse of \$5000 given by the Havana Post for his flight from Key West to Havana.

POLICEMAN TAKEN ILL. Police Constable Alex. Gardner of No. 3 division was taken violently ill while "in for his hour" on the beat Saturday night and was removed unconscious to Grace Hospital. He recovered sufficiently yesterday to be sent home, the malady being nothing more serious than a heavy cold on the lungs.

Stock-Taking Fur Sale. Visit the Dineen sale if you desire to get a line on some rare bargains in furs. Every garment is reduced in price by over thirty per cent, and in view of the fact that there is going to be a big advance in next year's prices, there should be large business at Dineen's.

Equal to the "Chorus Lady." The new play by Charles Klein which is called "Mascote Pepper" and in which the celebrated minstrel, Rose Stahl, will appear to-night at the Princess Theatre, is said to be equal to the "Chorus Lady," a play that was made famous by Miss Stahl.

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A New, a National Party Wanted

[The two existing parties in Canada, Liberal and Conservative, have outlived their usefulness. Forty-five years is a long career for a political party, Office, or hope of office, holds them together. The reciprocity move is primarily for office. They are names, and nothing else. They have evaded the living issues of the day. There is little room in either for progressive ideas or for the aspirations of a people rising into nationality. The views of the rank and file of both parties are not reflected by the leaders, who have got hold of the machines and of the government. There are men in both parties and in public life who can find no standing ground within them. Everyone is sick to death of extravagance and lack of efficiency in some of the departments. Strong men, men of individuality, of views, are forced out of office; every incompetent, dishonest, extravagant, minister is protected, kept in his place, at last put into higher office. The great issue of our national future, jeopardized by the reciprocity proposals of the Fielding-Knox deal, seems to be the time for a new departure. A bold, progressive platform would be a wind of refreshing in a stale and dismal atmosphere. There's a new doctrine in the air, a new life open to the citizen, to the patriotic man, called "public service." If the opportunity is given. But the old parties block the way. Twelve new men, with new principles, acting in concert, would revolutionize the next house of commons. Now is the time to move to get them. Toronto ought to lead the movement. And the present menace to our national future is the sufficient cause. Get together, all you men who believe in Canada, in youth, in public service, in efficiency, in public rights against the arrogance of corporations!]

Canada as a federation and a nation, Ontario as a province of that federation is much in need of a National Party. By a National Party we mean a political movement consecrated: First of all to maintaining and forwarding the idea of a Canadian nationality on this North American Continent in alliance with, and a living integral part of the British Empire.

Second, consecrated to the idea that in regard to all public services, whether under federal or provincial organization, the first duty to uphold is that of public rights, as against corporation aggression and corporation arrogance.

In a word, to uphold the idea of Canadian nationality, to uphold the rights of the Canadian people to adequate service and to regulate charges for service undertaken by corporations.

The Liberal party, so called, has for twenty years now been more or less affected with a tendency to repudiate National Policy as applied to tariff and trade matters, and to transportation methods. Twenty years ago they declared for commercial union with the United States. They came into office in 1896, and from that date until now they tentatively upheld the principle of protection, they declared that there were to be no more missions to Washington for freer trade, and they passed tariff changes that looked to preferential trade with the mother country. Now all is changed. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his party have gone back to their old love of closer commercial relations with the United States, they have sent ambassadors to Washington, these ambassadors have returned with a Reciprocal Proposal of the most far-reaching character and the tendency of which, if ratified, must be toward continentalism; it admits the principle of making our tariff in consultation with the United States, a thing, to our mind, highly dangerous to our national aspirations, and to our hopes of building up a strong Canadian nation on the northern half of this continent.

The national policy that we have pursued for over thirty years, since confederation, in fact, sought to bind the Canadian provinces together by tariff laws and by railways running east and west; to develop trade on east and west lines between the provinces; to direct the trade of our part of the continent in and out by the St. Lawrence system of navigation with its ports, canals and other improvements; to encourage the intercontinental trade between Europe and Asia to go by our ocean ports, our canals, our railways, across Canada. The people of the east gave freely to acquire the western provinces, to build railways all over them. Ontario was the mother of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia. They, like all adopted our institutions, our sons and daughters were their first settlers, they are the backbone of the west to-day.

And all these things were done on the lines of creating a nationality, laying deep the foundations of British institutions in Canada. The money for all this development in the east and west came from Great Britain. Hardly a dollar of it came from the United States, except what came in as a result of our tariff forcing American manufacturers to hold their trade by building factories on this side. The mother country, has financed us to date—the United States never has. And the flow of English money has only begun, as the flow of western money in exchange for our manufactures, for interest, for insurance, has only begun to the Canadian east from the Canadian west.

Now all this is to be put at risk; to be put in jeopardy. It is proposed to adopt a system that will send raw products to the States, to have trade move north and south, instead of east and west, to minimize the traffic on our lakes, rivers, canals and seaports. Our wheat is to be ground in the States, to lose its Canadian character, to be labeled American, to be shipped from American ports; our pulp wood is to go to American mills; our live cattle to the States and our dead meat trade to follow. Intercontinental travel will go by New York and Seattle, not the St. Lawrence ports and Vancouver. James J. Hill is to become our railway magnate and J. P. Morgan our banker. American business and transportation methods are to supplant Canadian ones. Our manufacturers and our workmen are to begin to feel the first severe competition of the capital and labor of the republic. Once the wedge is entered the breach will be widened, the competition grow more severe.

And now turn to another aspect: Why is it that an embassy was sent to the United States to promote trade, instead of sending one to the mother country? The difference between freer trade within the empire and freer trade on the continent is as wide as the poles. The more we have of the former the more Canadian, the more British, we become; the more we have of it with the United States—it is the result of a joint bargain—the more we sink into continentalism, the more we lose our identity, the more likely are American institutions to supplant our own. And ours, we hold, are immeasurably superior! The United States to-day is threatened with social revolution; financial panic is at her door, and no European investor will send his money to the States; the negro curse in the States is the worst racial fester in the world, and it grows more serious every day. The United States cannot digest its European immigrants. New England character has almost disappeared. The great social reforms now under way in Great Britain and in Germany are impossible in the States, the problems to be solved are just as acute. There are ten times as many evictions in New York as in Ireland, and more sweatshops in New York than in London. Workingmen sit in the English parlaments; none in the United States. Divorce is a cancer in the States. The literature of the United States is a weak and gaudy thing at best. The interests, the combines, the trusts, the machine, rule, not the people. A constitution made by men dead 120 years denies all liberty to redress wrongs. The British system is untried and acts promptly; for every wrong there is a quick constitutional remedy. The house of lords in England is willing to be reformed, the senate of the United States is the worst case of rich-man tyranny ever known in the world. It will fight to keep its grip. The pension robbery of the United States is greater than was the curse of slavery. Education in the States is best where it is on English or German lines. The United States is the home of the gullible. And yet it is the richest country in the world, in natural products, in organized production, in industrial concentration, in invention, in missionary zeal to educate and Christianize others, in great benevolence and charities, of high principle in many directions. If it has made rich, it has not made good. The people are now thinking deep, but its leaders are seeking to evade home problems, home conditions, by diverting public

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Mark Envelopes for Mail Orders for Goods on this Page "City Ad."

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

Hosiery Circles Moved to Main Floor, Centre.

Women's Furs Continue to Give Rare Savings in Price

February is proving a month of great buying opportunities in the Women's Fur Section. Price benefits of the biggest kind are daily offered on goods of every kind. It is the time of times to buy furs. Tuesday's few samples are typical of the values offered:

Black Fox Stoles, square back, trimmed with large head, long stole fronts with 4 paws and 2 tails, lined with shirred silk, one with plain black satin. Reduced to about half price, each **18.50**

Very Large Pointed Fox Stole, round back, long stole front, trimmed with claws and 2 large tails, one whole skin running around neck, forming collar, finished with head, claws and tails, lined with shirred silk. This is a very handsome garment and is reduced to nearly half the original price. Tuesday **35.00**

Pointed Fox Stoles, round shoulders, one end trimmed with head and claws, and other with tail and claws, lined with brocade satin. Nearly half price, at **35.00**

Beaver Stole, square back, trimmed with head and tails, stole fronts, with tails and claws, brown shirred satin lining. At close to half the original price. Tuesday **13.25**

Rug Muff to Match Above Stole, fronts trimmed with head and tails, and back with tails and tabs, lined with brown satin, equipped with wrist cord. And the saving is well on to half the former price. Clearing at **13.25**

Western Sable Caprimers, with large collar, broad over shoulders, made from good full furred skins, trimmed with 4 tails on ends, lined with black satin, 76 inches long, very cosy and warm for stormy weather. Greatly reduced to, each **9.25**

—Second Floor—Albert Street.

Greater Ribbon Stocks: Increased Opportunity

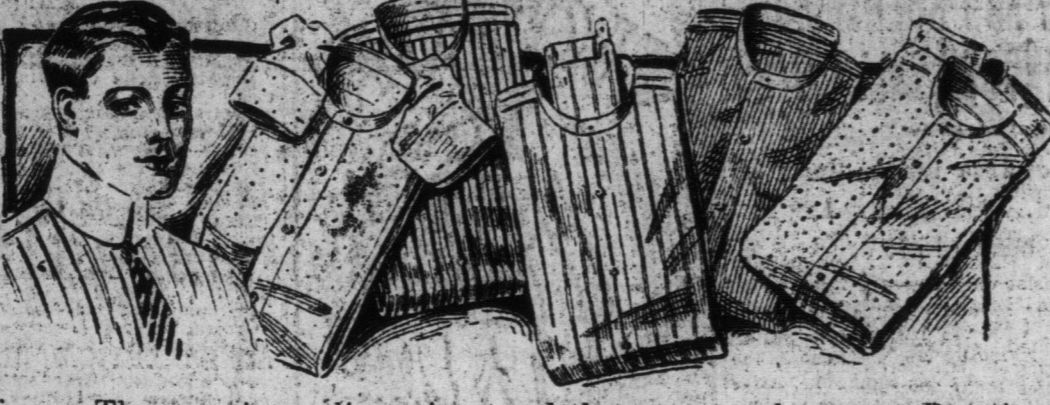
As we find our stock growing again to its normal proportions, we also find many chances to give extra values where we have bought well or where odd lines have come in that we do not wish to carry permanently.

Among the new ribbons are beautiful 5 1/2-inch taffetas in a full list of colors. Seldom have we seen a better finished and better quality ribbon for use in fancy work, dress sashes, hair bows, etc. Colors are white, cream, champagne, tan, brown, sky, turquoise, cadet, sage, royal, navy, pink, rose, old rose, grey, mauve, myrtle, Nile, moss, reseda and black. Width 5 1/2 inches. A remarkable value at, per yard **.17**

New Wash Ribbons—Our Burney ribbons wash perfectly, and are very dainty and serviceable for lingerie, etc. Colors are white, cream, sky, azure, pink, rose and mauve.

1/4 1/2 3/4 1 inches in width.
.30 .57 .8 .10 per yard.
.50 .87 1.40 1.75 per bolt 18 yds.
—Main Floor—Yonge Street.

Another Lot of Men's Shirts at 33c



Neglige shirts in various patterns of blue, grey and brown colorings, and a lot of neat stripe effects. They have well proportioned bodies, cuffs attached, and neat fitting neckbands. Sizes 14 to 17 1/2. For quick morning-business, the price, each **33c**

Men's Underwear; an Unusual Offering
A recent purchase of underwear included a large quantity of travelers' samples, in winter and spring weights. In the winter weights are merino, heavy Shetland wools and natural wool garments, while in the spring weight garments are balbriggan and merino. They are in medium sizes, and there are no drawers. But the saving averages a third—so it's an opportunity well worth while. The prices are:
Spring weight undershirts **.29**
Winter weight undershirts **.69**

Men's High Grade Neck Scarfs Half Price and Less

All are of black corded silk, padded with quilted satin linings. Reefers (mostly 19x36 inches) are also included—these in plain greys, black, navy blue and white.

Here surely is an opportunity to buy for future use with so substantial a saving to be had. All at the one-clearing price, each **.50**

An excellent lot of mufflers and protectors, fresh from our own factory, are to be offered Tuesday at a half and a third former selling prices. They are a very fine lot of goods, but the quantity is a large one and calls for this strenuous price-measure.

A Neckwear Item at 12 1/2c
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—Fifth Floor.

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Day's Doings YORK COUNTY

VEGETABLE GROWERS MAKE STRONG PROTEST
Big Deputation Will Visit Ottawa This Week—Conservatives Hold Fine Meeting in North York.

At a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Toronto Branch of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association held at the Albion Hotel on Saturday afternoon, strong resolutions disapproving of the general provisions of the reciprocity treaty were unanimously adopted and these will be supplemented by a large deputation to the capital some day during the week.

President Geo. Byrnes, Jr., was in the chair, and the resolution moved by Thos. Delworth, was seconded by the president, and by the 125 members present. The resolution is in effect as follows:

Whereas this association is composed of men who are citizens of growing and engaged in the business of growing and selling vegetables for a livelihood; and whereas a measure has been submitted to the house of commons of Canada granting reciprocal free trade in fresh vegetables between this country and the United States;

And whereas believing as we do that the bill as proposed will work great hardship and injustice to the vegetable growers of the country and be of no appreciable advantage to the dwellers in our cities and towns who are the consumers of our produce;

Little Reduction in Machinery.
And whereas the proposed measure while entirely removing all import duties from our products, makes no reduction in the duties on most of the machinery and supplies including windmill pumps, gasoline engines, greenhouse boiler pipes, glass ventilating and irrigating machinery being a necessary equipment for our business, all of which are largely imported, and further that when reductions are made as in plants, bituminous coal and a few other items, said reductions are so small as to be almost imperceptible.

And whereas we believe that this measure, if it becomes law, will cause our country to be flooded at certain seasons of the year with the refuse of southern markets, causing great loss to our Canadian vegetable growers without affording any commensurate advantage to the consumer.

Therefore, be it resolved that this association most energetically protests against the enactment of the proposed

strong commendation and the retention of the present area for park purposes landed as a masterpiece of good work. The address of the representative for Norfolk was listened to with the greatest interest.

T. Herbert Lennox, who is always at home in the hub of the riding, received a royal welcome, but contented himself with a passing reference to provincial affairs, confining his remarks to local matters. He counselled the greatest diligence in the enrollment of all names on the assessment roll of those entitled to that privilege, and expressed his warm appreciation of the many manifestations of confidence.

George S. Henry, ex-warden of York County, made an eminently practical speech, brief, but to the point, in which he strongly affirmed his confidence in the rugged honesty of Premier Whitney and the government in general. He also touched lightly on the good roads question, in which he is deeply interested. T. H. Brunton also spoke.

NORTH TORONTO.
NORTH TORONTO, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Finance committee meets on Monday evening and the town council on Tuesday evening.

Davey's rink will be the scene of a fancy dress carnival on Friday evening. There will be a favorable W. T. H. Boyd of Victoria avenue left on Friday for a few weeks trip across the briny.

NEWMARKET.
NEWMARKET, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Splendid unanimity and enthusiasm marked the annual meeting of the North York Conservative Association held in the town hall here on Saturday afternoon. Practically every subdivision over the big constituency was represented, and considering the fact that no very outstanding matters were up for discussion, the gathering was regarded as especially gratifying.

Archie McCallum was in the chair, and seated on the platform beside North York's able and popular member in the legislature, T. Herbert Lennox, were: A. F. Pratt, M.L.A., North York; J. A. M. Armstrong, candidate for federal honors in North York; J. D. McKay, Major Currie, Ex-Warden George S. Henry and others.

These officers were elected: President, T. W. Stephens; 1st vice-president, L. A. Hollingshead; 2nd vice-president, J. Fenton; 3rd vice-president, Dandford Kocher; secretary-treasurer, W. E. Pratt.

J. D. McKay was the first speaker, and in a frank and outspoken address, while warmly supporting the Whitney administration, pointed out some weak points in the educational policy, which he claimed should be removed, or the value of the system would be greatly impaired.

A. F. Pratt, M.L.A., made a good address, moderate in tone, reviewing briefly but concisely many of the administrative acts of the Whitney government. He dwelt at some length on the humane side of the Central Prison question, as exemplified in the work of Hon. Mr. Hanna. The timber policy of the government also came in for

YORK COUNTY COUNCIL

YORK COUNTY COUNCIL. Saturday's session of the York County Council was not successful in finally disposing of the good roads question, the trouble in getting the solicitors of the city and county together being chargeable for the delay. The sub-committee, to whom has been entrusted the work, have had a number of sessions, but it is claimed that while the general scheme has been accepted, certain details yet remain to be adjusted. A special meeting will be called by Warden Bull within probably the next two weeks.

The Freeman Bridge on the Scarborough and Markham town line will be built by the York County Council.

On motion of Reeve Poole of Whitby, the following resolution was adopted: "That in case any appeal is made by any municipality against the equalization of assessment, as made by the council, it is hereby declared that this council is willing to have the final equalization made by the county judges."

Reeve Teft of Markham Village was successful in the early stages of the council in getting the extension of the good roads up into the village to a point as far north as Robinson street, or directly opposite the Tremont House, about a quarter of a mile further than at first contemplated. In council this is regarded as quite a triumph for the representative for the village.

THISTLETOWN.
Make it a point to attend the grand concert, lecture and tea in the Thistle town Public Hall, on Tuesday, Feb. 7, and hear Rev. C. O. Johnston lecture on the English, Irish and Scotch. Tea will be provided by the Women's Institute from 5 to 7 o'clock. Accommodation will be also provided for teams.

THORNHILL.
Women's and Farmers' Institute Meets on Thursday.
THORNHILL, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—On Thursday afternoon the Farmers' Institute will hold their second annual gathering in Victoria Hall, while the Women's Institute will hold their afternoon meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Hall, following which the ladies will serve tea in the lodge room of Victoria Hall to all who wish to attend. A small fee of 15 cents will be

made to cover running expenses. In the evening a joint meeting of the ladies and gentlemen will be held when addresses will be given suitable to the occasion.

No more interesting or profitable time could possibly be spent than attending these meetings, and Thursday at Thornhill will be one of the best of the series. Don't fail to attend and fill the hall.

WESTON.
Town Council Meets to-night—Local Pupils Do Well.
WESTON, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Town council meets on Monday night. Norma Johnson of St. John's School has obtained first-class honors in the senior examination on the lesson for the year held by the Sunday school commission of the Church of England in Canada. Bert Longstaff obtained first-class honors in the junior examination on the same lesson.

The mortgage on St. John's Anglican Church has been raised, and on Sunday, Feb. 12, there will be a thanksgiving service, and on Monday evening, Feb. 13, there will be a banquet and a congressional social in St. John's schoolhouse.

If the board of trade would take up the question of improving in some way the inefficient suburban service they would confer an everlasting benefit on townspeople generally. Weston has a body of business men who will compare favorably with the best anywhere, but the car service is the worst in existence.

The Mount Dennis Gun Club held their first practice of the season yesterday.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASS'N. ANNUAL MEETING

Championships Are Awarded and Officers For Year Elected.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Public School Athletic Association was held in the city hall on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

President J. A. Brown congratulated the association on its success during the past year, and was followed by the secretary, who reported that from the annexed districts, Secretary-Treasurer S. H. Armstrong reported that forty-four baseball and fifty-three football teams had competed in the several leagues. This is the largest number of teams that have competed in one season in the football series. The financial report showed a balance of \$24. The following schools were awarded the championships for the year:

Basketball.
—Commercial League—Senior Girls, Givins; Junior—Senior Boys, Dawson; Senior Girls, Palmerston; Junior Boys, Givins.

—Major League—Senior Boys, Wilbur; Senior Girls, Queen Victoria; Junior Boys, Grace; Junior Girls, Wilbur.

—League—Senior Boys, King Edward; Senior Girls, Clinton; Junior Boys, King Edward; Junior Girls, Clinton.

—Minor League—Senior Boys, Cottingham; Senior Girls, Pope; Junior Boys, McCaul; Junior Girls, Pope.

Football.
—Commercial League—Senior Girls, Givins; Junior, Givins.
—Major League—Senior series, Fern; Junior series, Perth; Junior Girls, Clinton.

—Intermediate League—Senior series, Lansdowne; Junior series, Givins.
—Minor League—Senior series, Coleman; Junior series, Crawford.

There was only one change made in the playing rules, viz., a team may now use eight men in a game, if the spare man is put on before or at half-time.

The following officers were elected for 1911: Honorary president, J. E. Hughes; president, W. D. Hannah; vice-president, W. G. Morrison; secretary-treasurer, S. H. Armstrong; assistant

secretary, J. A. Woodward; representatives, Messrs. F. W. McGill, T. J. Wallace, D. W. D. D. Davidson, L. A. Yule, P. G. Micht.

St. Andrew's Lose at Port Hope.
PORT HOPE, Feb. 4.—In the intercollegiate series, Trinity College School defeated St. Andrew's College, Toronto, by a score of 15 to 4. Following is line-up: St. Andrew's: (4)—Goal, Montgomery; point, Kilgour; rover, Munro; rover, Bailey; centre, McCarter; left wing, Ault; right wing, Cotton.
Trinity College School: (4)—Goal, Duncan; point, Tadder; rover, Lindsay; rover, McCauley; centre, Colwell; left wing, Desjardis; right wing, Waghorne of Toronto.

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CENTRAL FENCERS WIN FROM Y.W.C.G. TEAM

Guilo Ladies Exhibit Splendid Workmanship in Handicap Contest.

Lady fencers of the Y. W. C. G. Fencing Club lost to the T. C. Y. M. C. A. Fencing Club by the narrow margin of six points in twenty-eight bouts, requiring three hours' continuous fighting, on Saturday evening.

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TORONTO TROTTER WINS \$1000 STAKE AT OTTAWA

Nat Ray's Emily Morris Defeats Good Field After Five Heats.

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—Eleven heats were trotted at the Central Canada races, Saturday afternoon. The unfished classified race was won by Little Ted, owned by Fred Tracey of Ottawa, who made it three straight.

The \$1000 trot, after five heats, went to Nat Ray's Emily Morris. Emily Morris took the first heat, but threw a shoe in the second, which went to Crusader. Crusader also took the third, but Emily Morris came back strong, winning the fourth and fifth with ease. Crusader made second money and Ned Wilkes was third.

The classified for the Silver Foam purse of \$300, had field of five, but it was reduced to four when the judge decided that D. Gilles' Dimpity, a Hamilton mare, was not eligible. They ruled out Dimpity after the other owners had refused to start against her, maintaining that Dimpity was not qualified. The conditions of the race specified that the competing horses must be owned on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway between Sudbury and Ottawa.

Summary:
Classified trot, purse \$300:
Little Ted, b.b., by Ted, F. Tracey, Ottawa (Tracey) 1 1 1
Mary Heales, C. W. Leeming, Rosetford (Kennedy) 2 4 2
Karmae, E. E. Sheldon, Malone, N.Y. (Sheldon) 4 2 4
Bironess, Alex. Hunter, Ottawa (Hunter) 3 3 3
George Kaplan, W. H. Scott, Ottawa (Kaplan) 5 5 5
San Toy, D. J. McEwan, Tavistock (McEwan) 7 6 dr
Russell Larabee, D. C. Larabee, Buckingham (Newell) 8 7 dr
Charlie B. Larry, Gilmour, Renfrew (Burnham) 6 dr
Time 2:31, 2:30, 2:28, 2:26, 2:25, 2:23.
Classified race (unfished from Friday):
Silver Foam Purse, \$300:
Rex, ch.h., by Alexander, R. W. Stewart, Ottawa (Hodson) 5 3 3 1 1
Oregon Maid, W. Tracey, Ottawa (Tracey) 1 1 2 4 1
Dan K. R. K. (Hodson) 4 1 2 3
Nellie H. J. O'Kelly, Pembroke (Bowdoin) 2 3 4 3 dr
The Donna, J. O'Kelly, Pembroke (Bowdoin) 3 dr
Time 2:24, 2:23, 2:23, 2:23.
Starter, F. Updegraff, Judge, John King; timer, Alfred Coleman.

her returns did not lunge out far enough.

Reviewing the contest as a whole, the Central fencers score would have been considerably reduced had it not been for the work of Champion Johnson and McKissock.
Miss Wagner's form was not surpassed by any, and it is surprising that she did not score more points. If Miss Wagner would develop more aggressiveness, her results would be better.
Mr. Lightwood displayed delicacy of touch, but was somewhat weak in his defence, and at times his form, combined with his ability, will work to his disadvantage.
Miss Johnson, who recently won the elementary medal, again displayed her ability as a swordswoman in the fact of having the least number of points on her team scored against her during the tournament.
Mr. Lockwood and Giesecke of Central are elementary men of high order, and with experience will make good.
It was pointed out that the advantages of ladies' fencing with gentlemen were that it gave speed and endurance to the ladies, and to the gentlemen narrows their attack and develops delicacy of touch, so much required in foil play.
Mr. Cochrane presented the medals to the winning team, T.C.Y.M.C.A., and expressed his appreciation of the quality of the fencing displayed.
The officials, who gave good satisfaction in their decisions, were Messrs. Cochrane, M.C.G., Nordheimer, T.C.Y.M.C.A., C. Fryer, T.C.Y.M.C.A.F.C.; Walters, T.C.Y.M.C.A.F.C.
Those who represented different fencing clubs were:
Y.W.C.G.—Miss Wagner, Miss Johnson, Miss Smith, Miss Winter, Miss Abbott, T.C.Y.M.C.A.—Messrs. Giesecke, Lockwood, Lightwood, McKissock, Johnson. Those qualifying for finals were:
Y.W.C.G.—Miss Johnson, Miss Winter, Miss Smith.
T.C.Y.M.C.A.—Messrs. McKissock, Johnson, Giesecke.
The fencing teams will give an exhibition in class and loose play at Woodgreen Methodist Church, open evening of physical culture, Tuesday evening, Feb. 7.

CONSOLE AT 12 TO 1 WINS THE OLD TOWN HANDICAP

Bob R. is Second and Master Robert, Favorite, Third in \$1500 Feature at Moncton.

JACKSONVILLE, Feb. 4.—Chance furnished the surprise of the afternoon at Moncton by winning the Old Town Handicap, the feature race, valued at \$1500. The winner was first by two lengths, while Bob R. beat out the favorite, Master Robert, a neck for the place. The latter probably would have won, but for the fact that he broke down, pulling up lame after the finish. Jockey Sweeney was suspended for two weeks for rough riding, while Gould was set down for a week for the same offence. Summary:
FIRST RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
1. Dr. Barkley, 112 (Bell), 6 to 1, 1 to 2 and 7 to 5.
2. Sweeney, 108 (McTaggart), 7 to 1, 3 to 1 and 3 to 1.
3. Golconda, 104 (Sweeney), 100 to 1, 40 to 1 and 10 to 1.
Time 1:14. Tom Holland, Evia, Firewood, Lily Paxton, Inferno Queen, Flare, Gavotte, Footstall and Tortuous also ran.

SECOND RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
1. Royce Onyx, 100 (Butwell), 3 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5.
2. Aunt Kate, 104 (Byrne), 3 to 1, 3 to 1 and 3 to 1.
3. Footped, 108 (McTaggart), 15 to 1, 6 to 1 and 3 to 1.
Time 1:13. Fond Heart, Borrower, Dearie, Joe Rose, Fabersham, Tod's Cottage, Infection and Hym Wolf also ran.

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds, seven furlongs:
1. Via Octavia, 112 (McCahey), 11 to 10, 9 to 20 and 10 to 1.
2. Astor, 112 (Musgrave), 5 to 1, 7 to 5 and 3 to 5.
3. Wrap, 102 (Cross), 3 to 1, 3 to 2 and 3 to 3.
Time 1:27.5. Judge Monk, Grover Hughes, Blue Mouse and Rash also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Old Town Handicap of \$1500, three-year-olds and up, 1 1/4 miles:
1. Console, 113 (Goose), 12 to 1, 3 to 1 and 2 to 1.
2. Bob R., 110 (Musgrave), 5 to 2, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3.
3. Master Robert, 124 (McCahey), 6 to 5, 5 to 2 and 3 to 1.
Time 2:06.2-5. Joe Kenyon, First Peep and Jack Denman also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
1. Manhelem, 103 (McCahey), 3 to 1, 6 to 1 and 4 to 5.
2. Aspirin, 111 (Burns), 7 to 2, 3 to 5, and 4 to 5.
3. Yvriestris, 97 (Sweeney), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5.
Time 1:13.2-5. All Red, Camel, Huck, Bob Co, Amoret, Molly Ho and Dusty also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, 1 1/4 miles:
1. Ben Noster, 94 (Byrne), 13 to 5, 6 to 5 and 3 to 5.
2. Queen Marguerite, 110 (Burns), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 3 to 1.
3. Queen Marguerite, 110 (Burns), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 3 to 1.
Starter, Starover and Cherry Valley also ran.

OAKLAND RESULTS.
OAKLAND, Feb. 4.—The results of the races are as follows:
FIRST RACE, 7 furlongs:
1. Dargin (Archibald), 8 to 10.
2. Woodland (Merritt), 7 to 1.
3. Ben Stone (Glass), 12 to 1.
Time 1:31.2-5. Tony Faust, Heretic, Miss Pienko, Col. Jack, Lord Provost and Creel also ran.

SECOND RACE, 5 1/2 furlongs, 2-year-olds:
1. Cash on Delivery (Archibald), 9 to 5.
2. Sidon (Shilling), 7 to 1.
3. Milo (Riddle), 4 to 1.
Time 1:04. Error, Roy, La Casadora, Percy Henderson and Patent Stoper also ran. Florence Roberts left at the post.

THIRD RACE—Futurity course:
1. Winnie Widow (E. Martin), 3 to 1.
2. Roy Junior (D. McCarthy), 7 to 1.
3. Novgorod (Saidon), 15 to 1.
Time 1:12.5. No Quarter, Metropolitan, Royal Stone, Port Arlington also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Folliott Handicap, 1 1/4 miles:
1. Torbellino (Callahan), 15 to 1.
2. Markie M. (Martin), 6 to 1.
3. Port Johnson (Glass), 6 to 1.
Time 1:59. Starry Night, Arasee and Azo also ran. Torbellino and Azo added starters.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs:
1. Domithilda (Riddle), 3 to 5.
2. Woodland (Merritt), 9 to 1.
3. Rinda (Digging), 2 to 1.
Time 1:33. Billy Myer, Louise B., Military Man, Lucille Manley, Yellow Foot, Gossip II, Harry Stampo and Damon also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Futurity course:
1. Fernand (Fisher), 4 to 1.
2. Pride of Lismore (E. Martin), 3 to 2.
3. Pivius (Saidon), 7 to 2.
4. Phil Mohr, Golden Agnes, Marchmont, Birnie P., Tony Koch finished as named.

Chance for Suspended Ball Players.
CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Suspended ball players of all leagues governed by the National Association will have an opportunity to present their grievances to the National Baseball Commission, as the result of an order sent J. F. Farrell, secretary of the commission, to-day. The order calls for a complete investigation into circumstances surrounding the practice of suspended players, sometimes on trivial complaints, which is said to have kept many young players out of organized baseball for months. At present there are several hundred players, mostly under contract with the minor leagues, who are barred temporarily from organized baseball because of suspensions.

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To-day's Entries

Oakland Monday Program.
OAKLAND, Feb. 4.—The entries for Monday are as follows:
FIRST RACE—Three furlongs, two-year-olds:
Lavender Lass, 110 Lidda George, 119 Minstra, 110 Lady Lightning, 110 Wild Fern, 110 Florence Roberts, 110 Idum, 110 Patent Stoper, 110 Madredra, 110 Anna Schneider, 110 Florence S., 110 Francis, 110
SECOND RACE—Futurity course, selling:
Feather Duster, 103 Sokol, 103 Ruisseau, 103 Belle Cliff, 101 Mazie Girl, 101 Gerlie, 101 Bob Chocolate, 100 Duna Campbell, 100 Hand Satchel, 95 Fontello, 95 Dorlie, 95 Gypstis, 95 YTHIRD RACE—Futurity course, selling:
Doncaster, 111 Eddie Mott, 108 Abe Slusky, 106 Red Klaw, 106 Twickenham, 106 Amargoosa, 106 Abella, 101 St. Heller, 97 Rinda, 96
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs, handicap:
Raleigh P. D., 112 Lake, Deudonne, 113 Tyslie Belle, 108 Duddy Gp, 106 Secundo, 106 Wineberry, 102 Roy Junior, 102 Pay Streak, 101 Marchmont, 101 Marse Abe, 100 Rocky O'Connell, 101 St. Heller, 97 Sir John, 100 Mace, Musgrave, 107 Meltondale, 107 Busy Man, 103 Mechant, 103 Creel, 103 Inclement, 110 No Quarter, 116 Judge Henderson, 113 Home Run, 113 Lord of Forest, 110 Bonocella, 108 Jessup Burn, 108 Novgorod, 108 J.H. Barr, 106 Pigen, 106 Quality Street, 106 Fleekannny, 90

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Michigan Trotting Dates. The dates for Michigan short ship circuit have been set. The dates are as follows:
Munro—June 27 to 30.
Flint—July 4 to 7.
Bay City—July 11 to 14.
Port Huron—July 15 to 21.
Toledo, O.—July 24 to 28.
Detroit Blue-Ribbon week opens Lansing—August 8 to 11.
Alpena—Aug. 15 to 18.
Vassar—Aug. 22 to 25.
Ithaca—Aug. 29 to Sept. 1.
Kalamazoo—Sept. 4 to 8.
Port Huron—Sept. 13 to 15.
Marshall—Sept. 19 to 23.
Flint—Sept. 30 to 3.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 4.—Tommy Burns, the heavyweight pugilist, will not fight Bill Lang in London or Australia, April 1, and is out of the prize ring for good. This was settled when Burns injured knee was examined by a physician to-night. The doctor said Burns would never be able to stand training. Burns sent a cablegram to Hugh McIntosh explaining the case and offering to match Jack Lester against Lang.

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Little Jeff is Very Strong on the Social Stuff : : : By "Bud" Fisher

Comic strip by Bud Fisher. Characters: Little Jeff, Miss Sparrow, Wny, Nello, Jeff, Mutt, Willie Collier, Guss Hill, Mervan, Edwln L., Gally Slave. Dialogue:
MISS SPARROW: MAY I HAVE THIS DANCE, MISS SPARROW?
LITTLE JEFF: YOU WON'T MIND IF WE SIT IT OUT, WILL YOU, I'M SO TIRED.
WNY: HELLO, JEFF, HAVE YOU MET MR. MUTT?
LITTLE JEFF: GOOD EVENING, FOLKS.
WILLIE COLLIER: HAVE YOU SEEN WILLIE COLLIER IN HIS NEW PLAN—VERY PRETTY LITTLE SHOW—WE MUST GO SOME EVENING! HAVE YOU THE DANCE OPEN?
GUSS HILL: IT'S RATHER WARM IN HERE, SUPPOSE WE TAKE A LITTLE PROMENADE, YOU AND I, HUH?
MERVAN: WHAT THE?
EDWLN L.: YES, ETHEL, AS I WAS SAYING—

Power Development in Lower Trent Valley



DEVELOPMENT OF TRENT VALLEY POWER

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Ontario, the condition exists that there is an industrial demand which can be supplied from the undeveloped water-powers and the supplying of the electrical energy generated to the industrial centres referred to. Concerted action appears to be vital to the success of any undertaking aiming at the development of these water-powers and the supplying of the electrical energy generated to the industrial centres requiring it. The water-powers are held, as already mentioned, by varied interests, but should several development and distribution systems, each of smaller size, be undertaken the total cost will be increased, and the larger unified transmission scheme outlined by some commission will be rendered more expensive and possibly prevent it ever being carried into effect.

An Economical Way.

By combining several of these water-powers in one undertaking, concentrating them in parallel to one transmission system, and operating under one administration, only such expenditure need be made as the demand from year to year warranted, and only such power-houses and machinery in such

power-house be operated from hour to hour as the total demand required. The economy and certainty resultant from such a method of operation is evident. It is also evident that any hydraulic development along the route of the Trent Valley Canal would have to be constructed in a manner satisfactory to the Dominion Government, and located in such a position as would be consistent with the construction and operation of the canal. On the other hand the construction of this canal will still further improve the already excellent storage capacity and uniformity of flow of the Trent River, and if the power developments are carried out along with the canal construction, considerable economy in cost will result.

The question to be answered to-day is what progress has been made during the intervening five years towards the ideals of the commission.

The answer is rather surprising, and is a vindication of the judgment of the hydro-electric commission in a quite unexpected way. What the report suggested as desirable has been practically accomplished, or is in the way of being accomplished, and not only the electric power of the district being developed and distributed, but the commercial and agricultural development seems to be in the way of being looked after and forwarded as the hydro-electric commission could scarcely find it within its jurisdiction to do.

Emancipation of the People.

Those who believe in public ownership fall into two classes, one which believes in it as a means to an end, and the other which regards it as a principle to be followed for its own sake, irrespective of results. The real object of the public power movement

was the emancipation of the people from corporation thieftoms. Had there been no oppression, no overloading of rates, no disregard of the popular interest, there would have been no public ownership campaign.

As there has been no corporation oppression in the Trent Valley district as a whole, the some of the towns like Trenton had felt the pinch in the past, there was not any such demand for a public ownership policy as in western Ontario. It was difficult to get the various municipalities to co-operate. There was no urgent call to bring them together.

What the hydro-electric commission pointed out, however, remained at the heart of the situation. The Dominion Government had control of the powers, and to develop them effectively they must be under one management and linked together.

This is exactly what has occurred. During the past five or six years progress has been quietly made in bringing the several powers of the district under one control, and at the present time what promises to be one of the greatest electrical power corporations of the country is the lessee of probably 100,000 horsepower, developed or to be developed from the waters of the Trent River.

The Electric Power Company, Limited. This corporation is the Electric Power Co., Limited, with operating headquarters at Belleville, controlling as subsidiary companies, the Seymour Power and Electric Co., Limited; the Peterboro Light and Power Co., Limited; the Peterboro Railway Co., Limited; the Auburn Power Co., of Peterboro, Limited; the Trenton Electric and Water Co., Limited; the Sidney Electric Power Co., Limited; Oshawa Electric Light Co., Limited; the City

Gas Co. of Oshawa, Limited, and the Cobourg Utilities Corporation. It also controls the Nipissing Power Co., Limited.

It is typical of the confidence which the management of these companies feels towards the present provincial government, that also all the water powers that it is developing are vested in the Dominion Government, the charters for all these companies have been granted by the Ontario Government, and no protection from Ontario jurisdiction has been sought.

The Seymour Power Co. has been the most active in gaining control of the situation. It obtains its name from Seymour Township, Northumberland County, in which township is situated Campbellford, the centre of several important water powers, and the site of a paper mill and pulp mill, in the management of which Mr. J. G. G. Kerry, president of both the Northumberland Paper and Electric Co., and of the Electric Power Co., who has had the organizing of the great enterprise in hand, obtained his grasp of the situation in more than one day.

Mr. Kerry will be regarded in days to come as the one man, original to the Trent Valley, who had the genius to see that the principles underlying the public ownership movement were justified and right, and arose out of the conditions; and to realize that in future if corporations were to retain their status it could only be by adopting the policy that made public ownership popular.

Investigation shows that in practical effect particularly the Seymour Power Co. has taken the hydro-electric commission program as a basis for action. This grand larceny of Hon. Adam Beck's thunder should not, how-

ever, rob the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of the credit it deserves for setting up a platform on which it seems reasonable and practicable for capital to find a new standing ground.

The terms under which the great water powers of the Trent Canal system are leased to the Seymour Power Company are distinctly public-owned in character, and involve due consideration of public interests and protection of public rights.

For all power developed, the company has to pay the government 2¢ per h.p. When all the powers are in operation, this means a revenue to the government sufficient to materially reduce the expenses and maintenance on the Trent Valley Canal, and thus will be furthered the extension of cheap transportation to central Ontario. The powers must be developed within a limited period or the leases will be forfeited. The work, in fact, is going on as rapidly as the canal construction permits.

Then the company laid down several principles on its own initiative. No business was wanted, it was decided, that was not voluntary. As a corollary, it was determined to make the terms for power so attractive that no one could pass up the opportunity. This made all graft and squabbling of municipal councils an unnecessary detail. And corporations only do what is necessary.

A Clean Policy.

This absolutely clean policy commended itself to the clean municipal councils, and there has been no difficulty in arranging franchises for the supply of power for the simple (but hitherto unheard of) reason that the company only desired to do what was equitable and fair and honest. The contracts were drawn in the terms acceptable to the municipalities, and any fair amendments were suggested.

they were adopted. It was all almost suspiciously easy. Municipal councils could not overcome the old habit of looking for the colored gentleman in the fence, but strange to relate, he was undiscoverable.

In consequence of this enlightened policy, the Seymour Power Company and its associates have concluded contracts and acquired franchises from Peterboro, Oshawa, Bowmanville, Newcastle, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Trenton, Orono, Cobourg, Deseronto and Port Hope. In the voting on the by-law at the last mentioned place, there were only 19 adverse votes against 546 in favor. It is said that these represented the employees of an opposite electric company, and it was the highest adverse vote in any municipality. Bowmanville had 6 negative votes; Newcastle 14; Deseronto 13; Orono 10; Madoc 2 and Stirling only one.

The franchisees are 20-year franchisees only; options to purchase are given to the municipalities at the end of 15 years in some cases, or ten in others. It is also the policy of the company to separate its public utilities operation from its power developments, which policy will permit of each municipality acquiring the public utilities within its boundaries when it desires to take advantage of its own franchise. Underlying this policy is the determination of the company to live on the best of terms with the municipalities and to seek no protection for its business, except in enterprises, industry and fair dealing.

The maximum rate for power is \$25 in any of these places, and this is the rate for the small man wanting one horsepower as well as bigger ones. At the same time large blocks of power are contracted for at more favorable rates.

Will Make Things Right.
The company believes it to be a business principle to please the consumer. If there should be any trouble it will make things right. In making agreements it has fallen in with every reasonable stipulation or change in the terms proposed. It agrees for instance to change a flat rate or meter rate at the option of the customer.

In several instances it undertook to build or complete the local power installation or terms favorable to the municipality. It also provided means for the establishment of industries in approved cases, and is at present co-operating with the township councils within the district with a view of establishing low tension distribution systems which will place electric energy at the disposal of the farming community. The comparatively low voltage of the company's main transmission system enables it to place substances of very moderate cost wherever desired.

The company does not fear competition, expressly stipulating that competition is the life of trade. So it has never anywhere asked for an exclusive franchise. It has set out to make electric power so interesting to the people of the Trent Valley district that in ten years from now, to judge by experience elsewhere, the industries and the population may easily have doubled.

Even after seeing all these things in operation and reading the franchise agreements in cold blood and while one almost feels incredulous about such a change of front in corporation policy, and yet it is quite reasonable. It is the principle which has made success possible for the departmental store. Please the customer, get all the business, in night. You can afford to do it on small profits.

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URGE PARTY TO STAND FIRM AGAINST PACT

Peel Conservatives Declare Reciprocity Endangers Empire and Means Unfair Competition.

BRAMPTON, Feb. 5.—(Special).—The annual meeting of the Conservative Association of Peel was held on Saturday. The concert hall was crowded with an audience made up chiefly of farmers. Robert McCulloch of Snelgrove occupied the chair.

The officers of last year were all re-elected, as follows: President, R. McCulloch, Chincagouey, vice-president, Geo. Downer, Albion; secretary, J. R. Pallas, Brampton; treasurer, F. J. Jackson, Toronto Township.

The speakers were Dr. Sproule, M.P., Grey; Claude Macdonell, M.P., South Toronto; R. Blain, M.P., and S. Chartiers, M.L.A., Brampton, and Hillyard Birmingham, Toronto.

The speakers all dealt with the reciprocity question, expressed emphatic disapproval of the proposed treaty, and urged the representatives at Ottawa to use every legitimate effort to maintain the national policy, which has made Canada prosperous and to promote as far as possible trade within the empire.

Resolutions were passed amidst the greatest enthusiasm approving of the leadership of R. L. Gordon and promising continued support, and also endorsing the Whitney government, and the county representatives, Richard Blain, M.P., and Samuel Chartiers, M.L.A.

They go on to say: "And we would urge upon the party at Ottawa the necessity at the present time of united action in opposing the movement for reciprocity with the United States as exposing our country to the overpowering influence of our great neighbor to the south, endangering our relationship with the units of the empire, and leaving our people open to unfair and improper commercial methods, and thereby making it possible for us to offend our powerful neighbor if we endeavor to protect ourselves in the future against undue commercial aggression, while at the same time they are at liberty, as plainly stated by some of their public men, to change everything that may operate to their disadvantage. We are friendly now, and each country should work out its own destiny.

Sir James P. Whitney and his colleagues are commended for conserving the natural resources of the province, protecting the rights of the people

NO AGE LIKE PRESENT Socialist-Suffragist From Kansas Says Franchise Must Come.

"If the women of the United States were all to go to Colorado, where they have the right to vote, the men in the other states would soon grant them the franchise to get them back," was Mrs. M. Woods Symons' statement last night at a socialistic mass meeting in St. George's Hall, "and it is not the joke that it appears on the surface. Sooner or later suffrage must come, and surely there is no age like the present."

Advising the men present she said: "Rise in your might, you have nothing to lose, but your chains, and you have a world to gain, and you women unite with the men you have double the chains to lose and a double world to gain."

Mrs. Symons is a prominent member of the socialistic party in Girard, Kansas, and has for many years been lecturing on "Socialism" and "Suffrage." She goes from Toronto to Boston, Mass., to conduct a campaign for universal suffrage for women.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock F. H. Sangster, LL.B., will lecture in the Labor Temple on "The Good Time Coming." Mr. Sangster is one of the best-informed socialists in Canada, and a lecturer of considerable experience and ability.

REFUSED TO SIGN VERDICT

MONTREAL, Feb. 5.—Mrs. Geo. Marleau, mother of the two children suffocated by smoke as a result of a fire that broke out in the Marleau home, 100 Chatham-st., while the children were alone in the house Friday afternoon, was exonerated of criminal responsibility at the inquest held at the morgue Saturday morning.

When the jury retired to consider their verdict, eleven of them were of the same mind as the coroner, but Wildred Jessard, who is the father of six children, said he thought Mrs. Marleau should be held criminally responsible, and refused to sign the verdict.

\$1100 Washington, D.C., and Return From Suspension Bridge, via Lehigh Valley R. R. Feb. 17. Tickets good to return within 15 days, and good for stop-over at Baltimore and Philadelphia on return. Particulars & King-street east, Toronto, Ont. 123461234

NAGARA FRUIT MEN ARE VERY MUCH IN EARNEST

A Monster Deputation Will Go to Ottawa to Protest Against Reciprocity.

ST. CATHARINES, Feb. 5.—(Special).—So intense is the feeling against the reciprocity proposals through the fruit belt between this city and Hamilton that a monster deputation is being organized to go to Ottawa on Friday of this week and protest to the government. It is stated that in numbers it will rival the deputation of western grain growers that invaded the capital in December last.

The fruit growers are alarmed over a possible reduction in the tariff on the ground that it will destroy the land values that entice and industry have created in Grimsby, Winona and other points. They claim that the benefit of the early market will be denied them by reason of the importation of southern fruit, which, by reason of cheap labor in those parts, will undersell the home grown product.

Millions are invested in the fruit industry in the Niagara peninsula, and the men who have nurtured the industry take it as a hardship that the work of years should be destroyed at a moment. They take credit for the quality of the product, and take the position that profits now have been reduced to a minimum, and further competition would spell ruin.

It is stated that deputations from other parts of the province will join with the fruit growers.

The North Toronto Route is the Most Convenient to Ottawa and Montreal.

The new C. P. R. train via the North Toronto route for Ottawa and Montreal which leaves North Parkdale at 9:15 p.m., West Toronto 9:30 p.m., and North Toronto Station at 10 p.m. daily, except Sunday, has proven that it is the most convenient route from Toronto. Baggage can always be checked without hurry and confusion; the waiting and retiring rooms are the most modern in Toronto, and the matron is always in attendance in ladies' rooms. The North Toronto route avoids an hour's climb out of Toronto by the train-unavoidable any other way out of Toronto. City Ticket Office now located at 16 King-st.

University Sermon

It was an intensely interested audience who listened to the stirring sermon of Prof. Elliot, of Wesley College, Winnipeg, in Convocation Hall yesterday morning. These Sunday morning religious services in the big hall have been discontinued since before the Christmas holidays, and their resumption yesterday brought out a large crowd of students and their friends, not a few of whom were of the weaker sex. Prof. Elliot's sermon, however, was expressly for the male section of the audience, and preaching on the text, "Quit ye like men," he delivered a sermon that must have been an inspiration to the youth and young manhood present.

One of the first requisites to a virile manhood, declared the speaker, was a strong physical personality, accounting for a "keen, cold, logical, thinking machine." "But that's not all that is necessary," he continued, "you might have both of these, and use these fine faculties for wrong purposes, stealing, scheming, and seeking in false returns to the government. We must have these, but we must also have truth, a truth that will say, 'I'll not be satisfied in doing things for others unless I've done them as well as I would have for my own self.'"

Prof. Elliot also dwelt on reverence as an essential to the growing manhood. He deprecated the growing tendency among young men, whose morals were otherwise good, of using profane language, and of speaking lightly of the really serious things of life. "But there is a brand of irreverence which is worse than that," declared the speaker, in his forceful way, "and that is the irreverence of men who occupy the pulpit, imagining that they know everything."

Dr. Elliot also spoke on that trait of human nature that makes men gladly follow a leader, even to the death, and encouraged the youth to work for such worth of character that men would gladly follow him. He told the story of a German soldier, who, while fighting in the American Civil War, received his death wound. Asked if there was any message for his folks at home, he replied, "Say I was fighting with Slaves."

Contrary to Toronto's late evangelist, Dr. Chapman, Prof. Elliot said that to grow into a man of power and truth, one must take help and inspiration from every available source, and always aim for perfection. In closing he made a brilliant plea for a "real, broad, deep, pure, open manhood," that would help along the true democracy of man.

HISTORY OF MONEY

Origin of Metallic Currency Dates Back to 3500 B. C.

At a well-attended meeting of the Canadian Institute on Saturday night, Professor F. McCurdy revealed to his hearers the time worn mystery connected with the why and wherefore of that yellow metal which modern lexicography defines as money, and which is referred to in scripture as filthy lucre. Taking as his theme "History of money in ancient western Asia," the speaker traced the origin of money back to 3500 B.C., and to the Babylonians and Assyrians, did he give the credit for the establishment of the now necessary institution in the life of every nation.

These two peoples were the first to carry on an active trade, and verifying the old axiom, "Necessity is the mother of invention," a standard of gold and silver was adopted whereby the value of other commodities might be measured. The pieces of metal then circulated were irregular in shape, although of stated weight. It was not until about 800 B.C. that the first coin was struck. The Persians took the initiative in this direction and the primitive coin bore the stamp of the head of King Darius. The name was translated from Greek, and is now referred to as a daric.

Well-Known Business Man Dead.

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 5.—Gavin Rowan, one of the best-known business men of Western Ontario, died in Victoria Hospital this morning, aged 65. He was at one time head of the firm of Rowat, McMahon and Granger, wholesale druggists, and with William Lind, who died last week, founder of the Western Ontario Commercial Travellers' Association.

CHARGES BRIBERY

Canon Walsh of Brampton Says Local Option Contest Not on the Level.

Since the departure of the Chapman-Alexander evangelists, many of the Toronto institutions which were closed during their stay, are again going about their work in the city. Among these is the Canadian Temperance League, which held its first meeting since the close of the big campaign yesterday, a large crowd turning out to Massey Park for the small man wanting one horsepower as well as bigger ones. At the same time large blocks of power are contracted for at more favorable rates.

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Cut Out.

A farmer, while chopping out a beet nest in a hollow tree, found a keg of whiskey forty years old. Lots of men would like to cut out the booze in this way.

"Bronchitis"

This is an acute inflammation of the mucous membrane lining the air tubes in the lungs.

The disease begins with a tightness across the chest, difficulty of breathing, hoarseness, and there is a dry, harsh, croupy cough.

After a few days mucous begins to be raised. This is at first white, but later of a greenish or yellowish color and is occasionally streaked with blood.

Cure the first symptoms of Bronchitis by the use of Dr. Wood's Norway Fine Syrup and thus prevent it becoming chronic and perhaps turning to Consumption.

Mrs. D. J. McCormack, Cleveland, N.E., writes: "My little boy, two years old, caught a bad cold which developed into Bronchitis. He was so choked up he could hardly breathe. Reading about your wonderful medicine, Dr. Wood's Norway Fine Syrup, I decided to try a bottle, and with such good results I got another which completely cured him, without having a doctor. I cannot say too much in its praise and would not be without it in the house as I consider it a sure cure for Colds and Bronchitis."

Dr. W. Norway Fine Syrup is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pence per trade mark; price 25 cents.

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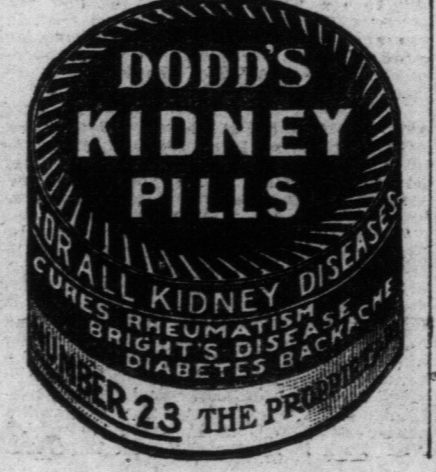
CHINESE WHISKEY

License Inspector Somewhat Marred New Year Celebration.

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—The celebration by the local Chinese colony of the New Year to-night, was somewhat marred. License Inspector Enright made three seizures on Saturday night, embracing 25 half cases of Chinese native whiskey. The whiskey was sent to Toronto where it was filled, and it required an express wagon to carry all the goods to the police station. Three cases were seized at the store of Huiom Quong, the whiskey will be sent to Toronto for analysis, and if it is over proof cases will be taken at the police court later.

Where Beauty Reigns.

"Where do you get the inspiration for your dream of fair women?" "I feel asleep aggressive," explained the famous poet. "I had just been looking over the corset ads."



LET WELL ENOUGH ALONE, SAYS HOSMER

Everyone is Prosperous and Contented, Why Change It? He Asks.

MONTREAL, Feb. 5.—(Special).—Mr. Charles R. Hosmer, a director of the Bank of Montreal, stated today that the more thought he gave to the Washington arrangement the more was he convinced that little good would come to this country from its ratification.

"Canadians went to work and built the Pacific from the Atlantic to the Pacific seaboard, established steamship communication with the European countries, as well as with those of the Orient, opened up the greatest wheat belt in the world, and now that an enterprise has been crowned by the greatest measure of success ever known to the commerce, agriculture and finance of any country, we are told by inexperienced men that it must go for naught, and that trade must be disorganized for a year or two, and finally ruined, or at least over to foreigners."

"The banking system of Canada," said Mr. Hosmer, "is the finest in the world, the envy of Wall-street and the admiration of every nation of the world. It has been built up by the Canadian people, and it is the greatest achievement of a century as regards settlement and general development. All of these institutions have worked harmoniously together to build up a great Canadian nationality under the flag of the British Empire, and of course forming an inseparable part of the empire which has given in a great measure liberty and peace to the world."

"Everyone from the Atlantic to the Pacific is prosperous and contented. There is not even sufficient labor to carry on the work of the railways and the agricultural sections of the Dominion. Our towns and cities are going ahead by leaps and bounds. The credit of our Dominion, our provinces and our municipalities is of the best in the money markets of the world, and once more," Mr. Hosmer asked, "why not let well enough alone?"

"The Coming of Tetraxin." In a few days complete particulars will be announced about the coming of Madame Tetraxin to Massey Hall for one concert only, on Friday evening, March 3. Pieces of seats and how to obtain them will then be announced. That the Tetraxin concert will be the most important season, both musically and socially, is borne out by the many enquiries regarding the coming of the world's greatest musical star, which have been received by the only city in which Tetraxin will sing in Canada, much interest is being taken in other cities. It is understood that the railroad is intending a special rate for parties of ten or more.

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SOCIETY NOTES Mrs. James W. Ross, 124 Wellesley-street, will receive to-day, and on the first Monday in March and April, Mrs. C. Grant Anderson, 23 Devon-street, will receive Thursday, Feb. 9, Mrs. Clayton S. Corbin, 28 Sinclair-avenue, will receive on Tuesday, Feb. 7, for the last time this season.

AMUSEMENTS. Mendelssohn Choir Concert TO-NIGHT AT 8 ORCHESTRAL MATINEE Thursday, at 2.30 p.m. THEODORE THOMAS ORCHESTRA Frederick Stock, Conductor BRUNO STEINDL, Cello Soloist Seats on Sale at Massey Hall.

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ROSE STAHL In her latest comedy success, "MAGGIE PEPPER" By Charles Klein. Week of Feb. 13—The Spendthrift.

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