

COAL DRIVER HAD NARROW ESCAPE HORSE KILLED BY YARD ENGINE

George Lampman, of 749 Grey St., Employed by W. Heaman & Son, Had Close Call From Terrible Death on Burwell St.—A Very Dangerous Crossing.

A fatal accident was averted in the narrowest possible kind of a manner yesterday at Burwell street.

As it was a valuable horse belonging to William Heaman & Son, coal dealers, was killed, and its driver only escaped with his life.

George Lampman, 749 Grey street, was driving a coal wagon for the firm on Burwell street yesterday afternoon about 5:45, when the accident occurred. He was right on the G. T. R. crossing before he noticed a shunting engine and car, which was almost on top of him.

He reined in his horse, and tried to back it out of harm's way.

Horse Was Killed.

The horse, however, was struck squarely by the car and killed almost instantly. The driver was thrown from his seat by the force of the impact, but was uninjured. The wagon was twisted around, but beyond the breaking of the shafts, was undamaged. The crossing at this point is most dangerous, and Lampman's escape from death was miraculous.

SOUTH POLE SHACKLETON SAYS CANADA IS THE BEST OF ALL

World Famous Explorer in London Today—Was Interviewed by Advertiser—Announces He Will Make His Home in This Country—Americans Are Getting Too Great a Hold of Canada's Wealth.

Few people who were in the Grand Trunk lunch room at 1:45 this afternoon had any idea that the tall, heavily built young man, with the bronzed face and the clear blue eyes, who was "getting outside" of a dish of preserved peaches and as quickly as possible, was Sir Ernest Shackleton, the hero of the South Pole expedition last year.

"I am afraid I am in an awfully bad humor," he said as the Advertiser approached him. "That is," he added with a slight smile, "for a good interview."

First Canadian Trip.

"Yes, this is my first trip through Canada," he said, in answer to a

question, "and I must say I am more favorably impressed with it all the time. I am determined now to make my home here in the future. That's how well I like it. This is the coming country. Of course I want to see it all before I make up my mind where I shall settle. I am particularly anxious to explore Northern Ontario, and the Hudson Bay country. Next year I hope to go right through Northern Canada on an exploring trip and visit the Yukon and all that district."

Speaks of Americans.

"It seems to me too bad that Canada is letting the Americans get such Continued on Page Eleven.

UNIVERSITY MUST TAKE OVER THE WESTERN MEDICAL COLLEGE

This Is Mayor Beattie's Opinion—Dr. Eccles Is Not Quite So Certain on the Point—Medical School Men Are Awaiting More Light on What Is Wanted.

The deputation that interviewed Sir James Whitney yesterday relative to a grant for the Western University, returned home last night confident that the Government will give aid to the institution. The conference was very satisfactory from every standpoint, and good results are anticipated.

"It is only a question of the amount and the best way of expending it," declared Mayor Beattie. "I feel satisfied that Sir James will do something for the university, and the deputation returned quite pleased with the result of the visit."

"We had a long conference with the Premier, and we thoroughly canvassed the whole situation. He was very reasonable and listened to our arguments patiently."

The Medical College.

"We will have to place the Medical College, I think, absolutely under the control of the Western. We will have to take over their property, and place it under the disposition of the Western. If the Government would turn over the college to the Western, we could give us \$15,000 a year to operate it, and pay us say \$120 or even \$100 per capita for students, our way would be very clear. That, in brief, was our demand, but we may take less per capita than the sum above mentioned."

Quite Satisfied.

"I am quite satisfied, and am more hopeful of Government aid for the Western than for some time."

"While Sir James Whitney did not make any definite promise, the impression on my mind was that our request would be favorably considered by him," said Bishop Williams, one of the deputation.

The other members of the deputation expressed themselves as well pleased, and are hopeful that something definite will be announced soon.

Awaiting Details.

The Medical College men are not in possession of the details of the proposed purchase, and none of them will make a definite statement as to what would constitute a complete taking over of the faculty of medicine.

"We are now a part of the university," said Dr. Eccles, "for years we have worked and toiled, in face of discouragement and lack of sympathy, until we have now built up a medical school which is today the pride of the Western, and is also doing a work recognized all over the Dominion. We have made a complete success of the medical part of the Western."

A Question.

"Now there is a question as to whether or not it would be wise to hand over the medical part completely to the other part of the Western. There are many things to consider—a wealth of detail as to the powers of the faculty, their appointment, their duties, their authority, and many other details quite bewildering in number."

"Of course, the suggestion to take over the Medical School strikes the popular fancy, but it is so involved with so many details that it is not until I know just exactly what is meant. We are now part and parcel of the Western, and have been for years the only successful end of the Western. Whether or not it would be wise to turn over the school entirely to those who have not made a striking success so far of the other end of the Western, is a question. Let us get together, and make the university a success from every standpoint. As I said before, we have no information as to what is wanted, and should be done."

RAILWAY SUBSIDIES TOTAL 20,000,000

Passed by Jaded Commons This Morning Without a Discussion.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, April 30.—With a bare quorum present a jaded Commons this morning automatically put through the railway subsidies for the year as provided for in the resolution brought down by Hon. George P. Graham last week. There was practically no discussion. The subsidies provided for total about \$20,000,000. But, of course, only a portion of this will be earned this year. There are no new subsidies, the list being simply renewals of subsidies provided for since 1906 and hitherto unearned.

FINE FOR PARIS.

Paris, April 30.—The astronomical society announces that Halley's comet is now visible in Paris between 3:15 and 3:50 a.m. Its form is that of a clouded star.

WOODSTOCK DOGS TO BE LOCKED UP

When Exercised Must Be Chained and in Somebody's Charge.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodstock, April 30.—The Woodstock board of health has now ordered that all dogs in the city must be kept under lock and key, and only exercised on a chain, muzzled, and in charge of a competent person. A dog catcher has been appointed. All dogs in the city suspected of coming in contact with Shaw's mad dog have been destroyed, with numerous others. A dog at Hickson, bitten on the neck by a strange dog some time ago, started to act peculiarly yesterday and was promptly shot.

EDEN MUSEE SOLD.

New York, April 30.—The Eden Musee, the best-known museum of wax figures in America, passed from the ownership of the David Dowd estate today, in whose hands it has been for more than a generation, to an owner whose name is withheld. Neither was the price given out, but it is understood to be about \$250,000.



NORMAN S. B. GRAS, London Student, Who Again Distinguished Himself at Harvard University.

LONDON PASTORS RESENT REMARKS

Herbert Booth Said Last Night That Local Churches Are Asleep.

GOOD WORK BEING DONE

Despite Wild Statements of Evangelist, Said Rev. Dr. Ross — It's Unfair, Said Canon Hague.

Herbert Booth preached his greatest sermon last night to a large audience in the First Methodist Church, and at the conclusion ten people went forward to the altar.

Mr. Booth said: "Do you want to understand Jesus, before you accept him? You are like the man who wants the whole ocean in a teacup. How can you, with your little brain, expect to understand all about Christ?"

"He comes to bring peace through war. He turns out the devil and brings peace to the soul."

War to the Knife.

"The church may play its cards and hide while Rome is burning, and call the battle off; but between God and sin there is war to the knife, which can only end in one way, and that is the utter destruction of sin."

Mr. Booth accused the London churches of being asleep. His words in this regard were strong.

"If I were to stay here two weeks longer, I would preach to the church here for it is asleep. I can tell you that by the way you act."

What Mr. Booth Meant.

Mr. Booth's accusation has created no little comment among the clergy and church members of the city.

Rev. Richard Whiting, of the First Methodist Church, said today that he was at the meeting, and thought Mr. Booth meant that the people who were at the meeting were asleep, because they would not take as aggressive steps as the speaker wished them to. "As far as our church is concerned," he said, "we have as fine a body of workers as there is in Canada. They are not asleep by any means."

Remarks Resented.

"Remarks of that sort do not do any good," said Rev. J. G. Inker, of the First Presbyterian Church. "I think London is not the only place where the church is asleep. It is asleep in Old London, too."

"If Mr. Booth says that regarding the Talbot Street Baptist Church," said Rev. A. J. Vining, "we resent it. There is no church in the city that is off more wide awake. We are as busy as bees. I cannot speak for the other churches in the city, but that is what I would say for our own church."

Rev. A. K. Birk, of Astin Street Methodist Church, "I thought Mr. Booth meant the church people were not sufficiently energetic in the matter of religious work. There is always room for a little more activity in this respect."

Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's, "Evangelists are given to making wild statements. I do not see how it is coming into the city for a few days in a position to judge of what is being done here. There is a good deal of quiet, persistent church work in London. Just as much as in any other city. We do not rush to boom things though like evangelists do."

Says It's Unfair.

Canon Dixon, of the Memorial Church, "It is not fair to say that the church is asleep in the sense that it is doing nothing. There is a great amount of good work being done. On the other hand none of us are in the full flood of enthusiasm and doing everything that we might do."

MISS GUINEVERE WEEKES CAPTURED FIRST PRIZE

Wrote Best Essay in Collegiate Institute on Made-in-London Exhibition.

Miss Guinevere Weekes, Form Lower VIII, Collegiate Institute, won the prize donated by Mrs. Adam for the best essay on the "Made-in-London" exhibition, submitted by a Collegiate pupil.

The awards were made this morning by Inspector Edwards, Principal Radcliffe, and Principal McCutcheon, who were the final committee of award.

Miss Marjorie Plawford, of the Upper School, won the second prize, donated by Mr. W. W. Gammage.

The committee of award offered a third prize, and it was presented to Frank Gahan, of the Upper School.

The fourth prize, given by Principal McCutcheon, was presented to Miss Kathleen Dudley, Form Middle I.

"The essays were good," said Mr. McCutcheon. "The competition for the prize was very keen."

Minister of Surpluses

London, April 30.—An article on Fielding by "M" appears in the National Review. It says that Fielding is the essential business man. The article deals mainly with the financial career of the "Minister of Surpluses," and gives him credit for taking the first practical step toward the policy of preference, one of the greatest strokes of imperial statesmanship the world has seen. "M" concludes that there is ample ground for confidence in the reflection that Fielding is not to be bullied by Germany, the United States, or any other country. He has not hitherto forgotten while furthering Canadian interests that he is also a statesman of the whole British Empire.

ALLIANCE WILL APPEAL TO THE DOMINION RAILWAY BOARD

It Is Understood That the Attorney-General of Ontario Refused to Interfere With the Operation of Sunday Cars to Port Stanley—Rev. J. G. Stuart Tells What May Be Done by Sabbatarians.

The Lord's Day Alliance will appeal to the Dominion Railway Commission when that body holds a session in London.

They will ask the commission to define the rights of the London and Lake Erie Company to operate cars to Port Stanley on the Lord's Day, and if they have the right to run cars, what limitations should be placed on the schedule.

It may be some time yet before the commission comes to London. The question of track elevation is practically a dead issue for some time yet. There are no other questions, except, perhaps, the matter of a watchman at the Grey street crossing of the Pere Marquette, that would bring the commission to this city.

An early appeal consequently looks somewhat out of the question, although circumstances may arise that will make it possible to bring this matter to the attention of the board earlier than anticipated.

Saw the Attorney-General.

It is understood that the deputation to Toronto secured the opinion of Attorney-General Foy's department as to the right the alliance would have to make an appeal to the courts for an injunction of the Lord's Day act.

Hopeful For Limited Service.

A number of the members of the alliance did not appear optimistic as to the results of their efforts. It was pointed out that the alliance made a direct appeal to the House of Commons to have a clause inserted to prevent the operation of Sunday cars. This the House refused to do, and they consider it far from likely that the commission will do what the House refused to do.

Others are hopeful that a limited car service will be secured, and this will prevent the company making a financial success of the venture, and they will then abandon the cars.

No date for the next meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance has been set, but it is considered probable that they will get together some day next week.

WHITE PLAGUE'S AWFUL TOLL LOCAL STATISTICS STARTLING

Nine Deaths From Tuberculosis Were Recorded in April—For the Four Months Just Ended There Were 18 Less Births, 25 More Marriages and 89 More Deaths.

The white plague is exacting an awful toll for 1910.

The high-water mark in deaths for a single month was reached in April of this year. No less than nine deaths from this disease were recorded during the month now closing. This is the largest number for any one month in many years. The total for the first four months of the year is now 24 deaths, as compared with ten for the same period of last year.

The total deaths last year from tuberculosis numbered 32, so that with only one-third of the year gone, 1910 has almost reached that figure.

Sixty Deaths in Month.

There were 60 deaths recorded during the month. Of these 18 were above the allotted span of three score years and ten.

Mrs. Sarah McCully was the oldest, having reached 101 years, and Mr. Daniel Deacon was 93 years of age.

Three of the deaths recorded were due to pneumonia, three to cancer, one to diphtheria and one to scarlet fever.

Four were due to accidents, and there were eight children among the number.

Last year April showed 62 deaths, so the number was slightly less than usual.

A Slump in Births.

There was a considerable slump in births, and the stock apparently was not a very busy bird. There were 75 births recorded, as compared with 85 for the same month of 1909.

The number of marriages was approximately the same. Thirty-four were recorded with City Clerk Baker, just three less than in 1909.

For the Four Months.

For the first four months of the year 314 births have been recorded, with 135 marriages and 264 deaths.

For the same period of 1909 there were 332 births, 110 marriages and 225 deaths. Thus there were 18 less births, 25 more marriages and 89 more deaths.

GRAVE DANGER FROM CORNWALL FIRE RUINS

Heavy Winds May Bring the Walls Down on the Streets.

[G.N.W. Dispatch.]

Cornwall, April 30.—The town council had a special meeting this morning to consider the advisability of tearing down the remaining walls of the Bessemer No. 2, and has been identified as that of Gene Wood, of Port Dalhousie, chief engineer of the ill-fated watch and chain, and other personal effects, were identified by his two sisters, who came here from Port Dalhousie yesterday to view the first body found, which is yet unclaimed. Mr. Wood's remains will be shipped to Port Dalhousie this afternoon.

HUSBAND MURDERS HIS WIFE IN PRESENCE OF CHILDREN

Smith's Falls Man Chokes His Wife to Death Following Quarrel and Boasts of Having Done a Good Job.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

Smith's Falls, April 30.—A shocking murder was committed here this morning when Mrs. Rufus Weedmark was choked to death by her husband, who is under arrest. The couple had lived very unhappily together, and Weedmark had often threatened to take his wife's life. Weedmark is a laborer, 52 years old, but had fallen into dissolute habits, and instead of supporting the family had to be supported a good deal of the time by them.

Had Been Quarrelling.

The couple had five daughters, two of whom were at home last night. The father was quarrelling with the mother, most of the night, they say, and this morning they heard the mother screaming. When they came downstairs Weedmark had his wife on the floor choking her. The daughters at once gave the alarm, but when the neighbors came the woman was quite dead.

Weedmark talked freely of the crime and boasted of having done a good job on his wife this time.

The coroner's inquest is now going on.



MR. J. L. JOHNSTON, London Businessman Who Narrowly Escaped Death in the Cornwall Hotel Fire.

NORMAN GRAS WINS MORE HONORS

Young Londoner Won Travelling Scholarship in Harvard University.

OFF ON TRIP TO EUROPE

Winning Thesis Was on "The Organization of the Corn Trade in the Time of the Tudors."

Norman S. G. Gras, the young Londoner who upon graduating from the University of Toronto in 1907 won the Governor-General's gold medal for proficiency, and who last year at Harvard won the most important scholarship of the year—the Ozias Goodwin memorial scholarship—has just added another triumph to his laurels by winning a travelling scholarship at Harvard for his thesis on "The Organization of the Corn Trade in the Time of the Tudors."

Highest Commendation.

Mr. Gras' thesis has won the highest commendation from Professor Gay, of Harvard, and so important are the facts that he has brought out in his thesis, that he has been awarded the travelling scholarship, so that he may go to England, France and Germany and further investigate the matter by looking up ancient documents and records.

A New Field.

The field is a new one, and universities are only beginning to appreciate the important aspect that the trade relations had towards the kingdoms.

Mr. Gras sails for France on July 16, and after extensive investigations there will go to England for some time and from there to Germany.

MILLER MEASURE PASSES SENATE

Ottawa, April 29.—The Miller Anti-gambling bill came before the Senate this morning, and after some discussion, was given its third reading and passed.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FAIR.

FORECASTS.

Fresh to strong northwest to north winds; fair today and on Sunday; higher temperature in most places.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Winnipeg..... 56 28 Cloudy

Port Arthur..... 40 34 Clear

Port Sound..... 40 34 Cloudy

Toronto..... 56 40 Cloudy

Ottawa..... 58 38 Fair

Montreal..... 48 32 Cloudy

Quebec..... 48 32 Rain

Father Point..... 40 24 Cloudy

DR. WILSON NAMED CHIEF HOUSE SURGEON

Son of Ex-Mayor Wilson Chosen by Victoria Hospital Trust.

At a meeting of the hospital trust, held at noon today, Dr. Cameron Wilson, son of Dr. John D. Wilson, was appointed chief house surgeon of Victoria Hospital for the year.

Dr. W. H. McFarlane, gold medalist of the graduating class, was appointed pathologist for a year.

Dr. W. H. McGuffin, Dr. T. B. Ramsay and Dr. J. F. Jenson were named as assistant house surgeons for the first six months, and Dr. G. E. Butterwick, Dr. George A. Ramsay and Dr. Herbert Wall were given positions as house surgeons for the second six months.

There were three applicants for the position of chief house surgeon; Dr. J. T. Stapleton, the present chief, Dr. T. Phillips and Dr. J. Cameron Wilson. Dr. Wilson was named on the first ballot.

First-Class Shape.

The annual report of Dr. W. Bruce Smith, inspector of prisons and charities, was submitted. In his investigation he found everything in first-class shape. With the renovation and additions, Victoria Hospital is now second to none in Ontario. He especially approved of the maternity ward, the isolation hospital and the tuberculosis wards, the latter additions to the hospital. Dr. Smith also reported that the institution was well and economically managed.

Those present were J. C. Judd, chairman; S. S. Scurton, G. B. Hart, T. G. Turnbull, Mayor Beattie and Superintendent Heard.

AEROPLANE HOVERED ABOVE THE FLEET

The British Fleet, Off Sheerness, Starled by Aerial Visitor.

[Associated Press Cable.]

London, April 29.—The fleet of British warships anchored off Sheerness had a novel experience today when an aeroplane from the Aero Club aviation grounds at Eastchurch suddenly appeared out of the clouds and hovered over the vessels at varying heights. After making a deliberate reconnaissance the aerial craft disappeared.

The aeroplane was piloted by Cecil Grace. After leaving the harbor it flew nearly 50 miles in 51 minutes, rising at one time to a height of 1,500 feet.

East Church, containing the Royal Aero Club's aviation grounds, is in the Isle of Sheppey. Mr. Grace has been flying for some time and his operations have attracted considerable attention. He uses a short Wright biplane. Last month while maneuvering he fell from a considerable height but received only a few scratches. His machine was damaged but not beyond easy repair.

MAURICE M'VICAR DIED IN MICHIGAN

Well-Known Former Londoner Passed Away in Flint.

On Wednesday April 27 the death took place in Flint, Michigan, of Mr. Maurice M'Vicar, a former Londoner, in his 69th year. He was found dead in bed, heart failure being the cause of death.

The deceased formerly lived on Dundas street, and has since resided in Detroit and Flint, Michigan.

Mr. John R. M'Vicar, who died on Nov. 13 of last year, was a son and was killed by falling from a fourth-story window at the asylum, where he was engaged as a caretaker.

The deceased is survived by his wife, one son, Frank, and two daughters, all of Detroit.

The remains were brought to the city on the 11:30 train this morning. The funeral took place from the undertaking rooms of Griffith Bros., at 2:30 to Woodland Cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. John G. Inker, of the First Presbyterian Church.

HOSED THE MOB.

Honolulu, April 30.—Following the arrest of four Russians on the charge of inciting disorder a mob of 400 of their countrymen surrounded the police station and a battle with the police followed. The mob demanded the release of their leaders and defied the order to disperse. The police brought the fire department to their aid and a stream was turned on the mob, which had massed in front of the jail with women and babies held in front as shields. The fire hose failed to break the mob entirely and the police drew their clubs and charged. The mob scattered.

The Russians were brought here by the immigration board to work on the sugar plantation, but refused to work.

Wages offered.

Knott & Sangster

ROOM 101, MASONIC TEMPLE. PHONE 650

CARRAGE CRESCENT—THERE ARE ONLY A FEW LOTS LEFT AT \$12 PER FOOT.

BELLEVUE AVENUE—A NEW SURVEY RUNNING SOUTH FROM GRAND AVENUE, OPPOSITE CHARLES HYMAN'S RESIDENCE. THERE ARE ONLY TWELVE LOTS LEFT IN THIS SURVEY, AND THEY ARE ONLY TWELVE MINUTES' WALK TO THE MARKET. THESE LOTS ARE VERY DESIRABLE, BEING IN A FIRST-CLASS LOCALITY, AND A NUMBER OF THEM HAVE FRUIT AND SHADE TREES ON THEM. CALL AT ONCE AND GET THE FIRST CHOICE.

MCKENZIE ESTATE, NEW SURVEY, SOUTH LONDON. CALL AND SEE HUMAN AND GET PARTICULARS.

NEW SURVEY OF FINE BUILDING LOTS BETWEEN PICCADILLY AND HAMILTON STREETS, NEAR ADLAIDE STREET. ONLY TWO BLOCKS FROM CENTRAL AVENUE. NEW CEMENT WALKS, TREES PLANTED. FINE, DRY, SANDY SOIL. ONLY \$350 EACH. EASY TERMS. SPECIAL PRICES TO PARTIES WHO WILL BUILD IMMEDIATELY.

KING STREET—Two-story frame, 4 bedrooms, modern conveniences. Price, \$2,300.

WELLINGTON STREET—Frame cottage, cement foundation, 3 bedrooms, gas, furnace, verandah, cellar, lot 23x110 feet. Price, \$2,700.

REGENT STREET—1½-story frame, cement foundation, 3 bedrooms, cellar, lot 23x110 feet. Price, \$2,300.

QUEEN'S AVENUE—Frame cottage, cement foundation, 3 bedrooms, cellar, lot 23x110 feet. Price, \$2,300.

ELIZABETH STREET—Frame cottage, 3 bedrooms, water in house, lot 27 and right of way by lot 28. Price, \$1,400.

BECHER STREET—Semi-detached brick cottage, 2 bedrooms, lot 62x132 feet. Price, \$1,700.

WORTLEY ROAD—Brick veneer cottage, cement foundation, 3 bedrooms, gas for cooking, lot 40 feet frontage. Price, \$2,600.

STANLEY STREET—Two-story brick, 5 bedrooms, modern conveniences, verandah, lot 23x135 feet. Call for particulars.

WELLINGTON STREET—Semi-detached two-story brick, 3 bedrooms, cellar, lot 23x110 feet. Price, \$2,300.

FIVE ACRES, just at city limits—Two-story brick house, 5 bedrooms, drawing room, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, bathroom complete, furnace, bath and stable, driveway, tennis house, about 2 acres of fruit, shrubs, and ornamental trees, clay loam; five minutes' walk to Traction Company's cars and ten minutes' walk to city center. A lovely home. Call for particulars.

STOCK OF WALLPAPER, paints, window shades, etc., etc., etc., all in first-class order; splendid opportunity; liberal discount and three months' free rent for immediate cash; owner going west. A splendid opportunity. Stock about \$4,000.

DUTCHESS AVENUE—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, electric light, gas, and fixtures, fruit trees. Lot 46x192 feet. Price, \$1,400.

TO LET—Five acres, just outside the city, splendid new house, almost on Traction Company's tracks. Possession at once.

NELSON STREET—Story and half red brick veneer, cement block foundation, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences, verandah, shade trees, lot 62x110. Call for particulars.

JOHN STREET—1½-story brick, 4 bedrooms, w.c., basin, furnace, electric light, gas, lot 23x115 feet. Price, \$2,000.

HAMILTON ROAD—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, cellar, barn, lot 62x250 feet. Price, \$1,350.

PRINCESS AVENUE—Two-story brick and frame, 4 bedrooms, all modern conveniences, lot 50x200 feet. Price, \$3,850.

WORTLEY ROAD—Two-story brick, 5 bedrooms, bath and w.c., gas, verandah, fruit trees, lot 27x135 feet. Price, \$2,600.

ELIZABETH AVENUE—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 4 bedrooms, gas and fixtures, lot 23x110 feet. Price, \$2,000.

TO LET—Five acres, ground floor, 3 rooms, large safe, heating and water free. Rent, \$12.

LONE—FOURTEEN—1½-story brick veneer, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences, cellar, front and back stairs. Lot 23x150 feet. Price, \$2,750.

CENTRAL AVENUE—Brick cottage, 2 bedrooms, lot 23x110 feet. Price, \$1,400.

CLARENCE STREET—Brick cottage, cement block foundation, 4 bedrooms, stable, lot 21 feet and right of way by 63 feet. Price, \$1,800.

THE RIDGEWAY—2-story brick, all modern, fine residence, low price.

PRINCESS AVENUE—Two-story brick, 5 bedrooms, all modern conveniences, lot 50x200 feet. Price, \$3,850.

YORK STREET—Two-story frame house, Price, \$800.

WILSON AVENUE—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, barn, lot 23x114 feet. Call for particulars.

OTTAWA AVENUE—Lot 23x196 feet and frame house. Price, \$2,600.

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Get our prices for vacant lots. We have them all over.

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MARRIAGES.
 SCANDRETT—WRIGHT—In this city, on April 27, 1910, at 3:30 o'clock, James, eldest daughter of the late James Wright, to Mr. Thomas W. Scandrett, barrister, of this city. 60c

DEATHS.
 CARMICHAEL—At Lobo, on Friday, April 29, 1910, Duncan Carmichael, aged 81 years.

Funeral from his late residence on Monday, May 2, at 2 p.m. Interment at Ivan Cemetery.

MASCOARO—At Victoria Hospital, on April 29, 1910, Antonio Mascoaro, beloved husband of Catherine Mascoaro, aged 38 years.

Funeral from Smith, Son & Clarke's undertaking parlors on Monday, May 2, at 3:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral; requiem high mass at 10 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

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LONDON, SATURDAY, APRIL 30.

SIR JAMES AND THE WESTERN.

Sir James Whitney gave the friends of the Western University no promises yesterday, but they got a more sympathetic hearing than in the former interview. A change of manner may foreshadow a change of mind.

When the Premier asserted that if the Government changed its university policy, the Western would have a claim to consideration as well as Queen's, he may have had in mind the approaching separation of Queen's from the Presbyterian Church. It is likely that when the tie is severed, Queen's will make larger demands upon the Government. Queen's usually gets what it asks from that quarter, and anything it gets in future will establish London's claim to similar favors. If the Premier is to be taken at his word.

The question of the hygienic institute was raised by the Premier and Provincial Secretary, but the misunderstanding between the Government and the medical college is no fault of the governing body of the Western University. The Premier seemed also to think that relations between the arts and the medical departments should be more intimate. He may be right in this view, and he would be justified in making it a condition of Government aid. The work of the hygienic institute might also be co-ordinated with that of the university, with advantage to both.

Sir James appeared to be nettled by a statement in a local newspaper, usually friendly to him, that he had ordered, in an arbitrary manner, the withdrawal of the Government's representatives on the university board of governors. Considering his attitude toward the first deputation, Sir James has not been harshly dealt with by the local press. It is a pardonable mistake if his proposal that the Government's representatives be withdrawn was interpreted as a command. It was a misapprehension which Sir James should be big enough to ignore. Besides, it has nothing to do with the case. The claim of the Western University to provincial aid is the question.

A GOOD PLACE FOR THE FARMER

Reports from our local correspondents show a decidedly active demand for Western Ontario farm lands, and a gratifying increase in values, thus verifying the forecasts we made some time ago.

This is precisely what might be looked for with so many superior advantages for farming as these counties possess, but which are just beginning to be properly appreciated.

It is only a question of time, and not very long either, when farms in the country tributary to London will not be available on as easy terms as at present. It is evident that young farmers who are getting hold of them now are displaying commendable foresight, and will reap substantial returns in due course. Those of mature years do right in heeding the almost invariably advice of men of lengthy experience in prairie farming to those on comfortable Ontario farms by all means to stay with them in preference to trying the distressing hardships, especially for womankind, of pioneering and taking the hazards from hail, summer frosts, costly labor and marketing troubles, connected with northwestern wheat-growing.

Speculators and immigration promoters naturally enlarge upon the "attractions," but Ontario people are cautioned by candid oldtimers against falling into the error that western farming is so easy and so rosy or can be equipped without hard work and a good deal of capital which, not counting the cost of land, those who have been through the mill put at about three thousand dollars for a quarter section away on up for farming on a larger scale.

They remind us also that rates of interest for borrowed money, cost of horses, etc., are very high, and when the country is swarming with European immigrants and those from the United States, many a newcomer, as he learns somewhat of the country and its conditions, will realize that the same effort and outlay would have brought him just as good returns and more real satisfaction in the east.

The new land is alluring multitudes from all directions and it is gratifying that many have done well, but past experience plainly teaches the wisdom of avoiding the rush and the boom, and pursuing the prudent course of

putting one's best thought and energy into the safe and agreeable opportunities offered by Ontario farming which all admit were never so favorable and paying as at the present.

PROBING THE COMBINES.

In the combines investigation act, which has now reached the Senate, the Minister of Labor does not lay so much stress on prosecution as on investigation. It is on publicity that the Government counts for the chief advantage to be derived.

Objection has been raised that this feature of the bill might in part be offset by the fact that preliminary examinations have to take place in private; but, as Hon. Mr. King points out, if the measure permitted the examination of any business of this country at the request of any individual without some form of preliminary examination to ascertain whether or not there were prima facie grounds for saying that a combine did exist and was operating adversely to the public, it would be manifestly unjust. As a matter of fact the preliminary examination is not formidable. The object is simply to enable an experienced judge to say whether or not sufficient evidence has been obtained to warrant a further examination taking place. Assuming that in this further inquiry it is made plain to the general public that a group of men have taken advantage of the protection afforded by the tariff to unduly enhance prices, the Government, as a result of a finding by the board to that effect, may remove the customs duty and thereby lower the price of the article concerned to the whole body of consumers. That would bring about what is primarily desired.

In the case of a combine which has been reported as doing something against the public interest, and which persists in doing it despite the findings of the board, criminal proceedings may be taken under the code. The findings of the board being before the public there will be the strongest reason why the law should be set in motion, and the facts which have been brought out in evidence in a case of this kind may be used in a criminal action. That is where the investigating feature gives strength to the criminal code in imposing the penalties now provided. All expenses of inquiry will now be met by the Government, instead of by the private parties, as in the past.

Lord Kitchener declares that Great Britain is not decadent. Isn't this a rap at the tariff reformers?

Mr. Monk may call himself a Conservative for election purposes but he is really a Nationalist, and his place is beside Mr. Bourassa.

Sir James Whitney was polite to the Western University deputation yesterday. This unusual circumstance is a good omen.

Major Beattie was a volunteer fireman in the earlier days of the city. Perhaps the training stood him in good stead when he had to slide down a rope in his pyjamas yesterday.

The very rich men of Toronto and Montreal give freely for public objects. Do the very rich men of London—and London has quite a number—do their duty in this respect?

A local contemporary prints a letter from someone signing himself "Canadian," who says that the Canadian naval policy was dictated by Cardinal Merry del Val in the interests of Germany. This is quite the most original contribution to the discussion.

G. H. Cowan, M. P. of Vancouver, told a Watford audience yesterday that the Canadian naval project was consciously designed to break up the empire and achieve Canadian independence. The Dominion Government's policy is identical with Australia's, and was advocated by Mr. Borden a few months ago. Mr. Cowan is a conscious falsifier, and he pays no compliment to the farmers of East Lambton when he thinks they will swallow his libel.

A CONFIRMED PESSIMIST.

"How is your wife, John?"
John (the waiter): "Well, I don't know, miss. When the sun don't shine she's miserable, and when it does she says it fades the carpet."

SHE KNEW THE WORST.

(St. Louis Star.)
"Give me brand new bills, please."
Servant—Oh, yes, mum! The last three girls you had told me about it.

PLENTY OF TIME.

(Brooklyn Life.)
Planigan—Phot would yez do if yez lived to be two hundred years old?
Lanigan—Oh don't know it.

SOON.

(Puck.)
Mr. Mysotobe (tendering check in bank)—Give me brand new bills, please.
Paying Teller—Sorry, sir, but at this moment we'll all out of that kind.

Mr. Mysotobe (irritably)—What's the best you've got, then?
Paying Teller—Here are some well guaranteed won't average more than one million microbes to the bill.

A NAME THAT WILL STICK.

(Toronto Saturday Night.)
A. G. MacKay, the Ontario Liberal leader, has a fairly picturesque vocabulary at his command, and he produced a very good specimen during a speech in London the other day, when he described Premier Whitney as the "Kruger of Canada." The appellation will probably stick, for it has enough truth to make it inoffensive. Sir James has a way of get-

ting his orders carried out which is just as effective as Oom Paul's more domineering methods. No doubt Mr. MacKay intended the analogy should refer to the future as well as to the past, in order to make it complete.

WILL HE GET IT?

(Toronto Star.)
In Amherst, Nova Scotia, lived a girl who advertised for an affinity. In the Canadian Northwest lived a man who answered the advertisement. In Winnipeg the two met, the distance having been bridged by \$9 advanced by the would-be husband. The scene now shifts to Nova Scotia again, where the courts are asked to decide that the man is entitled to his \$9 and other disbursements, because the girl was not as pleased with the affinity in the flesh as with the affinity's picture, and refused to marry him.

Foolish man, he wants his money back. Instead of suing for it in the courts, he should be thanking his lucky stars that the experience cost him only cash, and a comparatively few dollars at that. He should go back to his homestead and ruminate upon his escape from years of existence in the company of a wife who was ashamed of him when she saw him. If he is as sensible a young man as most of the westerners, the result of his cogitations will be a spirit of thankfulness so deeply heartfelt that he will probably make his next choice from among the fair ones whose fallings he already knows.

BELLIGERENCY.

(Philadelphia Record.)
Wigg—Did you ever know such a pugnacious individual as Bjones?
Vagg—No, Bjones is so full of fight that even his own statements conflict.

WHAR WUZ YE?

(Exchange.)
He was an old turkey. He wore no overcoat, and the icy wind twisted his threadbare clothes about his shrivelled body.

"Wind," he demanded, whimsically, "whar wuz you dis time las' July?"

HIS NUMBER.

(Louisville Courier-Journal.)
"What sort of a chap is Wombat?"
"Well, he told me a lot of stuff in confidence the first time we met."

GETTING IT OUT OF THE WAY.

(London Opinion.)
"Did you peel your apple before eating it, Dolly?"
"Yes, mother."

"But where have you put the peel, dear?"
"Oh, I ate it first."

AT THE THEATRE.

(Walt Mason.)
I went last night to see the play—a drama of the modern kind; and I am feeling tired today; I like to fumigate my mind. I'd hate to always recollect those tawdry tricks and vicious cracks; for I would find him circumspect, and keep my brain as clean as wax. The playwright did his best to get that married life is flat and stale; that homely virtues are too slow to prosper in this earthly vale; he put Decet on dress parade, and put a laurel crown on Vice, and tinner saw her trophies flash, and Truth was laid upon the ice. "It held the mirror true to life," and I, who saw it, homeward went, and got a club and beat my wife, and robbed an orphan of a cent. If I and evil thought, I'd steal a blind man's savings bank or swipe a widow's house and all the virtues in you cunned, but if you lot around with tar you'll blacken up to beat the band. You may be whole-some as the breeze that chortles through a country lane, but if you eat Linchburger cheese your friends will pass you with disdain. And every time you see a play, or read a book that makes a jest of love and home, you throw away some part of you that was the best.

STRIVING TO PLEASE.

(Tit-Bits.)
"I want to look at some canes," said a magnificent young man to the shop-keeper, "and I'm in a great hurry."
"Yes, sir; yes, sir," responded the shop-keeper, very much flurried. "Here, James," to shop assistant, "show this gentleman some hurricanes."

TOTAL ABSTAINER.

(Stray Stories.)
"I don't like these women who gossip about others, do you?"
"I should say not. Now, there's Mrs. Green; she's always telling mean things about her neighbors. And Mrs. Hunter talks perfectly dreadful about her friends. Thank goodness, I never say anything about anybody!"

IT WOULD PAY HIM.

(Toronto Star.)
But it might pay the British manufacturer, as well as the investor, to pay a little more attention to the Canadian field. Many American manufacturers have decided that it is more profitable to establish industries in Canada than to ship their products from the United States. The British manufacturer, who would suppose, has still stronger reasons for setting up establishments in Canada, and studying the requirements of the market at close range.

HALLEY'S COMET.

(Elaine Goodale Eastman, in the Independent.)
Out of the black, unplumbed abyss, With torch alight and burning, The heavenly guest pursues his quest, On steadfast wings returning, Clearing the fearful gulfs profound Without a sign, without a sound, The centuries mark his solemn round In tides of rhythmic yearning.

Th' appointed hour he flies to meet, His old-age path retraces—
A path that lies through endless skies And unimagined spaces;
Plunged in stark cold and endless sleep, Beyond the stars, below the deep, He still returns, his faith to keep— We lift our awe-struck faces!

Even so, my life, thou canst't to me From deeps no man can measure; Dread night and chaos wait for thee— And must I lose my treasure?
Nay, be who lit thy trembling spark; Its furthest flight must surely mark; Fare bravely forth into the dark, Dear Life, at his good pleasure!

A HURRY CALL.

(Kansas City Journal.)
Old George Kettle rushed into the Trotwood telegraph office the other day with a small package wrapped in a newspaper under his arm.
"Telegraph this to my wife down Dayton, Harvey," he said to the telegraph clerk, thrusting the package through the little window.
"No, no, George, we can't do anything like that," laughed the clerk.
"Drat ye," said George, angrily, "ye got to do it. It's my wife's teeth."

THE PLUMBER'S REQUEST.

(Tit-Bits.)
Dying Plumber (to son)—You'll find I ain't bin able to leave you much money, Bill; it's all got to go to yer mother and sisters. But I've bequeathed you that there job at Mugley's we've bin at such a time. Don't 'urry over it, Bill, and I'll always keep you out of want, any way.

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CANNIBALS MURDER TWO MISSIONARIES

A Terrible Story of Outbreak of Savagery Amongst the South Sea Islanders.

Seattle, Wash., April 29. — Details of the eating by cannibals on Feb. 5 of the Rev. Horatio Hopkins and his assistant, Rev. Hector Laurie McPherson, missionaries of the Presbyterian Church on Savage Island, were brought by the barkentine Mary E. Winkelman, which arrived from the Tonga Islands in the South Seas.

While the barkentine lay at Tangatapu, in the Tonga Islands, a canoe-load of mission natives from Savage Island arrived at Fua, bringing news of the butchering.

The natives said that Hopkins and McPherson were teaching in the mission building, which stands on the beach in the little harbor of Savage Island, when 200 unconverted savages, howling war cries, and brandishing clubs and spears, descended on them. The missionaries had 20 converts in training at the time, and only nine of them escaped.

A DARE-DEVIL FLIGHT

Paulhan Will Endeavor to Fly From Paris to London.

London, April 29.—Conqueror and vanquished, Louis Paulhan and Graham White, were the heroes of London yesterday. The dare-devil Frenchman, at a luncheon at the Hotel Savoy, received the \$50,000 prize, donated by Lord Northcliffe, which he won by his great 156-mile flight from London to Manchester. White at the same time received the 100 guineas (\$725) cup donated as a consolation-prize because of his magnificent attempt to wrestle victory from defeat.

Both men on their appearance on the street were given ovations that Caesar might envy.

Louis Paulhan, who but a few years ago was a penniless clown in a little provincial French show—half circus,

STRATHROY'S POPULATION

Assessors' Figures Show an Increase of 200 for Past Year.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Strathroy, April 30.—The annual spring horse show was held on the market square on Thursday afternoon. A large number of farmers were present, and some excellent horses were exhibited. Some eleven light horses were on parade, three Percherons, two Hackneys and three Clydes.

The repeated concert of St. John's Church Sunday school at the Lyceum was given to a full house. Everything went off admirably and the large audience were delighted with the children

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who showed much skill and talent in their acting, songs, and drills.

Mr. Wm. Vail, of Marlette, Mich., visited friends here this week. Mr. Vail was a successful merchant here years ago.

The census of the town recently made by the assessors shows an increase in population of nearly 200 during the past year. Houses are scarce and the outlook is bright for prosperous times in the old town.

On Tuesday the Deaneys Chapter of West Middlesex, under the direction of Rural Dean S. P. Robinson, will be held at Hyde Park. Addresses will be given by Rev. S. F. Robinson, Walter Hughes, Jenkins and Sage.

The members of the Oddfellows Lodge here have signified their desire to the mayor, in event of a county hospital being built here, to furnish one of the rooms.

Mr. J. Patterson, K. C., of Toronto delivered a very instructive missionary address before a number of men in Front Street Methodist Church on Friday evening. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the congregation. A few choice vocal selections were also rendered by Misses Edna Hovey and Jean Buttery; also Messrs. Haldane, Baskerville and Baker. Rev. W. L. Pearson, the pastor, and Messrs. Downham and Jeffries also gave short earnest addresses.

On Monday evening the last meeting of St. Andrew's Young Men's Club for the season was held in the basement of St. Andrew's Church. A splendid programme was given by members of the club. Light refreshments were served by the young ladies of the Mission Band, after which the National Anthem was sung closing a very successful evening.

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A LIFE'S DEVOTION

BY FRANK H. SHAW.

Author of "A Daughter of the Storm," "First at the Pole," etc. (Copyright in U. S. America. All Rights Reserved.)

"Meningitis!" he said, softly, and turning white. "Not that—don't say that." But Gibbus was cruel to be kind; he must prepare the way for himself.

"Yes, it's that. Buck up, man; the case is far from hopeless yet. Why, with modern resources, it's really no worse than an attack of whooping cough. Look here, would you like me to get in help? I can send off to town for Simmons; he's a crack at this game; and I'll do it in a moment if you express the faintest wish."

Scroggs thought; he knew Gibbus, knew the country doctor had gained his wife's entire confidence.

"I don't know of any man I'd rather trust than you, Gibbus. Do your best, spare no expense, that's understood; but you have our confidence, and we believe you're fond of the child. You'd do better probably than a specialist who sees so many cases that they become mere routine work for him. Now, what's to be done?"

"A trained nurse first thing—two would be better. I'll see to that. Perfect quiet; and above all, Lady Marion to be kept up to the mark. She will do better than any nurse; in fact, tonight she might be as well without one at all. That head nurse of yours seems a capable woman. Well, we'll let it go at that. Just as well, because I don't know where I'd manage to get a nurse tonight, without sending to town; I'll wire and have a couple down first thing in the morning. Now, we want ice, lots of it; I'll leave you to see to that. Lend me your car—I'll need it. Now we'll get our fighting forces together. Remember, above all, that it's a question of perseverance; understand that. There's not much room for active treatment; we'll blister and all the rest; but once that's done there's only the ice, to keep down the inflammation. Counter-irritant, and all the rest. Oh, be sure we'll win out yet, Scroggs. Gad! I'd as soon lose one of my own children—if I had any—as that youngster."

So the grim fight began. There were times when Scroggs felt disposed to go down on his knees and thank God that he had a motor of the kind he possessed; the speed he could get out of it was grateful to his senses. To and fro—now racing down to Beddington for ice, now leaping wildly over the country for something Gibbus had found he did not possess, and always at the wheel sat the strong-faced man whose heart was almost torn in two. His child—and hers! Surely God could not be so jealous of their happiness as to snatch that little life away now—when it had grown so dear to them? It was drawing in towards midnight and their efforts had told. The child still cried agonisingly, but the awful contortions of the tortured frame

had lessened; the pitiful motion of the head was quite so pronounced. Gibbus rubbed his hands. "We're on the right side," he said. "Not gaining much, perhaps, not losing anything, certainly. The critical moment will come towards dawn; he's safe until then. My dear Lady Marion, cannot I persuade you to take a rest? You are worn out; you will make yourself as ill as the child." Marion tried to smile, but it was a feeble attempt. Her face was white and drawn, her eyes unnaturally large; deep purple rings surrounded them. Few mothers can stand silent throughout the hours and watch the child they love fighting a unequal battle against death without feeling a strain like to nothing on earth. The sense of helplessness, the inability to explain the reason of suffering, the feeling of futility—all these things are maddening. Marion had tasted the tortures of the lost within the past few hours—in some mother's fashion she knew her son's life hung by a thread. They had kept the entire truth from her; but she had eyes to read below the surface of men's faces at that time, and she knew, as well as if the actual words had been spoken in her ears, that Marvyn, her son, was smitten near to death.

"I shall take no rest until my boy is out of danger," she said wearily. "If anything happened whilst I was selfishly sleeping, do you think I should ever forgive myself? No, a thousand times no."

"Very well. I must run down to the surgery now and see if there are any urgent cases awaiting me. You will stay in the house all night, of course," said Scroggs firmly. "Nothing would give me greater pleasure. But this is not my only case. There are others—I must remember them. I shall leave you for an hour or an hour and a half. Yes, I'll take your car, if you can give me a man to drive it. Nothing will happen whilst I am away—nothing, I have seen to that. When I next come up I'll bring a restorative with me, to tide him over the crisis."

Scroggs recognized that it would be unwise to keep him longer. He saw him into the car, and heard it fume down the drive. Then he went back to the nursery.

Silence for an hour, then a sudden stillness fell, and a strange choking sound. Marion flew to the bedside and lifted the child to her breast. "Oh, he's dying, he's dying! Look!" she cried in a panic.

Scroggs forced her to release her hold. "Give him to me," he said determinedly. "Give him to me. This looks like the collapse Gibbus spoke of. Send the nurse to the telephone—get Gibbus up at once. Confound it! why did I let him leave the house? Here, Marion, for God's sake, go to my room, open the desk; the keys are in the table drawer. You'll find a bottle of stuff in the secret drawer. Pull out the pen stand. Bring it to me at once; it's a powerful restorative, we'll chance using it! Don't lose a minute. Quick, for your life!" The child was deadly feeble. In his heart was deadly fear.

Marion hesitated. She felt that she dared not leave her child, but something in her husband's face compelled her to go. Scroggs had forgotten everything else; he was endeavoring to force a drop of brandy between the clenched lips. Marion darted away to the study. The wings of the wind—to the study. The wings of the wind—to the study. She flung it open and tugged at the secret drawer, whose existence she had never dreamt of before. It stuck; almost mad with frenzy she leaped forward, and with a crash, the thing, and it gave with a crash. Better for Marion Seymour had she been blinded in that moment! For the drawer flew out and clattered on to the writing slab—small bottle rolled away to one side; but it was not that which froze her where she stood. In the drawer lay a curious, old-fashioned pistol, muzzle-loading—she noticed that at once. And she saw the muzzle of the pistol had been thrown upwards by the falling of the drawer. It pointed directly into the eyes of that frozen woman. And the bore of the pistol was elliptical!

CHAPTER XXX.

Her Father's Murderer.

In the distance she heard the voice of her husband crying to her to hasten; but she seemed to have forgotten her child's dire need. She was confronted with the evidences of a still greater tragedy than she had envisaged in the nursery—the evidence here was so damning as to be absolutely fatal. No one could doubt the truth now—it was there lying before her, clamorous with a brazen throat. Her husband had murdered her father—and here was the missing weapon with which the evil deed had been perpetrated.

"Marion! For God's sake hurry!" The agony in the calling voice aroused her from her stupor—willfully she choked down the horror of her sob and seized the little bottle. A wild instinct led her to thrust back the pistol to its place—no; she would not do that. If she so much as mentioned its existence her husband would take care to remove it, and then add lie to glaring lie—as he had done before. She put the weapon in her pocket, pushed the drawer back into its place and then sped to the nursery. But her limbs moved automatically—she had no sense of warning, she moved like a woman in a stupor.

"God! I thought you were never coming! Give me the bottle." He snatched it from her, talking hurriedly while to hide his own intense feeling.

"Got it abroad from a chemist; said it was absolutely miraculous. Fit to bring the dead back to life. I've seen it used, too, and know it. So; moisten the tip of the bottle. He worked with a curiously gentle tenderness, surprising in a man of his strength, and as he poised the bottle over the clenched lips Marion drew in her breath. Possibly he was that this man, as gentle as a woman, had done that evil thing? Yes, it was only too true—there was now no room for doubt. The pistol had settled the matter definitely. The hideous was really needed for this hideous deed. Fortescue had not lied. He had meant what he said, but chivalrously, with a desire to spare her agony, he had come to her and trumped up the story that his own falsehood; just so that she might know rest. Rest! Would she ever know a moment's rest again in all her life? Never—with this terrible discovery clamoring at her brain she must ever walk on fiery coals of torment.

(To be continued.)

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MEMBERS MUST NOW STICK TO SUBJECT

New Rules of Canadian Commons Does Away With Unnecessary Verbosity.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, April 29.—The Commons, with the session of nearly six months behind them, and the bulk of the session's work crowded into the last month, this morning put through with comparatively little discussion the amendments to the rules of the House as drafted by the special committee appointed for the purpose.

The new rules, while not introducing in any sense the principle of closure give the Speaker a better defined authority in the matter of finally shutting off any member's verbosity when, in the committee stage, said member persists in dragging in and discussing irrelevant subjects. Other amendments will obviate the waste of time in connection with the presentation of petitions, answering questions on the order paper, etc.

AYLESWORTH REPLIES TO WORLD CHARGE

Gives Work to Former Partner Because He's Best Man.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, April 29.—Before the orders of the day were called, Hon. A. B. Aylesworth drew attention to an article in the Toronto World, alleging that the Minister of Justice was giving an undue amount of Government legal business to Mr. George Shepley, K.C., and to the law firm with which Mr. Aylesworth was formerly connected. The Minister of Justice stated that he had given considerable work to Mr. Shepley, because the latter was the best man he knew of to handle the cases in point. As to the charge that he was giving Government work to his former business partners, Mr. Aylesworth declared that since he had become a member of Parliament, and of the Government, he had no manner of financial interest in the firm, nor had he received a dollar's worth of business from the Government since. He added that previous to his becoming a member of the Government he had received considerable business from the Government.

ACTED IN GOOD FAITH

Mr. Aylesworth Personally Advised the Release of King and Skill.

Ottawa, April 29.—In the House of Commons last night, Hon. A. B. Aylesworth was invited by Mr. Boyce to make an explanation of his action in recommending the release of King and Skill, the two men who were charged with selling obscene books. Mr. Aylesworth had been shown some of the books on which conviction was obtained, and asked if he was prepared to endorse the action of the Minister of Justice in recommending the release of these men.

Mr. Boyce brought the matter up before the criticism of the Globe on the case. He said he understood the Prime Minister had been shown some of the books on which conviction was obtained, and asked if he was prepared to endorse the action of the Minister of Justice in recommending the release of these men.

BIG GEM STEAL

Precious Stones of a New York Society Lady Carried Off.

New York, April 29.—Thousands of stolen diamonds and a tiara of Hungarian opals are being hunted for today by some of the most discreet detectives of the New York police force, on orders from headquarters to recover the gems at any cost, but to keep the facts about the robbery secret.

Where and when the jewels were stolen is not publicly known, but although the police have succeeded in keeping the secret, the fact is that the name of the owner of the lost jewels, and it is generally understood that the social position of the woman who was robbed is of the highest in this country and in Europe, and that she was one of those prominent in the quieter and more exclusive circles which formed a part of the Drexel-Gould wedding.

EXPLAINS BLOODSTAINS

Marks on Fenton's Trousers Made When Slaughtering Hogs.

Hamilton, April 29.—An explanation of how a pair of blood-stained overalls belonging to Thomas Fenton, who is under arrest as a material witness in the murder of the boy, Edward Fenton, has been given by the prisoner himself. The overalls were found in the young man's room after he was placed under arrest, and some conjecture was caused as a result. Fenton has now explained that he wore the overalls in question when he was in Europe, while slaughtering some hogs, and the bloodstains on the garments were caused by that occurrence.

TELLS OF MURDER PLOT

Vienna, April 29.—The mystery of the origin of the wholesale poisoning plot, directed against the promoted officers of the Austrian army, has been cleared by the confession of Lieut. Adorff Horfichter. The lieutenant was arrested on Nov. 27 charged with the murder of a general, and today he admitted that he had sent capsules containing prussic acid to ten members of the general staff with the object of poisoning them.

SCHOONER LOST

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—A cable message from Sitka, Alaska, gives details of the loss of the codfishing schooner Stanley, March 28, when the vessel went on the rocks of Sanak Island. When a rescue party reached the wreck they found the bodies of Captain Cook and Mate Rapers and Williams frozen stiff in the rigging. The cook had been swept overboard and drowned.

Five of the crew who survived jumped overboard the day after the schooner went on the rocks and were picked up by dories that put out from the shore. The rescuers made valiant attempts to save the lives of the three men who were lashed to the rigging but they were unsuccessful.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF.

COLBORNE ST. AUXILIARY

Annual Meeting Held and Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Colborne Street Auxiliary was held on Wednesday. The various reports showed that the year which has just ended has been a prosperous one. The following officers were elected: President—Mrs. Newton. First Vice-President—Mrs. W. Wyatt.

Second Vice-President—Mrs. Hance. Recording Secretary—Mrs. Money. Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Walker. Treasurer—Mrs. Dickie. Honorary President of Mission Circle—Mrs. Webster. Leader of Mission Band—Miss H. Powell.

Superintendent of Cradle Roll—Mrs. Beer. Superintendent of Associate Helpers—Miss Christie. Superintendent of Systematic Giving—Mrs. R. J. Webster. Superintendent of Mite Boxes—Mrs. Green.

Superintendent of Outlook—Mrs. Hance. Pianist—Mrs. Andrews.

LATE MISS SHIPLEY

Death of Esteemed Young Lady at Falkirk, Ont.

It is with profound regret that the many friends of Miss Jean M. Shipley will learn of her death, which took place at her home in Falkirk, Ont., on Friday, April 15, after an illness of less than a week's duration. The disease was diagnosed as tetanus, or lockjaw, and in spite of all the efforts of the attending physicians, her condition gradually grew worse, and at 9 o'clock on the morning of the above date she died.

Bright and cheerful in disposition, she was beloved by all who knew her, and her loss will be keenly felt, especially among the young people, as she was only 22 years of age. She was a consistent member of the Carlisle Presbyterian congregation, amongst whom she was an earnest worker, being organist for the Young People's Guild, and a valued member of the choir.

The funeral was held on the afternoon of Monday, April 18, to Carlisle Cemetery, and was one of the largest ever seen in that vicinity.

The floral offerings were beautiful in the extreme, the Tennis Club, the Guild, and the choir, each furnishing a wreath in token of the high esteem in which she was held. Similar tokens were also in evidence from near friends of the family.

Besides her sorrowing parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Shipley, she is survived by five sisters and one brother, all at home, and the deep sympathy of all their friends is extended to them in their bereavement.

WOULDN'T BE KODAKED

Kingston, April 29.—Dullman, the Welland man, who is serving a life sentence in Kingston Penitentiary, has been placed in solitary confinement for refusing to allow himself to be photographed in accordance with instructions from the justice department.

GREAT LUMBER FIRE

Saguenay, Quebec, April 29.—Advices from Saguenay, Quebec, state that a fire last night destroyed the lumber yard of the Humbird lumber Co. there and threatened the towns of Pondy and Kootenai. It is estimated that the yard contained over 50,000 feet of lumber, and the loss is estimated at half a million dollars.

Greater Prince Rupert

Mail advices to the traffic department of the Grand Trunk Pacific this week show that there is great activity, both in new building operations and in the rapid advance in real estate in Prince Rupert, which in another two months will complete its first year of existence. It is nothing unusual for a million feet of lumber to be delivered at Prince Rupert in a single week and it melts away as fast as teams and men can handle it. A number of leaseholders are starting to build wharves, and the new concrete wharf of the British Columbia Government will also be under way at once. The Grand Trunk Pacific is planning further large additions to its already extensive wharves. The British Columbia Legislature late in the session, which has just closed, gave Prince Rupert a charter as a town, with special privileges and rights as to the control of municipal water and lighting privileges not enjoyed by other cities in British Columbia. The population of Prince Rupert believe that the inauguration of their own principal government, instead of being administered by commissioners, will mean a further stimulus to the already phenomenal, if not magical, growth of the town.

Dispatches from the West state that the survey of the Grand Trunk Pacific line from Watrous to Prince Rupert has been completed.

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EXPLOSION WRECKS JAPANESE CITY

One Hundred and Thirty Tons of Dynamite on Lighter Blown Up.

Victoria, B. C., April 30.—Shaking Kobe with the force of an earthquake and leaving damage suggestive of a typhoon, a terrific explosion took place on a dynamite lighter in Kobe harbor on April 7, according to news brought yesterday by the steamer Awa.

Not only was immense damage sustained ashore, including more than 15,000 buildings damaged, two persons killed and 83 injured, but the Blue Funnel liner Myrmidon and some other vessels narrowly escaped. Several steamers were quickly moved when they were killed.

The explosion ignited 130 tons of dynamite and three other lighters, holding 50 tons more, were sunk by the upheaval without exploding. A huge column of water and debris was thrown up and a number of persons on shore were thrown down, as were also officers on several steamers in the harbor.

Not a house in Kobe escaped damage. Many buildings along the Bund, notably the Oriental Hotel, the German consulate and steamship business offices were severely damaged. There were only two men on the lighter. Both were killed.

News from Western Ontario

SARNIA BOY SAVES
LAD FROM DROWNING

Young Fred Buchanan Was the Hero—The Passing of a Pioneer.

SARNIA REPRESENTATIVE—Mr. Geo. H. Huggins, 111 Charlotte street, Telephone 243.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, April 29.—The death occurred here yesterday of one of Sarnia's oldest residents, James Yeates, sen., who passed peacefully away at his home, lot 26, concession 9, Sarnia Township. Deceased, who was in his 82nd year, came to Sarnia a year ago, and at one time conducted a brick yard on Christina street. After living here five years he moved to Moore Township, where he followed farming for four years, moving thence to Sarnia Township, on the farm where he died. He is survived by his widow and six sons, Albert, of Port Huron, James, at home; William and Martin, of Alberta; C. L. Yeates, of Sarnia, and Charles, of Flint, Mich.; also two daughters, Mrs. Rose, of Sarnia, and Mrs. Parker, of Cornwall. The funeral will be held from his late residence, on Saturday afternoon to Blackwell cemetery. Services at the house at 1:30.

A drainage demonstration under the auspices of the O. A. C. Guelph, will be given on the farm of J. W. McDonald, lots 10 and 11, concession 9, Moore Township, on Thursday, May 5, commencing at 10 a.m.

Big Lumber Piles. The management of the Cleveland-Sarnia Sawmills Company have extensive plans underway for the removal of the largest piles of lumber which are stored along their wharves here. It is the intention of the company to ship this lumber to Cleveland, whence it will be distributed throughout the different states. There is enough lumber at the yards here to send at least a cargo a day throughout the season.

The Mission Band of the Central Baptist Church will give a cantata in the auditorium this evening.

Heroic Rescue. A drowning accident was narrowly averted here shortly before 5 o'clock last evening. The little 10-year-old son of Dr. A. E. Mullin, and a boy named Fred Buchanan, were playing in a gas buoy, which had been placed in the river just in front of the waterworks dock, when the buoy fell in the water, and had gone down twice when his companion, Buchanan, jumped in and swam after Young Mullin, who was being carried away by the current. The two boys were rescued, and despite the fact that Mullin, who had hold of his neck, was choking him, he held on and brought the boy close to shore, and both were hauled out of the water by William Sifers. The two lads were taken to the waterworks building close by, and after having their clothes dried, were able to proceed home.

STONE TOWN NEWS

Funeral of an Esteemed Pioneer—Big Goose-Egg-Smooth Specialist.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Marys, April 29.—The funeral of the late Alexander Sinclair took place yesterday from the residence of his son, Mr. T. L. Sinclair, Wellington street south. It was largely attended, and many tributes were taken to the casket. The local court of Independent Order of Foresters, of which deceased was a member, attended in a body. Bishop R. C. Evans, of the latter day Saints, conducted a very impressive funeral service at the house and also officiated at the grave.

Charles Whitworth, janitor of the Traders' Bank, has bought the house and lot at the corner of Elgin and John streets, from his brother, Mr. H. Whitworth, and moved into it this week.

The Thames Quarry Company has had an electric motor pump at work for the past few days, and is now pumping out the water from the old Elliott quarry. When it is dry, the company will again work the old quarry.

W. H. Judd, Water street south, is the possessor of an unusually large goose-egg. Its dimensions are 1 1/2 long, with a circumference of 9 inches.

A lady hair specialist canvasser was here the first part of last week, and called on many householders and merchants, with her hair remedies. Having become acquainted with the names of a number of ladies in town, she went to several stores, and made purchases from about \$4 to \$6 at each shop, and by making use of these ladies' names as references, and paying a small sum on each purchase, she secured credit for the balance, to be paid last Saturday night. But this charming, well-dressed lady has not yet returned with that "ready" cash, but she "May" be looked after suddenly if that will "house" any difference to those who are out of the price of the goods.

SALMONVILLE NEWS.

Salmonville, April 29.—Miss Hannah Salmon has returned home after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wolk, of London.

Mr. Edward Guest has been pruning his orchard, which has made quite an improvement.

Mr. Robert McGuffin is very busy getting material ready for his barn. Mr. William Salmon has rented his house in Thorndale, and is staying with his nephew on the farm.

LOBO NEWS.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Lobo, April 29.—Mr. Walter Campbell and Mr. Nelson Chalmers, of Lobo, have gone to Detroit, where they intend buying an auto. They both intend going into the auto business upon their return.

Mr. Duncan Carmichael, of Lobo village, is very ill at his nephew's, Mr. Archie Campbell, Carleton place. Mr. J. D. Sinclair has bought a new gasoline engine, and is using it for plowing his farm.

A beautiful farm was lost recently on the Sarnia gravel road; the person finding it will be rewarded by returning it to the corner of concession 7 and Main road.

Mr. H. Brook has moved into the Temperance House in Lobo Village. He intends running an ice cream parlor in the warm weather, commencing May 1.

There will be the usual services in the First Lobo Church Sunday morning and evening.

RIDGETOWN.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ridgeway, April 30.—Ridgeway will celebrate May 24 in right royal style. There will be a full list of athletic and other sports in the forenoon, and horse races in the afternoon at the fair grounds, then a grand concert will be given in the evening.

The R. C. I. football team visited Chatham on Friday for a game with the Collegiate of that place. They were surprised to find that a picked team of the city had been gathered to give them battle. While the Chatham boys were much larger than the visitors they found the players from the Ridge made the pure stuff and were unable to score on them; in fact, they were kept busy defending their own goal.

Mr. W. B. Thilne, a progressive Oxford farmer, who was an interested spectator at the Howard spring fair, was standing close to the animals being shown, when a horse owned by Mr. Stanton, of Thamesville, kicked with both feet striking Mr. Thilne at one side of the stomach, breaking three ribs and injuring him internally.

It now seems probable that the \$1,000 offered by Dr. Clifton Hodge, of Clark University, Worcester, Mass., for a nest of wild pigeons will go to T. Spence, a farmer in Harwich Township. Mr. Spence is thoroughly reliable, and has seen in his time thousands of wild pigeons.

Howard spring fair was held here on Saturday and proved a very successful show. Many fine animals were shown, and so evenly were they judged that the judges awarded the prizes with difficulty.

The annual meeting of the East Kent Liberal Association for the Ontario House was held in the town hall Monday afternoon, and much enthusiasm prevailed. New officers were elected as follows: President, Angus Gillanders; vice-president, H. D. Reynolds; secretary, O. K. Watson. A resolution was passed endorsing the policy of Hon. A. G. MacKay and the Liberal party of Ontario.

Mr. C. G. Locke, barrister, of Lucknow, is spending a few days with his parents here.

ARVA.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Arva, April 30.—The Epworth League held its annual meeting on Thursday evening, when the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. W. R. Westlake; first vice-president, Homer Knapton; second vice-president, Miss M. Hawkins; third vice-president, Mrs. Taylor; fourth vice-president, Miss Elliott; treasurer, Miss Kestle; recording secretary, Herman Fortner; corresponding secretary, W. C. Westlake; organist, Mrs. Taylor; assistant organist, Miss Elliott. The reports from the various churches showed that interest was being kept up in all the departments.

Mr. J. C. Elliott has gone to the Northwest to visit friends.

Miss Brown, of Brown's Corners, spent Sunday with friends here.

Quarterly services will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday next. Rev. Mr. Dewey will preach at 2:30 p.m.

WATFORD.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Watford, April 30.—Gordon Abbott, Detroit, was at home for a few days this week.

W. J. Doan was in Toronto on business this week.

Miss Essie Howden, London, visited relatives in town on Wednesday, prior to leaving for a trip to Ireland. Miss Howden sails from New York on May 4, by the steamer Carmania of the Cunard Line.

Rev. C. A. Parsons, having accepted a call to another field of labor, will preach his farewell sermon in the Watford Baptist Church on Sunday evening, May 8.

The lumber and coal business here-tofore conducted under the name of Mr. A. E. Anderson, has been sold to Mr. Geo. Chambers, possession to be given Oct. 1.

Mrs. H. E. Bradley, Toronto, is the guest of her brother, H. A. Cook, of London, on her visit to this town. She has taken a position as coal-maker in Swift's tailoring establishment.

Arthur Brown has accepted a position in the advertising department of the Montreal Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fawcett and son, of London, and Dr. W. C. Fawcett, of Starkeweather, Dakota, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Thompson this week.

The entertainment in the Lyceum on Monday evening given by the scholars of the Methodist Sunday school and their friends, under the direction of Miss A. L. Doty, was a decided success in every way. The proceeds amounted to about \$75.

Mrs. Wm. McLeay is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Thomas, Inwood.

P. J. Dodds visited relatives in Arva, Mich., this week.

Mr. Alex. McQuillen, Yokohama, is visiting friends in Watford and vicinity.

Mr. J. M. Robinson was here this week.

DOINGS IN DELAWARE. [Special to The Advertiser.] Delaware, April 30.—Mrs. Montgomery had the misfortune to trip on a number of carpenter's tools in her room in her home and in putting out her hand to break the fall she sustained a bad fracture of the wrist. Dr. Morris was called in and reduced the fracture, and she is now doing fairly well.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams at high noon on Saturday, when their daughter, Rose, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. H. Jones. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Fisher, of Lambeth. Only the members of the family being present. After the ceremony the bride and groom took the train at Komoka for points east. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Jones will set up housekeeping on York street in the village.

Miss Grace Williams, of Hamilton, spent a few days at her home here on the occasion of the wedding of her sister Rose. Mr. D. W. Williams, who is stationed on a Methodist Church circuit in Essex County, was also home for a few days the fore part of the week.

Miss Annie McFee, of London, is a visitor at present at the Williams' home.

The remains of the late John J. Vail, of Reesor, Mich., were brought here to the home of his sister, Mrs. Albee, on Monday evening, and were interred in the family plot in Riverside Cemetery in Tuesday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. John Vail, of Dorchester, assisted by

Rev. P. A. Nichol, of St. Andrew's Church, here. Mr. Vail for many years was a highly esteemed resident of the village and vicinity. He was engaged in the grocery business for a number of years, after which he retired to a small farm near the village. After disposing of his property here he went to a farm near Newbury, where he lived for a few years, and then, with his son Albert, as a partner, they opened a general store in Newbury. A few years ago he sold out his interest in the business to his son and had since been living retired.

For the past two years he had been living with a married daughter at Reesor, Mich. Mr. Vail was in his 82nd year, and is survived by four sons and two daughters. Mrs. Vail predeceased him several years ago. The sons are, Charles, station agent at Watford; Albert in business in Edmonton, Alta., and John and George, farming in Saskatchewan. The daughters are, Mrs. Geo. Andrews and Miss Millie, of Reesor, Mich.

Mr. W. A. Vail, of Marlette, Mich., was in the village on Tuesday attending the funeral of his uncle.

THE HORSE SHOW AT MELBOURNE

Was a Decided Success in Spite of Unfavorable Weather.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Melbourne, April 30.—The horse show held at Melbourne on Tuesday, April 26, was a decided success in spite of the unfavorable weather, and although a number of the horses were consequently left at home, the attendance of visitors was also much larger than expected under the prevailing conditions.

At 2 o'clock sharp a procession was formed, headed by the Melbourne Brass Band, which marched through the streets, making a grand display, and the excellent manner in which the whole affair was conducted by the able president A. P. McDougall, was subject of general commendation. It is the intention of committee to have an annual exhibition here and next year an effort will be made to excel this year's display.

A great centre of the horse industry in the western district such an exhibition should be well patronized. The following horses were on exhibition:

Clydes—Prince of Wales, owned by Trotty & Fauds, Muncy, Sir Collin, owned by David Hardy, Mayfair. Percherons—Villeroi, John Brodie, Burwell postoffice; Bath, James Showers, Melbourne; Young, Landsdowne, George Jeffery, North Eglon, Mayfair. Hackneys—Jubilee Chief, Dan McIntyre, Appin.

Roadsters—Harold O. Wm. Lockwood, Melbourne; Paddy R. James Showers, Melbourne.

PETROLEA. [Special to The Advertiser.] Petrolia, April 29.—The name of Mr. George W. Vail, the clerk of Ennisville, is prominently mentioned as successor to Mr. Hutchcroft, late of the Petrolia Advertiser, who, as already stated, is leaving for Vancouver.

An old resident of this district, Mary Hubbard, relict of the late John Starpleton, passed away Tuesday night, at her son's home, on Dufferin avenue, at the age of 75 years. The remains will be interred in the Roman Catholic cemetery on Friday.

Several of our businessmen are changing the location of their stores and offices. The following are among those on the move: Caldwell Bros., C. M. Vanvalkenburg, James Peat & Sons, and Dr. Drummond.

A movement to raise the amount of the poolroom licenses from \$15 to \$75 was defeated at this week's council meeting.

The residents of Main street west, headed by Mr. B. P. Corey, have petitioned the council for a pavement to the head of their class as German diabol, and to the town limits. This is the first residential petition of the town, and a good pavement would complete its attractiveness.

LYONS. [Special to The Advertiser.] Lyons, April 29.—The Epworth League, of Lyons, are making preparations for their banquet to be held in the town hall on the evening of May 1. About 150 invitations have been sent out. The twentieth century Orchestra, of Springfield, will be present, and solos will be sung by Mrs. H. F. Kennedy, Mrs. George Demery and Clayton Simpson. A duet will be given by Rev. H. H. Hine, of London Junction, and Rev. P. Kennedy, of Lyons. The toast list will include the following:

"Our Guests," proposed by Mrs. (Rev.) H. F. Kennedy, responded to by Rev. C. C. Kane, of Lyons.

"What Help the League Expects From the Pastor," Orvis Babcock.

"What Help the Pastor Expects From the League," Rev. J. A. McKelvey, S. F. L. of Lyons.

"Our Ladies," proposed by Rev. A. W. Hone, responded to by Mrs. Wm. Boyes.

"Our Missionary Society," proposed by Mr. William Chambers, responded to by Rev. W. W. Knowles, M.A., B.D., of Avon.

"Our Young Men," proposed by Mr. J. C. Blake, responded to by Rev. A. M. Stewart, of Orwell.

"Our Sovereign King Edward VII.," proposed by Mr. Wilson McCready, responded to by singing the National Anthem.

Miss Eva Noble left on Tuesday for Glenora to visit friends there.

Misses Laura York and Maude Law of Harrietsville, spent Sunday at Aylmer.

MARINE

Port Huron, Mich., April 29.—The McMorran Wrecking Company steamer Mary Grace arrived here with the sandusucker Reliance, which was turtle last fall on Lake St. Clair.

The Reliance was placed in the Wolverine drydock, where she will be given a complete rebuilding.

Vessels in Passages. Detroit, April 29.—Up: Muncy, 10 Thursday p.m.; Edward Smith, barges, 10:30; W. J. Carter, 11:30; Dunham, 12:30 Friday a.m.; Alpena, Kenora, Hines, and barges, 3:30; Peck, 4:30; A. E. Ames, 5; Colgate, Marcell, 5:20; Sheafie, 11:30; Elphicke, Tyrone, Mount Clemens, noon; Utica Scott 3 p.m.; City of Paris, 5; Haddington, arriving, 8.

Cornwall, midnight, Thursday: Gates, 3 Friday a.m.; Leigh, 3:15; Andaste, 3:30; Simla, 4:15; Ball Bros., George Stephenson, 5:30; Morgan, 6:20; North Queen, 7:30; Manchester, 9:30; Wade, Ann, 10:30; Delmel, 10:15; Caledonia, 12:30 p.m.; Niko, Peterson, Tilden, 2; Iroquois, 3; Superior, 4:15; Mount Stephen, 4:40; Schiller, 6:40; Peter White, 6:50; Mohawk, 7:30.

Sarnia, April 29.—Up: Zimmerman, 9 Thursday night; Wickes, 9:20; Matilda, 11:30; Susquehanna, midnight; Parnell, 12:40 Friday a.m.; Turret Court, 12:50; Ireland, 3:40; Dan Hanna, Gratwick, big, 4; Muncy, 4:30; Martin, 4:40; Carter, 5; Dunham, 7:40; Edward Smith and consort, 7:50; Alpena, 8:30; Peck, noon; Ed Hines and consorts, 3:30 p.m.; Colgate and consorts, 3:40; Sheafie, 6:15; Kenora, 6:40.

Down: Gates, 9 Thursday p.m.; Leigh, 9:10; Andaste, 9:15; Simla, 10; Ball Bros., 11:30; Geo. Stephenson, 12:20 Friday a.m.; Morgan, Jun. 12:40; Northern Queen, 2:10; Wade, 3:50; Manchester, 4; Fanny, 4:30; Cape Caledonia, 6:10; Niko and consort, 6:20; Mt. Stephen, 8:50; Iroquois, 9; M. T. Green, 9:35; Lyon Bros., 11; Superior, 11:30; Schiller, 12:30 p.m.; 1:20 p.m., Price McKinney, P. F. Miller, 4:15; George S. Baker, F. Carbray, 6:25; P. L. Pennington, Selwyn Eddy, Oceanic, 8:35.

Down: Ishpeming, James Edwards, 10:35 Thursday p.m.; C. Sablin, 12:20 Friday a.m.; Alexis W. Thompson, 12:45; Thos. P. Cole, 3:40; Buffalo, 4:55; Samuel F. B. Morse, 6:45; Schenck, 8:10; Princeton, 8:35; Mahoning, Midland, King, 10:30; Crescent City, Thomas Mathan, 12:30 p.m.; E. J. Townsend, J. H. Plummer, 2:50; Gen. O. M. Poe Robert Holland, Caribou, Exile, 5:40; Superior City, Fairmount, 7:15.

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LONDON STUDENTS FOR YUKON MISSION WORK

Bishop Stringer Accepts the Offer of Messrs. C. C. Brett and W. G. Blackwell of Huron College.

Principal Waller, of Huron College, received word from Bishop Stringer, of the Yukon, yesterday, accepting the offer of Messrs. Charles C. Brett and William G. Blackwell, two young men who are attending the college, and will graduate this spring, to work with him in the far north. Mr. Brett will be stationed at the Yukon, and will be engaged to a great extent in doing mission work among the Indians and miners, while Mr. Blackwell will work among the miners along different creeks.

The young men leave London on June 2, and will be ordained by Bishop Stringer upon their arrival at Whitehorse. Mr. Brett's home is in Calumet, and he entered Huron College in 1906. Mr. Blackwell is a London boy, and also commenced his course in 1906.

Messrs. Alex. D. Currie and E. G. Howard will leave shortly for Calgary to take up mission work in that diocese under Bishop Pinkham. They will be ordained in this city before leaving for Calgary.

There will be five other graduates from Huron College this spring.

Mission Work.

Principal Waller will preach at the Church of St. John the Evangelist tomorrow evening, and will give an account of the work to be done in the Yukon. The two young men going to the Yukon will need furs and equipment suitable for the rigorous climate, and any donations will be gladly received.

WEDDED IN LONDON

Miss Lottie Montgomery Becomes the Bride of Mr. Fred Trim.

Miss Lottie Montgomery, of Aylmer, daughter of Mr. John Montgomery, of Dunbar, Monaghan, Ireland, was united in marriage at the First Presbyterian Church manse, on Wednesday, to Mr. Fred Trim, of Malahide, only son of Mr. Albert Trim, Rev. J. G. Trim officiated. The bride was attired in a handsome suit of blue broadcloth, and the many useful and valuable presents received testified to the esteem in which she is held. Mr. and Mrs. Trim will spend a short honeymoon in Brantford, Niagara Falls and Buffalo, and on their return will reside on the farm five miles northeast of Aylmer. Their hosts of friends here wish them all kinds of success and prosperity.

HOW CHIVALRY SURVIVES.

Chivalry up to date is amusingly exemplified on the South Side trolley lines.

In an older day it was obligatory upon a man to arise and give his seat to a woman, and the custom has not been entirely forgotten. The female invasion of industry at length wore off the fine bloom of this courtesy, and the custom as a custom has practically vanished upon many car lines in the city. But for the honor of our manhood we are glad to note that a substitute code has grown up in its place.

Nowadays men in a crowded car do not "make a break" for any seat that becomes empty through the exit of a passenger. Instead, they stand like Spartans waiting until the nearest woman can have her attention attracted to the vacancy and move dignifiedly forward to it. This custom is not so inconvenient, not so self-sacrificing, not so gallant as the peremptory rule which it has superseded. Still, it retains the rudiments of an ancient chivalry, and for even a shadowy revival of romance in the daily life of this rugged city the gentle idealist may ever be thankful.—Chicago Post.

THE VICTORIA CROSS.

It is fifty-four years since the Victoria Cross was established. For a long time it had been felt that there should be some special recognition of conspicuous acts of bravery in war, and in the war in the Crimea furnished such a basis for the institution of the Victoria Cross, by royal warrant, instituted a new decoration for the army and navy, to be given for great deeds of daring. The medal was to be of bronze, inscribed, "For Valor," and to be known as "The Victoria Cross." In many quarters there was much opposition to the proposal. Several earnest officers, among them Sir Colin Campbell, declared that bravery was a duty of every soldier and sailor, and that a special act of valor had no more claim to special reward than a man's ordinary duty extraordinarily well done. Had in any other walk of life, their objections were overruled, however, and there is now no man in either service who would not be proud to receive the bronze medal. It has often been said that Queen Victoria never pinned the cross to the breast of a sailor, but it is difficult to recall the exact statement with the fact that the very first man to receive the V. C. was a sub-lieutenant in the navy, Charles David Lucas, who just over 20 years of age, who afterwards rose to the rank of rear admiral. When his ship, the Hecia, was bombarding the fortress of Bomarsund, a Russian shell fell on her deck right in the midst of her crew. Young Lucas, without a moment's hesitation, sprang forward and flung it into the sea. There are men in both services whose names are household words, and whose valor is beyond dispute.

MORE POWER TO RAILWAY BOARD

Several Important Measures Passed the Commons Yesterday.

Ottawa, April 29.—Several measures regarding railways were passed by the Commons today, among them being the Postmaster-General's bill to bring cable companies and their rates under the control of the railway commission.

Another important measure put through was Mr. Graham's bill to amend the railway act. These include the following: To extend authority of railway board to include works already begun, to simplify procedure regarding stringing wires across a railway, to shorten time limit of appeal from decisions of railway board, to widen liability of railways regarding the fencing of their property, and to limit liability of railways for loss by fire from locomotives to \$5,000 over the insurance.

Mr. Oliver's immigration and land titles bills were passed, as well as Mr. Graham's bill regarding the taking over of branch lines for the Intercolonial, with the Senate amendments rejected.

The Grand Trunk Pacific has decided to shorten time limit of appeal from decisions of railway board to six months, making in all eighteen.

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PITY THE POOR SPONGE!

Humanitarianism has discovered a new field for its activities, and a society is likely to be formed for the prevention of cruelty to sponges. Most men who know the sponge only as an unsightly mass of damp substance which absorbs in barber shops are unaware that the sponge is really an animal that once deposited itself in the slimy ooze of the sea bottom. The word "disposit" must be used in a restricted sense, for the sponge is rooted like a plant and has no record as a base runner. That is where the cruelty comes in. Horrified observers assure us that the sponge gatherers literally tear up the sponges by the roots and leave them in the sun to die. Unfold agonies, they declare, are suffered by the poor sponges as they lie under the torrid sun before they are mercifully released by death and give up the ghost—assuming that a sponge has a ghost to give up.

Now it is proposed to step in and stop this barbarous practice. Just what measures are to be taken has not been revealed, but very likely it is intended to chloroform the sponges before tearing them up by the roots. Some may even further demand that the suffering sponges be not squeezed too hard at any later period of their existence, nor plunged into water that is likely to scald them or to freeze their toes. Be sure of it, there will be no letting up in the agitation until man's inhumanity to sponges has been completely cured.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

AN IMPERIAL UNIVERSITY HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED IN PEKIN, and a Scotsman has been appointed professor of political and economic science therein. Mr. Finlayson is a graduate of Aberdeen.

gagements for several months, will be confined to her bed for two weeks.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

EGGS AND BUTTER WERE PLENTIFUL

Prices on the Local Market Today Were, However, Very Firm.

APPLES WERE HIGH TOO

Live Hog Price Will Be \$8.50 a Hundredweight on Monday—A Large Market Today.

The market square was crowded to just about its utmost capacity this morning. In fact, it was probably the largest crowd this spring, and every inch of the area was jammed.

Eggs and butter were represented in large quantities. The offerings of butter and eggs were not confined alone to the market hall, but almost every farmer on the market square was well stocked.

Egg Prices.
Eggs are very firm. Basket lots sold for 24c a dozen, while 21c and 22c were paid for a single dozen. Wholesale dealers paid 18c and 19c for large cream lots and 20c for basket lots. Butter is inclined to be a little easier. Creamery was quoted mostly around 28c and 29c a pound. Bulk sell for 28c a pound, and crocks for 25c. The supply of butter is gradually increasing, and a decrease in price may be looked for shortly.

Hail a dozen loads of oats were in, 1.15 to 1.20 was paid for inferior grade, and 1.25 for loads of better quality.

Poultry is Scarce.
Poultry is still exceedingly scarce. A number of live birds were brought in, but the supply was comparatively small. Wholesale dealers report a very serious shortage in poultry just at present.

Dressed pork has been practically stationary all week at \$11.50 a cwt., and this price was maintained this morning. Live hogs will take another slight advance on Monday. Last Monday \$8.50 was the figure paid. Shippers state that \$5.50 will be the price of hogs on Monday.

Vegetables.
Vegetables and garden produce were present in abundance and prices were practically unchanged. Rhubarb is a little easier and sold this morning for 10c a dozen. Green onions are plentiful at 25c a dozen. Lettuce is rather scarce, very little being noticed this morning. Lettuce sold for 40c a dozen. Asparagus is cheaper at 80c a dozen bunches. Quite a number of farmers had little pigs for sale. The price of a pig of 30 to 40 lbs. is \$1.25 a pair.

Apples are high. The supply is practically depleted. \$2.50 a barrel is the ruling figure for good apples. They were selling from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a barrel. Potatoes were very plentiful, some very large loads being in. Seed potatoes sold for 40c a bag. Over on potato row the figures quoted were 60c a single bag and 50c to 55c by the load.

Other quotations.
Oats, per cwt. \$1.15 to \$1.25
Barley, per cwt. 1.10 to 1.15
Peas, per cwt. 1.10 to 1.15
Rye, per cwt. 1.05 to 1.10
Wheat, per cwt. 1.05 to 1.10

Grain per Bushel.
Oats, new, per bushel 2.5 to 3.5
Barley, per bushel 2.5 to 3.5
Wheat, per bushel 2.5 to 3.5
Rye, per bushel 2.5 to 3.5
Peas, per bushel 2.5 to 3.5
Beans, per bushel 2.5 to 3.5
Hay, per ton 15.00 to 16.00
Straw, per ton 5.00 to 6.00

Dairy Products.
Butter, creamery, lb. 28 to 30
Butter, colls, per lb. 28 to 30
Butter, crocks, lb. 28 to 30
Butter, store lots, lb. 28 to 30
Eggs, rate, doz. 20 to 25
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen 20 to 25
Eggs, retail 20 to 25
Eggs, basket, doz. 20 to 25
Honey, strained, lb. 10 to 12
Honey, in comb. 12 to 15
Maple syrup 12 to 15

Poultry, Dressed.
Turkeys, per lb. 15 to 18
Ducks, spring, per lb. 14 to 15
Old ducks, per lb. 12 to 14
Young chickens, per lb. 14 to 16
Geese, per lb. 12 to 14
Spring chickens 12 to 14

Poultry, Alive.
Young fowl, per lb. 12 to 13
Old fowl, per lb. 12 to 13
Turkeys, per lb. 12 to 13
Ducks, per lb. 10 to 12
Spring chickens 10 to 12

Butchers' Meats.
Beef, by the cut 10 to 11
Mutton, per cwt. 8.00 to 10.00
Pork, per cwt. 10 to 12
Dressed hams, per cwt. 10 to 12
Cakes, per cwt. 6.00 to 8.00
Spring hams, each 4.00 to 6.00
Veal, per cwt. 7.00 to 9.00
Pork, hams, each 10 to 12
Pork, hindquarters 10 to 12

Live Stock.
Small pigs, per cwt. 5.00 to 6.00
Sow pigs, per cwt. 5.00 to 6.00
Stags, per cwt. 2.00 to 3.00
Export cattle, cwt. 5.00 to 6.00
Milk cows, each 4.00 to 6.00
Spring lambs, each 4.00 to 6.00

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Wool, unwashed, per lb.	1.20	Wool, unwashed, per lb.	2.00
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	8.00	Hides, No. 2, per lb.	7.00
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	6.00	Hides, No. 4, per lb.	5.00
Sheepskins, each	70 to 125	Sheepskins, each	70 to 125
Yellow rough, lb.	2 1/2 to 3 1/2	Yellow rough, lb.	2 1/2 to 3 1/2
Tallow, rendered, lb.	6 to 8	Tallow, rendered, lb.	6 to 8

Vegetables.	Price	Vegetables.	Price
Potatoes, bag, retail	50 to 60	Potatoes, bag, wholesale	50 to 60
Turnips, per bushel	25 to 30	Turnips, per bushel	25 to 30
Celery, per dozen	30 to 40	Celery, per dozen	30 to 40
Lettuce, per dozen	40 to 50	Lettuce, per dozen	40 to 50
Sage, per dozen	20 to 30	Sage, per dozen	20 to 30
Savory, per dozen	20 to 30	Savory, per dozen	20 to 30
Cabbage, dozen (to size)	30 to 40	Cabbage, dozen (to size)	30 to 40
Red cabbage, dozen	40 to 50	Red cabbage, dozen	40 to 50
Onions, per bushel	1.00 to 1.10	Onions, per bushel	1.00 to 1.10
Beets, per bushel	60 to 70	Beets, per bushel	60 to 70
Carrots, per bushel	60 to 70	Carrots, per bushel	60 to 70
Green onions, per bushel	60 to 70	Green onions, per bushel	60 to 70
Rhubarb, per dozen	30 to 40	Rhubarb, per dozen	30 to 40
Carrots, per bushel	40 to 50	Carrots, per bushel	40 to 50
Radishes, dozen bunches	40 to 50	Radishes, dozen bunches	40 to 50
Spinach, per bushel	40 to 50	Spinach, per bushel	40 to 50
Asparagus, dozen bunches	80 to 90	Asparagus, dozen bunches	80 to 90

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LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Mrs. Alice Henderson has been
engaged to take four of her pupils to
Alvinston on May 24 to give an exhibi-
tion of Scotch and fancy dancing at
the demonstration to be held there
that day.

—Ex-Ald. H. M. Douglass has been
confined to his home for some days,
through illness.

Not the Man.
Mr. William Lashbrook, of the Lon-
don House, wishes to state that he was
not the person of that name fined for
allowing a dog to run at large unmuzzled.

Thanks:
Rev. E. H. Peatfield, of the First
Congregational Church, desires to
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and practically expressed their sym-
pathy in his recent sickness. The
pastor hopes to take his work as usual
on Sunday, and at the evening ser-
vice he will resume the work on Re-
velation, his subject being "The Wo-
man and the Red Dragon." Mr. Peat-
field hopes to meet good congrega-
tions at both services.

May Dances.
Messrs. Dayton & McCormick have
issued invitations for their series of
dancing "May Dances" to be held at
the Academy during the month.
The first one will be held next Monday
evening, May 2.

Too Much Dog.
The Ottawa Citizen says: "Probably
the first thing that the many Otta-
wans who attended Bishop Fallon's
consecration at London noticed when
they stepped off the train at that busy
Western Ontario city was the fact
that every dog that roamed around the
streets or nestled on his owner's door-
step was muzzled and tagged. Most
of the muzzles were primitive affairs
but served their purpose. On inquiry
the Citizen staff correspondent was
informed that over 500 untagged and
unmuzzled dogs had been shot since
the first outbreak of the rabies scare,
but even the fact that it was the only
thing between them and death did not
seem to make the animals which were
wearing their death sentence regard
the bite-preventing attachment."
There were less than 100 dogs killed in
London and nearly all were suffocated.

Sunday Appointments.

Following are the Huron College
Sunday appointments: St. Paul's
morning, St. John the Evangelist,
evening, Rev. Principal Waller; St.
Paul's, evening, and St. John the
Evangelist morning, Prof. Jeakin;
Kingsville morning and Leamington
evening, J. Cully; Thorndale, C. P.
Brett; St. James', South London, as-
sisting Dean Davis, E. Hawkins; Dres-
den, E. G. Heavens; Lambeth and
Chelsea Green, F. MacDonnell; Rip-
ley, R. W. Jones; Port Dover, F. V.
Vair; St. Matthew's, city, J. Cardigan;
All Saints', city, morning, A. D. Cur-
rie, evening, Rev. Mr. Westgate; Kel-
vin, A. H. Cree; Aged People's
Home, R. Buchanan; Pottersburg, H.
C. Light; Sutorville, A. Crumpler.

Praise For London Girl.

The Toronto Star says of Miss An-
nie M. Connor, daughter of ex-Ald.
Thomas Connor, of London, who is
now a resident of Toronto: One of
the most interesting and enjoyable re-
citals of the season was given in the
Conservatory Hall on Tuesday even-
ing by Miss Annie M. Connor, A.T.C.M.,
a very gifted pupil of Dr. Edward
Fisher. The young artist gave a dem-
onstration of very artistic and finished
piano playing, and proved herself one
of Toronto's most brilliant pianists.

She possesses much natural ability,
combined with deep sympathetic tem-
perament, and also a brilliant clean
technique, which so characterizes all
Dr. Fisher's pupils. The difficult piano
works she played were rendered with

real musical judgment, showing a
sound sense of rhythm and artistic
taste in tone shading. In Mendels-
sohn's Variations Series, op. 54,
Chopin's Andante Spianato, and Polon-
aise Brilliant, op. 22, and Weber's
"Concert Stuck," op. 75, she gave an
interpretation that brought out the
true romantic spirit of the composi-
tions. Her other numbers consisted of
"Bridal Procession," op. 19 (Grieg);
"Berceuse," op. 67 (Chopin), and "Con-
cert Etude," op. 12 (Mendelssohn). The
contrasted styles of these numbers were
played in thorough keeping with the
sentiment of the music. Miss Mona
Tates, A.T.C.M., also a clever pupil of
Dr. Fisher, played the vocal accom-
paniment to the Chopin and Weber
number on a second piano. Both Miss
Connor and her instructor, Dr. Fisher,
are heartily to be congratulated upon
the great artistic success of the re-
cital.

TRADE IS BRISK
SAYS BRADSTREET'S

Good Business in All Lines in
the Forest City.

IS IMPROVING ON COAST

The Commercial Situation in All the
Chief Centres of the Dominion.

Montreal reports to Bradstreet's say
general trade continues active in all
lines there. Sorting orders for spring
goods continue to come in freely al-
though retail trade is reported to be
on the quiet side. There continues an
excellent demand for all lines
of drygoods and travelers are
sending in good orders for fall lines.
The call for ready-made clothing is
heavy but shipments have been inter-
fered with by a strike of operatives.
This has been an excellent season for
silks in the face of high prices. Busi-
ness in furs is not so good and the
season's trade is expected in some
quarters to suffer from the high
prices ruling. There continues an ex-
cellent demand for all kinds of hard-
ware. Business in paints, oils, etc.,
has been particularly active. Metals
hold firm. Large shipments of heavy
goods are expected to move by water
freight during the next week or so.
A fair trade is moving in groceries
and prices in most cases are firm. Country
trade is quiet as farmers are still
busy on the land, and collections are
reported a little slow here and there.

Active at Toronto.
Toronto reports to Bradstreet's say
a good active movement of general
goods is reported by wholesalers here.
In drygoods, millinery, etc., the vol-
ume of sorting orders is excellent and
makers of ready-made clothing are
exceedingly busy. Values of all lines
hold steady to firm. Orders for fall
shipments are generally good, al-
though high prices tend to some extent
affecting the trade. Large quantities
of ready-made clothing are being
exported to the United States. The
country trade is showing fair activity
and but little complaint is heard on
the matter of collections. Pasturage
is now in excellent condition and re-
ceipts of produce are heavier and
prices are tending easier. Hogs and
their products continue very firm. Of-
ferings of wool are fairly large and of
good quality. Hides are quiet and the
demand for leather fair.

Better Tone at Coast.
Vancouver reports that the business
general business has shown a bet-
ter tone during the past week. The great
activity in lumbering, mining and
other provincial industries is result-
ing in a large demand for wholesale
lines at interior and up-coast points
and city trade is also good. Values
of commodities are generally steady.
Collections show some improvement
over those of a week or two ago.

Quebec reports to Bradstreet's say
the demand for general lines is brisk,
particularly hardware, building ma-
terial, etc. From country points, we
learn the recent rains have been a
boon to pasturage; the latter is well
advanced for the season. In the city
retailers speak encouragingly and
with favorable climatic conditions the
outlook is bright. Local industries are
being employed. Incoming steamers are
bringing in a large number of im-
migrants, the latter, it is anticipated,
will arrive in great numbers during
the season.

Hamilton reports say general busi-
ness continues active in tone. Retail
trade has been a little quiet owing to
much rain, but it was badly needed
and the country has benefited great-
ly. Local wholesalers report cheerful
prospects for the future and factories
here continue very busy. The hard-
ware trade is particularly active. Col-
lections are fair to good.

London reports say a good trade
continues to move in all lines of gen-
eral goods and the outlook for the
future is considered most encouraging.
Local wholesalers report good sorting
orders and factories are all busy. In
the latter connection the volume of
order for one dozen of this season
year ago. Collections are generally
good.

Ottawa reports say wholesale trade
there continues active and retail busi-
ness is fair. The feature of the
week is the excellent demand for builders'
supplies and the lumber business is
active in all branches. Collections are
fair.

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Fourteenth Annual Convention
of Society Scheduled for
Monday and Tuesday.

The fourteenth annual convention of
the Young People's Societies in the
London Presbytery will be held in
the New St. James' Church next Mon-
day and Tuesday. The session will
commence at 1 o'clock on Monday af-
ternoon, when the delegates will regis-
ter. At 2 o'clock the opening exer-
cises will be conducted by Rev. J. P.
Falconer, B.A., of Rodney. An ad-
dress of welcome will be read at 2:30
by Rev. Thomas Mitchell, pastor of
the New St. James' Church, and this
will be replied to by Rev. J. F. Scott,
of Port Stanley. During the after-
noon reports will be received from
various branches, and Rev. W. L.
Nichol, B.A., of Largs, will give an
address, which will be followed by a
paper by Miss Tena McPhail upon
"The Influence of Giving Upon the
Society." The discussion will be led
by Rev. G. F. N. Atkinson, of Appin.
A round table conference will be con-
ducted by Rev. W. S. McTavish, of
Kingston.

At the evening session, Rev. I. H.
Woods, of St. Thomas, will give an
address entitled "A Society's Ledger."
Hymns will be sung by Rev. W. S. McTavish,
of Kingston, will speak.

On Tuesday morning the reports of
the treasurer, executive committee, re-
solution committee and nomination
committee will be received.

The officers of the society are: Hon-
orary president, Rev. James Rollins;
president, Rev. W. L. Nichol; first
vice-president, A. W. Blare; second
vice-president, Miss M. Koles; cor-
responding secretary, J. A. Matheson; cor-
responding secretary, Miss Helena Mc-
Ivor; treasurer, Miss Jennie Carnegie;
executive, Mr. E. L. Taylor, Miss B.
Brodie, Miss J. Wallace, Miss Baillie,
Rev. J. C. McConachie, and Rev. J. F.
Scott.

Sale of Paintings, Water Colors
and Steel Engravings.

Very many people will regret to
learn that Mr. R. C. Brown, for sev-
eral years one of the well-known boot
and shoe merchants of the city, has
decided to remove to St. Louis, Mo.
Mr. Brown has been under a physici-
an's care since December, and is ad-
vised to seek rest and health by a
change of climate. He has, therefore,
called an auction sale of his house-
hold goods for Thursday, May 5, by
Mr. John W. Jones, the well-known
auctioneer, when the contents of his
ten-room house, 134 Maple street, will
be sold without reserve.

Among the effects there is a modest
collection of high-grade oil paintings,
water colors and steel engravings, by
celebrated artists, which Mr. Brown
would not part with only for being
compelled to do so by force of cir-
cumstances. One of these, "Lost," is
a smaller duplicate by Schenck of his
great masterpiece, now hanging in the
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New
York, purchased by that institution for
the magnificent sum of \$20,000. An-
other, "The Courier," is from the brush
of Carl Schuch, a noted German paint-
er, while a third, "On the Coast at
Bristol," is a water color by Mulhol-
land, the celebrated marine artist of
Philadelphia. The "Awakening of Love"
is an oil on tapestry, by Doull, a pupil
of Schenck and the "Scottish Raid," a
handsome steel engraving made from
Rosa Bonheur's painting of that title.

Several other world-famed artists are
represented in Mr. Brown's collection
of steel engravings, photographs and
oil paintings, among them being Land-
seer's "King of Beasts," in a unique
frame, showing the lion caged. Pros-
pective buyers and art collectors are
invited to call and examine Mr.
Brown's pictures on any afternoon be-
fore the sale from 3 to 6 o'clock.

WILL PRESENT THE CALL
TO REV. MR. BINGHAM

Talbot Street Baptist Church De-
putation Left for Paris in
Auto This Morning.

Messrs. J. W. Westervelt, sen., J. B.
Campbell, Andrew Dyle and J. L. Se-
cord, of the Talbot Street Baptist
Church, left this morning in an auto-
mobile for Paris, to formally convey
the call from the congregation to Rev.
H. H. Bingham, it is understood that
Mr. Bingham has unofficially accepted
the call, and that his acceptance will
be announced at tomorrow's services.
It is expected that he will arrive in
London about the middle of May.

TORONTO Y. M. C. A. FUND

The Grand Total Last Night Was
Close to \$300,000.
Toronto, April 29.—Below will be
found the result so far of the Y. M. C.
A. \$500,000 campaign:
Subscriptions announced on Thurs-
day night:
The Massey Estate, through
Mr. C. D. Massey \$100,000
(\$75,000 of which goes towards the
construction of the University Y. M. C.
A. Building).
E. R. Wood, chairman of the
Citizens' Committee 50,000
J. C. Eaton 50,000
These amounts have been given con-
ditionally upon the raising of the re-
mainder of the \$500,000.
Announced last night \$200,000
Citizens' Committee this morn-
ing 30,000
Business Men's Committee this
morning 54,215
Young Men's Committee this
morning 3,098

Grand total \$287,312
The following subscriptions for
\$1,000 and over have been received this
morning: Harry Ryrie, \$10,000; Thos.
Bradshaw, \$1,500; Brown Bros., \$1,000;
Richard Brown, \$1,000; J. H. Gandy,
\$5,000; J. H. Deacon, \$2,500; W. G.
McKendrick, \$1,500; J. M. Godfrey,
\$1,000; W. Craig, \$2,000; G. H. Wood,
\$10,000; A. J. Webster, \$1,000; M.
Rawlinson, \$1,000; Senator Cooke, \$25,000;
R. Y. Eaton, \$1,000; R. W. Eaton,
\$1,000; Harry McGee, \$1,000; Wm.
Davies, \$4,000; E. B. Ryckman, \$1,000.

WEST KENT LICENSES

The Commissioners Sanction Several
Important Transfers.

Chatham, Ont., April 30.—West Kent
license commissioners met last evening.
David Pagnault, of the Tecumseh
House, Wallaceburg, was granted a
transfer of license to Mahoney & Wool-
att, of Chatham, who are to make im-
provements satisfactory to the board.
The motion was rescinded regarding
Frank Martin's license for the Raymond
House at Mitchell's Bay, and a motion
was carried granting the license, on the
condition that Martin sell out to a per-
son suitable to the board. The new
license holder will be expected to spend
not less than \$1,200 on the Raymond
House for improvements.

The license for the Clairview House,
at the Bay, was left cut off, but to be
reinstated by Frank Martin. S. B. Arnold represented Mr.
Cartier, who is the owner of the Ray-
mond House building, and J. G. Kerr
represented Napoleon Brown, of the
Clairview House.

Those present were: Thomas A. Drew,
chairman; Dr. A. G. Campbell, of Wal-
laceburg; H. Wilson, of Tilbury, and
Secretary Thomas M. French.

COMMONWEALTH CABINET.
Melbourne, April 28.—The Common-
wealth cabinet is composed as follows:
Premier and Treasurer, H. Fisher; Min-
ister-General, A. T. Hughes; Minis-
ter of External Affairs, Batcher; Min-
ister of Defence, Pearce; Postmas-
ter-General, Thomas; Trade and Cu-
stoms, Tudor; Home Affairs, Smalley;
the Vice-President of the Executive
Council is McGregor; Honorary Minis-
ters, A. N. Fraser and Findlay.

The imports of the Commonwealth
in March were £4,507,000, an increase
of £203,000 on March, 1909; exports
were £6,235,000, an increase of £932,-
000.

KINDLING WOOD \$1

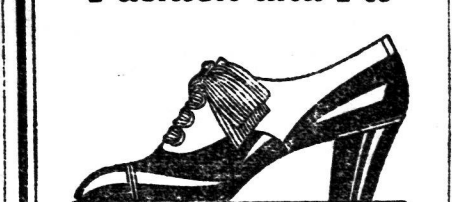
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ENGLAND

COSTLY LEAD SPOON.

Brought \$400 at Christie's—Belonged to Time of Henry VIII.

Two old lead spoons found in the Thames, when the Cannon street railway bridge was built in 1865, brought \$1 5s at Christie's, and a Henry VIII. spoon \$280.

Mr. Gordon Hake, the oldest baronet in England, celebrated his 99th birthday at Brighton a few days ago. The Marquis of Tullibardine, M. P. for West Perthshire, who is to cut the first sod of the Scottish Historical Exhibition site in the Kellington Park, has the distinction of being the only Scottish member at Westminster who can converse in Gaelic.

After 26 years' service Sgt. Geo. Bush, the jailer at Bow street police court, London, has retired from the Metropolitan Police. He has had 170,000 ordinary prisoners under his care, and at least 1,000 were extradited to almost every part of the world.

The death of a world-famous actor, Mr. Wm. Creeve, of Teddington, who was the first honorary secretary of the original M. C. A., occurred in London in 1911. He was one of the first associates of the late Sir George Williams in that branch, and was the only surviving member.

When a train from Newcastle arrived at Alnmouth lately, it was found that John Innes Nesbit, a bookkeeper in the employment of a colliery company, had been murdered in one of the compartments. Robbery was evidently the motive of the crime, as Mr. Nesbit had cashed a check for £370, and was taking the money as he did every fortnight, to a colliery, to pay the miners.

The education estimates for England, Scotland and Ireland are out. The total is £18,551,485, an increase of £200,000 over last year. England and Wales absorb £14,700,000 of this increase, and it is noted this grand total of nearly £19,000,000 only represents what comes out of the national treasury. It is estimated that the local authorities in England and Scotland spend over £12,000,000, so that the grand total expended on education cannot be less than £30,000,000.

Cowenry has the biggest automobile factory in Europe, employing 4,000 hands, and increasing its buildings with a view of doing greater business.

The death occurred recently at Neston of Mr. John Johnston Houghton, commodore of the Royal Mersey Yacht Club, a well-known yachtsman.

Dedicate children who attended a new fresh air school at Carlisle have improved in health so much that they are to be transferred to ordinary schools.

THE HORSE SMILES.

Motor Craze in London Said To Have Passed—Cantering in the Parks Again in Vogue.

The horse is beginning to smile again. The motor craze is said to have passed, and the morning canter in London parks is becoming popular.

Nearly 800,000 tons of paper are annually manufactured in the United Kingdom.

A queer English custom is that of decorating the black hearse horses with long black tails.

English doctors have discovered a new disease, which, they say, is due to an affection of the appendix.

From the Zoo it is learned that the daily allowance for a healthy lion is one-tenth of a horse.

If Lord Pirrie is correct, the Lusitania and the Mauritania will some day be among the smallest of relatively small tonnage.

The death has occurred at Stafford, at the age of 80, of the Rev. Dr. Russell Cowan, said to be the oldest Presbyterian minister in the kingdom.

While the capital of wealth of the United Kingdom is put at £15,000,000, that of the remainder of the Empire is reckoned at only £7,250,000,000.

Almost the last survivor of Sir James Ross' famous expedition to the Antarctic in 1829 has just died in the person of George Parr, aged 94, an ex-convict.

The steamship Osterley has just brought in the first West Australian apples imported into England. The fruit, which arrived in excellent condition, is of fine growth, and realized at Covent Garden from 21s to 27s per case.

General de Wet, the famous leader in the Boer war, and now a minister in the Orange Government, called on a meeting of farmers to slay "God Save the King" as lustily as they had just sung the hymn of the old republic. "We are all loyal British subjects now," cried de Wet, leading the national anthem.

During the football season a terrier at Stroud has regularly watched the matches of the local club, trotting down from his perch on the grand stand when the whistle blows. His owner never attends the matches.

Pictures and relics illustrating the Nelson period of the British navy are to be lent by the King to the Japanese Exhibition. His majesty has also promised to send some naval swords from the armory at Windsor, and the bullet by which Nelson met his death.

The Postmaster-General has returned to Mr. W. Long, of Milsted, Stirling-shire, with apologies for the non-delivery, a letter which Mr. Long posted to his brother, then in the Royal Artillery, stationed at Aldershot, 21 years ago. The letter had lain hidden in a box all the time.

Mr. Henry Loveday, stage manager, actor, musician and musical conductor, has died at Strawberry Hill, London.

While Burns' bureau fetched £600 in London, a desk of Wm. Blake only got £29 10s; Dickens', £13, and O'Connell's, £1 15s.

It is claimed that the building in

Westminster which was leased by Mr. J. S. Burroughes, head of the well-known billiard firm, to the Salvation Army, to be converted into a shelter for outcasts, has nearly cleared the Embankment at nights of its army of ragged sleepers.

In a discussion on feeding stuffs at the meeting in London of the General and Associated Chambers of Agriculture, Mr. Weston told of a case in Buckinghamshire where pigs' food was found on analysis to consist of sawdust and plaster of paris.

Morte Point, Morthe, one of the beauty spots of North Devon, has been formally handed over to Miss Chichester to the national trust on behalf of the public. The gift is in memory of Sir Bruce and Lady Chichester.

The honorary degree of doctor of laws will be conferred upon Mr. John Burns, Earl Cromer, Viscount Morley, Sir Archibald Geikie, and the Earl of Rosebery, at a congregation to be held in St. George's Hall, Liverpool, on June 22nd.

LIFEBOAT SERVICE.

A British Institution That Has Saved at Least 48,000 Lives.

Forty-eight thousand lives have been saved by the Lifeboat Institution's boats. This fact was emphasized by Lord Brassey, the lord warden of the Cinque Ports, on whose motion a branch of the Lifeboat Society fund was formed at Dover recently.

Mr. John Murray, speaking at the Criton Restaurant, said there were now 5,000 soundings scattered over the North Atlantic in deep water. Over a hundred were in depths beyond three miles. They knew one place four and a half miles deep.

Manchester, which is designed to be the memorial of Rev. Dr. MacLaren's 50 years' ministry at Union Chapel, has been begun.

The Cunard Steamship Company's annual report, reflects the depression in the shipping business generally. No dividend will be paid.

On an average men make about 28s 6d a week and women about 18s 6d in the cotton trade, and men 26s 10d and women 13s 10d in the woollen and worsted industry.

The Creation Society of England has been in existence for 36 years, and in the report for 1909 the council are happy to record that the adoption of creationism is steadily increasing.

In the parish church of Great Maplestead on Good Friday seven brothers took part in the musical portion of the service, six of them being in choir and the seventh being the organ.

Damage estimated at nearly £15,000 was caused by a fire on April 1, which gutted the premises of A. W. Lawson & Co., the retail jewellers, 23, Green street, Blackfriars road, London.

Last year 85,943 British emigrants went to Canada, 109,551 to the United States, 27,153 to Australia, 23,028 to South Africa, and 10,500 to New Zealand, an increase in every case except the last.

It is understood that Prince Henry of Wales is to be sent to Stone House School Broadstairs, which stands in its own grounds near the North Foreland. Stone House was the residence of the late Archbishop Tait.

A stag with a deep antler wound in the forehead swam across Loch Linne lately, and when the townspeople of Alnmore tried to shoot him, he swam back again, but was caught and killed in the water.

RINKING DECLINES.

Leeds Company Fails For \$35,000—Comments of Official Receiver.

The official receiver of Leeds presided over a meeting of creditors in the case of the Empire Roller Rink company, the deficiency exceeding £7,000. The report commented on the decline of the roller skating fashion.

Miss Carrick Moore, a grand-niece of General Sir John Moore, has given to the Royal Horticultural Museum the decorations, medals, field-glass and other relics of Sir John Moore and of his brother, Admiral Sir Graham Moore.

The record price of 220 guineas for an English-bred yearling Jersey bull was established at the sale of Lady de Rothschild's famous herd at Aston Clinton. The animal was a combination of Stormer and Lady Phyllis.

The office of Governor-General of the South African Union—Viscount Gladstone's new post—is added to those which, according to the king's regulations, entitle the holder to an artillery salute of nineteen guns.

A new rose, called "Juliet," was shown at the Royal Horticultural Society's Hall. It is a beautifully scented flower, of crimson, pink and yellow.

In an elm tree, close to the Three Magpies Inn, near Fairford, Gloucestershire, a nest has been built by two magpies. The proprietor of the inn is named Sparrow.

When the rector of St. James', Poole, announced on Sunday the banns of marriage between a young couple, the father of the young woman rose and said in a loud voice, "I forbid the banns." At the close of the service the father and his wife explained their objection.

A WOMAN'S BRAVERY.

School Teacher Gets Carnegie Reward For Saving Boy's Life.

For bravery in extinguishing the burning clothes of a 5-year-old boy, Miss Annie Smith, a Scarborough school teacher, has been awarded a certificate and £5 by the Carnegie Hero Fund trustees.

Mrs. Thompson, the widow of an agriculturalist lately living at Sutton-in-the-Elms, Leicestershire, has died under pathetic and remarkable circumstances. Her husband committed suicide by hanging himself, and the tragedy had such an effect on Mrs. Thompson that she lost the power of speech. Mrs. Thompson attended her late husband's funeral, and on returning home fell dead. She had not uttered a word since her husband died.

Mrs. Catherine Pratt died recently at Leicester in her 104th year. She had a distinct recollection of the rejoicings after the battle of Waterloo.

James A. Fatten, of Chicago, was hooded and hissed on the Manchester Cotton Exchange, and it was necessary for the police to protect him. Home is the best place for him.

Rev. John McNeill will act as minister-in-charge of St. George's Church, Myrtle street, Liverpool, for three months, in the hope of being able to revive the congregation.

The death is announced at Totnes of Mr. Thomas C. Kellock, one of the best-known Devonshire solicitors. The deceased, who was 86, had been four times mayor of the borough.

SCOTLAND

SHARP POSTMISTRESS.

Got Even With Customer Who Paid Her \$14 50 in Three-Penny Pieces.

A Lanarkshire postmistress explains how she got even with a customer who had paid for £2 18s of postal orders in three-penny pieces. First of all she kept him waiting while she counted over the coins three times, and then next day, when he came back to change some postal orders, she paid him out in the same three-penny pieces.

A boy named James Douglas died at Dumfries the other day from poisoning through eating hemlock roots, and another boy lies in a critical condition from the same cause.

Inverurie soup kitchen was closed on the 25th ult. It was open for ten weeks and during that time 7,000 hot dinners were provided.

Andrew Wisely, farm servant, North Ardroyne, Insh, committed suicide by allowing a train to run over him. He left money and deposit receipts to the value of between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

At Wick the cod fishing continues successful. The landings of cod during the week ending March 26 amounted to 250 score, valued at £211.

The telegraph steamer Monarch is laying a second cable between Kirkwall and the islands of Sanday and Stronsay.

The late Miss Brownlee, Burnbank Terrace, Glasgow, has left £23,000 to charitable and religious institutions, chiefly in that city.

A Glasgow beggar has been sent to jail for begging while he had £1 11s 4d in a bag.

The Glasgow Hairdressers' Association is making a strenuous endeavor to have Sunday closing made compulsory. There are 81,488 pupils on the rolls of 79 board schools in Glasgow.

Mr. Wm. Gillespie, one of the oldest railway officials in Scotland, died in Perth on the 28th of March. He commenced his railway career in 1847, and attended the late Queen Victoria on her journeys to and from Balmoral on over 100 occasions.

GREAT HERRING HAUL. Kircaldy Fishermen Catch More Fish Than Their Nets Will Hold.

On the 20th of March the Kircaldy fishermen caught more herrings in their nets than they could hold. They were washed ashore by the tide, and immediately after the news of the catch had been received hundreds of children and old people assembled on the beach, and gathered up the herrings on the shore.

A seal was shot lately on the beach about three miles from Cove, Berwickshire, by a party of sportsmen. It was about 15 pounds in weight.

Mrs. T. Mathieson, who has passed away at Campsie, had the unique distinction of being the oldest news agent in Scotland.

Old Gala House, Galashiels, has been purchased by Mr. Scott, of Gala, from Mr. Robertson, for preservation. A portion of the building is about four hundred years old.

Rev. Dr. James Williamson tells that there is in Kircaldy a lady who has just reached her 106th birthday. He has played chess with her when she was over 100 years old.

Denny & Co., Dumbarton, are about to spend £50,000 in enlarging their engine works.

Southwick school soup kitchen is now closed. It was open for 18 weeks and served 5,000 basins of soup.

Mr. W. H. McIntosh, Inverkeithing, has won the first medal in the class for agriculture and horticulture at Edinburgh.

An alarming explosion occurred in the Bridgton branch of the Royal Bank of Scotland at Glasgow, resulting in two women being severely injured. The bank was closed, and a chattering mob of curious onlookers, when she discovered an escape of gas.

With a light she proceeded to the strong room. As soon as the door was opened a terrific explosion took place, blowing the door into the ceiling and dislodging the plaster from the ceiling and walls. The woman's hair took fire, and she rushed out to the street, where several people ran to her assistance. A lady who was passing was thrown off the sidewalk.

AYR'S OLD BRIG. Preservation Work on This Famous Structure Nearing Completion.

The preservation work on the Auld Brig is nearing completion, and already the committee entrusted with the opening of the historic structure has provisionally fixed the 15th of June as the date of opening. The fête will be something in the nature of a national, and if the ideas of those at the head of affairs materialize then the most remarkable pageant probably ever seen in Ayrshire will be witnessed.

Among the recipients of the honorary degree of LL.D. at Edinburgh University graduation ceremony in July will be Commander Peary, Lieut. Gen. Staden-Powell, Lord Hugh Cecil, and Mr. J. A. Clyde, M. P. Mr. Cowan and Mr. Henschel will be invested on the same occasion with the honorary degree.

Schemes of wharf reconstruction, involving expenditure ranging from £52,550 to £50,500, have engaged the attention of a sub-committee of the Dundee harbor trust, and they are invited to recommend the reconstruction in ferro-concrete of about 410 lineal feet of wharf, including the Roundhead, and the erection of a single storey corrugated iron shed 373x125 feet.

Something like dimay has befallen the Roman Catholic community in the district, in consequence of the withdrawal of the Marquis of Bute having withdrawn his financial support from the Roman Catholic Church of St. John at Dumfries, near which town Dumfries

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House, the home of the marquis, is situated.

Secretary Haldane says the war office is not going to part with Dunbar barracks, but would use them for military purposes.

The centenary of the establishment of savings banks in Scotland is to be celebrated in Edinburgh on June 8, 9 and 10. It is expected that Lord Rosebery and the Postmaster-General will take part in the proceedings.

The number of vessels laid up on the Clyde is being rapidly reduced. There is now only one vessel at Glasgow on the unemployed list, as compared with nearly a dozen at the corresponding period of last year, and there are also fewer in the Glasgow harbor than have been the case at any time during the past few years.

The late Dr. John Burns, who died in Glasgow, at the age of 95, and who was well known and held in such high regard among his Bridgetown neighbors left over \$30,000 to be distributed in charity.

The House of Lords has unanimously held that the Earl of Lauderdale has no right nor title to the office and dignity of royal standard-bearer of Scotland, the real holder of the privilege being the act of 1600 being Mr. Strymouge-Vedderburgh, heir-male of the Strymouge family.

At a 'social meeting at Dunfermline on the 25th ult. Mr. Wm. Robertson, a manufacturer, said that the prospects in the linen industry pointed to good trade for a fairly long time.

The question of salmon and net fishing on the Tweed is likely to be dealt with by the Tweed commissioners. Every fisher is recognizing that something must be done to allow salmon to have easier ascent to the spawning beds.

At the annual convention of the Scottish Christian Endeavor Union at Kircaldy, on the 28th ult., it was reported that 45 societies were affiliated with the union and that the membership was 10,126.

The death is announced of Mr. John Forbes, late manager of the Northern Agricultural Company, Aberdeen, in which firm he had been 45 years connected with the company.

Quite a boom has been on in emigration from the Huntly district. No less than 29 persons have left Huntly, mostly young men, of whom 22 went to Canada and six to the United States.

Mrs. Hamilton, of Kircaldy, widow of the Rev. George Hamilton, minister of the parish from 1820 to 1858, has entered her 70th year. She has been a widow for 71 years.

Wm. Hogg, an Indian military veteran, died at Selkirk in his 85th year.

Altogether refused to sanction a licensed refreshment bar in connection with the local games.

The rivalry in the Kircaldy and London shipping trade has ended in amalgamation.

Foxes are playing havoc among the lambs along the slopes of the Campsie and Kircaldy hills.

This month another large addition to Bannockburn public school will be completed. This will make the third addition within eight years, and is a record of the large increase in the population.

IRELAND

HEROIC OLD MAN

Wades Neck-Deep Into a Canal to Save Two Children.

The story of an old man's heroism comes from Naas, near Dublin, where two children narrowly escaped drowning.

They were playing on the canal bank, trying to walk along the tow-path with closed eyes. As a result one of them walked into the canal.

Hearing shrieks, Patrick Kelly, aged 65, who was the only person near the spot, rushed into the canal, and waded out to the girls' assistance.

His plucky effort took him up to the neck in water. The heroic old man held the girls up, but failed to reach the bank again, but for the assistance of a passerby who came to the rescue.

Through a statue overbalancing and falling upon her, a student named Miss Mary Kelly, killed at the Belfast Technical Institute. The authorities of the school have now agreed to pay the young lady's relatives £500.

A sow belonging to a Portadown farmer gave birth the other day to 27 sound and healthy young pigs, all of which are doing well.

That the Irish countryman still believes in fairies was shown very plainly at a recent meeting of the Athlone, Roscommon rural district council.

The discussion concerned a proposal to build a laborer's cottage on a site close to an ancient Danish "rath," or fort. These places are highly revered by country people, who believe that any human interference would most certainly be visited by the vengeance of the fairies.

In the course of the discussion, Mr. Smyth, J. P., said that he would not like to interfere with the faith of his constituents, but he stated that if the cottage was built there it would not be lived in, and it would be better to abandon the site.

A more suitable site will be sought. The Dublin corporation, who have passed a resolution directing the council to adopt all possible means to obtain from Parliament such tariff reform as will secure for Great Britain and Ireland fair trade relations with foreign countries, and thus promote the cultivation of the land, the development of agricultural, rural, and industrial employments, the encouragement of home productions, the extension of the export trade, and the general well-being of the population.

Forty years ago a memorial mission cross was erected by the Passionist Fathers in the centre of the graveyard in Bold street, near the cathedral, which died during the mission in the district.

On the 29th of March the cross was found smashed and disfigured, and under the inscription the words, "In Bold street, near the cathedral, died during the mission in the district."

A Dublin County farmer, found by a constable on Ormond Quay, said his name was Andrew Roche, and that he had taken poison. He handed over a deposit receipt for £170 and two banknotes. He died shortly afterwards in the hospital.

Everybody bearing the name of Harrison in Portadown is now looked upon as an incipient millionaire. Many years ago a Mr. Harrison was found down in his early days, and after travelling in many lands settled in London, where, having amassed a large fortune, he died leaving no direct issue, to his wife, who was 25 years old. Now it appears that this house of wealth is lying in the safe custody of the court of chancery, awaiting distribution among the next of kin.

DUBLIN CATS' HOME

Lady Left \$20,000 for Benefit of Poor Pussies—Her Will Upheld.

In the chancery division recently, Mr. Justice Barton delivered judgment on the question whether a bequest in the will of the late Miss Alice Swift, of Dublin, of £4,000 for the benefit of the Cats' Home at Dublin, was a valid charitable bequest. The judge held that the bequest was a perfectly good charitable bequest, and decided that the administration of the scheme should be undertaken by the Dublin branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. This home is intended for starving and forsaken cats.

A scene of sudden wreck, cool courage, and swift rescue was witnessed in the Irish sea recently, when the steamer Marquess of Bute was sunk, after having been in collision with the London and North-Western Railway Company's passenger steamer Connemara. Perfect order was maintained after the collision, which occurred a few miles from Holyhead, the crew of the damaged steamer being taken off by the railway boat. The vessel foundered in less than three minutes, but owing to the perfect order maintained, not a life was lost.

An interesting archaeological discovery has been made at Ballinacalla, near Moycullen, Galway. Some workmen in the employment of Mr. James Lardner came upon a complete skeleton, measuring 8 feet 5½ inches, and subsequently unearthed an old iron bearing the following inscription in Gaelic: "Donach O'Keefe, A. D. 1231."

EXODUS CONTINUES

There Were 29,230 Emigrants From the Old Sod Last Year.

The total number of emigrants from Ireland during the year was 29,230. This figure shows an increase of 5,788 over the corresponding figure of the preceding year, and represents a rate of 6.7 per 1,000 of the population of Ireland.

The word "Tory" was originally applied to a band of Catholic outlaws who haunted the bogs of Ireland.

John Hogan, of Dublin, a school teacher, was killed the other day by falling from a cliff at Dalkey, near Dublin.

The death is announced of the Rev. Canon Scott, C. A., for 40 years incumbent of St. Paul's Church, Belfast, and for some time of Connor.

Mr. Walter Long has unveiled at Portadown a memorial statue to the late Col. Sanderson, who for many years was chairman of the Irish Unionist parliamentary party.

Ireland appears to be having all the ills of these days of straitened national finances. The distressed country has just received a grant of £6,000 per annum for five years in aid of experimental tobacco growing.

The bread used commonly among the peasants in the North of Ireland is worthy of note by housewives in other parts. It is made somewhat similar to scones. A soft dough is made with flour in which a good pinch of salt, baking soda and cream of tartar is mixed, and butter milk. The dough is placed in a common frying-pan and put on a very slow fire, and allowed generally over an hour in which to be baked. If baked too quick it will be raw in the centre.

BREAKING GROUND

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have done to me this day. I have witnessed a scene which I can never forget, or hoped to behold in this segment of life is an event never to be forgotten. I believe I am the oldest inhabitant. I have slept on this spot 55 years ago, when my best friend was a porcupine. We were often excessively hungry in those days, but we used to declare that we never were so hungry as the night we ate the porcupine. (Cheers and laughter.)

What a change has occurred since then! Now I see the different beings around me—no porcupine—no bristles—but in their place a company of half-civilized gentlemen. (Laughter and cheers.) I wish you, gentlemen, all prosperity, and when I am laid under the sod, may you go on progressing! (Cheers.)

A toast for the Chief Justice and the Bench and Bar of Upper Canada. Judge Givins replied. Mr. Becher responded for the bar. He felt the toast was a very proper one on such an occasion; the bar was an honorable institution of the country, one of the chief safeguards of the liberty of the subject. (Laughter and cheers.)

The chairman then gave the toast, The Countess of Elgin and Fair Ladies of Canada, three times. The song, "Here's a Health to All Good Lassies," was sung in splendid style by Messrs. Street, Spalding and Wells, and Col. Talbot returned thanks.

George Brown Speaks.

The Press, George Brown replied. He said he did not come prepared to make a speech, as he thought Mr. Cowly was more competent; but it seemed Mr. Cowly suddenly disappeared, so Mr. Brown, in the lunch, he was delighted to be here; and as a newspaperman he would do all he could to help the G. W. R. Why, sir, railroads (and especially the G. W. R.) have our difficulties. There is not a rock corner there is not a hundred-acre lot in Western Canada, that the good folks who inhabit it are not thoroughly convinced is the very spot for the iron road to pass over.

(Laughter.) "Laughter and long communications without end, and have poured in on us from every direction, threatening the most fearful consequences unless the editor would come out for each man (laughter); and, sir, though I cannot say that these documents had much effect, yet I am free to admit that they caused us great annoyance. Such meetings as the present have a tendency to awaken a nobler spark, and when the great undertaking now commenced is operating, we will have a great national work of which we will all feel proud; and when we see thousands of our neighbors sweeping over our country, and dependent on us in a measure, we cannot fail to rise in our own esteem as a people. The toast, Agriculture and Commerce, was replied to by Mr. Lawason. Education was re-



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Sir John Murray's Latest Expedition — Banqueted at London Before Departure.

Sir John Murray, K.C.B., of Challenger expedition fame, was entertained at dinner in London on April 25, in connection with the Michael Sars expedition for the exploration of the deeper waters of the ocean, including the North Atlantic. The gathering was held under the auspices of the Atlantic Union, and Lord Kinnaird presided.

Sir John Murray, who resides at Warrick, near Edinburgh, gave me some details regarding the expedition, says a correspondent of the London News. The Michael Sars is at present on her way from Bergen to Plymouth, and will leave the latter port on Wednesday next. She is a Norwegian ship, granted by the Norwegian Government for the purposes of the expedition, one of the conditions be-

ing that she flies the Norwegian flag. Sir John Murray is paying the expenses of the cruise, which will extend over a period of four months, concluding in the last week of July. The route to be taken will be across the Bay of Biscay and down the coast of Spain; thence as far as Cape Verde Islands to the Azores, to Newfoundland, and then to Iceland and homeward to Scotland.

For the purposes of the expedition the most modern appliances, instruments and apparatus for oceanographical work will be on board. It is specially intended to use large and newly-constructed trawls such as can be used in shallow water, and in deep water to a depth of three miles. Hitherto only small trawls and dredges have been experimented with in the parts of the ocean to be covered by this expedition, and Sir John Murray remarked that it was quite possible that some interesting discoveries of marine organisms living at these depths may be made. There will be four scientific men on board, along with Sir John Murray.

AMERICAN TRIBUTE TO KITCHENER

Britain's Greatest Military Man—Nothing But Work—Sent 400 "Good Fellows" Home From South Africa—The New York Sun's Estimate.

The New York Sun says: New York has welcomed distinguished British soldiers before, but never one like John Horatio Herbert Kitchener. Roberts may be England's foremost general, and of officers on the active list Sir J. D. P. French, who began his career in the navy, may be regarded as her ablest strategist, but Kitchener is England's greatest military man. As an engineer, intelligence officer, commissariat and transportation expert, organizer, disciplinarian and leader of soldiers, there is not his peer in the British Empire. He also excels as an administrator.

In sketches of Kitchener you will find not a word about his recreations. Amusement is not in his lexicon. Nothing but work. To one pleading for an officer under a cloud that he was "a good fellow," Kitchener said laconically: "Good fellows make damned poor soldiers." He sent 400 "good fellows" home from South Africa. When Kitchener was gazetted commander-in-chief in India some of the court favorites out there who played polo with whiskey and soda sent in applications for home service. Everybody wanted to be under Kitchener, or, if transferred, calling a subordinate up on the telephone for a detail of men to build a block-house. The officer had no men to spare. The only squad not employed about the camp were escorting prisoners down the line. "I think I hear music," said the commander-in-chief, "oh yes, yes, yes, yes, the band is playing in the square." "Have the bandmen take off their uniforms and send them up here to build the block-house."

Every step of promotion that has come to Kitchener was won on merit. He was always needed, and he always succeeded in what he was asked to do. His foresight was as remarkable as his industry, so that he was always ready. When he began his career in Egypt as second in command of a native regiment he was a master of Arabic and he understood Oriental character. General Grenfell, who was then Sir John, found him intelligent as an intelligence officer and desert guide. To Kitchener's "activity and foresight" and his "natural disposition" in the field Grenfell really owed his victory at Tosti. Kitchener succeeded him as Sir John, and given a free hand by the Home Government, Kitchener began at once to make preparations for the reconquest of the Sudan. His achievement has been called "an extraordinary exhibition of one man power in the organization and conduct of war." Wolsley had planned to get up the Nile in Canadian

boats, and other generals had fallen back on camel transportation. Kitchener built a railroad as he went, more than 700 miles of it, and at Omdurman drew on the Khalifa's army of 50,000 men to a hopeless assault. Eleven thousand natives fell on the field, 16,000 were wounded, and 4,000 were taken prisoners. It was the ripe result of several years of planning and waiting. Kitchener never fought unless he knew he was going to win, wrote Mr. G. W. Stevens, who called the Anglo-Egyptian army the Sudan machine. Seven miles south of Omdurman was Khartoum, and as soon as Kitchener stood on the steps of the palace he held funeral services in memory of Gordon. Minute guns were fired, a Sudanese band played Gordon's favorite hymn, and the Scotch pipers a dirge. Stevens, who was present, said of the remarkable services: "There were those who said the cold Sir had himself could hardly speak or see, as General Hunter and the rest stepped out according to their rank and a memorial college has since been opened at Khartoum with a fund of £100,000 which Kitchener asked the English people to raise.

In the war in South Africa the strategy that turned the tide in favor of the British was an inspiration of the aged Roberts, but Kitchener, with his squares of operation, his reconcentration, his parallel and converging columns, his gathering up of horses, his seizure of supplies until nothing was left for a commando to live on, his hard blows and his firmness, justness and vigor in negotiation with the enemy who finished the war. At Vereeniging as it was closing the Boer veterans, whom he sought to conciliate, cheered the soldier they had found honorable. If iron handed and unrelenting, probably Kitchener was more at his ease addressing his enemies than he was later when he qualified as a peer of the realm in ceremonial robes at the feet of the Lord Chancellor. In fact, on that occasion Kitchener was plainly bored and red with confusion. It is doubtful if he has ever been in the House of Lords since.

As a reconquerer Kitchener's last service was to put the Indian empire on a war footing, raising its complement from 80,000 to 140,000 men and weeding out the incompetents and drones. India is now fully prepared for an invasion from the north. In this necessary undertaking he had an enemy of Lord Curzon, the viceroy, but Kitchener has been making enemies all his life. It was characteristic of him to tell the Government in London that he must not be hampered in his work by the viceroy's military adviser or he would resign. It was Lord Curzon who in the end resigned. Of Kitchener it has been well said that "other generals have been better loved, but none was ever more trusted." He is now in his sixtieth year, and an unusually vigorous man for his age. There is one great service left for him to render England, and that is to reorganize the war office in London and do for the home forces what he has done with such thoroughness and mastery skill in India. But will he be allowed to do it?

"BROOM FOR THE STOMACH."

So the French Call Parsley—Pumpkin Rich in Phosphorus.

The French have a saying that "parsley is a broom to sweep the stomach." Lettuce is a nerve food. Radishes build tissue and are rich in phosphorus, also in iron.

Horse radish contains a higher percentage of sulphur than all the other vegetable roots, spinach ranking next in value. Spinach also contains a large proportion of iron. A mayonnaise dressing with lettuce is especially desirable for thin people, but for the over plump French dressing to be recommended. The action of vinegar on the digestive organs, however, is not to be considered. The acid of lemon juice is preferable.

While apples are a most excellent fruit for brain building, which phosphorus aids in, the humble pumpkin, desecrated to the uses of pie and jack-o'-lanterns, holds the prize. Pumpkin rates 2.79 in phosphorus, while apple is but .45.

When in search for this special element take up a pumpkin diet. But as winter squash would stand the same analysis, it can be used as a vegetable in many varieties, and thus the needed phosphorus supplied. Cucumbers rank next in phosphorus value to pumpkin, being 2.08.

Before leaving Pasadena, Cal., with her father, Miss Margaret Carnegie gave a check for \$5,000 to endow a free bed in the children's ward of the Pasadena Hospital. It was her thirteenth birthday, and she celebrated it in this manner.

Curious Indorsements — £5 Notes Lowest Now Issued.

The custom of indorsing English bank notes, even when they pass in some trivial purchase, is a surprise to most Americans who go abroad for the first time. It is an old custom and one which has led to many curious inscriptions on the notes.

A debtor in prison wrote on the back of a £10 note, "The first debt I have honestly paid for a year," while a prodigal son turned the tables against himself when he wrote on a £20 note, "The last of thousands lost by my father, who slaved to earn them."

In 1759 the Bank of England began to issue £10 notes as well as £20, till then exclusively used. It was not till thirty years after that £5 notes were brought out, and in 1797 there were £1 and £2 notes, but they ceased in 1821, owing to the immense amount of forgery they led to, says the Queen.

A curious bank note designed by Horne has been hanging across one end, is signed by Jack Ketch, a row of malefactors hanging with ropes around their necks appears on the face, and a series of criminals' heads on the other side, together with the words, "Until the resumption of cash payments or the abolition of the punishment by death." The "2" which in the corner precedes the amount and value of the note, was formed of rope.

From April 5, 1829, the £5 note has been the lowest procurable from the Bank of England. Of late the desirability of once more issuing the £1 note has been discussed.

In 1827 a £1,000 note was the highest, but £50,000 notes have been issued, and there is a story of certain tradesmen keeping such one by them as a curiosity, while a gentleman framed one, which his executors promptly cashed at his death. There is a family tradition about the visit of a certain church functionary at a house, when some disputed point had to be settled by reference to the Bible, and the one belonging to the deceased mother was brought down from a shelf, dusty and unused, but within was found a note for £40,000.

The Bank of England note of today has taken some time and many inventions to bring it to its present condition. The numbering machine was first employed in 1809, steel plate engraving was used, and the by electrographic machine, and the by electrotype surface printing. The great aim is to prevent forgery, the paper employed being unique, and the water mark and private marks are all in favor of the banker.

WHEN ROYALTY REPRIMANDS.

Candidate Who Used Royal Standard

—Office Who Contradicted the King. It is seldom that King Edward finds it necessary to rebuke one of his own subjects, but such an occasion took place a week or so back. A London election candidate, unmindful of the fact that the royal standard is the personal emblem of the King, and its use by private individuals is illegal, issued a number of election cards on which the royal standard was lavishly displayed, thereby giving the impression that his candidature was supported by his majesty.

The King's attention was, however, drawn to this infringement, and an official document dispatched from Sandringham had the effect of causing the cards to be immediately withdrawn from publication.

No man or woman of social repute will in future know him, and if he be in the army or navy he has no option but to resign, for he will find himself cut dead by every one of his brother officers.

In fact, a few years back a retired naval officer, who was a notorious bully, flatly contradicted a statement made by King Edward, then Prince of Wales. The King passed over the officer's rudeness at the time, but some days later he presented himself at the officer's residence and politely informed him that his royal highness was not desirous of his acquaintance in the future.

From that moment the officer was cut by everybody in society, and although he tried to brazen the matter out, he eventually left England altogether, and took up his residence abroad. There he sank lower and lower in the social scale, until not long ago the news of his death in a New York street brawl came as a fitting ending to his notorious career.

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MANY CHILDREN NEEDLESSLY BLIND

One-Fourth of the Sightless Children Victims of Neglect.

It is an astonishing fact and one not generally known outside the medical profession that one-quarter of all the children in the schools for the blind of this country are needlessly blind, says a writer in McClure's. These children are doomed to lifelong darkness because at the time of birth their eyes were not properly washed and treated by the attending physician or midwife.

The cause of this preventable blindness is ophthalmia neonatorum (ophthalmia of the new born), commonly known as "inflammation of the eyes of the new born," "babes' sore eyes" or "cold in the eyes"—one of the most dangerous menaces to vision when treatment is neglected or delayed.

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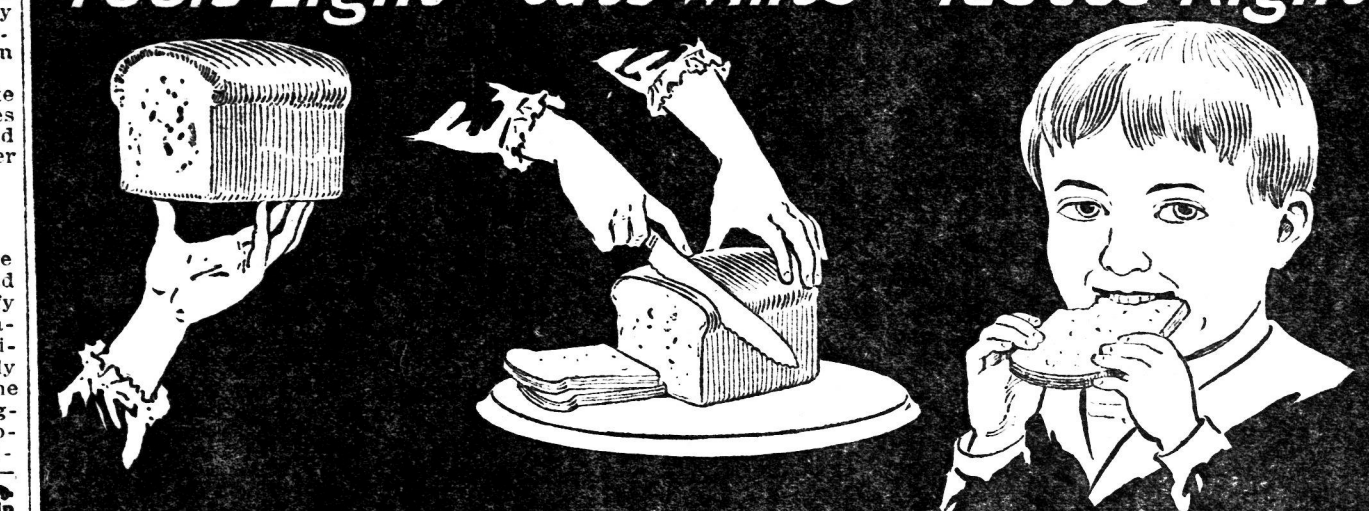
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"It is estimated that the total cost of the needlessly blind throughout the State of New York exceeds \$110,000 a year, and if the blind citizen is a dependent for life the cost of his maintenance will be not less than \$10,000. These figures do not include money paid out in pensions under the pension system obtaining in New York City, Ohio, Illinois and Great Britain or special appropriations for buildings."

The failure to use the simple precautions outlined is laid at the door of the midwives, who in the cities with large foreign population attend most of the births.

Miss F. Elizabeth Crowell, graduate nurse to the New York Association of Neighborhood Nurses, examined 10,000 certificates of births in 1906 and personally interviewed 400 midwives in their homes, more than half of these practicing in the Borough of Manhattan, and found that only fifty less than 10 per cent, "could be qualified as capable, reliable midwives."

SIXTEEN HUNDRED HOLES AN HOUR.

Mrs. Mandanna Miller, who recently finished working at the watch factory after completing 46 years of service, was the oldest woman employee of the company, having reached the age of 78. During the 46 years she has worked in the plate department, Mrs. Miller has been engaged in drilling holes. The largest sized hole she has used is .224 centimetre, or about 9-100ths of an inch. The smallest hole she has ever drilled is .043 centimetre, or roughly 2-100ths of an inch. The latter is considered remarkable work for a woman of the age of Mrs. Miller.

Allowing four holes to a single plate Mrs. Miller could average 400 plates an hour. That means that she could bore 1,600 holes of minute diameter every hour.—Kennebec Journal.

THE WORLD'S GREAT DREAMERS

William Penn and the Red Men
By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory.

Like the streak of golden sunshine that is flashed down upon the earth through the rift in the storm-cloud is the beautiful story of William Penn. When the great Quaker landed upon the shores of the New World and beheld the region that never after word to bear his name, he was fairly enraptured, and wrote home of its "sweet quiet," of its "serene heavens," of its "vales, finer than any to be found in England," and of its all-around "loveliness and delight."

Penn had a lively sense of what we call in these days a "fitness of things," and concluded that so fair a land was worthy of the fairest possible government. He provided in his constitution for freedom of conscience and for absolute fairness and justice between man and man, not forgetting to put into his laws the then somewhat novel and altogether untried theory that in dealing with delinquents it should ever be borne in mind that the "criminal" is human, and that it is better to reform him than it is to "punish" him.

Penn's vision might well be the vision of many generations had been in possession of the lovely land, and concerning those "children of the forest," the Quaker proprietor entertained the beautiful dream which many still believe to have been as practicable as it was fair and just.

Penn felt that the red men had rights which the white man was bound to respect; that justice had nothing to do with race or color or the degrees of civilization, and that in transactions with the Indians it was his duty to give them a "square deal."

In the second place, Penn loved to think that it was quite possible to save the red men from destruction and to make of them a civilized, Christian people.

Accordingly he proceeded to put his principles into actual practice. By appointment he met the Indians under the great elm tree at Shackamaxon, near Philadelphia, where he made with them the famous treaty—"the only treaty," wrote Voltaire, "between savages and Christians that was never sworn to and that was never broken."

This affair probably came off in November, 1682, and is marked by the monument that stands in the place of the old elm, which was blown down in 1810.

In what took place under the spreading boughs of that tree there is an ever-abiding human interest, and it is a pity and a shame that the things so well provided for on that memorable occasion were not permitted to bear fruit.

"We meet," said Penn to the red men, "on the broad pathway of good faith and goodwill. No advantage shall be taken on either side, but all shall be openness and love. The friendship between you and me I will not compare to a chain, for that the chain might rust or the falling tree might break. We are the same as if one man's body should be divided into two parts. We are all one flesh and blood."

The savages, knowing a real man when they were brought face to face with one, were touched by his gentle words and kindly bearing, and replied: "We will live in love with William Penn and his children as long as the sun and moon shall shine."

Penn was in earnest, the Indians were in earnest; the good faith was mutual and thorough, and could it have been given a fair chance it would have produced a glorious harvest, but human greed and human indifference to the plain principles of right and justice came in and spoiled it all.

PARIS SURGEON'S LARGE CLAIM

"NO MORE INFECTION" HE SAYS

Dr. Doyen Says the Problem of Immunity Is Solved—Mycolysine the Name of the New Liquid—Typhoid, Measles, Eczema, Spinal Meningitis and Other Acute Maladies Conq. ered.

Dr. Doyen, the eminent surgeon, in a lecture he delivered at Paris on the 4th of April, entitled "A Great Medical Discovery," announced that the problem of immunity was now solved. He had discovered mycolysine, a liquid which formed the basis of a new liquid, called mycolysine, which conferred immunity in most infectious cases, notably those of the respiratory and digestive organs and the skin.

This discovery, with the new therapeutics of tuberculosis and cancer, had, he declared, practically realized the dream of the ancient alchemist of the disappearance of disease and the prolongation of life.

"The exact substances, which I have called phagocytose colloids, are," he said, "substances extracted from natural ferments—the one precipitable by heat, and the others soluble by heat like peptones. These substances are stimulants of phagocytose to such a degree that their absorption by the mouth, or in grave cases, by subcutaneous injection, suffices to prevent or cure the greater part of acute infectious diseases."

"Thanks to these new agents I can promise the disappearance of almost all acute maladies, and of a part of the chronic maladies of the respiratory organs, of the digestive tubes, and of the skin—among the latter I may mention eczema, furunculosis, impetigo and eczema. We have had remarkable results in scarlatina, measles, typhoid fever, phlebitis, infectious arthritis, and cerebral spinal meningitis. My method has also been applied to the treatment of chronic diseases by combining it, in the case of tuberculosis and cancer, with tuberculin and with microbian vaccine."

"The results are demonstrative to-day, and are based on hundreds of cases. The use of mycolysine will completely transform the practice of medicine and surgery; and its importance from the social point of view is enormous. Consider that, at the present moment, there exists no certain result, except for the vaccine of Jenner, the Pasteur vaccination against hydrophobia, the sero-therapy against diphtheria, and the preventive sero-therapy of tetanus. Those maladies are, as a matter of fact, rather rare. I, on the contrary, am giving immunity at the present moment from almost all the other maladies put together. For acute maladies the proof is so easy that, in a big hospital, not more than four or five are necessary in order to obtain a long series of demonstrative observations."

"Yes, it is a wonderful elixir. Why, even for colds in the head, if you give doctors call it—you can cure it in its early stages in half an hour by taking three tablespoonfuls of mycolysine. In the same way, with angina—you go to bed with a sore throat and wake up the next morning cured. The striking thing about mycolysine is that it is absolutely harmless; it comes from ferments such as those of beer, wine, cider, the manufacture of alcohol, lactic ferments which are used for the preparation of food and hygienic drinks."

"If any English hospital desires to make experiments I am ready to send them all that is necessary for the purpose, ferments such as those of beer, wine, cider, the manufacture of alcohol, lactic ferments which are used for the preparation of food and hygienic drinks."

"I shall take steps so that the poorest and humblest may benefit from the result of my labors."

GREAT FUR MARKET AT WINNIPEG, MAN.

Millions of Dollars' Worth of Skins Sold There Each Year.

Millions of dollars worth of precious furs are brought down each spring from the fur north, and agents in Winnipeg representing the great fur dealers of the world bid upon the packs offered.

During 1909 it is estimated that furs to the value of \$12,000,000 were shipped from the western provinces to the United States and England. When it is considered that this represents the wholesale value or the raw furs it shows in some measure their enormous value when manufactured.

Raw furs enter the United States free of duty, and all consignments are made each year to New York. Many of these are made into furs for use in the United States, although the large majority go on to London, where at the great annual fur sale the prices for the year are made.

The reason why these furs go to New York instead of to London direct is that there is a dealer in New York who takes large consignments of all kinds of furs and advances to the shipper 60 per cent of their value based on the last London sales.

When the price is established and the sales finally made the broker returns to the shipper the full value of the furs as indicated by the London sales, less his commission. This system provides the small shipper with current funds.

The northern parts of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are great hunting grounds, and the farther north the trapper goes away from civilization the greater his returns. Through the Peace River Valley, which a few years ago furnished a fine quality of furs, there are great harvest fields, and the trapper has trekked further north into the MacKenzie and Keewatin countries, trapping from Great Slave Lake through connecting lakes to Great Bear Lake and as far north as Coronation Gulf, whose most southerly point begins at the Arctic Circle.

The present season according to Fur News, has not been a good one

for trappers. The deep snow has made it difficult to operate in the woods, and the remarkably mild winter has also been a factor. The shippers say the best furs come in early spring, shipments arriving about the middle of February up to the latter part of March.

It is not unusual for a team of dogs pulling a huge sleigh stacked with furs to be driven all the way from Hudson Bay to Winnipeg. While there is such an acute demand for furs, the dealers are especially anxious, and the prices obtained this season have been beyond anything ever known in the fur market of western Canada.

DENSITY OF POPULATION.

There is nothing which so upsets preconceived opinion as statistics, and the statistics which have recently been given with respect to the density of population in the great towns of the world are no exception to the rule. Anybody who has had occasion to walk about Paris, and observe the looseness of traffic in the streets, as exemplified in the difficulties of crossing, would probably have been of opinion that Paris was one of the least densely populated of towns. As a matter of fact, it is by far the most densely populated of all the towns given. Anybody, again, who has wandered about London and has observed the miles and miles of two and three-storied houses might have imagined that London was also sparsely populated for its acreage.

THE COUNTESS TARNOVSKA

London Daily Mail Correspondent Studies the Woman Responsible for Many Crimes—A Magnetic Power—A Product of Russia, Where so Much is Abnormal.

The first glance of those privileged to enter the Venice court of assizes invariably goes to the strange still woman in black who sits at the end of the prisoner's dock. She is at this moment the most talked-of woman in the world, the Countess Maria Nikolaievna Tarnovska. For a whole week I have watched her from six to eight hours every day, and all the time I have been saying to myself: "So this is the woman, who, after eloping at 17 with a wealthy man, Count Tarnowski, grew to hate him, because he was brutal and degenerate, and afterwards deceived him because her ideals had been hopelessly shattered; this is the woman whose first lover, Borgelski, was shot by her husband and died in her arms, while the husband was tried for murder and acquitted; this is the woman for whom several men have committed suicide, one of whom wrote to her before blowing out his brains, saying: 'Dear Maria Nikolaievna, I have still 40 minutes to wait. My love alone is living in me, and the hope in a few moments to see you pass under my window in your carriage. Farewell. I kiss you and die.' This is the woman, who, after separating from her husband, left Russia with the lawyer Prilukoff, who embezzled his clients' money; this is the woman who was married to a morbid boy of 21, fell desperately in love, and this boy shot, on Sept. 4, 1907, Kamarovski, a wealthy nobleman, who had been also enslaved by her. Yes, this is the woman, finally, who is being tried for having conspired with Prilukoff to induce Naumoff to murder Count Kamarovski."

A Magnetic Power. She sits there motionless and without expression, surrounded by carabinieri holding their rifles, on which bayonets gleam. The carabinieri are changed several times daily, because La Tarnovska has admittedly such a magnetic power over men that anyone who looks at her is fascinated and forgets his duties! The old gondolier who daily takes me to the court of assizes asks me: "Is she really beautiful?" The little Venetian girl who is being tried for having conspired with Prilukoff to induce Naumoff to murder Count Kamarovski.

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London, however, comes third upon the list. Again, anybody who has seen the terrific skyscrapers of New York and Chicago would have imagined that the density of population in those towns would have been out of all proportion to their superficial area. The fact remains that New York and Chicago are the least densely-populated of all the towns given, less densely populated than even such places as Vienna and Munich. The figures are interesting, and a few of them are worth producing. The list is headed by Paris, where the density is indicated by the figures 354; then comes Berlin with 228, and then London with 150, and so to Vienna with 103. Not far behind comes Munich with 62, New York with 50, and finally Chicago, with only 31.

doubt, may seem a paradox—is that they are totally expressionless; their stare, their size and their shade never vary. I have observed her for 30 minutes while the clock of the court struck the hour, and then the half-hour, and I did not see those uncanny eyes blink a single time. And yet those inscrutable eyes appear to read one's very soul. No doubt they could look upon any tragedy and yet remain expressionless.

A Product of Russia.

La Tarnovska is thirty. I sincerely believe she looked 30 ten years ago, and I believe she will look 30 twenty years hence, if she lives. La Tarnovska is not an ordinary human being. She is a phenomenon, a problem, a strange product of Russian "civilization." Similar human beings have been repeatedly analyzed and elaborately described in modern Russian literature. A strange being indeed, and one which the late Cesare Lombroso would have loved to study. Or may perhaps surprise the great criminologist would have considered her as irresponsible. Here is a woman who, according to a score of witnesses, had always been more or less hysterical, a chronic prey to nervousness or needs of morbid prostration, yet who could in a few seconds pass from the deepest sorrow to the keenest joy. She took cocaine, morphia, ether, very frequently, and smoked and still smoked—immense quantities of cigars every day.

Too Many "Fatal Women."

One of the counsel for the prosecution shrugged his shoulders at a famous doctor described the "nervous" of Countess Tarnovska. "It's all very well, but we have had enough of 'fatal women'; when a society lady steals nowadays it is a case of kleptomania; and when she is the direct or indirect cause of crime, it is a case of hysteria. Let their people keep such creatures in a safe place as soon as those symptoms appear; otherwise let the law save society from them. They are not new, and they are aristocratic or beautiful."

The reader now knows whatever there is to be known about the extraordinary woman now being tried at the Venice Court of assizes. Women of the Tarnovska type have always existed in Russia, in the land where East meets West and where the passions of each mingle and produce abnormal specimens of humanity and baffling psychological problems. Remember the words of the great novelist Dostoevsky: "The psychology of crime is different in Russia from what it is elsewhere."

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How the Government's Programme Was Wrecked by the
Partisanship of the Upper Chamber—Was It Fair Play?
Absurd Talk of Socialism—The Case of Lord Torphichen.

Speaking in the House of Commons recently, in reply to Mr. Bonar Law, and in support of the anti-Lords' resolution, Mr. Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, said:

The right honorable gentleman (Mr. Law), made great play of the budget. He was very much concerned about the attitude of the Irish members to the budget. A Unionist member—So were you a week ago, (Lloyd laughed). The Chancellor of the Exchequer—I think, if I may respectfully say so, that is a legitimate remark which I fully appreciate, but the honorable member, with the usual Unionist argument, says: "You must analyze the votes." This is the party of one vote one value. If the Irish members vote against the budget, then it is the will of the people, because the whole argument of the right honorable gentleman was that the House of Lords was justified in throwing out the budget since the result of the general election showed that the people were with them. The Irish vote represents the will of the people whenever it goes into the same lobby in the House of Commons, but the moment it comes on our side you must analyze it. The right honorable gentleman said this was a "wail and see Government" thing. I might retort that this is the first Opposition that will not wait and cannot see. He is perfectly wrong in saying that it is only within the last fortnight that we made it clear that we would not fall by the budget. We never had any doubt that not merely for the sake of the budget, we were bound to put the test question whether the Government had or had not approved of its rejection. (Cheers.) The Irish members have never opposed the budget in their speeches in the country on its merits. Oh, and here, returned the speaker, Mr. Redmond the other day made it perfectly clear that he supported the land clauses which caused the Lords to throw out the bill. (Cheers.) Members opposite were quite ready to receive the support of the Irish members in 1885, and to be kept in office by them for six months.

Is It Fair?
The real difficulty is that you have a permanent majority belonging to one party in the other House. Is that fair? Suppose there happened to be in the Lords a solid majority of invertebrate free-traders. Now honorable members opposite are looking forward to a tariff "reform" ministry. (Ironical laughter.) I do not recognize any note of triumph on the Opposition benches. (Laughter.) Supposing this free trade majority in the Lords threw out the tariff "reform" ministry, would members opposite take the same view of the fairness of the present conditions? (Cheers, and a voice: Dissolve.) Somebody says they would dissolve on the issue. It would be perfectly fair, then, that the Lords should throw out the budget, although the country had pronounced in the most emphatic manner in its favor. (Lloyd laughed.) "No," I do not believe honorable members would really take that view. The leader of the Opposition has said something about Costa Rica and single chamber government. I think he was prime minister when he had ten years of Costa Rica. (Laughter.) It was only corrected by the despised House of Commons in 1906—that is what put an end to Costa Rican government. (Laughter.) In the period between 1900 and 1906 (Mr. Lloyd George pointed out), the Conservative Government passed the Education Bill, which was in defiance of strong assurances at the election that the issue was purely the South African problem, and that the Government was seeking to be re-elected on questions of contentious domestic policy. On the education bill, by the way, they received the support of the Irish members. What (he continued), did the House of Commons do? Did they act as an impartial second chamber? Honorable members opposite said: "All the House of Lords have done is to compel the Government to consult the people." I suppose in 1902 they compelled the Government to consult the people, did anyone imagine for a moment that there would have been a majority for the education bill? (Ministerial cheers.) There is no consultation of the people when Tory measures are sent up.

What Happened in 1906?
What happened in 1906? Both parties followed the usual course of placing their alternative programmes before the country, and the country decided for the Liberal programme. There were at least six bills in that programme which were mentioned in every election address and in every speech delivered by every candidate. There was not one of these bills that had not been submitted by Liberal members to the judgment of the previous Parliament, either in the form of bills or amendments to bills. First there was the education bill. Not merely did we present our alternative point of view, but popular control and abolition of tests. Then there was the

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abolition of plural voting, the licensing bill—a much more drastic licensing bill than the one which was introduced—the taxation of ground values including valuation and reform, especially in Scotland, and the reversal of the Taff Vale judgment. These six questions were dealt with in the shape of bills produced on the authority of the Government, and carried by huge majorities. What happened? Five out of the six were rejected by the House of Lords. (Ministerial cheers.) In the previous Parliament two bills introduced by the Government in spite of pledges were allowed to pass by the House of Lords. I ask honorable members opposite is that fair play? (Ministerial cheers.) You cannot find in the whole history of Parliament any case as bad as that of 1906. In 1885 Mr. Gladstone came in with a great programme of reform. Some of his bills were thrown out, and some were undoubtedly mutilated, but in the main the bills which he put in his programme were carried through Parliament. In 1906 five-sixths of our programme were thrown out, although the country had been consulted upon it. I ask for is fair play. (Ministerial cheers.) Every Tory Government is allowed to develop its programme as a whole, and present it as a whole to the electorate. And we are ever allowed to review their programme, and to say, although we have consulted the country? On the contrary, our bills are simply mutilated, soiled, fragments, because the House of Lords tears them, rends them, and flings them out. (Ministerial cheers.) Is that fair as between the two points of view, which, after all, are permanent points of view in connection with the Government of this country? Take those bills. I mentioned five. I am told, "Oh, but you can go to the country, and if you are returned a second time you can carry these bills." Would the plural voting bill go through the House of Lords now?

Mr. Balfour (leader of the Opposition) interjected a remark which was not heard in the press gallery. The Chancellor of the Exchequer—I should have been rather interested in that interruption if I could have heard it, because I know that whatever the right honorable gentleman says with regard to what happens in the other House is authoritative. (Cheers.) So even his gentlest whisper on a matter of that kind is of the most authoritative importance. Here is a bill carried by the late Parliament and thrown out by the House of Lords. Undoubtedly there is a majority for the same bill in this Parliament. (Cheers.) I am told, "Oh, but you can go to the country, and if you are returned a second time you can carry these bills." Would the plural voting bill go through the House of Lords now?

An Opposition Member—No. The Chancellor of the Exchequer—That really shows what an imperative demand there is for settling this question. (Cheers.) Because the claims of the Lords and their friends are growing. Then we had an education bill. That was thrown out. Appeal to the country. Next year, Scottish land bill thrown out. Appeal to the country. Valuation bill thrown out. Another appeal to the country. Then the budget. This is not an annual Parliament proposal, but when the Liberals are in it is to be a quarterly Parliament. (Cheers.) The position is perfectly intolerable. (Cheers.) The Liberal party, representing more than half the electorate of Great Britain, are bound to bring it to an immediate issue. Any hesitation or indecision or procrastination would be fatal. Better for the Liberal party to be out for ten years fighting this than going on with the sham which was inevitable so long as our bills were sent to the Lords. We picked up the crumbs that fell from their table.

Unionist Talk About Liberal Bills.
The honorable member says we are bound to have a second chamber in order to maintain the rights of property and the foundations of society. Really we have always had that sort of talk about every Liberal bill ever introduced into this House. We had it about the Budget of 1853. I was rather interested the other day, when I began to think of all the violent things said about me and my budget, to consider what happened about the Budget of 1853. This is the sort of language used by the Tory party then—"The whole budget of the Chancellor of the Exchequer was a war against property." That is not mine, but Mr. Gladstone's budget of 1853. "It must be popular in some quarters, but he was sure it would be productive of hardship and injustice. He warned the right honorable gentleman how he struck a blow at public confidence, the effects of which might be felt to an extent of which he had no present conception." As to the reform bill, it was a "blow at the foundations of civilized society." That was the declaration given by Mr. Croker, and the crackers of tone (laughter) use exactly the same language. The leader of the Opposition made an interesting speech upon the land act of 1881. He said it was Socialism. The right honorable gentleman, I know, is very consistent. I was amazed to see in reading that speech how consistent he was. There is a remark there about a peasant proprietary which, I think, is relevant. He said that from the economic point of view he did not think it was any good, but there was a great deal to be said for it from the political point of view. (Laughter.) He said that if we were to be governed by a mob it was just as well to have a mob on both sides. (Laughter.) All these arguments about socialism, confiscation, and destruction of the foundations of society are simply the stock in trade of every Tory Opposition to every Liberal bill, from the reform bill downwards. (Cheers.) After all, there is no real dread or fear of confiscation. Confiscation may be the dream of the extreme Socialist and the nightmare of the extreme Tory. (Cheers and laughter.)

The Danger of Spoilation.
The honorable and learned gentleman the member for Kingston (Mr. Cave) said he had consulted an in-

genious friend in the temple who had drafted four budgets for him. The first taxed away the whole landed property of the country. The second taxed away the mines. The third taxed away the railways. The fourth taxed away the church, (laughter.) But that liquor followed. (Laughter.) But that is supposing that you get a party that will—I will not say drive its principles to an extreme—a party that will go right over the precipice. I might do the same with the honorable and learned gentleman and his party. Supposing the House of Commons were bitten with the rabies of reaction, he may depend upon it that the House of Lords would be made of more of the same material. (Laughter.) It would not be necessary to employ his friends in the inner temple to draft the measures necessary for the repeal of the various acts. Any ordinary barrister's clerk could frame all the necessary bills. (Laughter.) There was no real danger of the Liberal party doing anything of the kind. When the people of this country are bent on revolution and are prepared to abolish all private property in mines and land and other kinds of property they won't resort to the cumbersome method of budgets. If a revolutionary temper of that kind breaks out in the country, what would the House of Lords be? What was the use of the veto of the King in France? Its mere exercise simply exasperated and inflamed the revolutionary spirit. If there was a temper of that kind in this country the veto of the lords would be no more use than if we set up a wooden fence against a river of molten lava. There have only been three or four great confiscations in this country, and all have been confiscations that have enriched the aristocracy and impoverished the people. (Loud Ministerial cheers.) If you talk of the danger of spoliation we must go to the experience of history in this country. The great acts of spoliation have been spoliation of the monasteries where the property was given to the House of Lords. (Ministerial cheers.) The settlement of Ireland, the Nationalist and the inclosure of the Commons. There was nothing which I thought more significant or entertaining than see men protesting against my poor halfpenny tax in the budget who had inherited the whole of their fortune from these great acts of public spoliation. (Loud Ministerial cheers.)

"Sheer Intolerance."
The present system is essentially an unfair one. The Lords have the average human nature, and they are strong and leading party men, and it is too much to ask them to exercise judicial functions. I treat them as if they were worse than other people may be poor democracy, but at the same time to say they are above party bias is utter snobbery. (Ministerial cheers.) Look at the case of Lord Torphichen. It is a case of extraordinary importance, in view of the claim that the Lords are an impartial body. Here is one peer who voted for the budget. Although Scotland declared by a majority of 11 in favor of the budget, they would not allow a single peer to vote for it. They are worse than the Moderates of the London County Council. (Ministerial cheers.) At least there is excuse for them, they had no majority, and therefore they had to get an artificial one. Here they had a majority of something like ten to one in the House of Lords, but they won't allow a single man from Scotland to come and vote for the Liberal Government. Why, that is sheer intolerance. If that is the "impartial" body to which we are to submit measures which the House of Commons are opposed to, we are expecting too much. The honorable gentleman in front of me said: "What are you going to do about reform?" He said: "You are going about it in the wrong way. You ought to bring in your reform measures first." I do not agree with the honorable gentleman. What sort of reform will we get in the House of Lords, unless we had really power in the end of carrying through our reform? (Ministerial cheers.) It is the sort of reform suggested by the noble lord, the member for Oxford University (Lord Hugh Cecil), and the noble lord of the 400. (Ministerial cheers.) I can assure the honorable gentleman that we are going about it in the only way in which we can get a fair reform of the constitution. I think it was either the right honorable gentleman or the member for St. George's, Hanover Square, who protested against the charge that because they were criticizing the House of Commons they were traitors to the House. I have heard some very severe things said about this House—nothing more severe than the tone and temper of the honorable member. What did it all mean? He had the trust of the people of this country. (Ministerial cheers and Opposition dissent.) We have heard about the tyranny of the House of

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MARKET FOR OUTPUT.

The rapid growth of the business of the two companies taken over has long made apparent the necessity of additional milling capacity. Further, the tremendous increase in the total output from the Western Wheat Belt makes it absolutely necessary to have more mills in Canada to handle it. Last year the output of the Western Wheat Belt amounted to about 125,000,000 bushels, and men who have made a close study of the development that the western country is likely to see, estimate that by the end of the year 1920, Canada will be producing at the rate of fully 500,000,000 bushels annually. As in the past, a great proportion of this large production will of necessity find its way into Canadian mills. Larger demands are bound to come as the population of the country increases, and the inquiry for the Canadian product will come from Great Britain and from the foreign markets of the world, will increase. The chain of mills that is now controlled by the new company will enable it to go ahead and secure its full share of the trade of every section of Canada, as well as to obtain even a very much larger proportion of the export business to Great Britain and to foreign markets than it has up to the present time.

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From Sept. 25th, 1908, to Aug. 20th, 1909, to	\$218,843 38
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"We have examined the books of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, which include the transactions carried on under the name of The Hedley Shaw Milling Company, Limited, at Toronto and branches, from Sept. 25th, 1908 (prior to which date the company's principal mills were not completed nor in operation) to Feb. 28th, 1910, and we certify that the profits for the period, after making provision for depreciation, but before charging interest on loans, were as follows:

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MANAGEMENT.

The properties of the old companies have been constructed and developed under the direction of Mr. Hedley Shaw, late general manager of The Hedley Shaw Milling Company, Limited, and of The Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, and Mr. D. C. Cameron, late president of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited. Both these gentlemen will retain large interests in the new company, besides being actively identified with it. Mr. Hedley Shaw will occupy the position of managing-director of the new company, thus giving to it the full benefit of his long practical experience.

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A complete report on the advantages of the Port Colborne site, prepared by Mr. Hedley Shaw, will be found in the prospectus. Prospects and forms of application may be obtained at any branch of the Imperial Bank of Canada, or the Royal Bank of Canada, from Guardian Trust Company, Limited, Toronto, and from Cawthra Mullock & Co., Toronto.

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Commons. Well, I am not going to say that the House of Commons is the course of its long and great history has not been guilty of arbitrary acts, but they have not been guilty of one when they were not aided and instigated in that direction by the House of Lords, and whenever they were corrected the reaction invariably came from the people, and not from the Lords. (Ministerial cheers.)

What We Owe to the Commons.

But, take the House of Commons as a whole, the measure of popular liberty we enjoy was due to the exertions of this House, exertions in which the Lords can claim no real partnership, because there is hardly one of the great acts of the state for the successful raising of, and finally thwarted. This is the House to whose ac-

pliances and efforts we owe the right of self-government for the people, the great right of withholding supplies until redress is given, freedom of conscience, freedom of speech, all due to the efforts of the House of Commons—the guardianship of the state for the protection of the aged, the greatest tribunal of justice in the world. (Ministerial cheers.) I say that any honorable member who has had his name inscribed on the rolls of this House ought to feel proud, and to attack it is treason to the democracy. (Ministerial cheers.) The noble lord (Lord Hugh Cecil), in an exquisite peroration, if he will allow me to say so, compared the British constitution to a great temple, and he appealed to us, to every member of this House, instead of destroying this great temple, obstructed, delayed, whenever it could successfully raise so, and finally thwarted. This is the House to whose ac-

laudable ambition, and very honorable, but after all the object of a constitution is not to shed lustre upon those who work under it. It is rather to bless the land and the people whose sacrifices have raised the edifice and maintained and extended its glory, and it is because I fervently believe in my heart that the power of the House of Lords stands between the people and the blessings of free institutions—it is for that reason that I recommend this resolution as the first step to the removing of the veto of that House from the fabric of the British constitution. (Ministerial cheers.)

With Easter perfect, more than 200,000 persons were on the board walk at Atlantic City at noon. Rolling chairs, chartered by the less active visitors, formed two lines from the Inland to the Chelsea end of the walk.

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