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## CANADA HAS STRONG RIVAL

Australia Would Lead Colonies—Sir Wilfrid to Visit Europe on Trade Treaty Quest.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, April 14.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, when he arrived at Euston, noted to the colonial office and had half an hour's interview with Lord Elgin.

A number of Canadians waited on him at Euston, but there was no demonstration. This morning the premier attended services at Westminster (R. C.) Cathedral, and afterwards motored around London for an hour or so, accompanied by Premier Deakin, Ward and Lyne.

The Morning Post says that on the present occasion the empire looks to Sir Wilfrid Laurier to reassert Canada's claim to the imperial hegemony among the younger nations in a positive, rather than a negative, direction, and adds that since 1902 a rival claimant to leadership has emerged from the southern seas.

For the arrival of Sir Wilfrid, those on the platform included Lord Strathcona, John Morgan Richards, Mrs. Frendgarth, Mr. Gauthier and Sir W. B. Hamilton of the colonial office. It is stated that after the conference Sir Wilfrid goes to Paris and Rome, and expects to be away from Canada for three months.

The premier expects, while in Europe, to make trade arrangements with several of the continental nations.

Going to Russia. It is stated that Brodeur is going to Russia after the conference to study the Makharoff icebreakers. Regarding imperial preference, The Standard hopes and believes a modus vivendi may be arrived at. Premier Laurier will give away Elizabeth Maud, daughter of Governor Dunscombe of British Columbia, who will be married on Monday to John Hope son of the registrar of the privy council, at St. Mark's, North Audley-street.

The Times, referring to the conspicuously important conference, says the issue here—between severance and partnership. "At the present rate of colonial development, the colonies must leave us unless we reorganize the imperial machinery," it says. The Times looks for the most fruitful progress in present conference on the question of imperial preference, and a nucleus for full imperial consultation.

The conference opens at 11.30 Monday when Premier Campbell-Bannerman will give an address of welcome.

Sir Wilfrid Arrives, Stood the Voyage Well.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) LIVERPOOL, April 13.—Before 9 a.m. a number of Canadians from Liverpool and London were present at the landing stage, expecting the Empress of Britain to land her passengers, but it was two hours or more after the Lusitania passengers landed that the Empress passengers disembarked. Among the Canadians, but the landing stage were W. L. Griffiths, rector of the Liverpool diocese, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was welcomed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Some score of press representatives attempted to interview Sir Wilfrid, who, while exceedingly cordial, declined to say anything only that what he had to say would be said at the conference.

The voyage, said Sir Wilfrid, speaking to the Canadian Associated Press, was not what could be called a pleasant one, but still he stood it fairly well. He said Sir Wilfrid will visit Paris, London, and other cities, and will be back in Canada by the end of the month.

The royal blue carriages were supplied by the railway for Sir Wilfrid and his party. He said Sir Wilfrid will visit Paris, London, and other cities, and will be back in Canada by the end of the month.

Premier Laurier and his party arrived in London this evening and were met at the railway station by Mr. Earl of Elgin, secretary for the colonies, Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian high commissioner, and other officials.

MADE WAGERS BY WIRELESS. Exciting Race Between Campania and Savoie.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Betting by wireless is the latest novelty of ocean travel, several large bets having been won by passengers on a race between two ocean greyhounds, the Cunarder Campania and La Savoie of the French Line, the last race resulting in a win for the Cunarder, who beat her rival into New York by only 27 minutes.

The race between the two vessels started on Sunday a week ago, the Campania leaving Liverpool while the Frenchman set out from Havre.

The Savoie made a better showing, boat had a start of 100 miles, but in even terms when her when it was sighted Saturday morning, the Campania was in and the captain had to slow down.

Wagers were made by wireless by the passengers and the winners on the Campania awaited the arrival of the Savoie to take up the money.

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## PROBS: Fair and milder; showers during the night.

## To-Day is Notable

In London the conference of British colonial premiers will open. The chief questions are a project providing for a permanent council, preferential trade between the colonies and Great Britain, emigration and imperial defence.

The evacuation of Manchuria by the Russian and Japanese troops and the restoration of Manchuria to China as provided for by the treaty of Portsmouth, will be completed.

King Edward will meet King Victor Emmanuel of Italy near Naples.

Pope Pius will hold a consistory, when seven cardinals are to be created. No Canadian or American prelates are included in the list.

To-day changes in the local government of the Panama canal zone abolishing all the municipal governments now in existence and to result in the harmonizing of the various parts of the zone, will become effective.

## NEWSPAPER MERGER SIGHTED AT ST. JOHN

Two Liberal Journals to Take the Place of Four—Tories May Start Another.

ST. JOHN, N.B., April 14.—(Special.)—Frank Pearson, Halifax, head of the Liberal syndicate owning The Halifax Chronicle and St. John Sun, spent Friday here on his way to Montreal, accompanied by James F. Friel, Dorchester, H. R. Emmerson's partner, David Russell arrived here on Saturday and leaves for Montreal Monday night.

The three will meet to complete an arrangement for the amalgamation of The St. John Telegraph and Sun, both Liberal, but each now running independently. The Times looks for the amalgamation of the two papers, the plan being worth about \$300,000.

The Telegraph has a thoroughly up-to-date plant. It is understood The Telegraph will be a morning issue, and The Times an evening, dispensing with The Times and Sun.

It is rumored that John McKane, a Miramichi millionaire, who made a fortune as Schwab's partner in Tonopah, Nevada, will head a Conservative syndicate starting a paper here.

The Telegraph has been Liberal and the Sun has been Conservative. The amalgamation of the two papers is a move to take the stump against the Grand Trunk Pacific. It is now Liberal.

It is understood that American capital interested in the railroad situation has to date backed Russell.

## SUICIDE IS NOT TESKEY WIFE AND BROTHER SAY

Mistake Made in Identification and Body is Again That of Some Poor Unknown.

Identified positively as Bertram C. Teskey, of New York, while Teskey is very much alive in Port Huron, the body of the man who committed suicide in a York-street lodging house on March 23 is still unknown.

The body was identified by three individual men as Teskey, but now wife and brother say that it is not Teskey.

Mrs. Teskey arrived in the city on Saturday from New York clothed in black and, accompanied by a detective Verney, saw the body. On seeing the body she asked if the embalming of a body would change the color of the hair. Being shown deceased's effects she did not recognize them. A bunch of keys were shown her, but she did not recognize them. Even the collar was larger than that worn by her husband.

Yesterday afternoon R. J. Teskey of St. Mary's, Ont., brother to the supposed dead man, arrived in the city and took a look at the body. He did not recognize the dead man as his brother. "My brother is very much alive," said Mr. Teskey to The World last night. "He is in Port Huron, according to a telegram I have from my brother-in-law there."

Mrs. Teskey claimed to be a missing Thaw witness. His brother, who lives with his father at St. Mary's, Ont., says that Bertram never saw the murder at all. He was just talking.

MR. MARTER'S ILLNESS. The condition of G. F. Marter has given rise to grave anxiety. Prayers for his recovery were offered last night by Rev. Dr. Hincks at Parkdale Methodist Church.

Several members of the family have been summoned to the city. Mr. Marter is in his 69th year.

Pub Hotel, cor. Yonge and Alice Sts. Remodeled under new management. First-class business men's luncheon in connection. W. J. Davidson, Prop. 211

## "O'BRIEN" PAYS A TIDY ROYALTY

Province Receives \$39,406 as Quarter Share of Nine Cars of Ore Shipped From Cobalt.

What a gold mine the provincial government possesses in the royalties payable by Cobalt mines is apparent from the returns made by the O'Brien, from which the treasury has just received \$39,406.

This amount has been paid on the value of nine cars of ore shipped between Jan. 1 and March 15. During that period there were 18 cars shipped, but the returns have not been received from the smelters on the other mine.

The royalty payable in this mine is 25 per cent, and there is a movement among the mine owners to have a uniform royalty at this rate established. Several mines are said to be reserving their shipments in expectation of such an arrangement. The 35 per cent is a flat rate on all grades of ore. Some of the mines have a scale of 25 per cent, and 50 per cent on differing grades.

It will be seen that on an average shipment during the year, on a basis of values such as the above, the government would derive over \$300,000 a year from the O'Brien mine. The shipments will probably be very much increased during the summer.

## Pastor Dances With Woman 100 Years Old

MONTVERNON, N.Y., April 14.—Rev. Dr. Griffin, pastor of the First Methodist Church, came to-day from New Jersey to fulfil a promise made fourteen years ago to Mrs. Rhea Miller, at that time one of his parishioners, to dance at her 100th birthday anniversary.

The doctor's infraction of Methodist discipline was brought about by a pastoral visit to Mrs. Miller, who was thought to be dying. She was then 86 years of age.

"I am going to die, doctor; I know I am," "Nonsense," the pastor replied. "Why, I will dance with you on your 100th birthday. I promise it."

"I shall expect you to keep your promise if I live," she replied, and the incident was forgotten. To-day Mrs. Miller is 100 years old. Her descendants arranged a family dinner, after which Dr. Griffin danced with her, as promised.

## Rush to Cobalt Field Is Styled Tremendous

Sam Price, the mining commissioner, was in the city on Saturday. He speaks of the rush to the north as tremendous.

All over the Larder Lake district the prospectors are spreading like ants. California, Australia, the Yukon are to have a rival in Northern Ontario to judge by the throng of fortune-hunters.

## Roosevelt's Best Friends Hail From New Brunswick

St. John, N.B., April 14.—(Special.)—To Aid, Scott of Fredericton, who has just returned from Washington. President Roosevelt gave a hearty reception, saying:

"Three of the best friends I ever had were New Brunswickers, and I am sorry indeed that you have been in Washington for a day or so without my having met you before."

Scott had a successful interview regarding continuing the American consulate at Fredericton.

## EDWARD AND EMMANUEL. Will Meet on Thursday Next at Gaeta—Grand Naval Review.

ROME, April 13.—It was officially announced to-day that King Edward and King Victor Emmanuel will meet on April 15 at Gaeta. As Queen Alexandra will accompany King Edward, it is expected that Queen Helena will also go to Gaeta.

A grand naval review will be held in the Gulf of Gaeta, the British and Italian sovereigns inspecting from on board their respective yachts the assembled British and Italian squadrons of warships, after which King Victor Emmanuel will entertain the visitors at luncheon on board the Italian yacht, Trinacria.

Altho the approaching meeting of the two kings is declared in official circles to be a mere courtesy, it is nevertheless believed it will be of importance and probably will have an influence upon the attitude of Italy in the forthcoming international issues, and especially around England. It is believed the visit of King Edward will counteract the presence at Rapallo recently of Prince Von Buelow, the German imperial chancellor.

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## VERY LITTLE INTEREST IN HAGUE CONFERENCE

Britain Will Move For Reduction of Armaments Because of Moral Effect of Discussion.

LONDON, April 13.—The delegates who will represent Great Britain at The Hague peace conference have been selected, and their names will be announced in a few days.

Considering the prominent part Great Britain will take in the conference, in view of her proposals for the reduction of the expenditures on armaments, there is little public interest shown here in the approaching meeting. This is largely due to the belief among public men that the discussions will have no result so far as the most important subjects are concerned, owing to the great divergence of opinion among the powers.

In the decision of several governments to abstain from participating in the discussion of any articles of the Russian program, which they believe will not lead to useful results.

The same opinion is held to a certain extent in official circles here, but because she believes the discussions will have a good moral effect by the reduction of the armaments, the British government, therefore, does not understand why Germany should dissent from the project to bring up the question, as to nullify it her delegates would simply have to vote against it.

## TRAIN WRECK AT WINNIPEG

But No One Was Hurt Altho Four Cars Were Damaged.

Winnipeg, April 14.—The Great Northern Express, which left here this evening at 5.20, was wrecked at a switch near the west yards of the C. N. R., inside the city limits.

Four cars and the locomotive were badly damaged, but no one was hurt. A number of prominent Winnipeggers were on board.

## SHOT BY BURGLAR.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Geo. Schambacher, a wealthy real estate dealer, 56 years of age, was shot and fatally wounded in the dining room of his home in East 44th-street early to-day, his family believe that a burglar surprised by Schambacher shot him.

In reply to questions the dying man said only: "I've been shot," and pointed to an open window.

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## To Chew Tobacco Helps to Make a Man Think More

President of Princeton University Says the Habit Leads to Ruminative Conditions and Beats Reading Newspapers.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The value of chewing tobacco as a help to ruminative habits that lead to good statesmanship is one of the things that Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton University, touched upon in his lecture yesterday in the Horace Mann auditorium at Columbia University.

Dr. Wilson pointed out the fact that a western senator, as a rule, is more valuable than an eastern man because he comes from the part of the country that is productive of thought. It is more likely to have opinions that he does not have time to think.

"If you live in a place," said Dr. Wilson, "where you can sit around the stove in a country store and spit tobacco juice into a sawdust box, you are more likely to have opinions than if you live in New York. What ever you may think of the habit of chewing tobacco, I want to suggest that chewing sometimes leads to ruminative habits. If a man stops long enough between sentences it shows he is more likely to have opinions that he does not have time to think."

"People who have their heads buried in a morning paper in the morning and in an evening paper in the afternoon have no ideas except those which the newspapers give them. This is the kind of people that are found in the east, where people think about things else except what they see in the newspapers and their business. In the west this is not true. The western senator has time to chew between sentences, and consequently is more likely to think of those things which are valuable to the nation."

## Woman is Electrocuted While Using the Phone

Marlboro, Mass., April 14.—While sitting at a table in her home here last night, Miss Anna Greenwood, aged 29 years, fell dead.

It is thought that as she took the telephone receiver from its hook, she turned the button of an electric lamp which was above the instrument, and that her body thus formed a connection between the light and telephone circuit.

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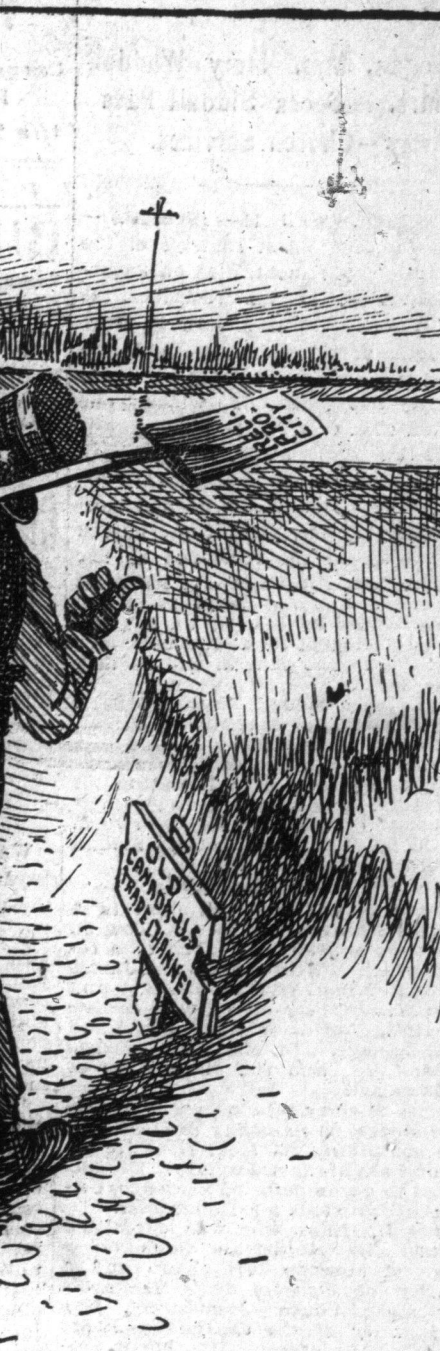
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## 40 YOUNG ENGLISHMEN FOR WESTERN MISSIONS

They're Just Good Specimens of Manhood Who Will Earn Their Right to Divinity.

MONTREAL, April 14.—(Special.)—Among the thousands of transatlantic passengers who passed thru Montreal to-day, en route for the Canadian west, are two-score young Englishmen, who have been sent to Canada by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, at the request of the Lord Bishop of Saskatchewan, to take up mission work in his diocese.

These men are neither graduates of any divinity school, nor of any university in England; they have no degree whatever; they are simply earnest, healthy young fellows, who have answered the call of the Ven. Archbishop Lloyd and the S.P.G. for volunteers for an aggressive mission work in the Canadian west.

Upon their arrival in Saskatchewan, they will each be given a horse, a tent, a campfire outfit, and a sum of money sufficient to last them for a limited period. There they will be turned out upon the prairies, as it were, and made to shift for themselves.

They will visit the settlers, from mission stations, and prepare the way for duly ordained clergymen. They will sleep where night overtakes them, and they will eat such food as they can secure from the settlers.

## NO TIE-UP IN SIGHT.

May Day Will Not Result in Any Apparent Disturbances.

It looks like a quiet May-day. The builders' laborers are restless, but it is the younger members who form the disturbing element. The older ones, receiving 30 cents an hour, are satisfied. Reduction in membership fee from \$10 to \$5 has brought in a large number. The laborers generally wait until the building season is well advanced before making any demand.

The carpenters and bricklayers are tied up by agreement for another year, and the bricklayers have also agreed not to strike sympathetically.

## A PETITION TO WIND UP.

Ontario Bank and John Crane Move Against Port Hope Brewing Co.

The Ontario Bank and John Crane of Peterboro have filed a petition at Osgoode Hall, asking for the winding up of the Port Hope Brewing and Malt Company.

In September, 1897, the name was changed to the Port Hope Brewing and Malt Co., Limited, and in March, 1904, the capital stock was increased to \$150,000.

It is alleged that the liabilities are \$1,042, of which \$62,142 is due the Ontario Bank. The assets are estimated at \$59,666. The application will be brought before the court on Friday next.

## "Maltese Cross" Rubbers

LIABLE TO FINE OF \$29,280,000

"Standard Oil" Found Guilty by Chicago Jury on 1463 Counts of Receiving Rebates From C. & A. Railway.

CHICAGO, April 14.—The Standard Oil Co. of Indiana, which has been on trial for six weeks before Judge K. M. Landis of the United States district court, Saturday night, was found guilty on 1463 counts of receiving rebates from the Chicago and Alton Railway, on shipments of oil from Whiting, Ind., to East St. Louis, Ill. There were originally 1603 counts in the indictment, 440 counts failing on errors.

If the verdict is sustained, the oil company is liable to a maximum fine of \$29,280,000, as the Ekins law, which the indictment charged the company violated, provides a fine of \$1000 to \$20,000 for each offence. Pending a new trial, which John S. Miller, chief counsel for the defence, announced would be made immediately, no penalty will be fixed by the court. Each count related to a carload shipment.

Taken Up Separately. When the case came to trial, the attorneys for the defence endeavored to have all the counts in the indictment thrown out on technicalities, but the court ordered that each count be taken up and considered separately, which was done. The 440 counts on which errors were found were dropped. The defence then put all its efforts toward proving that they were unaware of the fact that the six-cent rate had not been changed to a carload shipment.

To sustain this averment, the company's officials to see whether the rate was in the hands of the interstate commerce commission.

Touching on this point, Judge Landis, in his charge to the jury, said: "The indictment alleges that the defendant accepted a concession knowingly. To sustain this averment, the proofs need not establish that the defendant had actual knowledge of the lawful rate. It was the duty of the defendant diligently to endeavor in good faith to get from the Chicago and Alton Railroad Co. the lawful rate by applying to one of the railroad company's officials. In making this endeavor, the defendant is presumed to have known that the railway company would be guilty of a misdemeanor in giving the defendant a rate on interstate traffic which was not set down on paper, and a copy of the schedule filed with the interstate commerce commission."

Should Have Known. In regard to an assertion made by the defence that the Standard Oil Co. did not know of the existence of the tariff on which the indictment was based, Judge Landis said the evidence submitted by the government went to show that there was a department in the Standard Oil Co. which dealt with oil less than one carload, and that 46, apparently would have been necessary for the head of this department to be familiar with the tariff in question.

The jury was out less than three hours and reached a verdict on the first ballot.

## WAR WITH BULGARIA FOR SULTAN'S RELIEF

His Highness Becoming Anxious Over Revolutionary Movement and Advisors Plan Diversion.

PARIS, April 14.—The Memorial Diplomatic says it has learned that the illness of the Sultan of Turkey is rapidly becoming worse and that he is most anxious concerning the revolutionary movement in Asia Minor.

His advisers see only one hope, and that is to provide an exterior diversion in the form of a war with Bulgaria.

Trouble with this country would be already broken out, but for the sultan's fear that the Bulgarians who are rapid mobilizers would win the first success and that this would be followed by an insurrection throughout the whole of Asia Minor.

In the meanwhile the Esper asserts the Turkish reserves are being called out and troops are being hastened to the frontier.

## SHOT BY STRIKE BREAKER.

Teamsters' Troubles at Boston Leads Up to Street Rioting.

BOSTON, April 14.—Several disorders, the result of clashes between sympathizers with the teamsters' strike and strikebreakers were reported to the police to-day.

John J. Gagey of New York was arrested at the strikebreaker's headquarters, charged with shooting Spinks Prinslow, who was standing in a doorway across the street from the headquarters watching a crowd, some of whom were hurling sticks and other missiles at the windows. Three or four shots were fired from the building, it is said, and one hit Prinslow in the mouth.

## SENATOR IS LUCKY.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 14.—After being out 36 hours in the case of ex-State Senator Covington, charged with accepting a bribe, the jury reported a disagreement, and was discharged. Covington was a former president of the state senate.

## STORM SWEEP.

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CABINET MINISTERS AND THEIR DUTY.

The opposition has taken a good line when it says that a cabinet minister under salary ought to give his whole time to the duties of the position. We believe that cabinet ministers ought to be well paid. We would like to see the salaries of cabinet ministers fixed at \$10,000 per year, and we would not be averse to paying an attorney-general \$15,000, if that was necessary, whether for a federal or provincial government.

We do not believe in a cabinet minister having any other occupation than that of the public service. We do not believe that a cabinet minister, especially if he be a lawyer, should have clients or retainers outside of his office as a cabinet minister.

We can easily imagine the kind of a lawyer who, having retainers of this kind, could easily earn much more than his cabinet salary, and who, therefore, would have a very difficult task in distinguishing his duty to the state from his duty to his clients.

In the meantime, if a man cannot put up with the moderate salary that is given the cabinet ministers he ought to choose between the two, and either undertake to serve the people or to serve his corporation clients or any other clients he may have outside of his cabinet or his own business, whatever it may be, for that matter.

And more and more does it become incumbent on a cabinet minister to follow in the private life to a very large extent the rule of conduct generally followed by our judges. They must be careful of the company they keep; they must be careful of the associates with whom they dine and wine, if they must dine and wine outside of the circle of their immediate friends.

There are great financiers and other magnates who try to approach cabinet ministers and try to approach judges on the social side, and they make them their welcome guests. They think they can in that way get on the outside side of the cabinet minister or the judge. All of these officials, as we have said, ought to live a social life that is more or less of a retiring character, confined to their own immediate circle.

They must, even if they accept office at a comparatively low salary, have but one object in view, and that is to serve the state and to serve the people in the discharge of their official duty. When we say this we have not said all that should be said.

It does not look well for an every-day member of parliament to be in too close connection with the railway and other industrial magnates of this province. They, too, will best serve their constituents by living a simple and an unostentatious life as regards the social world.

**STOP CHINESE GAMBLING.**  
Toronto has its Chinese gambling dens, the same kind that curse the large cities of the United States. Now that it is so difficult to get domestic servants, hundreds of households are employing the Chinaman. He is peculiar in nothing so much as the fact that the desire to gamble is born in him, and stays with him until he is gathered to his gods.

Chinese servants in Toronto spend their spare time in gambling. They neglect their work in order to steal a few more hours at play. They have jumped up their wages to waste them on fan-tan.

Toronto kitchens presided over by Chinamen are in disorder and the heads of households are in trouble owing to this gambling mania.

There are a few rich Chinamen who doubtless have made their wealth in gambling dens across the line. They control the gambling joints in this city, and they are wise in their nefarious business beyond the comprehension of the native Canadian. It is they who have incited the Chinese servants in this city to jump up their wages in order that the banker in the gambling den may get more toll.

That another successful raid has been made upon these gambling dens stands to the credit of the city police. Let other and continuous raids be made. Wherever there is a Chinese gambling den, let it be invaded by the officer of the law, and let the inmates be properly punished. Above all, let the boss gamblers be given the severest penalties, for it is only by rigorous action that the curse that has come into our midst to destroy the harmony of many households, can be eradicated.

Now, when the Chinese gambling den is comparatively in its infancy, let a crusade be made against it, in the hope that the latest effort to solve the servant problem may not be hindered.

**EASTERN CANADA AND THE RAILROADS.**

Canadian railways are having a fine time these days, and nobody least of all no public journal and no public man, desires to hamper them in their efforts to try and serve the public. The idea is, however, being forced into the minds of many of our people that our railways at the present time are trying to do too much, and more and more is the conviction spreading that they are either under-manned or are asking too much of their employees, and that this is due the disquieting number of painful and shocking accidents which are being reported.

Our great railways have enormous undertakings in hand in connection with the great west. They have had a severe winter to contend against, and they have enormous expansive propositions now under way; with these also there has been an immense increase of traffic in the older portions of the Dominion, and it is just as we said above—the roads are trying to do too much with their present number of employees under their present trackage. They want more men and more trackage, and especially more double tracks, and this, with a shortening of the hours of labor, seems to be necessary to meet the pressure of the day, and better ensure the safety of the travelling public.

The question, therefore, comes to be whether the public interest does not require that the risk of accident on the older portions of the line be avoided or, at least, diminished, by putting on more men and laying down more double tracks, rather than that hundreds and hundreds of miles should be built through a comparatively new territory during this year. If all of the roads were to let up a little, by common agreement among themselves, in their almost necessarily rapid extensions to the west they could give more attention to the congestion existing in the east. We do not wish to discourage in any way the building up of the west and the settlement of the west, but the railway managers have a very practical and responsible duty to perform, and they must give their main attention and their main resources to the avoidance of accident, and to the discharging of their responsibilities on their lines nearer home.

Another great trouble is the low equipment, especially in the way of motive power. We are only now finding out that a great mistake was made years ago when our customs tariff was not altered so as to compel the election in Canada of a great car-building and engine-building plant that would have made us independent of other countries. Our roads are to-day ready to buy more locomotives and more cars, but they cannot buy them abroad, and their own building resources, while extensive and growing, are not sufficient to large to meet their immediate requirements.

In a word, then, the railways must very seriously review the situation somewhat on the line above set out. Above all, they must devise a way of moderating to some degree the excessive pressure on men, on tracks, on motive power and on cars that now exist. Rapid expansion may be bought at too high a price.

This pressure has become so pronounced that, as one man expressed it the other day, "the train dispatcher, the track-walker and the men responsible for the running of trains are subject to brainstorm at any moment."

**A BRITISH NATIONAL ARMY.**  
In connection with the scheme for the reorganization of the British army, prepared by Mr. R. B. Haldane, the secretary for war, and now under consideration by parliament, the National Service League has issued a letter appearing in part in another column. It is signed by Lord Roberts, the president, and by the Duke of Wellington, the Lords Meath, Milner and Reginald, the vice-presidents of the league, and from the national importance of the issues raised, it will command great and general attention. Rightly recognizing that the question of the reconstitution of the British offensive and defensive forces is a matter which should be kept free from controversial politics, the signatories discuss the present position of the problem in a fair and impartial manner, at the same time fully and freely recognizing the "great ability, earnestness and single-mindedness with

which the secretary for war has carried out his difficult task."

From the tenor of the debates in parliament, and of the extensive public criticism the scheme has evoked, it is evident that British opinion is much nearer a system of compulsory training for home defence than at one time appeared to be possible. Mr. Haldane, indeed, practically admitted that his proposals would in all probability be the last to be submitted on a voluntary basis. In addition to the reconstitution of the regular army, they aimed at the establishment of a national or territorial army, properly organized in the necessary military formations, with the due proportions between the various arms and services and with proper equipment. On this part of the scheme the National Service League is in entire agreement with Mr. Haldane. Where it parts company with the war secretary is over the wisdom of his proposal that the six months' training necessary to make his partially drilled volunteers effective, should take place after the risk of war has become imminent.

Mr. Haldane's prolonged and anxious consideration of the question led him to perceive and to declare that the problem before him was "the problem of a nation in arms, with all the forces of the country welded into one," which he said, was "the only safeguard for the public interests should war break out." Conceding for the present the objections to compulsory service, he assumes that the ranks can be filled by volunteers prepared to undergo the more stringent training he regards as imperative, and that employers of labor will co-operate by keeping their places open during their necessary absence.

Whether Mr. Haldane's anticipations will be justified is gravely doubted, but in any case the league contends that this portion of his army scheme cannot become a reality unless compulsory training for a sufficient period is made a national duty. Doubtless the war secretary's proposals will have a fair trial. If experience shows that a really efficient national defence force cannot thus be obtained, the only alternative appears to be the adoption of such a system as the National Service League suggests.

**U.C. TRACT SOCIETY SERMON.**

A Useful Year of Good Works to Denizens in Remote Districts.

Rev. John McNeill preached the annual sermon in connection with the Upper Canada Tract Society yesterday morning at Central Methodist Church. The subject of his discourse was taken from John, xii, 23, "And Jesus answered them, saying, The hour is come that the Son of Man should be glorified."

He spoke of the evangelical work that the Gospel itself carried into the hearts of mankind thru all parts of the world, which had its first inception of grace and Divine power for regeneration and redemption at the advent of Christianity to the Gentiles.

The secretary of the society read the annual report, which showed that a great and systematic work of dissemination of Gospel literature had been carried out in remote parts of Canada, and especially that claims cannot attend Divine worship. Sailors, mariners, lumbermen and many other toilers in various branches of industry and commerce had been reached by the society's colporteurs, and a satisfactory list of the year's work could be placed to its credit. There was never before a greater need for increased zeal in this necessary spiritual labor.

On Monday evening Dr. Milligan and two other missionaries will deliver addresses.

**A DEAD GIVE-AWAY.**

Three Men Arrested While Carrying Carcass of Sheep.

The strange sight of three men carrying a heavy bundle out of a stable in the City Cattle Market prompted Constables Moffat and Carnahan of No. 3 division to investigate. The bundle was found to contain a dead sheep, the men were arrested as they drove Bracken had reported to the police losing a sheep on Friday morning last.

The three men gave their names as Frederick Squibb, 223 Bellwoods-avenue; John Stirling, 130 Wellington-street; and James Gallagher, 18 Turner-avenue.

**PEACE CONFERENCE.**

Warring Central American Republics Will Try to Bury Hatchet.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The state department on Saturday received a despatch from U. S. Consul Brown, at La Union, Honduras, saying that a peace conference would be held at Amapala between President Zelaya of Nicaragua and President Fugeroa of Salvador immediately upon the surrender of Amapala which, at the time the despatch was filed, was expected momentarily.

The two presidents will meet in person and endeavor to reach a settlement of the difficulties which involved Nicaragua and Honduras in war, and caused San Salvador to become the ally of the latter.

**GOT GODS, LEFT WIFE.**

Galt, April 14.—James Gladator, a halfbreed from Brantford, followed his runaway wife here, but has tried in vain to induce her to return. The woman is young and pretty. The man seized the personal effects of his wife and went home.

The monthly meeting of the mission to lepers will be held in the Bible Training School, 110 College-street, to-day (Monday), at 3:30 p.m. Miss Jamieson will call of her work among lepers, and Dr. Justin Kirkech of Palestine will also address the meeting.

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The annual sale of unclaimed articles collected by the police department during the year was held in the court building on Saturday afternoon. Inspector McLennan made an efficient auctioneer, and in all several hundred dollars was netted. The crowd was a fair-sized one, and the bidding was keen enough to indicate that the easier money conditions in Europe are being felt locally.

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## INDIVIDUAL MUST BE

HIS OWN JOY OR SORROW

Can't "End It All" by Suicide, Says A. J. Colville in "Evidences of Immortality."

Extraordinary originality in manner and in modes of thought distinguishes W. J. Colville, who lectured in St. George's Hall yesterday. The evening subject was "Evidences of Immortality," and he spoke for two hours.

Mr. Colville is of aristocratic English family and is well-known in Great Britain. He is a world-traveler, too, and is just back from Australia.

There are few of his sayings: "I place more value on the artless testimonies of children than on all the paid-for twenty-minute sittings of spiritualistic mediums. Such miserable commercial dailiness with the spirit world needs to be kicked down the back stairs."

"Way notes the new theology a chance and teach people that they are truly immortal."

"It is the most ridiculous doctrine of spiritualism that we are ever told on the world that we are our material bodies, and one contradiction to every particle of scientific evidence."

"A great deal of friendship on earth is very superficial. The devotion grows cold in a little while. Don't talk about living together for eternity. Allow that to be provided for in eternity."

"Nobody can skip across the border or evade the law by committing suicide. Suicides have to live by themselves, and they have rather a poor time. I don't like my own company and am not at peace with myself. I won't enjoy myself very much. The individual must be his own joy and his own sorrow."

"The testimony from the spirit world is not discrepant; it is various. People do not understand the difference. December 21 is the longest day in the year—in Australia. The unseen world is not all of a piece anymore than this is."

"Whoever hates his brother cannot love God. His prayer shall be turned into sin. Man cannot transfer his sins from the material to the spiritual merely by dying."







**Mr. W. F. Maclean's Speech From the Policyholder's Point of View—Is His Interests to Be Protected?—The State Should Take Over the Trust Funds.**

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there will be no government income legislation this session must be given as the answer to about nine-tenths of the hop, gentleman's question. When the legislation is brought in it will be time enough to criticize it. In the meantime, I must ask the gentleman to have hope and also good deal of faith. One reason why



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## WEAKNESS IN FOSTER AND SMALL SHIPMENTS

Combine to Cause Selling of Cobalt Shares by Professionals at Lower Prices.

The continuous and unexplainable weakness in Foster stock, the heavy falling off in the weekly shipments from the Cobalt camp and the general disturbed conditions of all securities markets have contributed to easier prices in the Cobalt shares for the week. The decline in prices was not accelerated by the professional account and simply the transfer of one short account to that of another by room traders.

A rally has taken place in one or two of the securities since last Saturday, but these have not held, and lower prices have been made each day by the professional account. The Silver Queen and Green-Meehan, which are regarded as the standard trading stocks in the local mining markets, some disappointment was expressed at the statement given out at the annual meeting of the Silver Queen shareholders, principally because the announcement of a quarterly dividend was expected at this time. This was perhaps due to a misunderstanding when the initial dividend was paid, and when it was clearly stated by the management that in future it was necessary that a quarterly dividend of one per cent. would be made. This dividend in all probability would have been paid had there not been difficulty in getting the machinery for the property in time to put development work forward so that the earnings might have shown sufficient increase to warrant such a payment.

Looking back over the Cobalt situation of last fall, it is now evident that the management of some of the properties were too speedy in dividing surplus profits with shareholders, and it would have contributed to the steadiness of the market had the profits to stockholders been kept until sufficient funds had accumulated to make dividends continuous. It should only be a matter of time, however, before this oversight can be rectified, and when this stage is reached some steady effect ought to be seen in the market.

For the present the outlook is not one of the best. The continuance of new and substantial finds will help to keep up enthusiasm and make for special movements in the stocks of the properties on which the finds occur, but outside of this the immediate future is not promising for any advance in the market.

**PRIVATE WIRE TO COBALT.**

The First One Arranged for by a Local Brokerage Firm.

A private wire will connect with Cobalt, as anticipated by The World's weekly news. The continuance of the stock brokerage firm of A. E. Osler & Co. has made an arrangement with the local government by which the firm will have a wire connection directly with the camp. This is the first private wire to connect with the Cobalt camp, and it unquestionably proves the fact that this brokerage firm has in the mining situation. When the first private wire ran into the Calumet (Michigan) copper camp from Boston, everybody predicted that the stock would not last, but the results showed otherwise. Messrs. A. E. Osler & Co. have been identified with the Buffalo, Silver Queen, Silver Queen and Silver Queen, Foster, Green-Meehan, Silver Queen and Silver Queen, and they say from their experience of this camp, that they believe the private wire will prove as advantageous as the connection with the copper camp proved.

In an interview, Gordon Taylor of the firm of A. E. Osler, stated that the break in prices of the Cobalt securities was attributable to the fact that too many prospects with high capitalization had been placed on the market. He thought that investors in producing properties would receive large returns for their investments.

**AVERAGED 700 OUNCES.**

Cobalt Central Only Shipping Low Grade Ore.

New York, April 13.—The shipments from the Cobalt camp are now breaking all records. This is owing to the progress of the development work, as well as to the improvement in the weather. Some of the mines, however, have been embarrassed by the fact that they must cut roads in order to get their ore to the railroad, now that the snow is melting. During the winter the mines on the side of the lake opposite the railroad station could take their ore over the ice on sledges. The thaw, however, has forced them to build roads around the lake. Some of the shipments from the Cobalt camp have been sold silver recently, and are of great value. Some of the best specimens are from Nipissing and Cobalt Central. Some very fine specimens have also been taken from the Nova Scotia Mine. The Cobalt Central has thus far been shipping only low-grade ore. The last car sent to Waverley, N.J., averaged 700 ounces. Shipments have been averaging three cars a month. The price of a single carload of the low-grade ore is more than sufficient to pay the entire expenses of the Cobalt Central Company for a month, including all the development work on its five mines.

**COBALT ORE SHIPMENTS.**

Following are the weekly shipments from Cobalt camp, and those from January 1 to date:

Week ending	Since Jan. 1	Week ending	Since Jan. 1
Feb. 21	Feb. 21	Feb. 21	Feb. 21
40,000	640,000	40,000	640,000
40,000	411,700	40,000	411,700
40,000	101,877	40,000	101,877
40,000	34,250	40,000	34,250
40,000	100,350	40,000	100,350
40,000	129,580	40,000	129,580
40,000	75,000	40,000	75,000
40,000	873,567	40,000	873,567
40,000	60,000	40,000	60,000

The total shipments for the week were 107,240 pounds, or 53 tons. The total shipments since Jan. 1, 1907, are now 5,675,739 pounds, or 2838 tons. In 1906 the camp produced 158 tons, valued at \$136,217; in 1905, 214 tons, valued at \$1,473,196; in 1904, 512 tons, valued at \$3,900,000.

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ever, has forced them to build roads around the lake. Some of the shipments from the Cobalt camp have been sold silver recently, and are of great value. Some of the best specimens are from Nipissing and Cobalt Central. Some very fine specimens have also been taken from the Nova Scotia Mine. The Cobalt Central has thus far been shipping only low-grade ore. The last car sent to Waverley, N.J., averaged 700 ounces. Shipments have been averaging three cars a month. The price of a single carload of the low-grade ore is more than sufficient to pay the entire expenses of the Cobalt Central Company for a month, including all the development work on its five mines.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange	Asked.	Bid.
Cobalt Stocks		
Abitibi	25	20
Amalgamated	75	70
Buffalo	3.00	2.00
Cleveland	25	20
Clear Lake	40	35
Cobalt Central	41	38
Coniagos	40	35
Empress	80	75
Foster	1.50	1.00
Green-Meehan	1.50	1.00
Hudson Bay	105	100
Kerr Lake	1.50	1.00
McKinley	1.70	1.50
Nipissing	1.50	1.00
Nova Scotia	1.50	1.00
Peterborough	85	80
Peter Lake	65	60
Red Rock	40	35
Right-of-Way	5.25	5.00
Silver Queen	1.50	1.00
Silver Bar	35	30
Silver Queen	1.50	1.00
Trethewey	1.50	1.00
University	1.50	1.00
Watts	75	70
British Columbia Mines	64	60
Cariboo-McKinley	45	40
Con. Mining & Smelting	135	130
C. G. F. S.	45	40
Diamond Vale	27	25
International Coal & Coke	62	55
North Star	38	35
Rambling Cariboo	31	28
White Bear (non-assessable)	10	8
Railways		
Canadian Pacific Railway	175	170
Niagara, St. C. & T.	75	70
Rio Janeiro Tramway	40	35
Sao Paulo Tramway	125	120
Toronto Railway	125	120
Twin City	97	95
Winnipeg Railway	180	175
Navigation		
Niagara Navigation	125	120
Northern Navigation	85	80
R. & O. Navigation	90	85
St. Lawrence Navigation	125	120
Banks		
Commerce	175	170
Crown	105	100
Hamilton	200	195
Home Bank	185	180
Imperial	200	195
Metropolitan	200	195
Montreal	200	195
Nova Scotia	200	195
Sovereign	125	120
Standard	225	220
Steele	125	120
Traders	130	125
Union	137	132
United Empire Bank	100	95
Loans, Trusts, Etc.		
Canada Landed	125	120
Canada Permanent	125	120
Canadian Bank	100	95
Colonial Investment	7.40	7.00
Dominion Permanent	80	75
Hamilton	125	120
Huron & Erie	187	182
Landed Bank	125	120
London & Canadian	105	100
London Loan	118	115
National Trust	125	120
Ontario Loan	134	130
Toronto Mortgage	110	105
Trust & Guarantee	42	40
Western Assurance	80	75
Telephones		
Canadian Gen. Electric	134	130
Canadian Oil	127	125
City Daily common	37	35
City preferred	90	85
Consolidated	200	195
Confederation Life	300	295
Dominion Life	61	58
Electric Development	50	45
Hamilton	40	35
Mexican L. & P.	51	48
National Portland Cement	75	70
S. S. Steel common	92	88
W. A. Rogers preferred	92	88
Western & Northern Lands	125	120

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AN HISTORIC CHURCH  
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Davenport Sunday School Holds  
Fiftieth Anniversary—Other  
County Items.

Toronto Junction, April 14.—The members of Davenport Methodist Sabbath School celebrated to-day the fiftieth anniversary of its founding by addresses by well-known city clergymen, and a service of praise by the pupils of the Sabbath school. In the morning the pulpit was occupied by the Rev. J. A. Rankin, Carlton-street Methodist Church; in the afternoon by Rev. W. H. Hines, Parkdale Methodist, and in the evening by Prof. Bowles, Victoria University. On each occasion the sacred edifice was filled to the doors, and in the evening many were unable to gain admission. Excellent music was furnished by the school orchestra, and in point of attendance and interest the day was a memorable one.

The license commission for West York will meet in their rooms, 15 Dundas-street, next Friday morning at 10 o'clock, to consider the application of William Nelson for a shop license in York Township, a few hundred yards west of the town limits, on Dundas-street, in a building known as Stephens' Cottage. The granting of the license will be fought against on behalf of the temperance people by A. Gilchrist, florist, of Elizabeth-street, and W. A. McMaster, solicitor, and secretary of the Citizens' League of Toronto Junction.

A large number of applications have been issued for a parish social to be held to-morrow evening, the 15th, in the basement of St. John's Church, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid and the A. Y. P. A.

For some days past a gang of men have been harassing the track on St. Clair-avenue, leading from the G. T. R. to Gunn's, Limited, and the Martin-Levy abattoirs, and a decided improvement in the appearance of the street has been the result.

William Rowntree has taken out permits to build a pair of semi-detached, brick dwellings on Davenport-road, to cost \$20,000, and also to alter the store on the corner of the street.

Chairman Dods of the property committee of the public school board visited St. Clair-avenue school on Saturday morning, making estimates to build a new fence, part of which was burned in a bush and fire during the holidays.

Fire Chief Robinson has been laid up for the past two weeks with pneumonia, but expects to be back on duty within a few days.

There are 82 cars of stock in the Union Stock Yards for Monday's market.

The street foreman has between 60 and 70 feet of the Weston-road bridge replaced. It will be ready for traffic by the end of the week before the bridge is finished for traffic.

The new town park on Eglinton-street will be ready for the athletic season. The fence from the old park on Ann-street is being removed to the new grounds.

**Woodbridge.** Special services were held in Knox Church yesterday, the Rev. W. G. Back of Maple officiating. The choir rendered most effectively "The Day is Past and Over." The soloist was Miss Marion Wilson.

C. J. Agar is enlarging his house on Clarence-street.

The pulpit of the Methodist Church was occupied yesterday by the Rev. W. G. Back of Maple, who preached morning and evening. The subject was the cause of missions.

Mrs. W. W. Reid of the Inverness House, who was thought to be improving, has suffered a relapse.

Donald Mackenzie, license inspector of West York, has been in the city for the purpose of seeing the Rev. W. G. Back of the Town of Toronto Junction, who is applying for a shop license for the premises known as the Stephens' Cottage, on Dundas-street, in the Junction. Last year in West York six licenses were issued and no shop licenses.

**Weston.** On Monday, April 22, the Town of Weston will vote on two money bills, involving altogether an expenditure of \$208,277 of this amount, \$108,277 is for new sidewalks, and \$100,000 for fire protection.

The W.M.S. of the Methodist Church held their annual at-home on Friday evening. The affair was a success, and a handsome sum was realized by the ladies for church purposes.

Canon McNair of St. John's Cathedral will lecture in the town hall on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the A.T.U. of St. John's Church. The subject will be "The Glorious Cathedrals of England." The Daughters of England will hold a social in Oddfellows' Hall on Wednesday evening, April 17.

Weston citizens are not well pleased that the Town of Toronto Junction will join hands in seeking to get a better suburban railway service.

**Thornhill.** Jesse Winger has moved to Wright Brook, brick house and will shortly remove. The Bell Telephone Company are adding

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The Thornhill Football Club have reorganized for the season, with these officers: J. A. Richardson, president; C. Miller, secretary-treasurer, and a committee composed of J. B. Francis, Thomas Hughes, W. Camp and W. Dean.

Mr. Nonan is renting his farm, and in doing so going with James Wilson to New Zealand.

**Norway.** Contracts have been let for the new public school to be erected on Rold-avenue during the coming summer, to cost in the neighborhood of \$17,000. The contractor work has been let to William Horson of Norway, at a cost of \$3500, and the carpenter work to Maxwell & Co. of the city, for \$4200. This is exclusive of the material.

The enormous increase in the population of the Rold-avenue district within the last few years has rendered necessary the erection of this new school, many of the pupils in the neighborhood being displaced.

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Emigration Literature Provided in  
Old Land Assures a Great  
Reception Here.

Three special trains loaded with new citizens arrived at the Union station last night. Some of them will go on farms, the others have to be provided with work. Many more are coming.

During the new week, every boat that leaves the old land will be crowded to its fullest capacity.

These poor people, they say, were told there was a great welcome awaiting them on arrival; that the government had a large staff of guides and agents who would give every assistance to the new-comers on their arrival, to enable them to get quickly settled, and obtain work.

That depots were provided for those who cannot afford to pay for rooms, but that they must purchase food, which can be obtained at a low cost at the depots.

They were warned, too, not to apply to outside parties for information or advice, as it would be provided free of charge by the government.

They were told that they must be in attendance at the place of landing, but would also travel on all railway trains carrying more passengers than the seaports, in order to give them advice and protection en route.

This is probably startling news to many citizens in Toronto, who are not aware of the state of affairs in the old land, which is run by the British government.

In the leading London papers advertisements appear of shipping agents that state that emigrants booking through them will receive "government" letters of introduction, guaranteeing work, meeting and arranging with new arrivals.

Where are those officials to be found? Where are those depots situated, that will take in the weary travelers without money, give them free temporary accommodation, and find them the only place in Toronto that fulfills part of the above is the Ontario immigration office at the Union station, and the letters of introduction are supplied by the immigration office.

It is because these promises are not fulfilled that the British Welcome League has been formed, for the purpose of carrying out a real hearty British welcome to all the new arrivals from the old land.

The executive committee of the league have rented the old postoffice on Front-street, which they propose to fit up, equip and open immediately. Funds are urgently required to enable the league to carry out the work in a proper manner.

That anyone may assist in the noble cause, the membership fee has been fixed at \$1 a year. Everyone can afford that sum, and by sending it, at once they will materially help the work along. Those who care to become life members may do so by sending a donation of \$10 or more. Not a single cent will be wasted or unwisely spent. The committee hope to be able to report at the meeting to be held on Thursday evening at Victoria Hall, Queen-street, that sufficient funds are in hand to meet the cost of the work for this season.

At the meeting some very interesting facts will be related that will open the eyes of the citizens to the character of the permanent quarters to be provided later will entirely depend upon the support received from the public.

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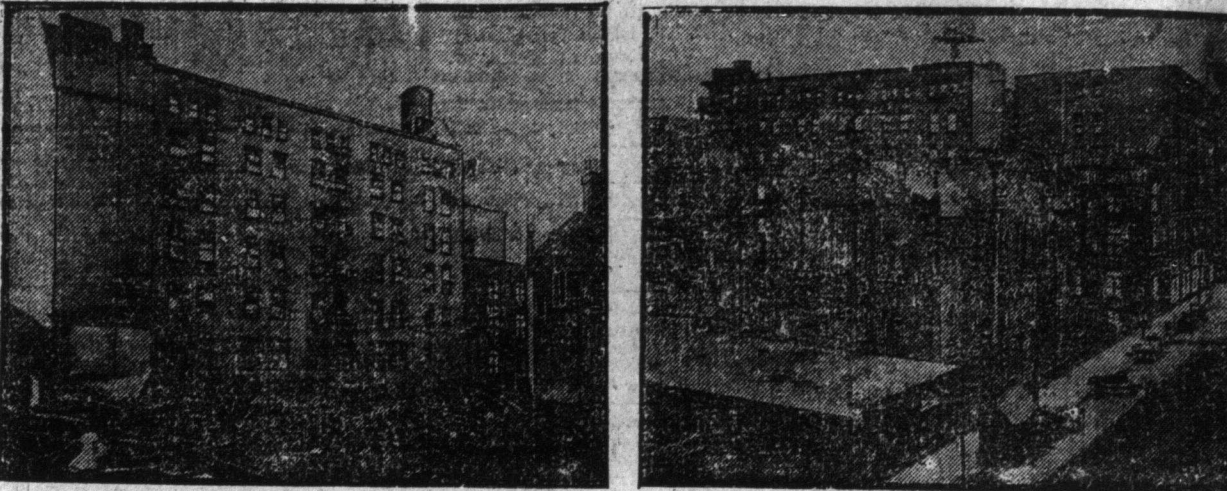
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Monday, April 15



## THE SITE OF KNOX CHURCH TO-DAY LAST PICTURE OF KNOX SCHOOL HOUSE

ON SATURDAY we printed a picture of Old Knox Church and Knox School House. To-day we show the empty space where once and for so long Old Knox Church stood. Also we show the last picture of the School House it was possible to take. The men on the roof had already begun the work of demolition.

The first of these pictures show the West Wall of our present building, whereon the new building will adjoin, and which will then be removed. The second picture of the School House gives you another idea of the extent of space the new store will occupy.

## Men's Raincoats

Special Fine Imported English Covert

Cloth and Cravenette Proofed Worsteds, in plain grey and fawn, also some fancy patterns, cut in the long loose single-breasted Chesterfield, with broad shoulders and close fitting collars, some lined throughout, others one-quarter lined, with seams piped and bellows pockets, sizes 36 to 44, regular 10.50, 12.50, 14.00, 15.00 and 16.00, on sale

8.95

Tuesday at.....

## 65 Only Men's Rubberized Waterproof

Coats, Regular 10.00 and 10.50,

on Sale Tuesday at 6.95.

Dark Oxford Grey and Fawn All-wool Covert Cloth, lined with fancy plaid silk and wool lining, seams sewn and taped, finished with velvet collars and rubber facings on the bottom, sizes 36 to 44, regular 10.00 and 10.50 value, on sale Tuesday

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## IN RESTRAINT IS DANGER

SAYS MR. GOLDWIN SMITH

Noted Scholar Tells Why He Will

Support the Rational Sunday

League.

The new Canadian Rational Sunday

League, which was inaugurated last

Friday afternoon for the purpose of

opposing "tyrannical and restrictive legis-

lation" regarding Sunday, and to

promote healthy and innocent recreation

on Sunday, Mr. Goldwin Smith,

waited upon the distinguished scholar

at his residence, and had some con-

versation with him about the move-

ment.

Mr. Smith said that he felt himself

unable to be actively identified with

any movement at his time of life, but

would give his support to the move-

ment, because he prized the institution

of the seventh day being observed as

a day of rest and recreation, as one of

the greatest blessings which mankind

enjoys.

"I should be sorry to see Sunday ob-

servance become an object of litiga-

tious contention, and I am anxious that

Sunday should continue to be observed

as a day of reverence. People will con-

tinue to observe it if they are let

alone.

"It is the attempt to put a legal re-

straint upon people which is odious."

The World quoted Luther's famous

saying of his flock in repelling the grow-

ing spirit of narrow Sabbatarianism:

"I say sing on the Sabbath, dance on

the Sabbath, feast on the Sabbath."

The professor said Calvin was in

equally liberal, and recalled that in the

reign of Edward VI.—the high-water

mark of Protestantism in England—an

act was passed providing for a

rational observance of Sunday.

"Recreation does not traverse the

commandment," said the professor,

"and the great majority of the people

have no opportunity for quiet recrea-

tion through the week."

**Peter Ryan's Views.**

Like Prof. Goldwin Smith Peter Ryan

disclaims any intention of becoming a

propagandist or standard-bearer of

the new movement, "but," says he,

"when I saw the society advertised I

sent them my subscription because I

am in favor of people being allowed

to think for themselves on Sundays.

"I believe in Sunday being a reli-

gious day, and I would object to any

person being allowed to use the day

for manufacturing or industrial pur-

poses," said Mr. Ryan.

"I think the day of rest is a neces-

sary thing for man and beast, and

that every man should have one day

or another to rest and recreate upon.

"I don't believe in Sunday papers

I think newspapermen are a hard-

ship."

**EVERY WOMAN**

Should be interested

in the wonderful

benefits of

the famous

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

for Pale People

and all who are

weak and

anemic.

These pills are

the best and

most reliable

article

known to

physicians.

They are

entirely

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