

# GIRL MURDERED IN A STREET CAR.

### Young Woman Killed by a Young Man.

### Refused to Sit Beside Him and Was Shot.

### Murderer Escapes But Others Are Held.

New York, Feb. 10.—A girl of the tenderloin, known to her companions only as "Queenie," about 25 years old, and decidedly pretty, was shot and almost instantly killed while riding on a north-bound Second avenue car at 8th street early to-day. A young man who was sitting opposite the girl in the car fired the shot, the police say, and then made his escape.

So far the only clue the police have is that the murderer had a light grey overcoat. Two girls, who said they were Mabel Cousins, of Lyndhurst, N. J., and Helen Sullivan, of this city, and the motorman and conductor of the car have been detained as witnesses.

"Queenie" and the two other girls, accompanied by two young men, one of whom wore a grey overcoat, boarded the car at Brooklyn bridge.

At first the men sat opposite the aisle from the girls, but the man in the black overcoat crossed over and sat between "Queenie" and the Cousins girl, and at the same time the man in the grey overcoat asked "Queenie" to come over and sit by him. She refused, and he reached over and tried to pull her out of her seat.

While they were struggling the Cousins girl stealthily reached for his watch and fob. They were found in her pocket at the police station, but she declares she had intended returning them.

Just what caused the shooting has not yet been learned. Those who were on the car say that the first intimation they had of any serious trouble was when they heard a shot and looked around to see the man in the grey coat standing with a revolver partly concealed by a handkerchief held in his hand. "Queenie" had half risen from her seat with her hand pressed to her breast, and as the man with the revolver dashed from the car she toppled over to the floor, dead. The other man also made his escape.

The Cousins and Sullivan girls declare they knew neither of the men, and knew very little about the dead girl.

## MEET TO-MORROW

### To Consider Appointment of Third Arbitrator.

Mr. William Bell, K. C., representing the Hamilton Street Railway Co., and Mr. J. G. O'Donoghue, Toronto, representing the International Street Railwaymen's Union, in the arbitration in regard to the dismissal of President Theaker, will confer to-morrow and try to agree on a third arbitrator. The time allowed by the Labor Disputes Act for the two arbitrators to appoint a chairman is five days. If they don't agree in that time the Minister of Labor has power to appoint the third. In view of the fact that both arbitrators are lawyers, it is anticipated that they will choose a member of the bar.

There was no meeting of the young blood of the union at the Labor Hall Saturday night, as a local paper intimates would take place. To-day, however, it is stated that one of the young employees was around to-day getting signatures to a petition asking the Railway Board to change the schedule, so that the old bands will have as many night shifts as the new bands. Sixteen or seventeen names have been secured, but some of them are men who are receiving instruction in operating cars—it is stated by a faithful member of the union.

### "A Slice to a Pipf'al."

Old English curve cut tobacco is a sliced plug of choice pipe tobacco that smokes cool and sweet. It is sold for 15 cents a tin, at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

### SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

## IN NO WAY PREPARED FOR WORK ON THE ICE HARVEST.

### Half Clad Men Applying for Jobs With Thermometer Showing Ten Below.

Ice cutting operations on the bay will be in full blast this week. Practically all the dealers, with the exception of the Magee-Walton Company, had men at work this morning removing the snow and getting things in shape to begin harvesting. On account of the great weight of the snow a good deal more scraping than usual is necessary. Employment will be furnished a large number of men for two or three weeks. Although it was stated that the wages paid this year would be much lower than in previous years on account of the large number of men out of work, some of the firms announced that they would pay

## Stove Exploded

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—The explosion of an oil stove in the home of Walter Clifford, where a family reunion was being held yesterday in the northeastern section of the city, resulted in the death of Mrs. Jennie Thomas and Mrs. Minnie Clifford, and the serious injury of two other persons. Mrs. Clifford was entertaining her friends at the piano when the stove exploded, throwing oil over Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Clifford, the former dying shortly after being admitted to a hospital, and the latter died early this morning. Walter and Ernest Clifford were painfully burned about the face, neck and arms. They, too, are in a hospital.

## FRANCO GOES TO MARSEILLES.

### EX-PREMIER OF PORTUGAL LEAVES IN A HURRY.

### But the Rest Has Done Him Good— Accompanied by French Detectives— —Mria Pia to Visit Her Sister, the Princess Clotilde.

Bordeaux, Feb. 10.—Senhor Franco, the ex-Premier of Portugal, has left this morning for Marseilles. The departure was made suddenly, the hotel authorities being notified of the step at the last moment.

It was twenty minutes before train time when Senhor Franco unexpectedly requested his bill from the hotel manager. The time was so short that the hotel porters had to work rapidly to get the many pieces of baggage of the Franco party over to the station in time.

Senhor Franco appears rested from his stay here. He is less depressed, and walked over to the train at a quick step. The former Premier was accompanied by French detectives, but there were no others at the station to see him off.

### Going to Turin.

Turin, Italy, Feb. 10.—Maria Pia, the dowager Queen of Portugal, has telegraphed her sister, Princess Clotilde, that she will come here to pass some time, and that the visit will be made so soon as her health permits.

### The Royal Dead.

Lisbon, Feb. 10.—The bodies of King Carlos and Crown Prince of Portugal are still lying in state this morning at the Cathedral San Vicente. Long before the portals were opened a great crowd has congregated on the streets before the building, and as soon as they were permitted, the people filed through for the last glimpse of the murdered monarch and his son. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the coffins will be closed and carried to the Pantheon, where with further ceremonies they will be placed in the tomb. The official watchers at the sides of the biers were augmented today by some of the members of the foreign missions to attend the funeral, who are still in Lisbon.

## ACCUSED OF THEFT.

### Former Manager of Unique is Under Arrest.

That within seven months last past he did unlawfully steal about \$400, the money and property of the Bennett Enterprises Co., of London, is the charge that C. W. Swift, erstwhile manager of the Unique on the Market Square here, will have placed in the police court. He was arrested on Saturday at Halifax on this charge, preferred by the Bennett Company when they discovered that a great deal of money had been apparently misappropriated while he was manager of the local concern. He was engaged here for some time, before Christmas to Halifax to manage the Unique Theatre there. Detective Donald Campbell was sent to Halifax yesterday afternoon to bring him back and is expected here Wednesday or Thursday.

## DR. HOLBROOK

### Succeeds Dr. Unsworth at Mountain Sanitarium.

At a meeting of the directors of the Hamilton Health Association at noon to-day, Dr. Holbrook was appointed to succeed Dr. Unsworth, Medical Superintendent of the Mountain Sanitarium. Dr. Unsworth leaves shortly for the old country to resume his studies. Dr. Pain was supported for the position by Mayor Stewart and Chairman Quinn, of the Board of Health. There were five or six applicants.

Dr. Holbrook is a graduate of Toronto University. He stood at the head of his class each year, and won the first silver medal in his final year. He has since been on the house staff of the City Hospital here, and recently has been practicing in Binbrook.

The other applicants were Dr. Albert Pain, Dr. F. C. Pillsbury, Dr. R. M. Charlton (Galt), Dr. Bueglass, Dr. Ernest Scarlett (Callander).

## TAKES OVERDOSE.

### Buffalo Man Dies After Second Dose of Drug.

Buffalo, Feb. 10.—Paul Jurica, 52 years old, a brushmaker, living at 454 Jefferson street, took an overdose of medicine yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and died a short time later.

Jurica has been out of work. He has been worrying until he became ill. Then he got medicine. Whether this was strychnine or morphine Deputy Medical Examiner Howland has been unable to ascertain as yet.

Yesterday morning Jurica complained of nervousness. He arose and took a dose of medicine. Then after he had waited a short time he arose from his chair, according to the statements of his wife, and remarked: "If one dose will not help me, I'll take another." He took the second dose. That caused his death.

Dr. Howland saw the medicine bottle from which the pills were taken and decided that it must have been strychnine. After questioning Jurica's wife he concluded that there had been no attempt on the part of the man to commit suicide, but that he had failed to follow the directions of the label on the bottle for the use of the poisonous drug.

Besides his widow Jurica left several grown-up children.

## THREATENS TO KILL

### Married Man Who Eloped With Daughter.

New York, Feb. 10.—Richard Bell, 29 years old, a shipping clerk, of 52 Barrow street, and Catherine Geugenbach, 25 years old, of 66 Greenwich avenue, were in the Tombs Police Court to-day charged with the larceny of jewelry valued at \$1,000 from Charles Geugenbach, the girl's father.

The girl eloped with Bell on Jan. 15, taking the jewelry with her. They were arrested in Chicago last week. Bell has a wife and two children, and it is stated that at the time of the elopement the Geugenbach girl was about to enter a convent.

The girl's father, who had been standing without apparently noticing his daughter, sprang at Bell, crying, "I'm going to kill you for what you have done to my daughter."

Before the man could reach Bell, lawyers forced them apart. The father then turned to the girl and said: "You've got just what you deserve, and I'm going to see that you're punished."

When arraigned the pair held each other's hands. Both waived examination, and Magistrate Corrigan held them in \$1,000 bail each.

## THREE FEET THICK.

### Passengers Reached, Leave Steamers on Ice at New York.

New York, Feb. 10.—When the Government steamers General Joseph E. Johnston and Ordinance, which make regular trips between this city and Sandy Hook, attempted to reach their pier at Sandy Hook this morning to land their passengers, both became fast in the heavy ice, and after many attempts to get to their docks, were compelled to abandon the effort. Their passengers, numbering over 50, finally left the boats and walked over the ice to the pier. There were as many passengers at Sandy Hook waiting to go to New York on the vessels, and these, many of them women, boarded them from the boats and safely boarded them from the pier.

The bay from Sandy Hook to Atlanta was solidly frozen over, the ice being from one to three feet thick.

## WILD HORSES.

### Orders That 15,000 of Them Be Destroyed.

Reno, Nev., Feb. 10.—Orders have been received from the Forestry Department instructing the rangers on the Toiyabe, the Toiyama and the Kofler reserves in Lander county, to kill all wild horses found on the government domain. There are about 15,000 wild horses on the reserves. They are doing much damage to vegetation and attracting domestic animals to their herds.

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### SAYS HE WAS ROBBED.

C. Chrysler, 14 Wood street, reported to the police on Saturday night that he was held up and robbed of \$50 by three men while he was crossing the MacNab street bridge about 11.15. He said that he submitted quietly to the robbery and did not make any outcry, but went quietly home. The police say that an officer on duty at the C. T. R. stood at the MacNab street bridge for some time about 11.10, but heard nothing nor saw anything.

## ATE LEATHER JUST FOR FUN

### Was Defendant's Story In Cruelty to Animals Case.

### But a Fine of \$20 Was Imposed on Him.

### Foreigner Fined \$10 and Bound to Keep Peace.

George Ringland, Locke street south, was before Magistrate Jelis at Police Court this morning on a charge of cruelty in treating several horses, which he had in a barn on Locke street south. He pleaded not guilty. George Nichol, market constable, said he had visited the defendant's barn on several occasions, and found the horses so starved that they were eating the mangers and the halter straps. His brother and several other witnesses swore to the same story, and said that the barn was full of big cracks through which the wind whistled.

Ringland said that the horses just amused themselves by eating the stationary property and that it sharpened their teeth. He said they had lots to eat and were in good condition. Not having bedding because the barn was an exceptionally well drained and dry one. He said that the horses were in fine condition, and that they enjoyed running loose in the cold to work up an appetite for the hay and shorts he fed them.

Some witnesses for the prosecution recalled that they saw no hay, and that shorts was food for cows, and horses would starve on it. Defendant had several witnesses who corroborated his story, but they would not keep a valuable horse in the barn, but that it was good enough for old pligs. The Magistrate fined Ringland \$20 or one month in jail, which will not be enforced if he feeds the horses and repairs the barn. Kirwan Martin prosecuted.

Dr. Philp, charged with neglecting to clean his snow, and who obtained a remand till to-day to prove that he had cleaned the beautiful, was fined \$2. Constable Brown swore that it had not been cleaned, and the doctor swore it had, so the Magistrate took the officer's word.

Squils Felix, 176 Barton street west, was charged with threatening Peter Baime, of the same address, his boarding boss. He pleaded not guilty. The complainant said that last night Felix wanted some supper after 10 o'clock, and was refused, so he threatened to "lick every one in the house." He drew a razor, witness said, to force obedience in the preparing of his supper, but was grabbed, and the police called. He denied having the razor, which was picked up after the arrest in a baby's cot. The Magistrate decided he was a bad man, and fined him \$10 and ordered him to find sureties in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace.

Pat Savage got real angry this morning at Constable McLean, who swore that he saw Pat kicked out of a King street hotel while drunk. Pat shouted that he was not drunk, and that he could have put lots away before he showed any signs of it. He just stopped to tell the policeman he was going home, he said, and he was in the cells before he knew what happened. The Magistrate sentenced him to three months in jail, which will not be enforced on Pat if he vanishes at once, but if he insists on staying here he will go to the cooler.

Bus, Lillis, Hess and Peter streets, was charged with assaulting Samuel Joseph on Saturday. Joseph asked for an enlargement, as there were too many witnesses, applied for a writ of habeas corpus, and wanted a chance to bring some for himself. They were all going to perjure themselves in the defendant's favor, he insisted. He was granted the enlargement till to-morrow morning.

John Emmerson, 284 Wilson street, was charged by his wife with non-support. They got together yesterday, and arranged things to their own satisfaction, so the Magistrate agreed to let the case stand indefinitely.

Pat Lynch, of the same address; John Stevenson, James street north, and John Cochran, Argue street, were each fined \$2 for being drunk.

## BUYERS ARRIVE HOME.

### White Star Liner "Oceanic" Brings Two Who Have Been Searching Markets of Europe.

Two Right House buyers, Mr. F. W. Bradwin and Mr. F. J. Rutherford, have arrived from Europe, where, separately, they have been searching carefully for the great manufacturing centres and style-producing capitals for all that is good and desirable for the people of Hamilton and vicinity.

Thomas C. Watkins is as well known abroad as at home, and that name is an endorsement to the most exclusive and greatest manufacturing concerns of Great Britain and continental Europe.

The splendid spring and summer purchases are already arriving, and during the interval of time of completion of their importations, Thomas C. Watkins has inaugurated a tremendous clearing reduction and special purchase sale of many thousands of dollars' worth of new winter and early spring goods. Visit The Right House daily this month. It will be a revelation in the store's great value-giving powers.

## FIRE AT ANCASTER.

The bake shop of Mr. Thompson, at Ancaster, was visited by fire yesterday. It is supposed to have been caused by gasoline. The bread factory itself was destroyed but the store and dwelling were saved.

## Are You Dissatisfied

With your coffee? Has it the proper flavor or is it rank and of poor flavor? If so, try our Perfection blend. It's all that the best can be. It's all coffee, every grain of it. It's properly blended, properly roasted, fresh every day. It has a flavor that other people know good coffee. Forty cents per pound.—Bain & Adams, 80, 91 King street east.

## THE MAN IN OVERALLS

### If there are to be no salary increases, I hope there will be no salary decreases.

### That's right, Mr. Jelis, you didn't make the snow by-law.

### Have you joined the Canadian Club yet?

### You can have a copy of the Times sent to the States for a year for \$3. Postage has come down.

### There can't be much objection to Mr. W. B. as arbitrator in the Theaker case. He did fairly well the last time, although a little stiff.

### Plant fruit trees, Mr. Wild, on the mountain side, and make jam for the needy.

### It looks as if the ministers are to me the only people to get salary boosts this year.

### "Build up Hamilton." Patronize your own town.

### Here's one instance as to how the snow-by-law works. And, mind, I don't blame the police. Two vacant lots lie side by side. One man keeps the sidewalk clean at considerable inconvenience. The other piece of sidewalk hasn't been cleaned off this year.

### Nobody thinks it fine to have to pay a snow-by-law fine.

### When the Central Prison is moved out into the country they might as well call it a sanitarium.

### Now let us have an old-fashioned spelling bee this old-fashioned winter.

### But will the Mayor throw off that \$500?

### Mr. Gibson's sphinx-like attitude in the Railway Committee annoys the gab- sters. They cannot understand it.

### Mr. Beck doesn't want to supply the trimmers with Hydro-Electric power. There is no money in that business, so he wants to shove it on somebody else.

### Sir Wilfrid is perfectly satisfied with that 56 majority. That would be hard to wipe out in an election.

### There was nothing in the Speech from the Throne about our Technical College. Is Mr. Whitney hedging?

### Any gentleman got \$20,000 to start the Y. M. C. A. building fund?

## OFFICERS' ANNUAL.

### Thirteenth May Have a Trip or Two Away.

The annual meeting of the 13th Officers' Mess was held on Saturday evening, and there was one of the largest attendances in years. The reports of the different committees were read and approved of, and the election of committees was proceeded with. The finances were shown to be in splendid shape. Nothing new was suggested for this year, but it is expected that the regiment will take a trip or two during the summer, although nothing definite has been arranged. The regiment will be at home on the 24th of May for the unveiling of the Queen Victoria statue.

## THE BATTLEFIELDS.

### Ask Grant For Plains of Abraham Park.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Premier Goun and Hon. Mr. Turgeon, of the Quebec Government, are here to-day interviewing the Government in reference to a grant for the battlefields memorial project of the Governor-General. It is understood that a sum will be placed in the estimates for this purpose. Just how much has not yet been decided, but it will be somewhere between \$300,000 and \$400,000. A commission of members and Senators, selected from both sides of the House, will be appointed in connection with the matter. Messrs. Goun and Turgeon will also have an interview with His Excellency the Governor-General.

## DELAY IS NETTLING SOME OF ALDERMEN.

### Fatal Fist Blow

Portland, Me., Feb. 10.—Jeremiah McCarthy, formerly a prosperous contractor in Roxbury, Mass., was arrested yesterday on account of the death of Arthur Norton. Both men were employed at the large farm of Col. H. H. Castner, a member of the staff of Governor Cobb, the proprietor of a hotel here.

The two men quarrelled yesterday about their duties at the farm, and it is said that McCarthy knocked Norton down with a blow of his fist, fracturing his skull. Norton died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital. He was sixty years old.

## WILL MAKE MANY IMPROVEMENTS.

### TERMINAL COMPANY WILL BUILD A CHECK ROOM.

### And Will Also Provide Accommodation for Smokers—Much Work to be Done in the Spring.

In the early spring extensive improvements will be made at the new Terminal Station, some of which were in the original plans and some of which will be made because the need of them has been felt. The station yard will be roofed over with an artistic arch, and cement walks laid between the tracks, as indicated by the original plan prepared by Mr. Charles Mills. Immense iron gates which will be worked by levers will be erected in the front and back, and these will be opened only to allow cars to proceed in and out. All outward passengers will pass in at the front or western doors and show their tickets as they enter. The door tender will punch their tickets as they pass in. This will be an additional check on passengers.

Passengers arriving on the cars of the three suburban lines will pass out the gates at the rear of the station.

In view of the demand for a check room, and the fact that the company has been offered \$1,000 a year for the privilege of checking parcels and conducting a news stand, the company will erect a small addition to the south and east of the main building and will also provide a waiting room for men who desire to smoke. The check room and smoking apartments will be under the one roof, but will be connected with the main waiting room, in which no smoking is permitted. This rule is being rigidly enforced by the special officers employed and has caused considerable dissatisfaction among smokers. Other changes will be made, also.

## UNANIMOUS CALL

### From St. Catharines to Rev. A. L. Huddleston.

St. Catharines, Ont., Feb. 10. (Special.)—By a unanimous vote of the membership of the church, the Queen Street Baptist Church, of this city, has decided to extend an invitation to Rev. A. L. Huddleston, of Hamilton, to succeed Rev. Dr. S. S. Bates, who a couple of weeks ago resigned the pastorate to become financial agent for McMaster University, Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Huddleston had not yet received the call when by the Times this morning, and was therefore not in a position to say what he would do about it. He knew that the St. Catharines church was to meet yesterday, after service, to come to a decision.

The St. Catharines church is larger than Wentworth Baptist Church here, of which Mr. Huddleston has been pastor about four years, but he is very much attached to the people, and they to him. At the annual meeting of the congregation a few weeks ago an advance of salary was unanimously voted to him. The work here has prospered under his guidance, and the field is a growing one.

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## ELEVEN MILES ON FOOT THROUGH BIG SNOW DRIFTS.

### Journey of Two Hamilton Priests to Reach Their Congregation For Sunday.

Rev. Dean Mahoney, rector of St. Mary's Cathedral, and the priests who were snowbound since last Wednesday at Mount Forest, where they went to attend the funeral of the late Dean O'Connell, reached home in time to celebrate mass yesterday in their churches. Dean Mahoney and Rev. Father Brady, rector of St. Lawrence Church, arrived in Hamilton late on Saturday night, but only after a most trying experience. Early on Saturday morning they undertook to drive to Harrison, a number of men accompanying them with shovels to cut through the drifts. The progress was so

## Street Railway's Pro- position Not Yet In.

### Mayor Will Stand by His Position

### In Regard to Civic Salary Increases.

It is not improbable that some of the aldermen will spring a surprise at the City Council meeting to-night by moving that application be made at once to the Ontario Railway Board in an effort to force the Hamilton Street Railway Company to purchase new cars and either fix up the old road bed or construct a new one. The Board of Works on its own initiative had a conference with the officials of the company two weeks ago, and were to have received a proposition before to-morrow night, stating the terms under which the company would build a new system. It was stated to-day, however, that Hon. J. M. Gibson had been so busy with the Radial bill at Ottawa that he had not time to prepare the proposition, and as he will have to go to Ottawa again to-night, it will be impossible for the officials to have a meeting with the city to-morrow. General Manager Hawkins notified Secretary Brennan, of the Board of Works, to that effect to-day. Some of the aldermen were opposed in the first place to waiting two weeks, because they held that if a system of good roads improvement was to be taken up and permanent pavement laid where the company's tracks run, action would have to be taken at once. This section has discussed the advisability of dividing the Council to-night on an appeal to the Railway Board. It is possible that a move of this kind would meet with considerable opposition from the Board of Works aldermen, some of whom think that Colonel Gibson has good reasons for a short delay.

Mayor Stewart's stand that there was to be no salary increases this year if the overdraft was to be paid off and the tax rate kept down to twenty mills, caused a furore among the City Hall employees, several of whom were hot foot after His Worship this morning. "I told them that they were only wanting their wind, and that I would stand by it until the last dog was hung," he said.

The Mayor says he thinks a majority of the Council will back him up, and that the general public will, too. He argues that, if there is any general increase of salaries, with the way things are now, hundreds of men walking the streets and the city kept busy providing for needy families, there would be a strong protest from the people. The Mayor told every city official who waited on him that he would strongly advise the Council to follow the course which he has mapped out. Some of those who have applied and are thinking of applying are filled with indignation. Tax Collector Kerr was much annoyed to-day because it had been reported in a local paper that he was applying for an increase. "I have no intention of making any application," he said. "If I have to go buttonholing aldermen to get my salary boosted, I guess I will go without it, if I can't be added."

The Finance Committee of the Board of Education will have a tussle with the estimates this afternoon. The trustees say that \$16,000 more than the appropriation last year is the very least that they can get along with, and that it is foolish of Mayor Stewart to talk of giving them any less. This \$11,250 will be for salary increases divided as follows: Public school teachers, \$8,675; Collegiate, \$1,900, and caretakers \$675. There is \$3,600 for the manual training centres established since last year. This provides for equipment and salaries, and is regarded by Secretary Foster as a very low estimate. No provision has been made in the estimates for another teacher at the Collegiate, although it is almost certain one will have to be appointed. The Government inspector commended the appointment of three, and the grant will no doubt depend on a good deal on this. The Mayor explained to-day that he had no desire to squeeze the Board of Education, but he said he would appeal to the trustees to be as lenient as possible.

Snow cleaning this winter has cost the city \$3,300. Board of Works officials say that there is so much snow on the ground now that if another snow

slow that it would have been impossible to reach the station in time to catch the afternoon train. The two priests then started to walk to Harrison, a distance of over eleven miles. The snowdrifts in places being almost fence high. It took from 11 o'clock in the morning until after 4 o'clock in the afternoon to make the trip. It was 11.30 when they reached Hamilton.

The railway company succeeded in getting a snow plow through to Mount Forest early yesterday morning, and the train with the other priests, including Rev. Father Coty, rector of St. Patrick's, and Rev. Father Englert, of St. Anne's, left there at 1 o'clock and reached here about 9.30 yesterday morning.



PAUL VANE'S WIFE

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Colonel Fairlie, pale with emotion, went forward to greet Vivian, whom he was meeting for the first time since she had left the village...

action must come some day. His manhood will assert itself. He will forsake her for his first pure love. Then think of the bell in which Loraine must live!

"He will not deny us both, Beryl. He cannot be so cruel. When I kneel before him with this child in my arms, when she speaks to him in a voice so like his own that it startled me when it first fell on my ears, when she looks at him with eyes so like his own, how can he deny his child, how can he deny me. I came upon him so suddenly before that he was dazed, bewildered, he let her passion dominate his judgment. It will be different now. He has had time to reflect. He knows that all our friends have accepted me as Vivian Vane, that no one has disowned me but himself and Loraine. He will repent, he will take us to his heart—his wife and child!"

(To be continued.)

BRITISH MURDER MYSTERY.

Entire Family, Including Two Servants, Shot to Death. London, Feb. 9.—The little Buckingham village of Fawley was shocked to-day by the discovery of a quintuple murder. The scene of the tragedy was the residence of F. H. Holmes, who was known to be wealthy.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. See.

TOLD A PITIFUL STORY.

Thos. Foster Suffered From Starvation for 58 Hours. Toronto, Feb. 10.—After being fifty-eight hours without food, Thomas Foster, a young Englishman, who has been in the country for about two years, collapsed on King street east on Friday night near Yonge street, and was taken to St. Michael's Hospital by the police.

Wilton Squares. Every Rug personally selected as to pattern. \$18.75 \$25 Wilton Squares, size 9-0 x 6-0, for \$18.75 \$35 Wilton Squares, size 9-0 x 9-0, for \$25 \$37.50 Wilton Squares, size 10-6 x 9-0, for \$32 \$40 Wilton Squares, size 12-0 x 9-0, for \$41.75 \$70 Wilton Squares, size 13-0 x 11-3, for \$47 \$35 Axminster Squares, size 10-6 x 8-3, for \$25 \$40 Axminster Squares, size 12-0 x 9-0, for \$30

Special Sale in Smallwares. 200 pins on sheet, regular 3c, on sale 1c Hand Polish Sea Shell Pearl Buttons, regular 5c dozen, on sale 3 dozen for 10c Shell Hair Pins, put up in 1/2 dozen on card, regular 10c, on sale 2 cards for 25c Steel Back Combs with steel mountings, worth up to 75c, on sale 25c Ladies' Hose Supporters, sides or with pad and self reducing belt, patent fasteners, regular 25c, on sale 10c pr. Victoria Binding Braids, in all colors, regular 4c yard, on sale 5 yards for 10c Steel Safety Pins, with safety guard, regular 5c, on sale 5c Fifty yard Spool of Silks, in all colors, regular 25c, on sale 25c Gill Badge Safety Pins, 1 dozen on card, regular 3c, on sale 3 cards for 10c

FORCED WAY THROUGH DRIFTS. C. P. R. Plow, With Three Engines Opens Road to Owen Sound. Owen Sound, Feb. 9.—After being closed since Tuesday night, the Canadian Pacific Railway was opened to-night at 6 o'clock, when a snowplow, pushed by three powerful engines, broke a way through the drifts, and was followed by the train which left Toronto on Wednesday morning. The greatest obstruction was encountered between Orangeville and Shelburne, where the plow was stalled yesterday, and was pulled back to Orangeville after a rough experience.

ELFRIDA. The severe cold weather and heavy snowstorms have prevented the people from attending the revival meetings, which are being held in the Methodist Church. Mr. John and Will Toessel were on their way to Hamilton last Wednesday one of their horses dropped dead. Smith Telker gave a party to his friends last Monday evening. They reported having a very good time. Quite a number from this village attended the funeral of Mrs. P. Hender-shot of Stoney Creek, on Tuesday last.

LONDON IS WALKING. Huge Falling Off in Traffic of Underground Railways. London, Feb. 9.—The directors of the London underground and tube railways are baffled in an endeavor to find an explanation of the falling off in traffic. As the surface streets, trams and buses make the same complaint, competition does not seem a sufficient explanation. During the past six months the twopenny tube has carried over 350,000 workmen less, though workmen are carried six miles for a penny. During the same six months the total decrease in the passengers in London was 1,300,000.

MRS. J. P. MORGAN ROBBED. Private Car Was Entered and Valuables Taken. Galveston, Texas, Feb. 9.—Mrs. J. P. Morgan, of New York, who is en route to Los Angeles, was robbed some where in Texas before reaching El Paso. She is travelling in her private car with Mrs. J. N. Nappen, of Providence, R. I., and Mrs. J. Meredith, of New York. The car was entered and robbed of several thousand dollars' worth of jewelry and valuables, and a large sum of money.

CHIEF OF THE BLACK HAND. He is Believed to Have Been Killed in New York. New York, Feb. 9.—Coly Calcagno, an Italian barber, who was shot to death in East 106th street last Monday may have been the leader of the Blackhand organization in the United States. Detective William H. Atkinson, of Baltimore, after seeing the body yesterday, said he was convinced the dead man was the chief of the Blackhand in this country. Calcagno was not his real name, Atkinson said. He is convinced, however, that the body is that of the man who, when known as the leader of the Blackhand organization, dynamited a house in Baltimore several years ago, and at that time was being sought on a charge of having shot and killed a prominent man in Pittsburgh. The local Italian detective bureau will make an effort to verify the identification.

AGED PAIR MURDERED. Brother and Sister Were Killed at Corry, Pa. Corry, Pa., Feb. 9.—The authorities have decided that Albert E. Damon and Eliza Damon, whose bodies were found yesterday, were murdered with a blunt instrument. Damon's nose and his sister's nose were broken, and other bones were fractured. When the bodies were found yesterday a prussic acid phial found on the bed seemed to point to a suicide pact, and investigations were made along that direction first. An inquest will be held to-morrow. Damon was 69 years of age, and his sister was 71 years.

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Lunch Cloths 49c. Damask Lunch Cloths, pure linen, 36 x 36, worth \$1, for 49c.

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A Government expert has devised a novel method of keeping a car or compartment comparatively warm in zero weather; not by fire, but by the utilization of ice. A well-insulated car is fitted at each end with four galvanized iron cylinders reaching from the floor to the top of the car. In summer these cylinders are filled with ice and salt to keep the car cool. In winter they are filled with ice to keep the contents of the car from freezing. The temperature of 32 degrees Fahrenheit, and is a substance that changes temperature reluctantly, being a poor conductor of heat or cold. Consequently, says the National Provisioner, when zero weather prevails outside the cylinders of relatively warm ice prevent the escape of heat; in other words they maintain the temperature within the car.

Another method whereby ice is employed for protection against cold consists in throwing a plentiful stream of water on the car when the temperature is near zero point, which freezes at once and forms a complete coat over the car. The action of this ice is the same as in the case of the cylinders filled with ice. A similar plan is frequently adopted in the transportation of bananas, a fruit particularly susceptible to cold.

FALL OF VOLCANIC DUST.

Curious Phenomenon Engages Attention of German Scientists.

The great storm which swept over the country on January 6, says a Berlin (Germany), special to the London Globe, was remarkable for a phenomenon reported by observers at widely separated centres. It was noticed, some time after the snowfall had ceased, that the white surface was covered by a thin layer of fine dust, grey in color, and apparently composed of minute mineral particles. Specimens of this dust were collected and the Tagliche Rundschau states that they have been analyzed with exceedingly interesting results. It has been found that the dust is undoubtedly of volcanic origin, and its peculiar composition leads the scientists to believe that it has come from one or other of the Central American craters, and has been carried half-way around the globe by some powerful current in the higher atmosphere. In the recent local option campaign the by-law was carried in 31 places. The condition of Hon. Dr. Willoughby is such as to give his friends concern.

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, FEB. 10, 1908.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

The Herald intimates that Hon. J. S. Hendrie is authority for the statement that the amendment sought by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to increase its powers, and of which the Herald expressed disapproval, is not a Government measure, and that the Government has not even considered the matter. We are inclined to think that there has been some misunderstanding of Hon. Mr. Hendrie's statement. The amendment is drafted by the Board, a creature of the Government, was presented in the bill of fare in the course of such a Government measure as Hon. Mr. Fox's Law Amendment Act or his Elections Act. It is quite probable that the measure may undergo change before it receives the Lieutenant-Governor's assent. It may even be that it will not be presented in the name of a Minister, but it is none the less a Government measure and promoted with the Government's approval.

And we do not share our contemporary's dread of any reasonable measure increasing the Board's powers so as to enable it to do the work for which it was created. The experiences of a year's operation might naturally be expected to point to deficiencies in so comprehensive a measure. It was largely modelled on the lines of the Dominion Railway Commission Act—an excellent statute, but one which must necessarily differ in some respects from a Provincial measure. The Board finds that it requires wider powers to enable it to deal with some of the cases coming under its jurisdiction. We are quite ready to assume that these powers are wanted to enable it—not merely to decide cases in the interest of municipalities, for that is not the duty the Board is intended to perform—but to secure justice to all with whom it has to deal. The actions of the Board, thus far, have evoked but little adverse criticism, and as long as it is guided by a desire to do justice it will merit public confidence. The amendment in question will not be allowed to pass the Legislature if it aims to work injustice; and if it empowers the Board to do its work more effectively, without inflicting wrong on anybody, it need not be dreaded.

THE SNOW BY-LAW.

The complaint of Mr. Jelfs that the aldermen will complain against the enforcement of the snow-by-law and vigorously protest when they become a victim of it, but have not the backbone or willingness to have it amended, is a just one, and comes at a time when public attention is directed towards it. His complaint and Ald. H. G. Wright's protest should result in something being done, not to amend it, but to abolish it altogether, and adopt some more civilized and up-to-date system of getting rid of the snow that falls on the sidewalks and street crossings. The present plan is primitive and unsatisfactory, and is a nuisance and annoyance to the citizens. Suppose we have a heavy fall of snow during the night. A certain proportion of the people get up early and remove the snow from in front of their premises. Others wait until dinner time and shovel it off after they have their meal. Others again wait until after supper and clean it off in the evening. Meanwhile pedestrians have been wading through the stuff all day, and those who do not clean it until night may find that they cannot get it off, and a certain proportion of packed snow is left on the cement. Worse than that, the city makes little or no effort to keep the crossings clean except in the heart of the city, and the people again have the crossings to tramp across, perhaps ankle deep. Then, again, we are told that ice which has frozen to the sidewalk during the night may be left there, but if it loosens during the day it must be taken off by the household under penalty of being fined. Suppose a case: A man finds the ice frozen in the morning. He goes to work and leaves it untouched. During the day, while he has been at work, the sun loosens the stuff. The by-law says he must then remove it, but he is perhaps two miles away at his work, and by the time he gets home at night it is again frozen hard, so that he cannot take it off. But he is liable all the same, and may have to meet the Magistrate next morning, lose half a day and a two dollar bill. If he should chop the stuff off he will injure the sidewalk.

Now, were the city to take the work in hand and relieve the citizens of the task, the worst of the snow could be removed early in the morning, from both sidewalks and crossings. It could be taken evenly off, thus minimizing the risk of accidents and consequent damage suits, and the people would be no longer subject to fine or imprisonment. Nor would it be left with the police to say whether a sidewalk was clean or not. Now, we are told by some that the expense would be too great for the city to undertake. In Ottawa, it costs, we believe, about 85c. of a frontage tax for a 33-foot front. Let us suppose it would cost \$1 in Hamilton. Very few would grudge a yearly tax of that amount to have their sidewalk kept clear of snow for a year. This tax would realize over \$10,000 a year, and we think that sum would easily meet the expense entailed. The Times submits that it is time some change was adopted, and that the City Council should make an effort this year to have the citizens relieved of the burden of snow clearing.

DIME SAVINGS BANKS.

Under our excellent banking system the banks of Canada afford the working classes ample facilities for saving money, give them perfect security and a moderate interest on their savings. And the facilities are very largely used by the working classes. The industrious mechanic puts away a few dollars at a time against a rainy day; the thrifty housewife manages to save a little out of her allowance for housekeeping purposes and makes a little nest egg of her own or adds to her good man's little pile, and when work is scarce or special demands arise the savings bank account is there to fall back on. Thus habits of economy and care are developed, and a staidity is given to the workingman's home which it could not have if the wages were all spent as fast as earned, and there was no little reserve fund in the strong-box of the big chartered bank. The banks accept deposits of one dollar, or over. The school child now has a school savings bank. The boy or girl can deposit a few cents with the teacher on Monday morning and soon have a bank book. What that means in satisfaction to the child is a great thing; what it may mean to the city, and to the country, in a few years, if the system becomes general, no one can estimate. It cannot fail to promote a desire to save, and should have a good effect upon the characters of the young men and young women of a few years hence. In the school bank five cents will start an account.

But where does the young lad or young girl come in who cannot use the school savings bank and who cannot put away a dollar? In some of the large cities of the United States dime savings banks have long been doing profitable business. Most of all the large cities of Great Britain have their shilling savings banks. How many young men in Hamilton would put away 25 cents or half a dollar a week if there was a bank to put such small amounts in? The "quarter" left after paying board and providing the necessary clothing, etc., is gone before the next pay day comes around—very often spent in a way that does no good to any one; simply "blown in." The fact that so many young men have nothing whatever laid by may possibly be accounted for by the fact that they have no place of safe keeping for their spare quarters, and the fact that they are spending these quarters means that they are cultivating habits which will not do them any good in the future. There are many young fellows who can save their dimes until they become dollars in the bank, and many men who would not save if there was a dime savings bank on every corner, but between them is a large class who would take advantage of the opportunity to put away their quarters, who do not think of saving them, and who would make better citizens by reason of the saving process. We venture the opinion that a bank starting a "dime" or a "quarter" department would add to its popularity.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

In a season like this Hamilton should have a snowshoe club.

The Conservative Club managers should try to pay the rent on the installment plan.

A frontage tax would clean the snow off the sidewalks just as easily as it waters the streets.

We would be better able to judge about the controlling business if we knew who the controllers were to be.

Those wishing to help along the Jeanette Lewis hospital can do so by calling at the Times and leaving their donation.

When work is plentiful and weather fine in the summer, people are apt to forget about the winter and its enforced idleness.

Now that the postage on newspapers to the States have been reduced, subscribers can renew their subscriptions, \$3 a year.

Those old enough to remember the Northwest land grab during Sir John's time will wonder what the Tories have got to kick about.

Protection does not seem to save Germany from depression. In Berlin alone 60,000 workmen are out of employment, and other industrial centres equally feel its effect. By and by, people will come to recognize that taxing themselves to make themselves rich is very poor business.

Mr. Waugh's appeal on behalf of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. should set our citizens thinking. These institutions are doing a great work in this city and cannot be allowed to remain crippled for lack of room. In fact, the cry for more accommodation is evidence of the extent of the work they are doing. Many a young man blesses the Y. M. C. A. for what it has done for them, and the Y. W. C. A. is perhaps the only place in the city where a stranger girl can find a welcome and a home when they are most needed. Wealthy citizens could find no more deserving object than either of these on which to bestow their money.

A Washington despatch says that the most crushing blow ever given organized labor was delivered by the Supreme Court the other day when by a unanimous bench it held that labor's most formidable weapon, the boycott, was illegal, being in violation of the Federal anti-trust law where it injured merchandise going into other States than that

in which it was manufactured. As practically all manufacturers do enter into interstate commerce the effect of the decision is practically to prohibit the use of the boycott. As there is no appeal from this decision, organized labor's only recourse now is to move to have the law altered.

There has just been issued by the Canadian Press Syndicate of Montreal the third volume of "The Encyclopedia of Canadian Biography," containing brief sketches and steel engravings of Canada's prominent men. The volume is a royal quarto of 130 pages with 130 engravings or portraits. The book is substantially bound in Morocco, and the letterpress paper is finely calendared and the illustrated pages are of a specially prepared paper. Nothing could be finer than the portraits. They are life-like in execution, and in fact works of art, and must have cost a large amount of money. The pictures of several prominent Hamiltonians grace the pages of the work.

The other day Hon. Mr. Hanna made his boast at a Tory ward meeting that the Whitney Government had added \$2,000,000 last year to the revenue of Ontario, which Ross would not have had. Mr. Hanna is as incautious in statement as he is inexact. The increase in revenue last year was very largely due to receipts from the silver mining development at Cobalt, and the Temiscaming Railway, the former being due to the latter, which was strongly opposed by the Tories of that time. Another large item of the increase was succession duties, which Whitney denounced as "robbery" and promised to abolish. Then the increased Dominion subsidy of three-quarters of a million or so is to be added to that. When these, and other items not at all due to Whitney, are deducted, Mr. Hanna's boast looks highly indelicate.

Speaking of the ice harvest, the Kingston News says it has a quoted value in the markets of the world. The average price of Norwegian ice shipped into the United Kingdom, June, 1907, was \$2.30 per ton at the ship's rail. In Berlin a hundredweight of ice sells for 18 cents, that is \$3.60 per ton. The average price for ice harvested on the Hudson, United States of America, when delivered at the bridge, New York city, is \$2 per ton wholesale. The Canadian railways charge shippers \$2.50 per ton for ice. New Zealand ice (artificial) is sold for \$12 per ton. Ice has been harvested for 6 cents per ton. It costs companies on the American side of the Detroit River around 15 cents per ton to harvest ice. At Chatham from the River Thames, at St. Catharines from the Welland Canal, at Brockville and Cornwall from the St. Lawrence River, ice is harvested at about 25 cents per ton.

Hon. Adam Beck has executed a volte face in the matter of the sale of power by the Radial Railway, and now poses as seeking competition with the Hydro-Electric scheme. People are prepared for almost any departure by Mr. Beck. But he should inform himself as to some important facts on the subject he essays to discuss as an expert. He says that a short time ago the Cataract Company was allowed to increase by 50 per cent. the water it takes from Devere's Falls, without any provision being made to regulate its rates. Mr. Beck could, would he take the trouble to be accurate, ascertain that the Cataract Company does not take its water from Devere's Falls, but from the Welland Canal; and that in this way, the Dominion Government can exercise ample control over it. Moreover, will not Mr. Beck's Hydro scheme competition sufficiently guard against excessive rates?

Last week's Saturday Sunset, Vancouver's society paper, makes some hideous disclosures regarding dens of infamy in the Chinese quarter of that city. It says: "No one who has not heard the details from the officers can realize the horrors that have prevailed in that district. They are too awful to be printed. Suffice to say that it is beyond question or doubt that respectable girls are induced to try just one taste of opium, and that thereafter their damnation has been completed. They are then irrevocably the slaves of the Chinese fiends who keep them under the influence of the drug. A more horrible trap for the ruin of girls does not exist in America than the one which through past police inefficiency, official complacency, and, it is believed, graft, has grown up and flourished in this city. I cannot defend this page with even a suggestion of the things which have been done in Chinatown by Chinese with white women, but any man who is interested in the movement to clean it out may obtain from Chief Chamberlain or Police Magistrate Alexander authentic information of practices that will turn sick the souls of men not necessarily prudish in the ordinary relations of life." These disclosures, it seems, have come to light through the efforts of the police to stamp out the evil. If, as the Sunset says, white slaves are held by yellow slave owners, the authorities cannot act to quickly to uproot the unholy thing. That is a yellow peril that cannot be allowed to exist a single day.

HAPPY DAYS AND DREAMS. Here and there a break of sunshine. Now and then a note of song. And the singing, and the sunshine. Speeds some happy heart along. Here and there a quiet duty. Now and then a glad surprise. Or a dream, whose silent beauty. Points us upward to the skies. Here and there, a little leisure. In life's rapid running stream. When our hearts look back with pleasure. To those happy days and dreams. -Selected.

The Toronto Board of Education has been asked to provide uniforms for the public school cadets.

OUR EXCHANGES

Snow Cleaning. (Ottawa Journal.) Snow cleaning comes high but we must have it.

What About Stratford? (Stratford Beacon.) Hamilton inaugurated the school savings bank system on Monday. When is Stratford to make a move in the same direction?

No Flies on Him. (Galt Reporter.) The Hon. M. Gibson, promoter of the Hamilton Radial Railway, is not an insect. He looks neither like the little bug that he may be trying to get through the Federal Parliament.

Three of a Kind. (Brantford Courier.) When one of a pair of commissioners was first instituted it was formed of three Commissioners. It was later reduced to two, and now to be filled it should be restored again.

Known by the Sign. (Montreal Herald.) "Auntie, I know where the new baby came from." "Well," said auntie, "where, my dear?" "How do you know?" she replied. "The eldest little sister." "You say that?" queried the aunt. "Because," added Clacie, "it says on his store Families Supplied."

All Went Well. (Ottawa Free Press.) The Hamilton Pelopoe are united in support of the Hamilton Radial bill. This is proven by the fact that Mr. Sam Barker, who is a stickler for Provincial Rights, but he knows that Mr. Gibson's bill in no way attacks those rights; therefore, he is satisfied with it.

England is No Slave to Party. (Toronto Telegram.) Old country elections, especially the English, seem to be the only people on earth who are fit to have votes. Mid-Devon, Liberal, and Anti-Unionist by 1,233 in 1906, elected a Tariff Reformer by 20 in 1908. A democracy, that thinks as it pleases and votes as it thinks, is a nobler spectacle than the sordid, soulless manoeuvres of Canada.

Nearly Through. (Everybody's Magazine.) A stranger entered a church in the middle of the sermon, and seated himself in the back pew. After a while he began to fidget. Looking over to the white-haired man at his side, evidently an old member of the congregation, he whispered: "I have been nearly through." "Thirty or forty years, I think," the old man answered. "I don't know exactly." "I'll stay, then," decided the stranger. "He must be nearly done."

Shearing the Lambs. (Money Times.) A new phase of this literature has been developed. The financial raker has so thumbed his attractive cards that a fresh pack is in order. The organization of sharp dealers is the result of the general interest in the misdeeds of the unscrupulous. In other words, the wolf has been invited to dine at the flock that sheep's clothing is of primary importance. "I know you have been fleeced," he says, "now listen to my scheme. The wool will be heaped upon your backs." The financial raker is a bit palatable. After a few measurings they are short again.

A Confidence Wrecker. (Money Times.) One wonders whether or not Roosevelt has become a sort of clockwork personage in the world of finance. His special message to Congress, his becomingly frequent changes in the discount rate, with his unimpaired, unflinching, and continuing, almost entirely in agreement, but a constant hammering wears. President for the time being may be wound up to give off "criminal rich" and "wealthy malefactors" at the stated periods. Unfortunately, the wheels become clogged; the alarm sounds at a critical instant of the critical moment. When the nation needs the quietest confidence, the President goes forth and waxes eloquent. If his engagements call for a speech, the sporting fraternity will give "long odds" that his speech will deal with the wickedness of corporations.

Cost of Snow Cleaning. (Kingston Whig.) The snow cleaning from our walks is not satisfactory. The by-law is by-law; but every one, occupant or owner of property, to remove the "beautiful" from the front of his premises, if there is no sign to do this the city can step in, do the work, and charge the cost of the property. The defect in the administration of the law lies in the fact that neither the individual nor the corporation should be allowed to trodden down, and so difficult to deal with. The necessity is for prompt action, and the corporation should have power to put on its men and clear the walks as soon as possible, at the expense of the delinquent or indifferent taxpayers.

THE ELOYDS. These entertainers, who will appear in Association Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 11 and 12, have been before the public as entertainers of a high order for the past 25 years. They have not only kept abreast of the times in their line, but in advance of it. The entire performance is of the highest class. A positive novelty, is the combination of mind reading and telepathy as presented by Mrs. Eloyd. It is said to closely border on the supernatural, and to be marvellous and wonderful, and extremely entertaining. Reserved seat plan at Northcote's; 25-cent ticket can be exchanged for reserved seat.

Y.M.C.A. MEN'S MEETINGS. The attendance was large and the programmes consisting of the men's meetings in both Y. M. C. A.'s, yesterday. Mr. D. M. Barton had charge in East Hamilton, and Mr. Best the meeting at the Central. Several young men remained for conversation about spiritual matters, some desiring entirely for the Christian life. The men's meeting at the Central next Sunday will be held in Association Hall, the Bishop of the Evangelical Association from Reading, Pa., Rev. S. C. Breyfogle, D. D., will give an address, and efforts will be made to secure a large gathering of men to hear him.

THE VITAGRAPH. The attendance was largely increased at the moving picture entertainment in Association Hall on Saturday, particularly at the matinee, the people taking advantage of the reduced rate of 10 cents on any part of the hall. The programme was all very interesting, but the 400-foot film, entitled "Caught," a thrilling detective story, was much enjoyed, and the man who stole in order to buy a loaf of bread for his starving family was most pathetic. The American Vitagraph Company never seem to run out of new and first class pictures. The entertainments will continue every Saturday.

CRUSHED TO DEATH. Olean, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Two freight trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad collided head-on in East Olean yesterday. Engineer Volney Cook was crushed to death under his engine, and his fireman, G. Shaffer, of Olean, and Edward A. Troy, of Buffalo, were seriously injured. At Olean, Ill. Frank W. Gould, President of the Union Malleable Iron Co., shot himself because of financial troubles.

Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1908 SHEA'S Skirts made to measure of sale goods for \$1.50

Our greatest Winter Clearing Sale

This great sale is nearing its end. Not many more days, so come every day you can get down town. You will make savings that will be a great help, besides getting good dependable goods that you will require for months yet.

**\$1.00 Knitted Undersuits 69c**  
Good length Knitted Undersuits, German knit, in good dark colors, large and small, worth \$1.00, now \$1.00 value, on sale for... 69c

**\$2.75 Dressing Sacks for \$1.95**  
Women's Dressing Sacks, in dark and light colors, some plain and some fancy, some knitted, some made of eider flannel, all sizes, worth \$2.50 and \$2.75, on sale for each... \$1.95

**Dressing Sacks at 75c**  
Made of cardinal elderdown, good full sizes and well worth \$1.50, to clear at each... 75c

**Women's Underwear Samples**  
Stylish plenty of them left in Vests, Drawers, Corset Covers and Combination Suits, etc., on sale for clear at less than wholesale.

**Sample Undersuits**  
Hundreds of splendid Undersuits, made of moreen, saten and silk moiré, all traveler's samples, and very full make, with the newest ideas of flounce and ruffle, at less than wholesale, at from... \$1.00 to \$3.05

**Still Some Blankets Left**  
Beautiful Pure Wool White Blankets, fast colored border, woven with a good, strong thread, and will not "foul" or "mat," in washing. 64x84, 66x86, 7-lb. and 8-lb. weight: \$7.00 value, for... \$5.50 \$8.00 value for... \$4.75

**Women's Waists at 95c**  
These are a splendid lot of sarafes, in size 34, 36, 38 only, made of lustres, mohairs, lawns, albatross cloth, cashmere, etc., worth all the way from \$1.50 to \$2.25, on sale to clear at, each... 95c

**Dress Goods at 39c, worth 75c**  
Hundreds of yards of beautiful Color Cloths, in a great variety of colorings and weaves, Tweeds, Serges, Venetians, worth 75c to \$1.00, on sale to clear at, per yard... 39c

**Dress Goods worth 60c for 25c**  
Immense quantities of Dress Goods, in a great range of colorings and weaves, worth up to 60c, for... 25c

**Waistings at 29c, worth 50c**  
A fresh shipment of most beautiful Waistings, in a great show of shades, and materials worth up to 60c, on sale for per yard... 29c

**English Flannel Shirtings to Clear**  
Beautiful fine English Flannel Shirtings, in light stripes and checks, colorings are nice and dark. On sale to clear, both fitted and loose, at: 40c for... 19c 35c for... 25c 30c for... 39c

**Some Good Sheeting Bargains**  
Unbleached English Sheeting, in plain and twill, full 2 yards wide, worth 40c, on sale for, per yard... 29c Domestic Sheeting, 2 yards wide, worth 27 1/2c, per yard... 19c English Bleached Sheeting, full 2 yards wide, worth 35c, for... 25c

**Women's Coats at \$4.95**  
Made of good, heavy, warm tweeds and plain cloths, nicely finished and lined, both fitted and loose, worth up to \$12, to clear at \$4.95

**Women's Coats \$10, worth \$30**  
The choice of every Cloth Coat in our stock, and we have them up to \$30, to clear at, each... \$10.00

**Sale of Sample Skirts**  
Hundreds of Women's Skirts, all samples, made of cloth, tweeds and Venetians, black and light colors, worth double the price asked \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$3.95

CONCERNING THE MODEL. Some Characteristics of the Painter's Collaborator. In the private case of every business-like artist and it is surprising how businesslike artist has nowadays become is to be found a notebook that contains such entries as these: "Miss ———, head-only, small, slight, dark." "Miss ———, fair, plump figure, not Tuesday and Fridays." "Miss ———, 10 red hair, after 4.30, all day Saturday." This is the model's address-book. It must be "posted" continually, for models change their addresses as frequently as artists themselves are sometimes supposed to do. Off-hand, says a writer in the London Express, it is not easy to say what it is you tell the model by the moment you open the studio door in answer to her knock. Hair a la Cleo is no longer an infallible sign; and though the model often does not wear corsets, the absence of these cannot always be detected at a glance. The common-sense walking shoes she usually wears (she does a good deal of walking) do not always proclaim her; and her fingers, when she removes her gloves, are not always cigarette-browned. Perhaps you recognize her less by any particular part of her attire or person than by her general air of being at home in surroundings that to most of her sex would be unfamiliar. Possibly, too, certain are well-marked types that distinguish the model; for, yet who can explain it, models often do run in families. As we have "service" families, and families whose male members go as a matter of course into politics or diplomacy, so there are families that seem to turn instinctively to the studio for their living. One day, perhaps, a model is asked, "Can you borrow a baby?" The chances are not unlikely that her mother, or father, who herself posed at one time, can furnish one. An entry is made in the address book: "Miss ———; six months"; and thereafter, with intervals for schooling, Miss ——— will continue the family tradition. By young artists, generally, extraordinary things are sometimes required of the model. "This is what I want you for," the artist will remark, and will forthwith produce it—his first "rough idea," an arrangement of the figure that a professional contractor could not adapt himself to without difficulty. Procrustes' bed is a couch of roses compared with the attitude to which the model is expected to accommodate herself if she is not a model who happens to belong to the decorative school. He will tell you, with tears in his eyes, that he cannot find the model he requires. It is true, he cannot. He honestly believes that Nature ought to be like that. Nature is kind; and he knows that do we take our blessings for granted, and have more things to be thankful for than we always remember. One artist, by the way, desiring to study drapery in motion, rigged up an electric fan near his model. She resigned the sitting, feeling pneumonia approaching. Perhaps you are inclined, when your picture is hung in the Academy, to take a moment of what credit there is to yourself. Your model quickly sets you right. You are allowed to perceive that the whole triumph is hers. But if, on the other hand, your piece of sculpture is not the most honest, decent and industrious of girls. In a wide experience the present artist knows not more than two or three exceptions. The model's health is of the first consequence to her, and the rate of payment—a shilling to eighteen pence an hour—is not excessive. The model's trade is to pose, as the artist's is to paint; that is the whole of the relation. If you think posing is not hard work, try it. Mount the "throne." You will be asked for a pose; you will probably be asked to compare the bust of the Fighting Gladiator or the Mercury in Piccadilly circus is full of repose. Asked whether you can "keep that" for half an hour, you will reply stily and confidently. At the end of ten minutes you will find the room oppressively hot, and say so. You will be sorry you spoke for they will open the window. Even so (without the fog) will the minutes of the furniture be often scarce, hot, and that half hour be. At the end of it, seeing your efforts to change that agonizing posture, they will come and unbend you. But you will not think thereafter that models, as a class, dislike landladies. Models are a class, dislike landladies, because landladies are distrustful of models. Therefore, it is common for two models to take together unfurnished rooms and to furnish them themselves. The furniture is often scanty, but largely of draped padding cases, but to make up for that the walls are literally covered with unframed canvases, many representing the models themselves, given by their friends the artists. What the circulating libraries are to the struggling authors, the art schools are to the model—a steady, if not large, demand. Many models, of course, are virtually "retained" by artists who find in them a beauty in harmony with their tastes, or (more likely) an intelligence in adapting themselves to their ideas. Nevertheless, the schools are the standard. There may be one day at your studio door one who is obviously not a professional model. She may be clad in black, and, if you are experienced, you know what it means. She has heard (which is quite true) that models with stylish clothes are difficult to meet, and she was passed through to over a check-book, with a number of the pins being drawn as fast as possible. It is hanging garments up slip one or two pins through the band, as may be required. In this way a great many dresses may be hung side by side in a small space, and an article can be hung up or taken down without disturbing the others. This kind of clothesline will prove of great value in a summer hotel, except the nicest things, and each garment can be seen without wasting time in searching for it. Edward C. Brooks, who lost his fortune on Wall street, committed suicide in New York.

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STRONG WORDS FROM BISHOP.

Honesty and Industry His Advice to Communicants.

Anniversary Services in St. James' Church Yesterday.

Rev. R. J. Treleven on the Men We Need.

"An honest workman is one of the rarities of the age," declared Bishop DuMoulin yesterday morning at Christ's Church Cathedral in a sermon following a confirmation service at which he officiated.

The confirmation class numbered 60, of which 25 were boys and 35 girls. "This is the largest class I have confirmed since I have had charge of this diocese," said his Lordship, who paid a tribute to the zeal of Rev. Canon Abbott, the rector, in seeking out, gathering together and so carefully instructing a class of sixty persons to be admitted by the apostolic right of confirmation into the church of God.

Touching on Christ's life in Nazareth as a carpenter, an honest workman, his Lordship declared that this was the noblest character that could be lived; the noblest that could be written.

Speaking on "The Kind of Men This City Needs," in First Methodist Church, last evening, the pastor, Rev. R. J. Treleven, gave a very strong sermon.

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The Daily Fashion Hint.



Gown of dark blue pongee, showing the new vast effect, which promises to be very popular this spring. Oriental embroidery forms collars and cuffs. Vest is of white linen.

for one to pick out the best qualities that are in the bad that they might be applied to the good. He did not advocate the taking up of bad objects, but he was sure that there was good even in the worst man.

In Central Church. In Central Church yesterday Rev. H. Dickie, of Woodstock, occupied the pulpit. His morning subject was "Christian Growth," and he taught an earnest lesson.

Decision Day at Erskine. Yesterday was decision day in Erskine Sunday School, and the attendance was large, the body of the church being filled with the scholars, teachers, officers and friends.

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DISORGANIZED MAIL SERVICE.

Dundas Suffers Inconvenience Because of Snow.

Quarry Work Begun For Benefit of Unemployed.

Valley Town Gets a Glimpse of Good Cars.

Dundas, Feb. 10.—Stone breaking was started by the town council to-day to give work to some of the unemployed of the town.

The snow-falls and storms of the past week have greatly disorganized the mail service in the town. The mail trains have been late, in some cases several hours, and the stage services were cut out almost entirely for several days.

Will More, of Vancouver, is visiting friends in town. Mrs. Wm. Deacon, of Toronto, is visiting friends in town.

John Haines spent yesterday in Burlington with his mother and his sister, Mrs. Herbert Turford. Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Paupst, of Cleveland, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Thompson.

At the last meeting of the Royal Templars three members were initiated and there are prospects of still more at next and following meetings.

Yesterday was League Sunday in the Methodist Church. The pastor conducted the morning service, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Couch, of Gore Street Church, Hamilton, gave a much appreciated sermon to a large audience.

Wm. Baskerville, jun., a former Beverly boy, whose home has been in the city for some years, is visiting friends hereabouts, among them being his cousins here, Mrs. John Douglas and Miss Heidon.

There has been a surprisingly diminished attendance at the public school of the city for some years, is visiting friends hereabouts, among them being his cousins here, Mrs. John Douglas and Miss Heidon.

OUT OF JAIL. Alleged Reverend Counterfeiter Preached Yesterday.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—The Rev. James R. Kaye, convicted in the United States District Court at Springfield of counterfeiting, resumed the pastorate of the First Congregational Church of Wheaton yesterday, and conducted the Sunday service.

ITALIAN BANKER DEAD. Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—Michele Martino, banker, importer and philanthropist and one of the wealthiest Italians in the east, died at his home here last night, aged 56 years.

RAILROAD MAN DEAD. Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—Richard Tull, treasurer of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Co., the Reading Coal & Iron Co., and the Philadelphia Belt Line Railroad, died at his home yesterday, aged 56 years.

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MAIL CONTRACT. London, Feb. 10.—A special despatch to the Daily News from Queenstown says that the British post office has made a new contract with the Cunard Steamship Company to carry mails between Liverpool and New York until 1928.

At Saturday's session of the Toronto parks department inquiry was stated that of \$225 paid to officials for pasture privileges only \$18 is recorded as received by the city.

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Last year the Banwell-Hoxie Co., of this city, made and constructed five hundred miles of their Peerless Woven Wire Fencing for the C. P. R.

The Hamilton Bridge Co. is building an immense bridge for the Dominion Government at Shellmouth, Manitoba. It is also constructing one of the largest viaducts in Canada for the C. P. R. at Parry Sound.

The Canadian Westinghouse Co. is making and installing electrical machinery for the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Co., to develop 20,000 horse power. It is also making gas producers and generators for the immense car shops at Moncton for the Dominion Government.

T. & B. tobacco, made by the Geo. E. Tuckett Co., of Hamilton, is smoked in all parts of Australia and New Zealand.

Semmens & Eveship a specially prepared line of elm caskets to South Africa.

The International Harvester Co. make cultivators and drills for Russia, Sweden, France, Germany, Spain and Australia, and very one bears the mark Made-in-Hamilton, Canada.

The Ontario Lantern and Lamp Co. send their lanterns and burners to Hong Kong.

Somewhere in Japan are 60 tons of steel shafting, doing satisfactorily the work it was intended to do Made-in-Hamilton by the Union Drawn Steel Co.

The polishes and products of the Robert Ralston Co., are to be found in Newfoundland and Jamaica.

The Passenger Elevators in the Traders' Bank, Toronto, and the Union Bank building, Winnipeg, were made in Hamilton by the Otis Fensom Co.

The Hamilton Steel and Iron Co., and the Union Drawn Steel Co., together supplied the C. T. R., T. H. & B. and Intercolonial railways with hundreds of tons of fish plates, railway spikes and fish plate bolts.

Through the medium of the Stanley Mills Mail Order Department, Hamilton-made Washers and Churns have been shipped to Iceland and in November last, this store's Mail Order Department made a shipment of Hamilton-made harness to Galliano Island, B. C., a point 600 miles from the nearest railway station at Ashcroft.

And so it goes. Cases without number could be enumerated, of Hamilton-made goods being found in daily use in every nook and corner of the globe.

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THREE SUICIDES.

French Government Report Will Show Miseries of Home Labor.

The French Ministry of Labor has in the press a volume of 700 pages on the conditions of women's work at home. Some extracts from it which have been published indicate extreme misery, especially among seamstresses.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 10.—L. T. Hutchins, 30 years old, second Vice-President of the Fort Worth National Bank, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself. Ill health and mental worry are given as the causes of suicide.

Brooding over the suicide of Banker Hutchins, a man he did not know, Eric C. Gambrell, 28 years old, shot and killed himself at a local hotel last night. Gambrell was a son of Rev. Dr. J. B. Gambrell, the noted Baptist divine, and had practiced law in Dallas for many years.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 10.—C. A. Beasley, president of the American Bank & Trust Co., at Houston, Texas, and until recently president of the Texas Bankers' Association, shot and killed himself late yesterday. He had been in San Antonio for the last five weeks. Ill health is believed to be the cause of the act.

GRACE MERRITT. Charming Actress an Early Riser and Great Walker.

Grace Merritt, that clever actress and charming woman, who is starring as Mary Tudor in "When Knighthood Was in Flower," is fond of outdoor life.

Another woman of the same age, Mme. T., who sleeps only four hours and gives seventeen of her working ones to sewing on shirt waists, petticoats and aprons, earned in the twelve months for which her record was taken \$87.

The case of a young woman, Mme. L., 28 years old, is also illustrative. She makes corset covers, which come to her from a sub-contractor. She has a sewing machine and paying for it at the rate of \$2.40 a month. She works fourteen and a half hours a day and earns 30 francs or \$6 a month.

In the 700 pages of the Government report there are said to be at least 10,000 cases equally distressing. No remedy for the evil is suggested.

SHELTER FOR QUAIL. Missouri Farmer's Plan of Growing Sugar Cane.

William E. McCulley, of Macon county, thinks he has solved the problem of providing quail. He owns quite a large farm, and he discovered that quail were becoming more and more scarce each year. Then he set about studying the cause, and came to the conclusion that it was lack of shelter.

Since then he has every spring planted sugar cane along the side of the hollows of his farm and permits the same to stand during the winter. It affords the quail not only food but shelter of the kind they like. Other farmers in Boone, Callaway and several counties of the State have adopted Mr. McCulley's plan, and they think it is just what was needed.

Harrogate, 700 feet above sea level, is at present the only inland elevated spot at which daily sunshine records are published.

FILLED THE PLACE.

Large Crowd at the Temperance Mass Meeting.

A crowded house greeted the speaker at the temperance mass meeting in Association Hall last evening. Late-comers were directed to the gallery, which soon also presented a crowded appearance.









MUSIC AND THE DRAMA

A new Mary Tudor to Hamilton theatregoers will be seen at the Grand to-night when Grace Merritt appears in that role in "When Knighthood Was in Flower." While the play has been presented here several times there seems to be quite a desire to see Miss Merritt in the role as she comes here with a most flattering reputation.

The fifth of the Conservatory of Music Saturday afternoon recitals was held on Saturday afternoon in the recital hall. The programme was a varied one, including piano, violin, cello and vocal, by the pupils of Miss Barnard, Miss Bartmann, Mrs. Geo. Allan, Miss Fraser, Miss Hamm, Mr. Bartmann and Mr. Hewlett. A large audience enjoyed it very much. It was as follows: Von Wilm—Frolics. Miss Lelia Devine murmuring Zephyrs—Jensen-Nieman—Miss Edith Slaughter—Tanzeve.

Hubert Wilke, who will be the star attraction at the Savoy Theatre this week, appearing in his pretty romantic playlet, "Remembrance," will be favorably remembered by many theatregoers for his clever work playing the leading role in many well known productions of the legitimate stage. The sketch tells the story of a modern Enoch Arden. He has been a n'er do well and has finally so exhausted the patience of his wife that she turns him adrift. When he returns to his home again he comes upon his little son and there is a very pretty scene, in which the man and the boy make love to each other. Incidentally Mr. Wilke has an opportunity to sing in a manner that displays his melodious baritone voice to excellent advantage. Mr. Wilke has the excellent support from Agnes DeLaine and Master Jerome Fernandez, the youngest winners of ten minutes' duration, after

every one of which the lights must be turned on for five minutes. "A Desperate Chance" opened this season here at the Worcester Theatre this week. The opening was not very auspicious, for the leading man, Charles C. Silk, by accident fired a blank cartridge into his face and eyes during the first act of the first performance.

Manager J. C. Criddle, of Poli's, is perturbed because Mr. Poli has a scenic artist whose water looks so real on canvas that the broncho used by Will Rogers in his lariat throwing act this afternoon gambled up to it and planted both fore feet through the canvas in an endeavor to wade out and get a good drink. The drop was ruined.

At the eleventh hour Manager Driscoll was able to secure for this week one of the most sought after acts in vaudeville, Hayes and Johnson. These two have just concluded several months of successes at the New York theatres and will be amongst the headline attractions here. The Fadettes Women's orchestra is going to achieve a great triumph. It plays a number of classical pieces and sandwiches in between each number several of the latest musical successes. Una Clayton, another of the headliners, will introduce her little one act farce entitled "What's in a Name."

An act entirely new to all Hamiltonians will be presented next week at Bennett's. The McMalon's Minstrel Maids and Watermelon Girls, nine in number, appear in an exhibition of burnt cork minstrelsy. These young women all in the traditional semi-circle and indulge in songs and witticisms after the most approved model.

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dience by his sunny disposition. Another very pretty feature this week is the appearance of Princess Chiquilla, a full blooded Indian princess of the Cheyenne nation and Edward Newell, who will be seen in a pretty scenic singing and juggling act. The Aerial Show, who do a thrilling trapeze act, will be one of the sensational numbers.

Harper, Desmond and Hilliard, in a skit entitled "The Policy Shop," are clever colored entertainers with a combination of singing, dancing and comedy that will please. Mitchell and Cain are singers and comedians above the ordinary. Their stuff is said to bristle with originality and the act is full of life. Joseph Niemeyer is an eccentric singing and dancing comedienne and Lize Raymond is a pleasing singing comedienne. Interesting motion pictures will be shown.

The management has arranged to give a benefit for the Ramblers next week. "Just Out of College."

A great many of the slang expressions of the day are laid at the door of Geo. Ade, of "Fables in Slang" fame. The following are samples of the witty dialogue in his latest success, "Just Out of College," which will be an early attraction at the Grand on Friday and Saturday.

"Mr. Pickering, were you ever in love?"

"I'm married, ain't I? You've seen Mrs. Pickering?"

"That's why I asked you if you were ever in love."

"Look here! The fact that my wife is President of the United Clubs of this State—that she has her picture in all the papers and gets home about once a month—does not change my opinion of what a woman should be."

Between the Acts. Next week at the Grand Waghenals & Kemper will present Eugene Walter's new play of contemporary American life, "Paid in Full," with a brilliant acting company, including Lillian Albertson, Ralph Delmore, Hattie Russell, Ben Johnson, Tully Marshall, and Viola Adams. Hamilton is the only city in Canada where this play will be seen. It comes from Chicago, and is on its way to New York, where it opens at the Astor Theatre a week from Monday next.

"The Rocky Mountain Express," a wild west thriller, will be offered at the Grand next Thursday evening, seats for which go on sale to-morrow morning. It is a production beyond the usual popular price shows, and has no less than sixteen different scenes. One of the big scenes is that of a snow slide in the Rockies, which is said to be a wonderful scenic effect.

"The Choir Singer," a rural comedy drama, at the Grand on Saturday, played to large houses afternoon and evening. As a popular-priced piece it was O. K., and the applause it received was deserved. Miss Juliette Atkinson as the choir singer, rendered several songs during the third act, and made a favorable impression. The play has been here several times before.

BRITANNIA RINK.

Special Leap Year and Valentine Sessions This Week.

Another good programme, and one that will be sure to please its many patrons, has been prepared for this week at the Britannia Roller Rink. On Wednesday night there will, as usual, be a leap year session, with eighteen skating numbers. Six couples skating and six girls skating will be on the programme, and the session will last till 12 o'clock.

On Thursday night something entirely new and very interesting will be introduced, when a candle race will be held. All the lights in the rink will be turned out and lighted candles arranged around the floor. The skaters will have to skate between the candles, without knocking any down or putting them out. The winner will be given a prize.

Friday, which will be valentine and suburban night, promises to be one of the biggest events in the rink's history. On that night excursions will be run to the city, for skaters, from Grimsby, Vinemount, Winona, Fruitland, Stoney Creek, Bartonville, Van Wagner's Beach and Burlington. One of the largest crowds in the history of the big rink is expected to attend, and two sessions will be put on. The second session will begin at 10 o'clock and continue till 12.

DEATH OF ALFRED B. SCOTT.

Member of Scott & Bowne, of Famous Scott's Emulsion.

Death has been an all too frequent visitor of late among the prominent business men whose interests are vested in our metropolis, and in the present instance we refer to the despatch received from Geneva, Switzerland, telling of the sudden death of Alfred B. Scott, who, together with Samuel W. Bowne, organized the firm of Scott & Bowne, and whose name is so familiarly known as "Scott's Emulsion," which has enjoyed a period of public service since 1874.

The deceased enjoyed a creditable and successful career and the product which bears his name has become recognized as "the" standard in cod liver oil preparations. In this work-a-day world of ours, however, the law of life appears to be that the wheels of trade must be kept continually revolving. It is, therefore, that we announce that the business of Scott & Bowne will be continued along the lines of the past by the surviving partner, Mr. Samuel W. Bowne, upon whom the actual guidance of the concern has practically devolved for many years past.

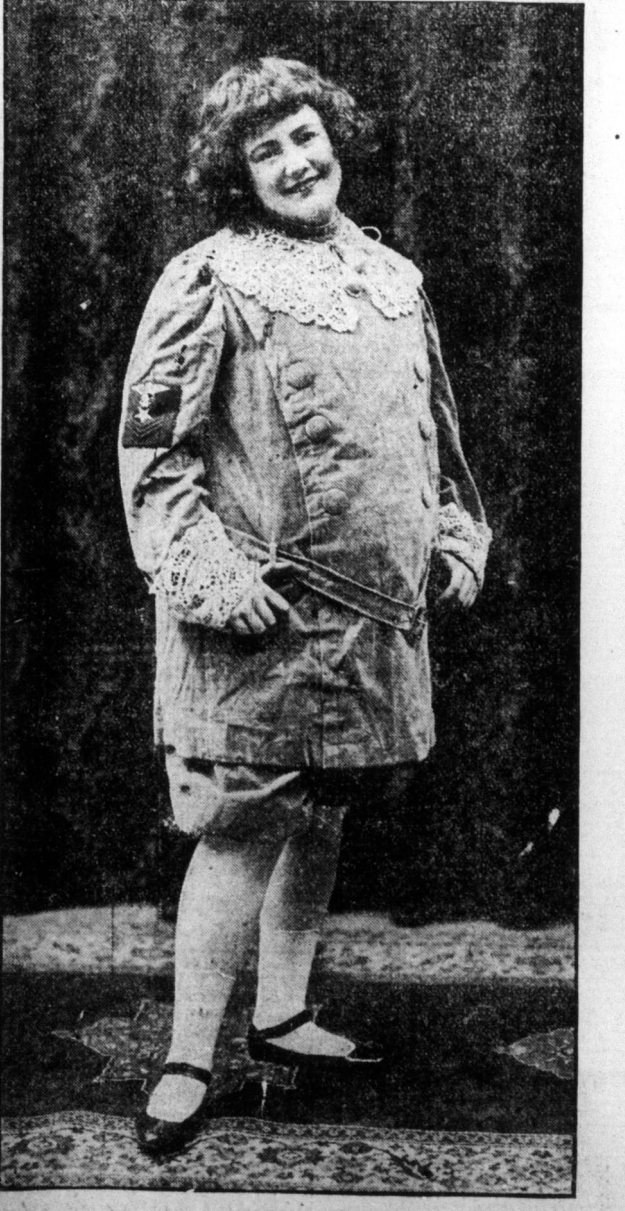
In view of the continually increasing demand and recognition of the merits and efficacy of "Scott's Emulsion," the announcement of its continuation will be received with gratification by the interested trade and public.—The Mercantile and Financial Times.

Suspicious.

But conditions demand it. Leather coats, reversible corduroy lined, \$5 and \$12.5, regular \$6 and \$6.50. Karri waterproof reefers, \$1.50 and \$1.75, regular \$2 and \$2.25. Our prices in plain figures. M. Kennedy, 240 James north.

A new license board will be appointed in Toronto, so as to allow of untrammelled action in the reduction of licenses, the present board having demanded that the hotels make improvements being placed in a somewhat awkward position.

The trust funds of the Synod of Huron are to be managed by the Trusts & Guarantee Company. The crew of the U. S. battleship Maryland have made a world's record—08.41 hits per gun per minute—at target practice.



SABEL JOHNSTON. Who will be seen at Bennett's Theatre all this week.

THE RIGHT HOUSE HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE.

The greatest reduction sale of dress goods in the history of The Right House is in full swing now: Choose rose for spring

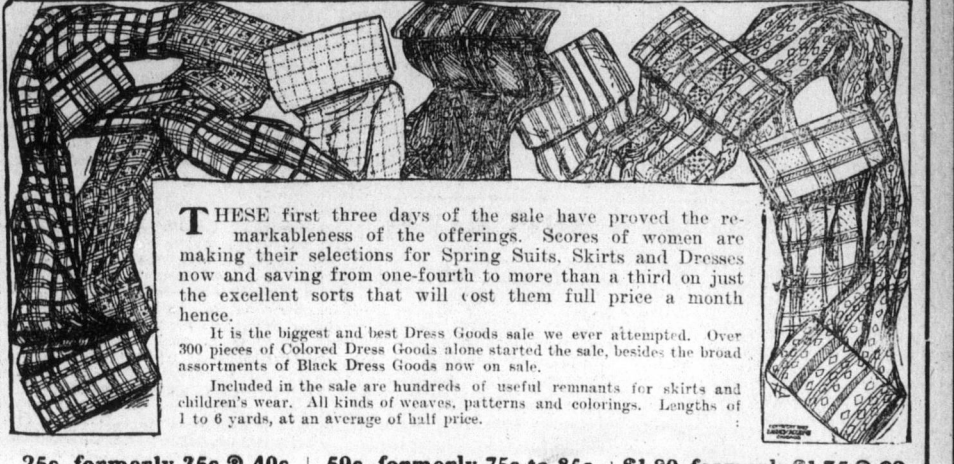
Important saving days

THERE are now, in full swing at The Right House, tremendous early February Clearing Reduction and Special Purchase Sales, involving many thousands of dollars' worth of bright, fashionable goods throughout the entire store.

A few only of the many exceptional offerings can find mention in our advertisements. It will pay you well, however, to watch this page and to visit The Right House daily for the next two weeks. You will find great bargains in worthy goods: You will find great variety to select from on every floor and every department.

Many lines are at HALF PRICE, others a third below regular values. These are days of large economy that nobody ought to neglect.

The best news of merchandise at bargain prices ever printed is printed now from day to day. The sales are just starting. Come daily and buy and save.



THESE first three days of the sale have proved the remarkableness of the offerings. Scores of women are making their selections for Spring Suits, Skirts and Dresses now and saving from one-fourth to more than a third on just the excellent sorts that will cost them full price a month hence. It is the biggest and best Dress Goods sale we ever attempted. Over 300 pieces of Colored Dress Goods alone started the sale, besides the broad assortments of Black Dress Goods now on sale. Included in the sale are hundreds of useful remnants for skirts and children's wear. All kinds of weaves, patterns and colorings. Lengths of 1 to 6 yards, at an average of half price.

25c, formerly 35c @ 40c

39c, formerly 50c @ 65c

39c, formerly 50c @ 55c

39c for 50c cashmeres

59c, formerly 75c to 85c

69c, formerly \$1.00

88c, formerly \$1.35

\$1.19, formerly \$1.50

\$1.39, formerly \$1.75 @ \$2

Women's skirt lengths

Girls' dress lengths

Over 100 hearth rugs reduced

All sizes and kinds: save 1-2 to 1-3

WILTONS, Axminsters, Mohair Plush, Reversible Smyrna, Daghestans, etc. Door Rugs, Hall Mats, Hearth Rugs, and Hall Rugs in all sizes for any purpose. Any color or combination your taste can desire in many rich patterns, designs and plain effects. All heavily fringed.

There is a specially large, fine assortment of heavy Mohair Plush Rugs in all sizes. Select Tuesday and following days and save a third to a full half.

59c, reduced from 85c

69c, reduced from \$1.25

88c, formerly \$1.10 to \$1.75

\$1.29, formerly \$1.75 to \$1.85

\$5.50, Plush Rugs at \$2.88

\$2.88, formerly \$3.75 to \$4.75

\$3.19, formerly \$4.50 each

\$3.88, formerly \$7.50 each

\$9.65, formerly \$15.00 each

\$6.88, formerly \$13.00 each

Black dress goods: bargains

39c, value 50c to 60c

49c, value 60c to 80c

88c, value \$1.25 to \$1.35

\$1.19, value \$1.85 to \$2.00

69c, value 85c to \$1.15

THE splendid success of this annual February Underprice Sale is surely a matter of pardonable pride. The fine quality and the exclusiveness of the fine weaves involved, as well as the little prices, have been factors toward bringing here the greatest Black Dress Goods selling February ever brought. The sale is in full swing now.

There are splendid new weaves in correct weights in plain and fancy effects. Included are Panamas, Voiles, Broadcloths, Armures, Venetians, Cashmeres, Nun's Veiling, Marquissettes, Crepe de Chines, etc., etc.

Kensington rugs: save 1-3

SPECIAL purchases at lower prices than rule to-day make these handsome Art Squares double bargains at the reduced prices. Their superior wearing ability and the good patterns and colorings make them extremely desirable.

Sizes for any room in floral and conventional patterns and rich crimson and oak shades. Mostly all wool. There are a few unions among them. Select now and save a full third to more than a third.

\$4.88, reduced from \$7.25

\$5.19, reduced from \$8.00

\$9.88, reduced from \$14. \$15 and \$18 each.

Women's coats less than half price

THIS season's smart new loose back; 7-8 length styles and less than half price to pay. Tailored in handsome, distinctive styles from heavy warm winter tweeds; neat to novelty effects in winter shadings.

\$2.50, formerly \$7 to \$8

\$3.50, formerly \$8 to \$10

Women's broadcloth and Panama suits reduced

Broadcloths, Venetians and Panamas, rich tones of brown, blue and black. Some are in the new overbeck, and overstep effects. Pony or Gibson style jackets, pleated skirts, latest New York styles. \$8.50, formerly \$15 to \$18 \$15, formerly \$32

THOMAS C. WATKINS Hamilton Ontario

Corner King East and Hughson Sts.

ATTERCLIFFE

A quantity of good hay for sale at J. K. Tisdale's.

Mr. Russell Nelson and bride, nee Miss Mae E. Main, are spending a few days at the Bowman house, here.

Mr. R. Gray, merchant, made a trip to St. Catharines market through the storm of Friday and Saturday.

Tea meeting and entertainment in the Attercliffe Church on Monday evening, the 10th inst.

Mrs. Edward Ditt's condition remains about the same.

Mrs. Leron Randall is making a week's visit with friends in Welland.

Mr. Peter Parker is still confined to the house, and is very low, with not much hopes.

A number of people are filling their ice houses in the neighborhood.

On the 29th January, a few old friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Tisdale here to help to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of their wedding.

VALENS

Mr. Robt. Jamieson and his bride have returned from their wedding tour. They intend residing on a farm four miles west of Galt. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for a happy and prosperous married life.

Mrs. John Valens attended the W. F. M. S. convention last week in Niagara.

Mrs. Wm. Robson and Miss M. J. Robson are visiting friends in Harriston.

Miss Thompson, who visited at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCreachy's, has returned home.

Mrs. Wm. Lennon is in Baden attending her mother, who is ill.

Mr. Richard Connell gave a party to his friends on Friday evening last. A most enjoyable time was spent by all, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather.

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HOW TO RUN FURNACE.

Hints to Save Coal and Keep the House at Proper Temperature.

Remember all furnaces have certain features in common. These are chimney pipes, hot air pumps, dampers for chimney pipe, dust dampers, draughts, checks and so on.

In lighting your furnace remember to open all the drafts and smoke dampers and close the checks.

Burn some pieces of paper near the chimney flue. This will start a current of air upward. Now light the fire and as soon as the wood begins to ignite, put on a layer of coal.

When this gets to burning well, add enough coal to make a deep bed. Remember in the morning to first put a thin layer of coal on the fire, close the checks and open all the drafts. Remove the ashes from the bottom of the furnace.

Open the dust damper. Rake the fire, removing all the cinders and clinkers.

Put on a thick bed of fresh coal, let the fire burn about ten minutes, then close the dust damper and take up the hot ashes.

Remember to close the drafts when the coal begins to look red on top. When the house is warm enough, partially open the checks.

In very cold weather, put a couple of hodfuls on in the middle of the day and keep the drafts in the lower door open slightly.

Mineral Resources of Shantung.

According to a recent consular report, the Germans have done practically everything in their power to develop the mineral resources of the Province of Shantung, but they have thus far only succeeded in making the coal mines pay.

Apart from these they have iron deposits, which will, it is thought, yield a return as soon as they are worked, but beyond these, there is nothing to speak of, and the expectations of ten years ago that Shantung would prove to be an enormously rich mining district seem doomed to disappointment.

There is talk of another morning newspaper for London.

In fishing for compliments few people need a guide.



The cut shows a photograph of Van Dyke's masterpiece, "The Erection of the Cross," which was stolen from the Church of Notre Dame at Courtrai, and which was recovered from a band of gypsies near Bruges, Belgium.



THE ROYAL FUNERAL

STATELY SERVICE AND PAGEANT AT LISBON.

Bodies of Murdered King and Prince Taken to the Pantheon—Republicans Say Republic Will Come Silently and Suddenly.

Lisbon, Feb. 8.—With the church bells tolling continually, the bodies of the murdered King and Crown Prince, in two golden chariots shrouded in black velvet and drawn by eight hooded horses, were escorted by a glittering funeral pageant to-day across Lisbon to the Pantheon.

When the members of the Court and the special representatives of foreign countries entered the chapel for the brief service the King remained behind. Neither he nor the two Queens followed the cortege to the cathedral. The violent death of his father, it is explained, absolved King Manuel from conforming to the tradition of walking behind the dead to the grave.

The religious service at the church was very stately. The interior was draped and littered in floral tributes. The bodies were in state for three days, and then will be consigned to the tombs in the Pantheon.

The Republican leaders in Portugal are to-day in extremely high spirits. They assert confidently that a republic is now a matter of months, not of years.

A complete revolution has been effected. The end of monarchy is near. It will come as unexpectedly as did the murder of the King and the Crown Prince, and the world will wake up one morning to find a republic in Portugal.

They are convinced that the republic will be a peaceful one. It is a mistake for foreigners to imagine that the people of Portugal are not awake. There is a Republican organization in every town, and doctors, lawyers, etc., even the village priests are sending in notices of their adherence by the score, and here are avowed Republican officers in the army.

"We will make a change of regime an open issue in the coming campaign. We will demand that the monarchy which has dragged down Portugal into the mire of political and financial bankruptcy abdicate to the people. They dare not try repression again; they can only surrender."

CASTORIA The Kid You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Williams

TRUST AT BERESFORD. Lord Esher Denies the Need of a Naval Inquiry.

London, Feb. 9.—There is reason to believe that Lord Charles Beresford will return to the political arena when his command of the Channel squadron expires. As it is well known that he does not see eye to eye with Sir John Fisher and desires to fight the issue out in Parliament, as he did once before.

Lord Charles has just received a nasty blow under which he is smarting keenly. Lord Fisher, who enjoys the King's fullest confidence, and who was appointed by His Majesty to edit Queen Victoria's letters, and is one of King Edward's most valued advisers on military and naval matters, has written a letter to the new organization, the Imperial Maritime League, in which he states most emphatically that there is no need for inquiry into the state of the navy.

"If I could believe the charges made against the Admiralty," says Lord Esher, "I should be glad to see Admiral Fisher's colleagues meet the fate of Admiral Byng."

This is a direct thrust at Lord Charles, who a few months ago, before he entered into his present undertaking, not only publicly criticized the policy of the first sea lord, but suggested by polite implication that Sir John deserved to be shot like Byng.

KING EDWARD

Attends Roman Catholic Church at Memorial Service.

London, Feb. 9.—The presence of King Edward and Queen Alexandra at the memorial service to King Carlos of Portugal in St. James' Roman Catholic Church yesterday was the first time that their Majesties have attended services in a Roman Catholic Church in this country. It has already excited much comment and produced a protest from the Council of the Protestant Alliance at a meeting held this afternoon.

WHAT MAY BE.

"KILL THE KING" NOW THE UNIVERSAL REPLY.

Bernard Shaw Supposes Attack on British Democracy—Position Not Impossible—Growth of Socialism Under Some Future Monarch Might Lead to Desperate Measures.

London, Feb. 9.—Bernard Shaw, writing about the appalling frequency of political assassinations and after reviewing those since the murder of Alexander of Russia and referring to the death of Carlos I. says: "Let me bring the question home to England. For 300 years our monarchs have run no risks. Our Kings have accepted a liberal position so completely that we have forgotten it is still possible for our Kings to do what the late King of Portugal did. Our revolutions have been general elections, the swinging of the pendulum between the Whigs and the Tories. But the twentieth century brings a new force into the field, Socialism. Private property, at present, is supreme over both King and Parliament. It may be within a lifetime, it may be within a few years, that many now living will be defending property in its last ditch.

"Suppose the next four general elections should show such a steady increase of Socialists in Parliament as to make it a political certainty that the fifth general election will place them in the majority. Suppose that the only way of averting that will be the repeal of the great Reform Acts or the introduction of the three class system of voting, with the establishment of a Stafford or Franco in a dictatorship, to suppress the public demonstration against the measures. Suppose the proletariat classes of the day compel the reigning monarch to countenance those proceedings. Suppose he, having taken a political bias and not like King Edward in the heyday of Anglo-Liberalism, leans in a heyday of Victor Hugo's Imperialism, to throw himself heart and soul into an attack on democracy, what should we do, what would our remedy against the King?"

"The English answer so far is 'Kill him.' The French answer so far is 'Kill him.' The Portuguese answer, glorified to the utmost of his power by our greatest poet, is: 'Kill him.' No human passion can be satisfied with that answer, but it stands and it will stand until a better one can be found."

WATERS WANT MORE PAY.

British Commons' Tips Have Fallen to Twopenny a Day.

London, Feb. 9.—The waiters in the service of the House of Commons complain that modern times have reduced their tips to a record figure. The climax was reached when one of the waiters handed, as the total of his tips for a day, into the pool the sum of twopenny. The waiters' wages run from 18 to 25 shillings a week. Total 30 shillings and sometimes it has been as much as 40, but not more than a steady and adequate wage and the abolition of tips.

They declare that the Labor members of the House are very good to the waiters, in proportion to the little waiting they need. The Unionists are the most generous and also the best. The Liberal and the Liberal Unionist are the most illiberal. The waiters don't object to a man who does not tip at all. They assume that he is acting on principle.

"But," they say, "a member of Parliament who gives a penny has neither principle nor generosity."

The Parliamentary waiters have a hard time during recesses, for they find it difficult to obtain casual employment and their wages don't run during recess.

VICTIMS LAID TO REST.

Impressive Funeral of Men Killed in Nova Scotia Mine Disaster.

Port Hood, N. S., Feb. 9.—The last act in the tragedy by which ten men lost their lives in the mine here Friday was enacted to-day, when all that was mortal of the victims was laid to rest. The procession was fully a mile long, making the largest and most impressive funeral ever witnessed in these parts.

On arrival at the church the caskets were taken within and laid on rests in the centre aisle, making a line which extended from the chancel rail to the vestibule. The inquest will be resumed to-morrow afternoon.

LEGAL STRUGGLE FOR TIMES.

£850,000 Syndicate Formed to Oppose Pearson Deal.

London, Feb. 9.—It looks as though there would be a great legal struggle for the Times newspaper. A syndicate representing the owners of several mines or interests in the paper has been formed with a capital of £850,000. Mr. Pearson's prospectus asserts that their deal has been approved by 75 per cent of the owners. The question of the lease will be fought out in court.

Do You Know This Man?

His appetite is voracious. He eats like a hungry lion. Yet he is lazy and hates to exert himself. Look at his eyes—they are glassy and dull. His tongue is coated and furred. When he gets up to walk his head swims; if he stoops over he gets dizzy.

Is he sick? Not had enough to go to bed; but he is constipated, his system is clogged up, his stomach is bilious and over-laden. Just one thing to do, Take Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which loosen the bowels and flush out all unhealthy matter. The liver is toned up, the blood is strengthened and the stomach given assistance. You feel better the minute you take Dr. Hamilton's Pills, because they are meant to act promptly. The whole secret of good health is solved by this grand medicine. Good for men, women and children. Every box guaranteed, price 25c or five for \$1.00 at all dealers.

BRYAN AT MONTREAL

THE GREAT DEMOCRATIC LEADER CHOOSES RELIGIOUS TOPICS.

Christ, Prince of Peace—Reflex Influence of Foreign Missions—In an Interview He Discusses Canadian Relations to the United States.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—William Jennings Bryan, Democratic leader, orator and writer, spoke twice to-day in this city to immense audiences. In the afternoon he spoke on "Missions" in Erinke Presbyterian Church. In dealing with the subject of foreign missions Mr. Bryan took up the arguments against the work and demolished them. There was need of foreign mission work, not only for the good it did the heathen, but for the reflex influence on us at home. If the Christian life was good for us it was undoubtedly good for them. In this age we had increased light and knowledge, and that meant increased responsibility.

In the evening Mr. Bryan spoke in the American Presbyterian Church on "Christ, the Prince of Peace." He put forth a powerful plea for Christ, and defended His teachings and principles, a religious being, and strives after the realization of religious concepts in his heart. This takes many forms. In India it is washing in the Ganges; among the Arabs it is praying with the face turned eastward; with the Indians it is the hope of a happy hunting ground. Religion rests on our consciousness that our powers are limited, that we are sinners, and that there is one whose powers are greater than ours. Mr. Bryan went on to say that he did not believe in Darwin's theory of evolution; on the contrary, he believed in a Designer back of the design and a Greater back of the created.

We must not reject religion because it has mysteries. Human life is a mystery, and despite our efforts to know life, and our study of humanity for 4,000 years, life is still as mysterious as when first began. We cannot understand the mystery of growth in plant life, yet the mystery does not worry us in the dining-room. It is only in the church that we refuse to accept mystery. The greatest mystery in life is the change of heart and ideals in the human being to peace. We seek it in wealth, in society, in honors; but all fail to satisfy. Christ taught that a line of communication can be had between earth and heaven through prayer, and this brings peace.

In an interview with Mr. Bryan the relations between Canada and the United States were touched upon. "We are ready," said Mr. Bryan, "to welcome Canada to a closer union with us whenever she shows a desire for it—no matter whether this union be political or economic. Speaking of the coming presidential campaign he said: "The great issue between the two parties will be tariff reform. The leading plank in our platform will be closer trade relations with Canada. Many Republicans also favor it, but their leaders will not support it. Christ is the only one who will support the Democratic nominee."

NO CLOTHES FOR IT.

Blanket and Curtain For New Born Baby.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—The fund for the relief of distress in the outskirts of Toronto now stands at \$13,194.45, as compared with \$12,349.44 on Saturday morning, a gain of \$845.01. The subscriptions are coming forward freely, and the detailed list shows that the number of contributors is very large. The sum is a large one, the spirit which prompts the donation being an important consideration.

The pangs of hunger in shantytowns have been lessened, and the distress is less acute than it was a week ago. But the necessity of feeding the thousands of men, women, and children who are entirely dependent upon the fund for assistance is practically as urgent as ever before, and until spring comes, with its opportunities for furnishing work to the heads of households, the relief must go on.

It is necessary to request that no more contributions of men's or women's clothing be sent in. To tide over the winter period of six weeks between now and the end of the winter is the concern of poor, desolate and distressed Shantytown.

A baby came to another "house" in Shantytown on Saturday, and there was no room for it. The mother was a little over nothing to put about it to protect it from the windy winds. The "house" was in the "Little Piccadilly" section, a 10 x 14 structure. In the shack were a bed, a stove, a box, one chair and two granite pails. The pails were empty, so the box, with the legs of the second chair were cranking in the stove. Of cloth there were only a blanket and a quilt, the husband's and wife's few garments and a bit of muslin that hung before the solitary window. So when the baby came, the friend used the curtain and the blanket, and later on a red shawl loaned by a neighbor's wife. The latter was poor herself and not strong, but she trudged across the snow to the depot to get the baby a "trousseau" from the Davenport mission.

SUDDEN DEATH AT MONTREAL.

Reginald C. Boulbee, Young Englishman, Expires at Skating Ring.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—A young Englishman named Reginald C. Boulbee, dropped dead on Saturday afternoon at the M. A. A. skating rink. He had been skating with some ladies, and had gone into the dressing room to get warm and was on his way out to continue skating when he dropped. The young man was 21 years of age, and had been subject to heart trouble all his life. He was a son of Rev. F. S. Boulbee, of Hargrave, Eng., and had only been in this country a short time.

A SOFT SNAP.

Bold Swindler Fleeces Italians in Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—Four hours a day. Library—Two hours a day. Position—Light work and cleaning the corridors of the King Edward Hotel. A beautiful new uniform and \$2.50 a day. The above position was offered to several Italians yesterday by a man who registered at the King Edward Hotel as H. Chapman. The Italians were to put up \$15 apiece to get the job. Chapman got between \$60 and \$70, and took the 6:10 train last night for Chicago.

The matter was reported to the department too late to get him here, but he was arrested at London by Detectives Ryder and Egelton.

He is described as a man of Jewish appearance, from 30 to 35 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches, weight 160 pounds, dark complexion, clean shaven, wearing a brown Christy, dark spring overcoat, black scarf, a brown leather suit case, and a silk hat box.

Chapman registered on Saturday night. He went up to see Michael Russo and got the address at 150 Toronto street, where a number of Italians lived.

He took several of the foreigners looking for work to his room at the hotel, where he displayed a contract for them to sign after they had paid him \$15 apiece for getting the new position as general cleaners-up around the big hotel.

They were to receive \$2.50 per day for four hours' work a day, and each day they could have two hours in the library to improve their English. Detectives Githens and McKinney are working on the case.

B-C. EXCLUSION ACT.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL CERTAINLY DISALLOW IT.

In Case It Receives Assent of Lieutenant-Governor—Clause Under Which Japanese Were Exempt From Provisions Has Been Struck Out, Which Makes Act Ultra Vires.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—According to advices from British Columbia the Natal Act, just passed by the Legislature at Victoria, will be handed to Lieutenant-Governor Durnmuir for assent to-morrow. Whether or not his assent will be given is not known to the Government here. Recommendation had been made to him on the subject.

During the past week an important change has been made in the bill as originally drafted by the elimination of the clause which specially exempted from the proposed restrictive law immigrants from those countries affected by Dominion legislation regarding immigration. Under this clause Japanese and Chinese immigrants would not be affected by the act. But by the elimination of the clause the bill is practically identical with the bills previously passed and disallowed as ultra vires.

The British Columbia Government is said to be making preparations to strictly enforce the act, just as soon as it receives the Lieutenant-Governor's assent. If the latter follows the course he pursued last year and refuses signature on the same grounds he advanced then, the Dominion Government will, of course, not be called upon to take any action in the matter. Should he, however, sign the bill the Government here will be called upon to disallow it, as it is clearly a violation of Canada's treaty with Japan. Moreover, it is ultra vires, in view of the fact that the British North America Act specially states that the Provinces cannot pass legislation in respect of immigration in cases where the Federal Parliament have already dealt with the subject.

Opinion here is that the action of the British Columbia Legislature is simply a bit of political prolegomena, as the members are not in a hurry to enforce the act, and the penalty imposed for its violation could never be enforced in the courts.

THAW SHOVELLED SNOW.

Prisoner Must Stay Six Weeks at Mattawan.

New York, Feb. 9.—Harry K. Thaw did real work yesterday, when armed with a large shovel, he went at the heaps of snow on the walks about the Mattawan Asylum, and for two hours, with a score of other inmates, helped to clear the place.

Tracing of the piano and the books which have meant so much to him during his confinement, Thaw asked permission of Dr. Robert E. Lamb, the medical superintendent of Mattawan, to be allowed to do some work that would keep his mind away from his troubles. "How would you like to try your hand at snow shoveling?" asked the physician.

"That would suit me all right," replied Thaw, and forthwith he was provided with a shovel and went to work with a vim.

Young Mrs. Thaw and Daniel O'Reilly visited Thaw in the asylum yesterday afternoon. They reached Fishkill Landing shortly after 1 o'clock, and after luncheon at the Holland House, were driven in a sleigh to Mattawan. Thaw must remain in the Mattawan Asylum for at least six weeks, according to the authoritative statement given out by Martin W. Littleton, his chief counsel, just before the lawyer left with his family to rest in Florida.

PROPHECIES AGAIN.

Rev. C. O. Johnson's Warning to the Ontario Government.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—In the light of the prophet who had six years ago foretold the overthrow of the Ross Government and the coming of the present administration, some pulpits in which he was then standing, Rev. C. O. Johnson last night announced that a like fate was awaiting the Whitney Administration if it contemplated for an instant the petition drawn up in sight of the anti-license resolutions of Toronto.

The meeting of that petition was the asking of the Government to stultify itself by a treasonable administration, to take away from the City Council the power it had given simply because that power had become of some use to it, said the preacher.

A Delicious Luncheon for Yourself or for Unexpected Afternoon "Callers" TRISCUIT The rich Shredded Whole Wheat wafer, ready cooked and ready to serve. Delicious as toast with butter, cheese or marmalades. Better for children than pastries or white flour crackers; nourishing and easily digested. Biscuit for Breakfast, Triscuit for Luncheon. All grocers, 13c a carton; 2 for 25c.

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CHILD LABOR. LEGISLATION TO BE BROUGHT DOWN SHORTLY. No Radical Changes in the Law Are Anticipated—Provision to be Made for More Strict Enforcement of Existing Regulations—About Truants. Toronto, Feb. 10.—Proposals will be submitted shortly to the Legislature having for their object the stricter supervision of child labor in the Province. During the last session a special committee of the House was appointed to inquire into this very important matter, and the report brought in by them recommended some very radical changes in the law. At the present time child labor is used to some considerable extent in canning factories, and in some of the glass works of the Province boys are employed after school hours, the regulations already in existence setting forth under what conditions this class of labor may be employed. The committee, however, considered that with the demand for child labor increasing the law controlling it should be strengthened, and brought in recommendations accordingly. The legislation which will be laid before the House will be in many respects so far as the committee indicated as being, in their opinion, desirable. In fact, no radical change is to be expected. The proposed amendments will most likely take the form of providing means for the more strict enforcement of the existing regulations. In this connection it may also be expected that there will be some amendment to the truancy law. There are in the Province 250 municipalities by whom truant officers should be appointed, but such appointments have only been made in 75 instances. Inspectors of schools have from time to time complained of the lax manner in which the truancy law is enforced, and it is no doubt a fact that many of the children who do not attend school are employed in some form of labor. Toronto itself provides an example of the need for exercise of some stricter supervision in this regard. There are, it is estimated, in the city some 20,000 children. Of this number many are of foreign parentage and do not attend school, and it is impossible for the two truant officers who have been appointed in the city to properly look after them.

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NEWS RIGHT UP TO DATE

WORLD OF SPORT

WHAT IS GOING ON NOW

I.-A. A. C. GAMES AT NEW YORK.

Taylor, the Negro Runner, Won 600 Yards From Scratch.

Old Honesty Captured Handicap at New Orleans—Hamilton Thistles Defeated Parkdale Curlers By Eighteen Shots.

New York, Feb. 9.—The annual indoor track and the field games of the Irish-American Athletic Club, which were decided in the Madison Square Garden to-night, attracted an immense attendance, the largest ever seen in the Garden at similar events.

Forest Smithson, of Portland, Oregon, who ran unattached, won the hurdle event, but was unplaced in the final of the 60 yards dash.

In a special one mile match race, the Boston Athletic Association team beat the Irish-A. A. C. in a very close finish.

Dan Kelley, the world's champion sprinter, who was among those entered, did not compete.

60 yards dash, handicap, final heat—Won by William Miller, New York, unattached (7 feet); G. Butler, Yale University (4 feet); second, J. W. Westcott, New York, unattached (9 feet); third, Time, 6:25 seconds.

1,000 yards run, handicap—Won by H. Lee, Boston A. A. (60 yards); B. Freeman, Xavier A. S., New York (28 yards); second, W. Vanthorn, New York, unattached (40 yards); third, Time, 2:18:30.

Throwing 56-lb. weight, handicap—Won by R. McDonald, Irish A. A. C. (1 foot), with 25 feet 8 inches; J. J. Hines, Star A. C. Brooklyn (2 feet); second, with 26 feet 11 inches; J. J. Flanagan, Irish A. A. C. (scratch); third, with 28 feet 9 inches.

One mile, inter-collegiate relay race, scratch—Won by Cornell team, Hitchcock, Carpenter, W. Muench and Herbert; University of Pennsylvania, Whitman, Plumby, Jones and Taylor, second; Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, Rumbach, Rogers, Constantine and Minden, third; Time, 3:33:15.

One mile relay race, scratch—Won by Boston A. A. team, R. C. Leavitt, R. L. Young, E. E. Nelson and W. C. Proule; Irish A. A. C. team, J. Bacon, Dan Frank, S. C. Northbridge and Lawson Robertson, second; Time, 3:36:45.

Pole vault, for height, handicap—Won by Claude A. Allen, Irish A. A. C. (scratch), 11 feet; T. M. Jackson, Cornell University (scratch), second, with 10 feet 6 inches.

TOM NOT A DEERFOOT. London, Eng., Feb. 9.—Shrub, interviewed, says Longboat is not in the same street as Deerfoot. Longboat is a good stayer, he says, but lacks speed. A man with a short stride could run him. Shrub returns to Canada in the spring. off his feet, as he is improperly trained.

AT THE Y. M. C. A. Saturday evening was "Athletic Night" at the Y. M. C. A. and it was attended by a large crowd. The juniors and seniors both contributed to the programme. The athletic events were won by the following:

Walking potato race, 20 yard dash—Fraser, McCollough and Crocker. Running high jump—Bainbridge, 4 feet, 10 inches; Fraser, 4 feet, 9 inches; Mass, 4 feet, 7 inches.

Walking race—McCullough, Bainbridge and Dean. Picalack race—Fraser and Bainbridge; Dean and Mass; S. Fraser and Proctor.

Following these was a basket ball game, between the business men and the Alexanders. The business men led all through the game and won by a score of 19 to 11. The teams were:

Business Men: Forward, Alexanders; Murray, H. Fraser; Evans, Proctor; Centre, Athawes; Tracey, S. Fraser; Ely, S. Fraser; Noble, Webber; Bert Mackay, referee.

The game of indoor baseball between the Y. M. C. A. and C. Company of the 13th was one of the fastest that has ever been played on the gymnasium floor. The Y. M. C. A. led throughout the whole game, but they were in a number of tight places. At one time the soldiers made 7 runs in one inning and it made the boys in red hustle some to take away the score they had received.

At the end of the game the score stood 17 to 16 favor the Y. M. C. A. The line up was as follows: Y. M. C. A.—McLeod, Gray, McLeod, Smith, Carey, McLeod, McKeown, Taylor, Barclay.

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CHASING THE PUCK.

Summary of Hockey Games Played on Saturday.

O. H. A.—Junior. St. Michael's Col. 19 Parkdale ... 4 Inter-collegiate—Intermediate. Queen's II. ... 10 Laval II. ... 5

E. C. H. L. Ottawa ... 11 Quebec ... 5 Shamrocks ... 9 Montreal ... 3 Northern City—Junior. St. Michael's ... 3 Orioles ... 0

Western Pennsylvania. Lyceum ... 6 P. A. C. ... 2 Bankers ... 5 Pirates ... 3

Other Games. Chatham ... 5 Detroit A. C. ... 1 Bark's Falls ... 9 Huntsville ... 4 Yale ... 6 Princeton ... 2

GAMES THIS WEEK.

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Tuesday. Senior—Stratford and Toronto A. A. C. at Toronto, Galt at Berlin. Intermediate—Midland and Sudbury at North Bay (sudden death).

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McGILL IN WRONG.

Boston, Feb. 9.—As a result of the recent hockey game in the Harvard Stadium between the Harvard University and McGill University hockey teams, it is not likely that any McGill athletic team will ever again be given a date in a Harvard schedule.

The feeling that now exists among hockey authorities and students alike at Harvard against McGill is caused by the recent discovery that McGill did not send her senior hockey team to Cambridge to play the Harvard men, but, instead, a hurriedly gotten together team of substitutes and volunteers, who had never played together, and rung them in as the straight McGill Varsity team. The only mitigating feature is that they were actually McGill students.

Harvard and McGill met on the ice in the stadium a year ago, and at that time McGill won easily. When Harvard succeeded in turning the tables on what was supposed to be the McGill Varsity team this year there was much rejoicing, and an appropriate celebration followed the game. Then, a few days ago, came the discovery that Harvard men had been fooled in the team they had played.

Even the Canadian students at Harvard side with the rest of the student body in condemning McGill's action. The Canadians, however, hope that some satisfactory settlement may be reached for the annual McGill-Harvard hockey game.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

There will be no change in the line-up of the Hamilton Hockey Club's team at St. Catharines this evening, the same five Tigers who got a majority of 9 goals against St. Kitts, will be in line. Manager Ripley says he has two other players who are on edge and are good enough to be on the team, but he doesn't like to make a change, for fear of affecting the combination of the yellow and black. He anticipates that St. Catharines' team will be strengthened for this evening's game. The team will have a special car on the express leaving the Stuart Street Station at 5 o'clock.

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VISITED BRANTFORD

Ninety-first Officers Won Indoor Baseball Game.

There were doings in Brantford on Saturday afternoon and night, and the cause of it all was the visit of the 91st officers to the mess of the 38th officers, of that city. The Hamilton boys were given a royal time, the best of everything being served to them.

In the evening there was a slugging match which was termed indoor baseball, but the officers refuse to term it as such. The Hamilton boys went out by a margin of seven runs, the score at full time being 47 to 40. The batteries for the 38th were Ashton and Newman, and for the 91st, Millen and Bruce. There was all kinds of good fun at the conclusion of the game. Some of the local officers stayed over until Sunday night.

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In this race Cody jumped out in front and defeated Barlow at the rope. The competitors finished in a bunch. One mile, junior—1, W. G. Sutherland, Bradford Lacrosse Club; 2, Robert McKay, Central Skating Club; 3, Harry Cody, Grand Central Skating Club; 2, Ed. Roe, West-end Y.M.C.A.; 3, J. Legg, West-end Y.M.C.A. Time, 7:33:25.

This ended the day's sport. The officials were: Referee, A. D. Fisher; starter, James Pearson; judges, Francis Nelson, Murdoch Macdonald; timers, S. P. Grant, J. H. Cocker, James Stevenson; clerk of the course, W. G. McClelland; assistant clerks of the course, James Brydon, W. Forgie; scorer, Burt Darling; inspectors, C. J. Atkinson; announcer, W. Scott.

THREE RACES FOR LOT ROE. Cleveland, O., Feb. 8.—The results of the National Skating Championship tests at the Elysium Rink here to-night were as follows: Two miles, final—Lot Roe, Toronto, won; A. Anderson, Chicago, 2nd. One mile, match race, 16-year-old championship Ohio and Pennsylvania—Arthur Ross, Cleveland, defeated W. J. Schwab, Pittsburgh. Time, 3:06:45. One mile, final—Lot Roe, Toronto, won; Fred Robson, Toronto, 2nd. Time, 2:57:25. Half-mile, final—Lot Roe, Toronto, won; Fred Robson, Toronto, 2nd; Con Hefferman, Toronto, 3rd. Time, 1:30:15.

BASKETBALL HERE TO-NIGHT.

The game of basketball to-night to be played at Alexandra rink between Toronto Centrals and Hamilton Y. M. C. A. promises to be a good one. Both teams are in good shape and expect a hard game. The management is putting in a few more seats, so that every one will run good chances of having a seat. Skating will start at 7:15 instead of 7:30. This will enable the skaters to have nearly two hours' skating. The game will be called at 9:15 sharp. Mr. F. J. Smith, of Toronto, will umpire. The management advises all who intend to go to secure their tickets during the day, as no doubt there will be a rush at the box office. Tickets are now on sale at the rink, five, Alexandra rink. The line-up will be as follows:

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ALL WANT TO BE BEATEN? Manager Long, of the local basketball team, has received within the past few days several offers of games. The National A. C., of New York, is anxious to play here on February 28. The club made a trip across the continent some time ago, winning 24 out of 27 games. The High School team of Tonawanda and the Eldridge Bicycle B. C., of Toronto, want a game here on March 16, and the Tonawanda High School and the Tonawanda Y. M. C. A. desire to play here at an earlier date.

SCHOOL BOYS' RIFLE CLUBS.

Schoolboy rifle practice has made such strides in the last few months that those most interested in the movement expect that by spring there will be a large number of clubs organized and hundreds of schoolboys practising on the ranges, says a Washington paper. Inaugurated about a year ago in New York city, under the auspices of the Public Schools Athletic League, the undertaking has the hearty support and backing of the National Rifle Association, the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice and the War Department. All have recommended to Congress an appropriation of \$100,000 for arms, ammunition and prizes and the expense of conducting contests open only to schoolboys or students of colleges and universities on the order of the one recently held in New York city.

The average boy takes to a gun like a duck to water, an inheritance in most instances from his liberty loving forefathers, to whom the knowledge of firearms was often a necessity. Restrictions imposed by city authorities on the use of firearms and the disappearance of small game from the adjoining country have hitherto prevented many a youth from gratifying his love of this sport, at least until he became old enough to travel some distance after game or to join the militia or a man's rifle club. As a result, where one youth becomes proficient in the art of marksmanship a hundred grow up without ever having more experience than that picked up from the use of an airgun or a sparrow rifle, obtained surreptitiously from some neighbor.

OVER CHRIS' COURSE.

over which Christopher Columbus sailed on the first stage of his voyage to the new world, has been arranged for next summer by the yachtmen of Spain, according to advices received here by the members of the Eastern Yacht Club. It is planned to send the contestants away on August 3rd next, the 416th anniversary of the sailing of Columbus, and to have a start as near the point as possible from which the Santa Maria,

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One mile, senior—1, T. J. Ferguson, Broadview Skating Club; 2, Harry Cody, Grand Central Skating Rink; 3, John Roe, West-end Y.M.C.A. Time, 3:24:25. 440 yards, senior—1, Harry Cody, Grand Central Skating Club; 2, Frank L. Barlow, unattached; 3, J. Legg, West-end Y.M.C.A. Time, 45.

In this race Cody jumped out in front and defeated Barlow at the rope. The competitors finished in a bunch. One mile, junior—1, W. G. Sutherland, Bradford Lacrosse Club; 2, Robert McKay, Central Skating Club; 3, Harry Cody, Grand Central Skating Club; 2, Ed. Roe, West-end Y.M.C.A.; 3, J. Legg, West-end Y.M.C.A. Time, 7:33:25.

This ended the day's sport. The officials were: Referee, A. D. Fisher; starter, James Pearson; judges, Francis Nelson, Murdoch Macdonald; timers, S. P. Grant, J. H. Cocker, James Stevenson; clerk of the course, W. G. McClelland; assistant clerks of the course, James Brydon, W. Forgie; scorer, Burt Darling; inspectors, C. J. Atkinson; announcer, W. Scott.

THREE RACES FOR LOT ROE. Cleveland, O., Feb. 8.—The results of the National Skating Championship tests at the Elysium Rink here to-night were as follows: Two miles, final—Lot Roe, Toronto, won; A. Anderson, Chicago, 2nd. One mile, match race, 16-year-old championship Ohio and Pennsylvania—Arthur Ross, Cleveland, defeated W. J. Schwab, Pittsburgh. Time, 3:06:45. One mile, final—Lot Roe, Toronto, won; Fred Robson, Toronto, 2nd. Time, 2:57:25. Half-mile, final—Lot Roe, Toronto, won; Fred Robson, Toronto, 2nd; Con Hefferman, Toronto, 3rd. Time, 1:30:15.

BASKETBALL HERE TO-NIGHT.

The game of basketball to-night to be played at Alexandra rink between Toronto Centrals and Hamilton Y. M. C. A. promises to be a good one. Both teams are in good shape and expect a hard game. The management is putting in a few more seats, so that every one will run good chances of having a seat. Skating will start at 7:15 instead of 7:30. This will enable the skaters to have nearly two hours' skating. The game will be called at 9:15 sharp. Mr. F. J. Smith, of Toronto, will umpire. The management advises all who intend to go to secure their tickets during the day, as no doubt there will be a rush at the box office. Tickets are now on sale at the rink, five, Alexandra rink. The line-up will be as follows:

Toronto. Forwards. Hamilton. Jardine ... Smith ... Powell ... Centre. ... Harding ... Defence. Sautler ... McKeown ... Henderson ... Madegson ... Hargenson is putting on a walking potato race and a living croquet. These two games should be interesting and amusing.

ALL WANT TO BE BEATEN? Manager Long, of the local basketball team, has received within the past few days several offers of games. The National A. C., of New York, is anxious to play here on February 28. The club made a trip across the continent some time ago, winning 24 out of 27 games. The High School team of Tonawanda and the Eldridge Bicycle B. C., of Toronto, want a game here on March 16, and the Tonawanda High School and the Tonawanda Y. M. C. A. desire to play here at an earlier date.

SCHOOL BOYS' RIFLE CLUBS.

Schoolboy rifle practice has made such strides in the last few months that those most interested in the movement expect that by spring there will be a large number of clubs organized and hundreds of schoolboys practising on the ranges, says a Washington paper. Inaugurated about a year ago in New York city, under the auspices of the Public Schools Athletic League, the undertaking has the hearty support and backing of the National Rifle Association, the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice and the War Department. All have recommended to Congress an appropriation of \$100,000 for arms, ammunition and prizes and the expense of conducting contests open only to schoolboys or students of colleges and universities on the order of the one recently held in New York city.

The average boy takes to a gun like a duck to water, an inheritance in most instances from his liberty loving forefathers, to whom the knowledge of firearms was often a necessity. Restrictions imposed by city authorities on the use of firearms and the disappearance of small game from the adjoining country have hitherto prevented many a youth from gratifying his love of this sport, at least until he became old enough to travel some distance after game or to join the militia or a man's rifle club. As a result, where one youth becomes proficient in the art of marksmanship a hundred grow up without ever having more experience than that picked up from the use of an airgun or a sparrow rifle, obtained surreptitiously from some neighbor.

OVER CHRIS' COURSE.

over which Christopher Columbus sailed on the first stage of his voyage to the new world, has been arranged for next summer by the yachtmen of Spain, according to advices received here by the members of the Eastern Yacht Club. It is planned to send the contestants away on August 3rd next, the 416th anniversary of the sailing of Columbus, and to have a start as near the point as possible from which the Santa Maria,

AT ICE MEET.

Lady May Beat Jack McEwan in Free-in-all.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The feature of yesterday's ice races was the free-for-all, in which Lady May won from Nat Ray's John McEwan, in four of the fastest heats ever trotted or paced on a half-mile track on ice in the world. The following are the results: Named race, purse \$500, unfinished—Johnny, b.g., Hunt & Coulter, Brantford ... 2 1 2 3 Little Sandy, b.g., C. Garrow, jun., Pembroke ... 1 2 3 5 Jude, b.g., John Murphy, Canton, N. Y. ... 5 3 1 2 Peter Miller, b.g., B. Stevens, North Bay ... 5 5 4 1 Gipsy Girl, g.m., J. McDowell, Toronto ... 4 4 5 4 Time—2:22 1/4, 2:22 3/4, 2:22, 2:26. 2:28 pace, unfinished, purse \$500—Anita, blk.m., F. Matty, Syracuse ... 1 1 2 1 City Queen, hm., L. Bennett, Port Hope ... 2 2 1 2 Honest Billee, b.g., W. G. Gilks, Barrie ... 3 3 3 3 Dock Dash, Jennie B., Bessie Girl also started. Time—2:22 1/4, 2:25, 2:22 1/2, 2:21 3/4. Free-for-all stakes, \$1,000—Lady May, b.g., Burns & Sheppard, Toronto ... 4 1 1 1 John McEwan, b.g., Nat Ray, Toronto ... 1 2 2 2 Miss Syracuse, b.g., Frank Matty, Syracuse, N. Y. ... 5 3 3 5 Davy K., b.g., A. Brown, Leamington ... 2 4 5 3 Darcy, blk.g., A. Proctor, Newmarket ... 3 5 4 4 Time—2:19 1/4, 2:18 3/4, 2:17 1/2, 2:19.

NEW HONESTY'S HANDICAP. New Orleans, Feb. 9.—The New St. Charles Hotel Handicap, worth about \$1,500 to the winner, was won at the Fair Grounds yesterday by Old Honesty, at 15 to 1. Tamace and Yankee Girl, coupled in the betting at 4 to 5, were looked on to sweep the honors of the race between them, but Old Honesty got such a start that they never caught him. At the finish he led by half a length, with Yankee Girl gaining rapidly. Gold Proof, at 13 to 5, won the third race through the disqualification of Top Beach for fouling. In the stretch Top Beach slipped in between Gold Proof and the favorite, John Carroll, shutting the latter off, and led by a length at the finish. John Carroll got second place by order of the judges. Weather clear, track fast.

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bury of this city, has sold Sweet Marie, the famous trotter, to A. F. Bradley, of Redbank, N. J., owner of Major Delmar, 1:59 1/4. The price paid by Mr. Bradley for the mare was not announced. The transaction was consummated on Saturday, and the mare will be shipped to New Jersey at once. The Niagara Jockey Club, commencing on March 1, or as nearly after that date as the weather will permit, will commence the rebuilding of the Fort Erie race course. The improvements, due to the lumber has been ordered from Northern Ontario firms. Canadian contractors will be asked to bid for the work next week and everything will be rushed through in time for the summer meeting. The annual meeting of the Hamilton Rowing Club will be held in Powis' gymnasium next Friday night. Irrigation for Africa. Herr Schmick, of Darmstadt, an official of the Hessian Ministry of Irrigation and Waterways, has been deputized by Herr Dernburg, the German Colonial Minister, to travel in certain parts of the German African colonies with a view to the development of the irrigation system. The fellow who makes money can afford not to be a genius.

Hamilton Curlers Defeated Parkdale Rinks on Saturday. The Hamilton Thistles defeated Parkdale here Saturday in a friendly



DELAY IS NETTLING SOME OF ALDERMEN

(Continued from page 1.)

storm hits the city before a thaw it will take considerable money to clean the streets.

Building permits were issued today to Milton Pyrom for a brick cottage on Stanley avenue between Locke and Garth streets, to cost \$12,000, and to Alfred Smees for a frame house on Stirling avenue, near Cannon street, for A. Frewing, to cost \$14,000.

The House of Refuge Committee will meet to-morrow night to strike the estimates for the year.

Mayor Stewart announced today that so far \$2,200 had been placed in the bank to the credit of the fund for the Sick Children's Hospital.

Some of the aldermen think that if the city had a public auditorium such as the Mayor suggests it would afford an opportunity of booming Hamilton as a convention city. At present, they say, there is no place available at any time for large sized conventions.

A case in the east end that has been under suspicion for some time has been pronounced smallpox by Dr. Roberts. The patient is an alderman's daughter.

The quarantine has been raised on 22 Oak avenue and 110 Sanford avenue north.

IS APPRECIATED.

Frost Wire Fence People Make Presentations.

That it is hard to part when friends are dear was the experience of Miss M. Sexton last Saturday when in recognition of her faithful services as book-keeper for the Frost Wire Fence Co. during the past ten years, she was waited upon at the noon hour by the management and staff and presented with a handsome cabinet of silver by the former and a beautiful French clock by the latter, as a slight token of their appreciation in view of her being about to sever her connection with the company to enter upon that sphere of life towards which most few minds look forward with happy anticipation. Mr. H. L. Frost, manager, in making the presentation, spoke feelingly of the sterling worth of the recipient and of her loyal and faithful services to the company. The increased duties incident to the rapid expansion of the company's business had all been most faithfully performed, and while the company were very sorry to have to part with her, they could not under the circumstances be selfish enough to ask her to stay. Miss Sexton was visibly affected by such tangible expressions of the good feeling of her fellow employees, and of the management, and in a few broken words assured them that it was heartily reciprocated and that only a future such as she was about to enter could induce her to give up such a satisfactory position as hers had been from her own standpoint. With three rousing cheers from all present and best wishes for a happy future in her new sphere, the happy incident was brought to a close.

In the evening the office staff gathered at the home of Manager H. L. Frost to wish their departing friend bon-voyage on life's matrimonial sea. Numerous incomplete imitations, based on the step she was taking, brought forth some very humorous fifth lines, and provoked much laughter at the expense of the bride-to-be. However, she accepted them with good grace, appreciating the spirit in which they were made, and after lunch was served she was encircled by all present, while they drank her health. With further good wishes, the happy gathering dispersed, as the brain work on the limberick had caused the time to pass very swiftly, and it was getting well on to Sunday morning. The other young ladies of the staff were humorously admonished by the manager not to be so affected by Leap year, as that all should take the same step at once, as he feared it would somewhat disorganize the business.

TRAINS COLLIDE.

Train Hands and Passengers More or Less Injured.

Port Colborne, Feb. 10.—No. 39 express from Buffalo, due here at 8 a.m. collided with a through stock train from the west, which was standing on the main track in Port Colborne yard. Several cars with the engine were derailed. Conductor Buchanan of the express had a shoulder and his back bruised. Expressman Williamson and baggage-man Stewart were badly shaken up and several passengers were slightly injured as follows: Mrs. H. Prediman, of Buffalo, back injured; D. Hyman, Niagara Hotel, Buffalo, shoulder bruised; C. E. Clifford, Buffalo, right hip injured; Geo. Weyand, Buffalo, right wrist cut; W. Tallman, Buffalo, left knee injured; L. Constable, Buffalo, back injured; Mrs. Dell Rideway, knee injured. The morning was hazy. The Auxiliary from Bridgeburg cleared away the wreckage.

Saturday and Monday Fralick & Co.

Will sell men's \$55 fur-lined overcoats for \$43.50; John B. Stetson's \$5 hats at \$2.99; men's \$15 suits at \$8.98; men's \$7 overcoats at \$3.99; men's \$18 overcoats at \$12.98; men's \$25 suits at \$13.99; 65c remainder suits at 30c; \$5 boys' overcoats at \$2.75. We are making a special clearance. Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.

RAILWAY BILLS.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—Bills are being promoted by the Hamilton & Canada Central Railway and the Canada Central Railway Company for extension of time for the completion of these works.

Upton's Marmalade.

There is a fine display of Upton's pure orange marmalade at Stanley Mills & Co's Home Industry Week section in the basement of the big store. A 5-lb pail sells for 45 cents, and it is pure, wholesome and appetizing. Upton's marmalade has a great sale everywhere. There are many, but the pure ingredients used in its manufacture. Try it.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—St. James' Presbyterian Church will hold its anniversary tea this evening.

—Mr. C. E. Burkholder, barrister, is back at his office after his illness.

—Mr. M. Fitzpatrick, of Vancouver, Wash., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jennie Baxter, West avenue south.

—Miss Enid Hendrie, Hamilton, and Miss Stikeman, Montreal, are staying for a few days with Mrs. Hay, St. George street, Toronto.

—Miss Gwyn, of Dundas, assisted Mrs. E. B. Osler, who, with Mrs. Sweeney and Mrs. Ramsay Wright, was in charge of a tea given at the Canadian Art Club rooms, Toronto, on Saturday.

—Miss Dorothy Yeates acted as organist in Centenary Church yesterday during the absence of W. H. Hewlett in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. Mr. Hewlett is taking part in dedicatory services of the new St. Andrew's Church in that town.

A farmer's horse died at the head of the Jolley Cut on Saturday afternoon, while being driven home. It had ate too much oats while down town. An effort was made to relieve it by pushing a broom handle down its throat, but it was not successful.

—Mr. Charles W. Bell, President of the newly-organized Hamilton branch of the Dickens Fellowship, was one of the guests of the evening on Saturday at the Dickens banquet in Toronto. The Toronto branch is now the largest in the world, having a paid membership of 800.

—You can get any quantity of the colored shirts at waugh's, selling at thirty-nine cents, regular price one dollar, and one twenty-five, one customer took thirteen last Saturday. Any quantity while they last, not many dozens left, hurry if you want them, waugh's, post-office opposite.

TO-NIGHT'S BATTLE.

Tommy Burns Has Seven Pounds the Better of Palmer.

London, Eng., Feb. 10.—Tommy Burns, the world's champion heavyweight pugilist, and Jack Palmer, of Newcastle, will enter the ring at 10 o'clock to-night to battle for the heavyweight championship. The fight will take place at Wonderland, a big music hall on the east side. Wonderland has a seating capacity nearly exceeding that of the National Sporting Club, and it is expected that the audience to-night will be a record one. It will be somewhat different from that ordinarily seen at Wonderland, for the prices of seats have been fixed at a figure that will attract only best side lovers of sport.

The Canadian will enter the ring at 175 pounds, while Palmer will weigh in at 178.

Palmer is considered a somewhat better fighter than "Gunner" Moir.

[The fight will start about 5.30 Canadian time.—Sporting Editor.]

The Y. M. C. A. junior intermediate team played the most exciting game that has been played for years in Niagara Falls on Saturday. At half time the score stood 20 to 23 in favor of the Hamilton boys. The crowd was very enthusiastic and tried hard to cheer their boys on to victory. At the close of the game the score stood 51 all, which was left a draw. The Hamilton line-up was: A. Dixon, G. Wright, H. Burrow, C. Woods, H. Thompson, G. McFarren, Niagara Falls, and J. Dearness, Hamilton, officiated.

ICE CUTTERS HAPPY.

Old Fashioned Winter in Pennsylvania Makes Work.

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—The extreme cold weather which set in about ten days ago in Eastern Pennsylvania still prevails, the temperature in many places falling below the minimum of years. Country districts report a regular "old fashioned" winter, with ice twelve to 16 inches thick, and snow in many places two feet deep. Pottsville to-day reports minimum temperature of 7 degrees below zero and Reading also experienced zero weather.

Ice men who, up to the middle of January, feared an ice famine because of the mild weather have been made happy by the cold weather. Hundreds of men who had been idle all winter are given employment handling the ice.

PAYING GOOD WAGES.

To the Editor of the Times:—Sir, In Saturday's evening's paper, there was a report of a meeting of the Trade and Labor Council, which stated, that some of the ice dealers came in for some severe criticism for employing foreigners at 90c per day, instead of paying a fair living wage. Now, as there were only two dealers working, W. A. Cary and myself, and the plural is used, I naturally suppose I came in for some of the criticism. What I am saying and have been saying since the start, last Monday, is, men on the field and in the house, \$2 per day; teams, \$4.50 per day. Certainly living wages, I think it would be a much better policy for the Trades & Labor Council to investigate such rumors before they start throwing mud. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I remain, Yours truly, J. F. Mahony, Ice dealer.

HAMILTON, FEB. 11, 1908.

ST. PETER'S HOME.

Following Christmas donations were inadvertently omitted in list published: Mrs. Thos. Geoghegan, goose and potatoes; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lamb, 100 lbs. tobacco; Raymond Haskins, wine; McJoseph Raynor, \$1.

The Board of Trustees also gratefully acknowledge the receipt of \$400 from the executors of the estate of the late William Hendrie. The King's Daughters are likewise thanked for entertainment and presents.

TO UNSEAT ALDERMEN.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Two warrants proceeding to unseat the aldermen who voted for license reduction were taken out at Osgoode Hall this morning.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Fair and milder to-day and on Tuesday.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries:

Table with columns: Location, Temperature, 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

WEATHER NOTES.

The severe cold wave which was entered over Lake Superior on Saturday morning has since moved slowly south-eastward to the New England and middle Atlantic coasts. The weather over the continent is now everywhere moderating, and there is no immediate prospect of a return to extreme cold.

The following is the temperature as registered at Parke & Parke's drug store:

9 a. m., 12; 12 noon, 26; 2 p. m., 32. Lowest in 24 hours, 2.

THIS DATE LAST YEAR.

Westerly winds, and comparatively mild.

Markets and Finance.

Toronto, Feb. 10, noon. (Received by A. E. Carpenter.)

Table with columns: Location, Sellers, Buyers.

KING'S THROAT SORE

His Majesty Gone to Brighten For His Health.

London, Feb. 10.—King Edward went to Brighton to-day for a change of air. His Majesty has suffered considerably from sore throat recently, and his trouble has entailed sleepless nights. Sir Felix Semon, physician extraordinary to the King, has been in attendance on his Majesty.

NEGRO HANGED.

Mob of Two Thousand Took Him From Military.

Brookhaven, Miss., Feb. 10.—Eli Pigot, a negro, who criminally assaulted Miss Wells in this county a few weeks ago, was taken from the custody of a Jackson military company and a posse of deputies and hanged early to-day. The military company was overpowered by a mob of over 2,000 citizens. A number of shots were fired and two members of the mob were wounded.

RAILROADER DEAD.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.—Robt. Quinn, 65 years old, who had been for the past 37 years actively engaged in the railway business, died here on Sunday. During much of that time he held high positions with the Northern and North Western and the Grand Trunk, being tariff manager for the latter road for eight years with offices in Liverpool. The funeral will be held in Toronto.

Steamship Arrivals.

Table with columns: Date, Ship, From, To.

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NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

BIRTHS

HEMING—On Sunday, 9th February, 1908, at 225 Hess Street South, to the wife of Chas. W. Heming, a daughter. (Still born.)

RUSSELL—February 9, 1908, at the residence of her son-in-law, H. Kartmark, Mount Hamilton, Westwood Street, Mary Ann Russell, relict of the late Thomas Russell, Stoney Creek, in her 82nd year.

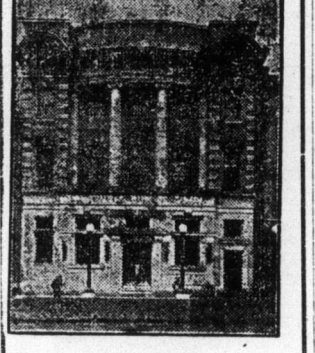
FUNERAL—On Wednesday, 2 p. m. at the Stoney Creek Methodist Church, then to Stoney Creek Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

VIVIAN—In this city on Saturday, February 8th, 1908, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George Almas, 46 Leavelle Street, Mrs. David Vivian, in her 72nd year.

FUNERAL from her late residence, Killbuck, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. to the Methodist Cemetery.

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AMUSEMENTS

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WEDNESDAY Afternoon—Prof. Lemas' band. 3c to all. Evening—Our Leap year season. 18 skating numbers. Fine programme.

THURSDAY EVENING Grand illuminated candle race for genies. Enter now. Valuable prize to winner.

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